NANYANG PRIMARY SCHOOL
SHORT LANGUAGE PAPER

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

PRIMARY TWO

BOOKLET A: Listening Comprehension & Spelling

DURATION FOR BOOKLET A: 30 minutes

Name: _____ ( )

Class: Pr 2 ( )

Parent's Signature: _____

BOOKLET A – Listening Comprehension & Spelling	/10

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3. ***Answer all questions.***

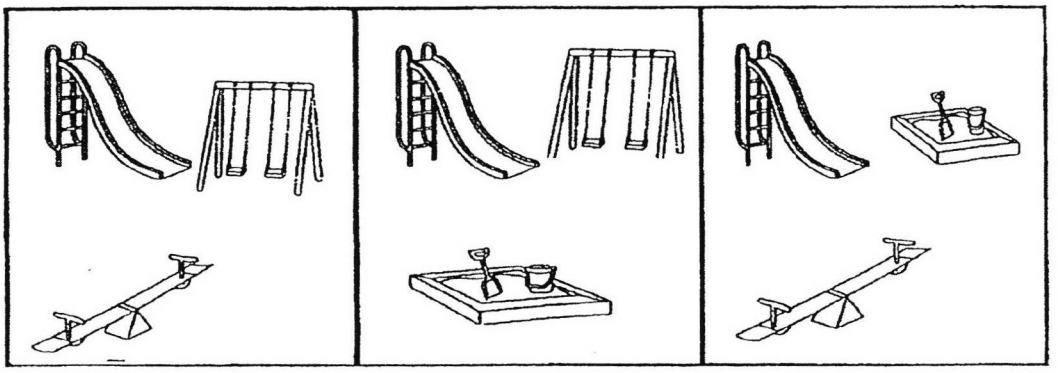
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SECTION A: Picture Matching (3 x 1m = 3m)

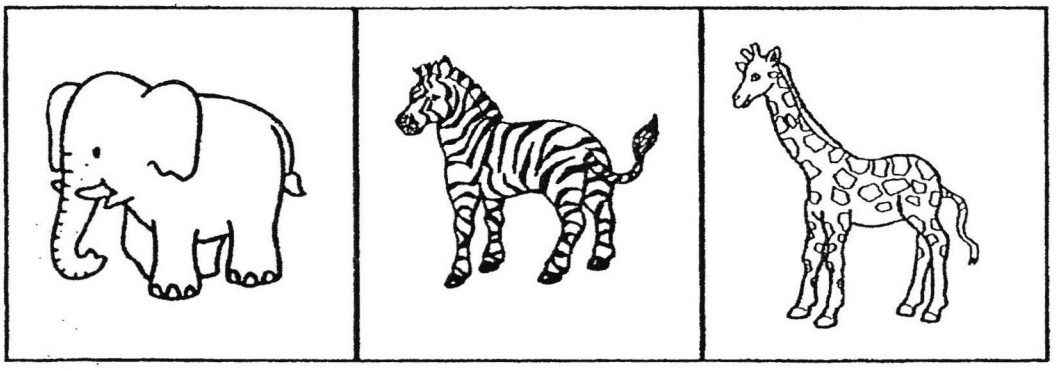
Look at the set of pictures. Listen to the statements being read out. Then, choose the picture that describes what has been read. Put a tick in the box for the correct picture.

1.



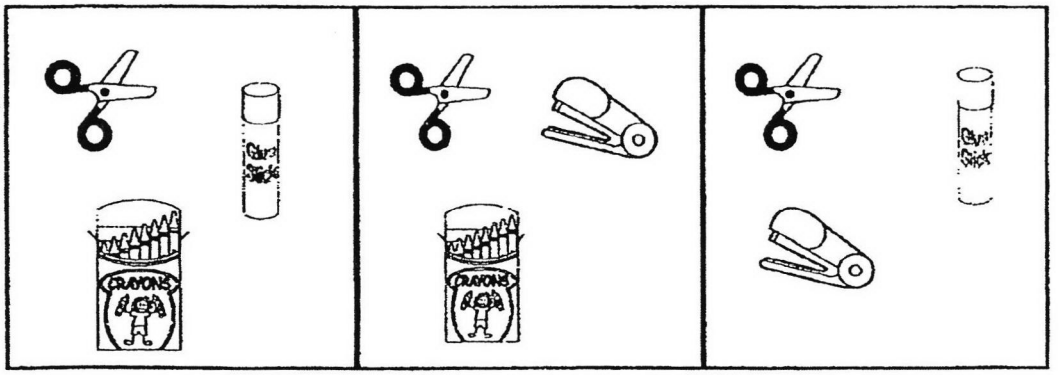
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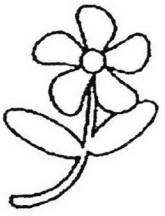
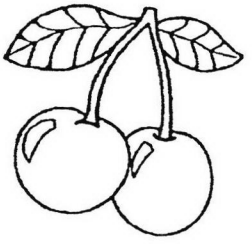
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SECTION B: Phonics (3 x 1m = 3m)

For questions 4 and 5, listen to your teacher carefully and write the letter or letters for the correct ending sound in the blank.

Example: bu_____
4. sl_____
5. str_____

For question 6, look at the picture and listen to your teacher carefully. Tick the box that has the same beginning sound as the picture.

Example  flower	A ☐ B ☐ C ☐
6.  cherries	A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

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SECTION C: SPELLING (4 x 1m = 4m)

Q7. _____

Q8. _____

Q9. _____

Q10. _____

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CHECK YOUR ANSWERS CAREFULLY

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BOOKLET B: Language Use & Comprehension

DURATION FOR BOOKLET B: 1 hour

Name: _____( )

Class: Pr 2 ( )

Parent's Signature: _____

BOOKLET A – Listening Comprehension & Spelling	/10
BOOKLET B - Language Use & Comprehension	/35
TOTAL	/45

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Section A: Grammar
Multiple Choice Questions (5 x 1m = 5m)
Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

1. There are _____ coins in the piggy bank.

   (1) a little (2) much (3) many ( )

2. They _____ at the movies just now.

   (1) are (2) was (3) were ( )

3. _____ boy at the other end of the field is flying a kite.

   (1) That (2) This (3) Those ( )

4. They _____ at the playground now.

   (1) is playing (2) are playing (3) were playing ( )

5. The elephant is carrying a log with _____ trunk.

   (1) it (2) its (3) it's ( )

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SECTION B: Vocabulary
Multiple Choice Questions (5 x 1m = 5m)
Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

6. The train travelled through a _____ in the mountains.

(1) path (2) road (3) tunnel ( )

7. The mouse _____ into the hole when it saw the cat.

(1) scurried (2) slithered (3) walked ( )

8. The angry giant _____, "Give me some bread!"

(1) bellowed (2) requested (3) whispered ( )

9. The butterfly _____ from flower to flower.

(1) hops (2) flutters (3) scampers ( )

10. His shirt is _____ and he needs to iron it.

(1) crumpled (2) torn (3) stained ( )

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Section C: Grammar Cloze (6 x 1m)

For questions 11 to 16, read the passages below carefully. Choose the answers from the words given in the box. Each word is given a letter (A to F). Write the letter for the correct word in each blank.

USE EACH WORD ONCE ONLY

Passage 1

(A) above	(B) for	(C) in
(D) on	(E) to	(F) under

I searched high and low for my toy bunny. Usually, it would be lying (11)_____my bed where I would hug it to sleep. I bent down to look (12)_____ the bed as I might have dropped it, but it was not there. Then, I searched (13)_____my toy box and still could not find my toy bunny. Just then, Mother walked into the room with my toy bunny in her hands.

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Passage 2

(A) he	(B) her	(C) it
(D) she	(E) they	(F) you

Jane was walking to school. Suddenly, (14)_____ saw something. She had never seen such a beautiful rainbow up close.

During Art lesson that day, she drew the rainbow. (15)_____ was a very colourful drawing. Turning around, she took a look at Tom's drawing. To her surprise, (16)_____ had also drawn a rainbow. Jane smiled as she realised that both of them had seen the rainbow that morning.

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Section D: Punctuation (3 x 1m = 3m)
Write the correct punctuation mark in the circles provided.

17. "May I know the way to the canteen ◯ " asked the lady.

18. The bus will be arriving in five minutes ◯

19. The drink stall serves coffee ◯ tea and soft drinks.

Section E: Word Order (3 x 1m = 3m)
Read the words carefully and put them in the right order. Begin your sentence with the underlined word.

20. girl park walking in her

The is dog the

_____

_____

21. ask his Ben bring homework

Please to tomorrow

_____

_____

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22. won in a first contest

He prize singing

_____

_____

Section F: Sentence Combining (3 x 1m = 3m)
Rewrite the two sentences of each question below into a sentence by using the word given.

23. Butterflies are insects. Ants are also insects.

_____

and _____

24. She went to see a doctor. She had a stomachache.

_____

because _____

25. Mrs Tan told the boy to keep his book. The boy did not listen.

_____

but _____

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Section G: Comprehension – Information Transfer
(3 x 1m = 3m)

Study the poster below carefully.



Doggie Carnival



Sunday, 12 March 2018
4 pm to 6 pm
East Coast Park

Spend a special day with your family and furry friend. Enjoy exciting activities together at the park.

Carnival Highlights

- **Children Art Competition**
- Draw a picture of your dog.
- Win attractive prizes!

- **Sale of pet food**
- Great discounts!

Be the first 100 people to bring your dog to the carnival and get a party bag.

- **Pet Care**
- a workshop by Dr. Tan (Veterinarian)

- **"Why I get a dog,"**
- a sharing by Sandra Tan

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For Questions 26 to 28, fill in each blank with **a word or words** from the poster.

26. The Doggie Carnival will be held at

_____.

27. The first 100 people who bring their dogs will get a

_____ each.

28. Learn how to take care of your dog by attending a

_____ given by Dr. Tan.

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Section H: Comprehension (7 m)

Read the passage below carefully. Then answer the questions carefully.

There was a monkey who loved coconuts. Whenever it looked in the river and saw the fishes swimming, it thought, 'It would be nice to have fish instead of coconuts.'

One day, two fishermen came to the riverbank carrying a big net. The monkey watched them as they stretched the net across the river. Then, the men let the net drop into the river. Many fishes swam into the net. Now it knew how to catch some fishes.

The monkey quickly found an old net and dragged the heavy net to the river excitedly.

At the river, the monkey tied one end of the net to a tree branch. However, it lost its balance and fell into the water. The monkey could not swim. It got tangled up in the net and nearly drowned.

When the fishermen returned, they laughed at the silly monkey. They quickly pulled the monkey out of the river. The monkey ran back to its tree and never tried to catch a fish again.

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29. The monkey wished he could _____. (1m)

(1) eat a fish

(2) collect lots of coconuts

(3) swim with the fish in the river ( )

30. Why did the monkey tie one end of the net to the tree branch? (2m)

_____

_____

31.

The monkey could not swim. It got tangled up in the net and nearly drowned.

Which word in the two sentences above tells you the monkey was trapped? (1m)

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32. Write 1, 2 and 3 in the brackets below to show the order of events that took place in the passage. (1m)

( ) The monkey nearly drowned.

( ) The monkey pulled a net to the river.

( ) The monkey watched the fishermen drop a net into the river.

33. What did the fishermen do when they saw the monkey in the river? (2m)

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SUBJECT : English

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Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15	Q16	Q17	Q18	Q19	
D	F	C	D	C	A	?	.	,	

20) The girl is walking her dog in the park.

21) Please ask Ben to bring his homework tomorrow.

22) He won first prize in a singing contest.

23) Butterflies and ants are insects.

24) She went to see a doctor because she had a stomachache.

25) Mrs Tan told the boy to keep his book but he did not listen.

26) The Doggie Carnival will be held at East Coast Park.

27) The first 100 people who bring their dogs will get a party bag each.

28) Learn how to take care of your dog by attending a workshop given by Dr.Tan.

29) 1

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30) The monkey wanted to catch some fish.

31) Tangled

32) 3, 2, 1

33) The fisherman laughed at the silly monkey and pulled it out of the river.

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