Nan Hua Primary School
Primary 3 English Language
Term 1 Weighted Assessment

Marks	
Section A:	/5
Section B:	/5
Section C:	/10
Total:	**/20**

Name: _____ ( )

Class: Primary 3/ _____

Date: _____

Answer all questions.

Section A: Grammar (5 x 1 marks = 5 marks)
For questions 1 to 5, four options are given. Select the most suitable answer and write the correct number (1, 2, 3 or 4) in the brackets provided.

1 The boys went to the playground to _____ after they had finished their badminton training.

(1) play
(2) plays
(3) playing
(4) were playing ( )

2 _____ students here are not allowed to go for recess as they have not completed their homework.

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

3 "_____ the children been to the museum?" Mrs Lee asked.

(1) Has
(2) Had
(3) Have
(4) Hadn't ( )

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4 The policemen arrived at the scene of the accident and _____ to gather evidence.

(1) start
(2) starts
(3) started
(4) starting

( )

5 Tom _____ computer games when he heard a knock on the door.

(1) playing
(2) was playing
(3) were playing
(4) have been playing

( )

Section B: Vocabulary (5 x 1 marks = 5 marks)
For questions 6 to 10, four options are given. Select the most suitable answer and write the correct number (1, 2, 3 or 4) in the brackets provided.

6 The _____ firefighter ran into the burning building to save the people who were trapped.

(1) timid
(2) terrified
(3) fearless
(4) reckless

( )

7 Mrs Lim always reminds her students to tell the truth and be _____.

(1) jealous
(2) honest
(3) innocent
(4) careless

( )

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8 Jamie used a needle and thread to _____ back the buttons onto his shirt.

(1) stick
(2) stitch
(3) mend
(4) hammer

( )

9 Johnny did a beautiful painting of a house on a piece of _____.

(1) paint
(2) brush
(3) canvas
(4) photograph

( )

10 Lily is afraid of spiders. One day, she saw a spider crawl out from her bag. She stood on her chair and _____ loudly.

(1) giggled
(2) laughed
(3) mumbled
(4) screamed

( )

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Section C: Comprehension (10 marks)

Read the passage below and answer questions 11 to 17.

My brother, Timmy, liked to play pranks on us. He would cry for help when it was not needed. Timmy enjoyed seeing people get tricked by him. He would laugh loudly upon seeing our worried faces. My parents had warned him about the consequences but he never listened. Timmy pulled so many pranks on us that we stopped trusting him.

One afternoon, as I was doing my homework in my room, I heard Timmy shouting for help. I ignored him as I assumed that it was one of his mischievous acts. "Help, please help! There's a fire!" Timmy shouted. Upon hearing his repeated cries, I wondered if I should check it out. However, I recalled the times when he laughed in my face and was determined not to fall for his pranks again.

Suddenly, I smelled smoke. I dashed out of my room and saw that the living room was filled with smoke. Timmy was trying to put out the fire with a wet towel. My parents also rushed out of their room. Father quickly ran to the kitchen and grabbed a fire extinguisher. He managed to put out the fire in time.

Timmy learnt his lesson. He realised that he had been wrong to play all those pranks in the past. He promised that he would never do it again.

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11. What would Timmy do when he saw people's worried faces? (1m)

12. Which word in **paragraph 1** has the same meaning as **"results"**? (1m)

13. Tick ✓ your chosen answer.

How did the author react after hearing Timmy shouting "fire" ?

He _____ Timmy after hearing his shouting. (1m)

	ignored
	warned

14. Write 1, 2 or 3 in the blanks below to indicate the order in which the events occurred in the passage. (1m)

_____ The author saw Timmy trying to put out the fire.

_____ The author heard Timmy shouting for help.

_____ The author smelled the smoke.

15. Based on the passage, which **two** of the following statements are true?

Tick ✓ the two statements. (2m)

The author was busy doing his homework in his room.	
The author ran out of the room immediately after hearing the shouting.	
The author ignored Timmy's shouting at first because he thought it was one of Timmy's tricks.	
The author managed to grab the fire extinguisher and put out the fire.	

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16. How was the fire put out? (2m)

_____

_____

17. At the end of the story, what lesson did Timmy learn? (2m)

_____

_____

End of paper

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ANSWER KEY

LEVEL: PRIMARY 3
SCHOOL: NAN HUA PRIMARY SCHOOL
SUBJECT: ENGLISH

BOOKLET A

Q1	1	Q2	4	Q3	2	Q4	3	Q5	2
Q6	3	Q7	2	Q8	2	Q9	3	Q10	4

BOOKLET B

Q11	Laugh badly	
Q12	consequences	
Q13	ignored	
Q14	3 , 1 , 2	
Q15	The author was busy doing his homework in his room.	✔
	The author ran out of the room immediately after hearing the shouting.	
	The author ignored Timmy's shouting at first because he thought it was one of Timmy's tricks.	✔
	The author managed to grab the fire extinguisher and put of the fire.	
Q16	The fire was put out by a fire extinguisher that father ran to the kitchen to get.	
Q17	At the end of the story, Timmy learnt never to play pranks on others.	

END

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