Nanyang Primary School
Primary 3
English Language
2024 Term 2 Weighted Assessment

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(A) Grammar

For each question from 1 to 3, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and write your answer in the bracket.

(3 marks)

1. Carlos _____ the glass bottle as he was making tea for his family.

   (1) break
   (2) broke
   (3) breaks
   (4) has broken

   ( )

2. I bought some chocolates for my sister but _____ few that I have kept here in my lunchbox are for me.

   (1) this
   (2) that
   (3) these
   (4) those

   ( )

3. The puppy's playful behaviour has brought _____ laughter to the ~~children~~ at the playground.

   (1) few
   (2) little
   (3) much
   (4) many

   ( )

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(B) Vocabulary

For each question from 4 to 6, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and write your answer in the bracket.

(3 marks)

4. My brother and I were still laughing over the funny scenes of the _____ we had watched at the cinema.

(1) match
(2) parade
(3) concert
(4) comedy ( )

5. The little girl tucked her hands into her pockets to keep them warm in the _____ weather.

(1) chilly
(2) humid
(3) glorious
(4) pleasant (

6. Bernard drove his truck _____ and as a result, he was stopped by the traffic police.

(1) calmly
(2) forcefully
(3) recklessly
(4) vigorously ( )

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(C) Grammar Cloze

There are 3 blanks, numbered 7 to 9 in the passage below. Choose the correct word from the words given in the box and write its letter (A to F) in each blank.

(3 marks)

Use each word once only.

(A) her	(B) my	(C) me
(D) him	(E) us	(F) our

My brother and I had been playing computer games the whole afternoon, much to our mother's dismay. She had been nagging at **(7)** _____ to complete our homework first but sadly, **(8)** _____ words had fallen on deaf ears.

When I heard Mother coming towards my room, I quickly shut down my computer before she decided to fly into a rage and ban **(9)** _____ from playing computer games for the whole of next week. I knew that my brother, who was still playing computer games next door, was going to have to face the music.

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(D) Editing for Spelling

Each of the underlined words contains a spelling error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes.

(3 marks)

Janelle and her family went out for dinner to celebrate Mother's Day. They

(10) [ ]

chose Mother's faveret Italian restaurant. She ordered the seafood spaghetti

and her little brother ordered the mushroom pizza.

(11) [ ]

Janelle and her brother prisanted their mother with a handmade bracelet

(12) [ ]

made of pearls. Mother did not expect to receive such a spasial gift from them.

Everyone beamed with joy at the celebration as they were having a whale of a

time.

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(E) Comprehension

Read this passage and answer questions 13 to 19. (8 marks)

Liam searched through the shoe cabinet anxiously. The school bus was coming any minute, and he did not want to be late for school.

Then, he looked at the back door. There they were, covered in mud on the door mat. He recalled the path was muddy when he took Rocky for a walk last night.

Liam did not want to wear the pair of muddy shoes to school, but he had no other options. He groaned inwardly as he knew the bus driver would be clicking his tongue irritatedly. He sprinted hurriedly out of the door. When the bus driver saw Liam's muddy shoes, he grumbled loudly as Liam boarded the bus. All the other students turned to look at him and laughed at his muddy shoes.

In class, Mr Johnson greeted him with a big smile, "Liam, I read the book summary you have submitted and I really enjoyed it. You have a special way with words." Liam grinned with delight, "Thanks, Mr Johnson! I really like that book."

"Great! There are more in the series. I'll show you after class," replied Mr Johnson. Liam's eyes danced with delight. He loved books, but he had none at home. He did not think about his bad day anymore. All he thought about was Mr Johnson showing him the books after class. He loved reading books especially those about science and those that included magical elements.

When class ended, Mr Johnson showed Liam a bookshelf full of books. Liam looked uncertainly at his teacher and asked, "Can I borrow them?" Mr Johnson smiled, "Take one at a time, and yes, you can read them all!" Liam beamed, "Thanks, Sir. I can hardly wait!"

Adapted from: Online Short Story – Mr Henderson's Encouragement

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13. Fill in the blank with suitable words.

Liam finally found his shoes on _____. [1m]

14. Pick out a two-word phrase from paragraph 3 which shows that Liam did not want to miss the bus. [1m]

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15. Which word has the same meaning as "in annoyance"? Circle either (A) or (B). [1m]

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He groaned **inwardly** (A) as he knew the bus driver would be clicking his tongue **irritatedly** (B).

16. Using information from paragraph 3, complete the sentences to show how the following characters were unkind to Liam. [2m]

a) The bus driver _____.

b) The other students _____.

17. Write 1, 2 and 3 in the blanks to show what happened first, next, and last in the story. [1m]

_____ Liam wrote a book summary.

_____ Liam could not find his school shoes.

_____ Liam was praised by Mr Johnson for his good work.

18. Tick √ the word that best describes how Liam felt when he was told by Mr Johnson that he could borrow more books from the shelf. [1m]

excited ☐ impatient ☐ embarrassed ☐

For question 19, read the statement given and tick √ "True" or "False". The first example has been done for you. [1m]

	Statement	True	False
Example	Liam liked reading although he had no books at home.		
19.	Liam was only interested in books about science.		

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ANSWER KEY

Grammar	
1.	2
2.	3
3.	3

Vocab	
4.	4
5.	1
6.	3

Grammar Cloze	
7.	(E) us
8.	(A) her
9.	(C) me

Editing for Spelling	
10.	favourite / favorite
11.	presented
12.	special

COMPREHENSION	
13.	the door mat
14.	sprinted hurriedly
15.	(B)
16	a) <u>grumbled loudly (as Liam boarded the bus)</u> b) <u>laughed at Liam / at Liam's muddy shoes</u>
17	<u>1</u> Liam wrote a book report. <u>2</u> Liam could not find his school shoes. <u>3</u> Liam was praised by Mr Johnson for his good work.
18	Excited
19.	False

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