Rulang Primary School

END OF YEAR EXAMINATION
ENGLISH LANGUAGE
PAPER 1
2024

Name : _____ ( ) Marks : _____ / 20

Class : Primary 3 ( ) Date : 10 October 2024

Time : 50 Minutes

Instructions to Pupils:

1. Do not turn over this paper until you are told to do so.
2. Follow **all** the instructions carefully.
3. There is only **one** question in this paper. Answer the question.
4. This question paper consists of **2** printed pages, including the cover page.

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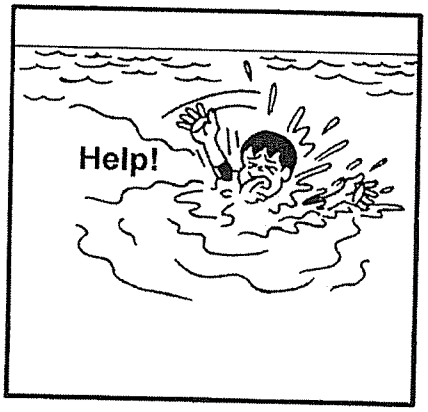
Continuous Writing



Write a composition of at least 120 words about **an unforgettable family outing.**

The pictures are provided to help you think about this topic.

Your composition should be based on one or more of these pictures.



Consider the following points when you plan your composition:

- Where was the family?
- What happened to the boy?
- Who helped him?
- What happened in the end?

You may use the above points in any order.



You may use the helping words and phrases below and include other relevant points as well.

Helping words and phrases:

- at the beach
- barbecued different types of food
- struggling to stay afloat
- pulled him to shore
- coughed out water

~ End of Paper ~

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PAPER 2 BOOKLET A
LANGUAGE USE AND COMPREHENSION
2024

Name : _____ **( ) Marks :** _____ **/ 21**

Class : Primary 3 ( ) **Date : 22 October 2024**

21 Questions

Total Time for Booklets A and B: 1 Hour 30 Minutes

Instructions to Pupils:

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Section A: Vocabulary (6 marks)

For each question from 1 to 6, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade its number on the Optical Answer Sheet.

1. The _____ of monkeys rummaged through the garbage bins in search of food.

   (1) pack
   (2) herd
   (3) troop
   (4) gaggle

2. The eagle uses its sharp _____ to capture the prey.

   (1) paws
   (2) claws
   (3) talons
   (4) hooves

3. At Chek Jawa Wetlands, we can _____ marine life like sea cucumbers and sea stars.

   (1) detect
   (2) survey
   (3) review
   (4) observe

4. As Daniel did not sweep or clean his bedroom very often, it was _____.

   (1) filthy
   (2) muddy
   (3) pristine
   (4) spotless

5. Turning red with embarrassment, Joseph glanced _____ at his mismatched shoes.

   (1) guiltily
   (2) meekly
   (3) fearfully
   (4) sheepishly

6. The football match _____ although it was raining.

   (1) played in
   (2) played on
   (3) played off
   (4) played along

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Section B: Grammar (6 marks)

For each question from 7 to 12, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade its number on the Optical Answer Sheet.

7. I need _____ time to complete this assignment.

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

8. Last night, Maria was cleaning the kitchen when the doorbell _____.

(1) ring
(2) rang
(3) rung
(4) rings

9. "Do you _____ why Grandpa was upset yesterday?" Mina asked her sister.

(1) know
(2) knew
(3) knows
(4) known

10. We bought a new sofa _____ the old one had a wobbly leg.

(1) so
(2) but
(3) and
(4) since

11. My pet cat hid _____ the door as it was terrified of the thunder.

(1) on
(2) under
(3) across
(4) behind

12. Ellen and her sister _____ excited that their family will be going for a camping trip this weekend.

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

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Section C: Visual Text Comprehension (4 marks)

Study the brochure carefully and answer questions 13 to 16. For each question, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade its number on the Optical Answer Sheet.

FRUITS FIESTA

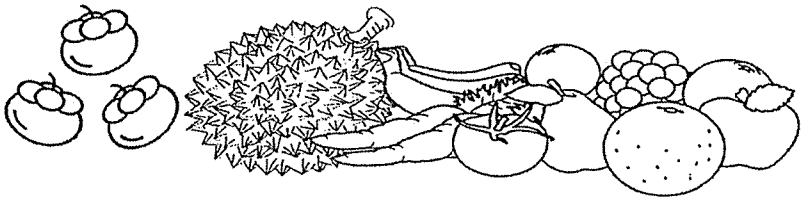
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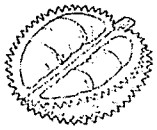
Edgefield Community Centre

(near South Bay MRT Station)

You! Yes, you! Join us for our first-ever Fruits Fiesta in Singapore! You will get to enjoy lots of yummy seasonal fruits, all provided by Singa Fresh Fruits. To ensure freshness, all fruits and smoothies must be consumed inside the event hall.



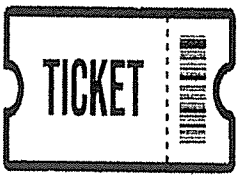
Calling ALL durian lovers! Enjoy our freshly opened durians from 4 pm to 5 pm only. We are excited to share this special treat with you!



Fruit Smoothie Booth:

Choose from the fruits available and create your own healthy and delicious smoothie!





Purchase your admission tickets at Redhill Residents' Centre at the following timings:

Weekdays	8:30 am - 5:30 pm
Weekends	9 am - 1 pm

Admission tickets are priced at $5 each. Seniors aged 65 and above can attend the event for free but must present their identity cards for verification.

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13. Only _____ can attend the Fruits Fiesta event for free.

(1) senior citizens aged 65 and above
(2) people living near South Bay MRT Station
(3) people who register at Redhill Residents' Centre
(4) senior citizens who live at Redhill Residents' Centre

14. Mr Shah wants to buy a ticket on Saturday. He must reach Redhill Residents' Centre _____.

(1) after 1 pm
(2) before 1 pm
(3) after 5:30 pm
(4) before 5:30 pm

15. Which of the following is true about the Fruits Fiesta event?

(1) Participants can enjoy fresh durians from 4 pm onwards.
(2) Participants may enjoy smoothies in the comfort of their homes.
(3) Participants must bring their identity cards to enter the event hall.
(4) This is the first time Fruits Fiesta event is being held in Singapore.

16. _____ are the organisers of the Fruits Fiesta event.

(1) Redhill Residents' Centre and South Bay
(2) South Bay and Edgefield Community Centre
(3) Redhill Residents' Centre and Singa Fresh Fruits
(4) Singa Fresh Fruits and Edgefield Community Centre

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Section D: Comprehension (5 marks)
Read the passage below carefully and answer questions 17 to 21.

Pearl was excited to spend the December holidays with her best friends, Priya and Cindy. They planned on catching up with one another and making crafts together.

However, Pearl found out that Boba Time, the best bubble tea shop in the neighbourhood, and its owner, Auntie Cha, were moving away for good. The shop was losing its customers to a competing dessert shop. Pearl was sad to see Auntie Cha leave. The elderly lady was always warm and sincere whenever she interacted with her customers.

To help Auntie Cha, Pearl decided to raise some funds for Boba Time by selling the crafts that she and her two best friends would be creating. The girls worked tirelessly, making and selling their crafts while promoting Boba Time to passers-by. Word spread quickly, and soon, people began visiting the shop to buy bubble tea and checking out the crafts. Auntie Cha was grateful to the girls as the shop was seen buzzing with activity once again.

Adapted from Little Red Dot newspaper

17.	Which word has the same meaning as "**genuine**"? Circle either (A) or (B). [1m]
	The elderly lady was always **warm** (A) and **sincere** (B) whenever she interacted with her customers.

18.	Tick (✓) your chosen answer. [1m]
	Pearl initially planned to _____ during the holidays. ☐ visit the bubble tea shop ☐ promote the bubble tea shop ☐ make crafts with her two friends

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For questions 19 and 20, read each statement and tick (✓) "True" or "False". Refer to the passage to help you. An example has been done for you. [2m]

	Statement	True	False
Example	Pearl and her friends helped Auntie Cha sell bubble tea.		✓
19.	Pearl found out that Boba Time was not doing well.		
20.	Pearl and her friends helped Auntie Cha by using their crafting skills.		

21.	Which 2-word phrase in the **last paragraph** tells you that the girls put in a lot of effort to help Auntie Cha? [1m]

~ End of Booklet A ~

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PAPER 2 BOOKLET B
LANGUAGE USE AND COMPREHENSION
2024

Name : _____ **( ) Marks :** _____ **/ 34**

Class : Primary 3 ( ) **Date : 22 October 2024**

29 Questions

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Section E: Vocabulary Cloze (6 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Choose the correct word from the words given in the box and write its letter (A to M) in each blank. The letter "I" has been omitted to avoid confusion during marking.

USE A WORD ONCE ONLY

(A)	action	(B)	always	(C)	attempt
(D)	felt	(E)	gasped	(F)	heard
(G)	motion	(H)	panted	(J)	realised
(K)	resisting	(L)	struggling	(M)	understood

Tom was at the beach with his cousin, Alex. They decided to splash around in the water and have some fun after an unsuccessful (22)_____ to build a sandcastle.

While they were playing, Alex suddenly (23)_____ as he spotted something moving near the rocks. The boys (24)_____ a strange squeaking sound. They (25)_____ that the noise was coming from the rocks nearby.

When they looked closer, they were surprised to see a small otter (26)_____ to free itself from a plastic bag that was caught on a sharp rock. The boys immediately sprang into (27)_____ and carefully pulled the plastic bag covering the otter. As soon as it was free, the otter swam away happily to join its family of eight!

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Section F: Grammar Cloze (6 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Choose the correct word from the words given in the box and write its letter (A to H) in each blank.

USE A WORD ONCE ONLY

(A) is	(B) since	(C) for	(D) was
(E) off	(F) an	(G) while	(H) up

Once, there lived a black goat and a white goat in a forest. One day, both goats wanted to cross an old narrow bridge. It (28)_____ so narrow that it only had enough space (29)_____ one goat to cross at a time.

The black goat stood at the end of the bridge, ready to cross, (30)_____ the white goat was right behind him, eager to get to the other side first. Both goats were determined to cross before the other, so (31)_____ argument followed.

Unable to resolve their disagreement, the goats ended (32)_____ butting heads with each other. As a result, both goats tumbled (33)_____ the bridge and into the river. Luckily, they were able to get to the riverbank safely.

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Section G: Comprehension Cloze (5 marks)
Read the following passage carefully. Fill in each blank with a suitable word.

Kathy and Violet are best friends who share a passion for art and crafts. During the last June holidays, they (34)_____ an art enrichment class where they (35)_____ to draw portraits. Eager to use their new skills, the girls drew portraits of (36)_____ other as gifts. As the school holidays came to an end, Kathy looked (37)_____ to seeing Violet again. They planned to exchange their portraits on the first day of school. Kathy could not (38)_____ to see the smile on her friend's face when she revealed her drawing. It would certainly make their reunion even more special.

Section H: Editing for Spelling and Grammar (4 marks)
Correct each word in **bold** for spelling and each underlined word for grammar. Write the correct word in the relevant box.

Mdm Soh became deaf overnight when a serious infection damaged the nerves (39) [ ] in her ears. Her three children were very young and they needs her attention. Life for (40) [ ] her was **difikelt** due to her condition. Fetching them from school became a scary (41) [ ] experience as she could not hear what was happened around her. She often received (42) [ ] angry glares from cyclists who thought that she was **perpurseli** not making way for them. In actual fact, she could not hear them at all as she walked along the pavement.

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Section I: Synthesis and Transformation of Sentences (3 marks)

For each question, rewrite the given sentence(s) using the word(s) provided. Your answer must be in one sentence. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning(s) of the given sentence(s).

43. I like watching cartoons. My sister likes watching cartoons too.

Both _____

_____.

44. We must exercise regularly. We want to stay healthy.

If _____

_____.

45. Peter reached home late for dinner. He finished work early.

Although _____

_____.

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Section J: Comprehension Open-ended (10 marks)

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow. Write your answers in complete sentences.

Sam was excited as he had planned for a long awaited hike in the forest. He left home with his backpack before dawn, hoping to catch the sunrise. As he walked, he heard the sound of rushing water. He followed the sound and saw a river.

Thrilled, Sam stood on a big rock to get a better view of it. The water in the river was splashing and swirling, creating a beautiful but powerful sight. Suddenly, he noticed a small boat tied to a rock nearby. It looked like no one had used it for a long time.

An idea struck him. Sam untied the boat, got into it and started paddling. Unfortunately, the current was fast and rough and Sam realised that he did not have a life jacket on. He started to feel worried.

Unexpectedly, the boat hit a hidden rock and capsized. Sam struggled to swim ashore but the current was too strong. He thought that he was going to drown. Expecting the worst, he closed his eyes and let the water carry him.

After a while, the river became calm and Sam found himself ashore in a peaceful part of the forest. He was grateful to have made it through. He reflected on his actions and thought that he should have **followed his original plan**. He might not be so lucky in future.

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46. Which two-word phrase in the first paragraph tells you that Sam left home early? [2m]

47. Why did Sam stand on the big rock? [2m]

48. Why did Sam feel worried as he paddled the boat? [2m]

49. What did Sam do when he thought he was going to drown? [2m]

50. Explain clearly what Sam meant when he thought that he should have **"followed his original plan"** in the last paragraph. [2m]

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3	3	4	1	4	2	3	2	1	4
Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15	Q16				
4	2	1	2	4	3				

Q17	B
Q18	make crafts with her two friends
Q19	True
Q20	True
Q21	worked tirelessly
Q22	C
Q23	B
Q24	F
Q25	J
Q26	L
Q27	A
Q28	D
Q29	C
Q30	G
Q31	F
Q32	F
Q33	E
Q34	joined

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Q35	learnt
Q36	each
Q37	forward
Q38	wait
Q39	needed
Q40	difficult
Q41	happening
Q42	purposely
Q43	Both my sister and I like watching cartoons.
Q44	If we want to stay healthy, we much exercise regularly.
Q45	Although Peter finished work early, he reached home late for dinner.
Q46	before dawn
Q47	He wanted to get a better view of the river.
Q48	The current was fast and rough and he realised that he did not have a life jacket on.
Q49	He closed his eye and let the water carry him.
Q50	Sam should had followed his original plan of hiking in the forest and catching the sunrise.

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