# RED SWASTIKA SCHOOL
## ENGLISH LANGUAGE
## PRIMARY 3
## CLASS TEST 1

**Name :** _____ ( ) **Marks :** _____ / 30

**Class : Pr 3 /** _____

**Duration: 40 minutes** **Parent's signature :** _____

**SECTION A: Vocabulary (5 marks)**

**Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.**

1 "Handle the glass vase with care. It's _____," said Jim's mother.

(1) tough (2) fragile
(3) rough (4) unbreakable ( )

2 The _____ of this book writes stories with interesting plots.

(1) illustrator (2) narrator
(3) author (4) publisher ( )

3 "Help! Help!" _____ the boy as he was struggling to stay afloat in the swimming pool.

(1) shouted (2) giggled
(3) whispered (4) laughed ( )

4 The strict teacher _____ disciplined the students for their misbehaviour.

(1) quietly (2) nicely
(3) carefully (4) firmly ( )

5 A _____ of wolves hunted for a deer and ate it for their dinner.

(1) herd (2) flock
(3) pack (4) swarm ( )

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## SECTION B: Grammar (5 marks)

**Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.**

6 While cleaning the cupboard last night, Ken _____ shocked when he saw some hairy spiders.

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

7 Zoe and her best friend _____ praised by Mr Tay for being helpful to her friends.

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

8 Last month, Jenny _____ in a competition and won the first prize.

(1) sing (2) sang
(3) was singing (4) has sung ( )

9 It was raining heavily _____ Jim and his brother went to the playground.

(1) or (2) but
(3) since (4) because ( )

10 The last school holiday was so much fun, _____?

(1) is it (2) was it
(3) isn't it (4) wasn't it ( )



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**SECTION C: Visual Text Comprehension (8 marks)**

Study the text and answer the questions.



Open to children aged 8 to 10

# CAMP D

One of the most popular annual holiday camps!

2 to 4 June 2021
Sigma Adventure Centre

D is for ***Determination***!
If you love the outdoors and enjoy taking on new challenges, sign up for Camp D!



**Camp activities include:**

- ✓ **kayaking**
- ✓ **rock climbing**
- ✓ **ziplining**
- ✓ **treetop walk**
- ✓ **scavenger hunt**







Camp fee: $150
Get a 10% discount on camp fees if you sign up as a pair!
Sign up in groups of three or more to get a 20% discount!
**Parents are not permitted to join their child in camp activities.*

Each participant will get two Athlead T-shirts worth $60 for free!




Visit www.alpha.sg for more information about Camp D! You may also check out other holiday activities Team Alpha is organising throughout the month of June at the website.

Please contact Gwendolyn at 6123 4567 to register for Camp D and other holiday activities by 14 May 2021.



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**For each question from 11 to 14, choose the most appropriate option and write its number (1, 2, 3 or 4) in the brackets provided.**

11 Camp D is organised by _____.

(1) Athlead
(2) Gwendolyn
(3) Team Alpha
(4) Sigma Adventure Centre ( )

12 Participants will get a 20% discount on camp fees when they sign up for the camp _____.

(1) individually
(2) in groups of two
(3) in groups of three
(4) with their parents ( )

13 Registration for Team Alpha's holiday camp and activities will _____.

(1) start on 14 May 2021
(2) start on 2 June 2021
(3) end on 14 May 2021
(4) end on 4 June 2021 ( )

14 Which one of the following is true of Camp D?

(1) Those who participate will get $60.
(2) It is the most popular annual holiday camp.
(3) Only children who are 8 and 10 years old can sign up for it.
(4) Kayaking and ziplining are two of the activities which participants will take part in during the camp. ( )

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**SECTION D: Editing (4 marks)**

**Correct each word in bold for spelling and *underlined* for punctuation. Write the correct word or punctuation in the relevant box.**

One day, a hunter was walking in a jungle. Suddenly, he came face-to-face with

(15) [ ]

a lion. It was sitting on a rock, The hunter was about 5 metres away from it.

(16) [ ]

The hunter **notised** that the lion was looking at him. He quickly took out his match

(17) [ ]

and lit the matchstick. the lion immediately got off the rock and ran to a nearby bush. The

(18) [ ]

**creeture** was scared of fire. The hunter then hurriedly escaped.



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## SECTION E: Grammar Cloze (4 marks)

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

**USE EACH WORD ONLY ONCE**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| (A) then | (B) so | (C) and |
| (D) since | (E) although | (F) that |

When I was walking home from school, a big crowd caught my attention. I was very curious, _____ **(19)** I pushed myself through the crowd _____ **(20)** saw something astonishing. There was a man on the pavement, painting pictures with his feet _____ **(21)** he had no hands.

I was so fascinated by his paintings _____ **(22)** I decided to buy one of his paintings even though they were expensive. I wished I could have bought more.



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**SECTION F: Comprehension Cloze (4 marks)**

**Read the passage and fill in each blank with a suitable word.**

There lived a poor fisherman whose wife longed to eat a loaf of bread. One morning, he caught a fish. It was so _____ (23) and heavy that he had to carry it with both hands! On his way to the market, _____ (24) uttered, "I hope I can sell this to buy a large loaf of bread for my wife." A baker _____ (25) the fisherman speaking to himself. The baker looked _____ (26) the fisherman's fish and asked the fisherman if he wanted to trade his fish for a large loaf of bread. The fisherman gladly agreed.

**End of paper**

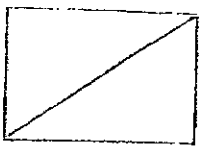


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**RED SWASTIKA SCHOOL**
**ENGLISH LANGUAGE**
**PRIMARY 3**
**REVISION 2**



**Name** : _____ (  )

**Class** : Pr 3 / _____ **Date:** _____

## Section A: Vocabulary (6 marks)

**Choose the correct answer and shade its number on the OAS provided.**

1 "My favourite _____ was Music," my grandmother said as she shared her primary school days with me.

(1) title (2) game
(3) subject (4) project

2 The coach _____ at the latecomers as they walked hurriedly onto the badminton court.

(1) smiled (2) grinned
(3) beamed (4) frowned

3 The audience clapped enthusiastically at the _____ performance by the violinist.

(1) impressive (2) average
(3) poor (4) fair

4 He searched _____ around the room for his wallet as the bus was about to leave.

(1) clumsily (2) flawlessly
(3) carelessly (4) desperately

5 An eye-witness gave the sketch artist at the police station a vivid _____ of how the robber looked like.

(1) portrait (2) recount
(3) illustration (4) description



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6 It was too late. The residents did not receive any _____ warning before the volcano erupted.

(1) real
(2) advance
(3) accurate
(4) reasonable

**Section B: Grammar (8 marks)**

**Choose the correct answer and shade its number on the OAS provided.**

7 Edward and his sister _____ very happy when their parents took them to *Universal Studios in Sentosa*.

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

8 Last week, I _____ a movie with my friends after visiting my grandparents.

(1) watch
(2) watched
(3) was watching
(4) have watched

9 As we _____ dinner, there was a knock on the door.

(1) eat
(2) have eaten
(3) will eat
(4) were eating

10 You can find _____ colourful flowers in this beautiful garden.

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

11 "Dahlia baked those delicious doughnuts, _____?" Mother asked.

(1) did she
(2) didn't she
(3) has she
(4) hasn't she

12 The students wanted to recycle this box _____ their Social Studies project.

(1) at
(2) on
(3) for
(4) to



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13 He attempted a joke to _____ the atmosphere at the party.

(1) lighten
(2) lightens
(3) lightened
(4) lightening

14 "_____ I have a glass of milk, please?" Ravi asked his mother.

(1) Would
(2) Shall
(3) Will
(4) May



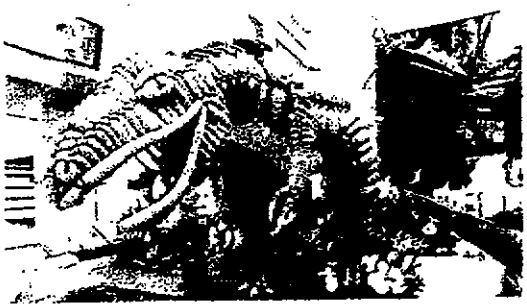
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## Section C: Visual Text Comprehension (8 marks)

**Read the poster carefully and answer the questions that follow. Choose the correct answer and shade its number on the OAS provided.**

# Balloon Fantasy Fair

**Come with your family and have a GREAT time!**



Date: 23 to 30 November
Time: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Venue: Expo City Halls 3 & 4

Expo City is having its annual balloon fair during the first week of the school holidays. The halls will be filled with everything that can stretch a kid's imagination – magical tree houses, ferocious dinosaurs, giant spaceships and many other designs!

More than 65,000 visitors are expected at the fair this year! The creative director of this year's fair is Mr Francis Lim, the most renowned balloon artist in the country. This year, dozens of volunteers will help with the creation of this fantastical land.

Join one of the following activities:

**Balloon Zoo Adventure**
Identify majestic balloon elephants, zebras, snakes, monkeys and many other animals in our Fantasy Zoo.

**Fantasy Playground**
Enjoy unlimited play in a playground with Bouncy Slides, Loopy Loop Tunnels and more....

**Balloon Sculpture Workshop**
Join the workshops for free at 11 a.m. & 3 p.m. daily.

**Balloon Pet Stall**
Blow up and bring home a lovable Pet Balloon. Choose from a variety of animals at $5 each.

**Sponsors:** *Party Supplies* *Balloon Café*



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**15** The fair is organised by _____.

(1) Expo City
(2) Francis Lim
(3) Balloon Café
(4) Party Supplies

**16** What is the main purpose of the poster?

(1) to encourage families to visit the fair
(2) to introduce Singapore's renowned balloon artist
(3) to teach families how to make balloon sculptures
(4) to stretch the imagination of children in balloon sculpting

**17** Amelia wants to take part in an activity that teaches her how to make animal balloons. Which activity should she join?

(1) Balloon Pet Stall
(2) Fantasy Playground
(3) Balloon Zoo Adventure
(4) Balloon Sculpture Workshop

**18** Which of the following statements is true?

(1) The balloon fair is held for the first time ever.
(2) The Balloon Sculpture Workshop is held once daily.
(3) The fair is expected to attract more than 65,000 visitors.
(4) The sculptures are created by dozens of creative directors.



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## Section D: Grammar Cloze (4 marks)

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

**USE EACH WORD ONLY ONCE.**

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|---|---|---|
| (A) it | (B) he | (C) I |
| (D) they | (E) him | (F) them |

Jason loves to read. He has been reading since _____ **(19)** was five years old.

Yesterday, Jason read 'Saving Crafter'. The book was so interesting that he shared _____ **(20)** with his brother. Since both play the game, Minecraft, _____ **(21)** learned new things about the game from the book.

Jason hopes his brother will love reading, just like _____ **(22)** . To encourage his brother, James will read with him before going to bed.

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## Section E: Grammar Cloze (4 marks)

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

**USE EACH WORD ONLY ONCE.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| (A) fall | (B) falls | (C) fell |
| (D) will fall | (E) were falling | (F) falling |

Last month, Sophia had a surprise. She was shocked to see her garden full of ice, the size of pebbles. As she looked around, more and more ice started to _____ **(23)** to the ground.

"What _____ **(24)** next?" Sophia wondered. After some time, the ice that _____ **(25)** was bigger in size. As, it kept _____ **(26)** continuously, Sophia became frightened.

"We are having a hailstorm!" Sophia's neighbour hollered. "Get inside!"

*Adapted from: Hailstorm by PixelPainterr at wattpad.com*

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## Section F: Editing (4 marks)

**Read the passage carefully. Correct each word in bold for spelling. Correct each word in italics and underlined for punctuation.**

Once there was a hiker who was lost in the forest of Pulau Ubin. He was

(27) [ ]

**sepereted** from his friends after a rest stop.

(28) [ ]

As the day turned into dusk, he quickly looked for **shellter** and waited for help to arrive.

"Hey, are you Zhiming?" a guide appeared out of nowhere.

(29) [ ]

"*Yes* I am," answered Zhiming.

(30) [ ]

"Thank goodness I found you!" exclaimed the guide. "The *singapore* Police Force was notified of a missing hiker on the trail and there are many people looking for you."

Zhiming's day ended on a happy note when he was reunited with his friends.

*Adapted from: Lost in the forest by Krishnaa Bhudia at write4fun.net*

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## Section G: Synthesis (4 marks)

**For each question from 31 and 32, combine the sentences to make one sentence using the word(s) given. The meaning of the sentence must be the same as the sentences given.**

**31** Ted continued wearing his uniform. It was tight for him.

Although _____

_____

**32** The boys have drawn the poster. If not, Daniel has drawn the poster.

Either _____ or _____

_____

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**Section H: Comprehension Cloze (4 marks)**

**Read the passage and fill in each blank with a suitable word.**

Nate has never eaten crabs before. He thought the creatures looked scary

_____ of their big pincers.
**(33)**

"Time to eat!" his mother exclaimed. Nate was filled with dread. He looked

_____ his parents eating the crab meat happily. They _____ to
**(34)** **(35)**

enjoy it. Nate took a small _____ and then another.
**(36)**

"Hmm... that is really good! I thought the crabs would taste horrible,"

chuckled Nate.

*Adapted from: Eating Crabs by Andrew Frinkle at HaveFunTeaching.com*

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**Section I: Comprehension (8 marks)**

**Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.**

Lisa heard a noise outside her window and saw a small kitten sitting next to her mother's rosebushes. Feeling sorry, she brought the kitten into the house and told her mother about it. Lisa's mother took some milk from the refrigerator and heated it up. The kitten lapped up all the milk and soon it stopped whimpering.

"Check if the kitten has a collar," Lisa's mother told her. "Maybe we will know who owns it and where it lives." However, there was none.

"We can't let it stay outside," said Lisa. They then decided to keep the kitten in a box in the kitchen.

The next day, Lisa and her mother made some posters and placed them around the neighbourhood. Three days went by and no one called to claim the kitten. Soon, two weeks passed and the kitten was still unclaimed.

"Can we keep the kitten, Mummy?" pleaded Lisa. Her mother agreed. Lisa told her mother that she wanted to name the kitten 'Rosy' as it was found next to the rosebushes.

"That's a good name," commented Lisa's mother. "Rosy it is."

That day, Lisa and her mother went to the pet store and bought a collar, a cat bed, a bag of cat food and some toys. Rosy had a great time living with Lisa.

*Adapted from: The Stray Puppy by Judie Eberhardt at HaveFunTeaching.com*



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**37** What did the kitten do that tells us that it was hungry?

_____ [1m]

**38** Why did Lisa's mother ask her to look for a collar? [2m]

_____

_____

**39** Which word has the same meaning as 'created'? Circle either (A) or (B). [1m]

> The next day, Lisa and her mother made (A) some posters and placed (B) them around the neighbourhood.

**40** Tick ✓ the chosen answer.

Placing the posters around the neighbourhood suggests that Lisa wanted to _____. [1m]

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| ☐ | look for a lost pet |
| ☐ | find the owner of the kitten |
| ☐ | tell others about her new pet |

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**41** Write down 1, 2 or 3 in the blanks below to indicate in which order the events took place in the story. [1m]

_____ Lisa named the kitten 'Rosy'.

_____ Lisa's mother gave the kitten milk.

_____ The kitten sat next to the rosebushes.

**42** Name 2 things that Lisa bought for Rosy at the pet store.

i. _____ [1m]

ii. _____ [1m]

**End of paper**

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# ANSWER KEY

LEVEL : Primary 3
SCHOOL : Red Swastika School
SUBJECT : ENGLISH
TERM : Class Test 1, Revision 2

## Class Test 1

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| Q1 | 2 | Q2 | 3 | Q3 | 1 | Q4 | 4 | Q5 | 3 |
| Q6 | 3 | Q7 | 4 | Q8 | 2 | Q9 | 2 | Q10 | 4 |
| Q11 | 3 | Q12 | 3 | Q13 | 3 | Q14 | 4 | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Q15 | rock. | Q16 | noticed | Q17 | The | Q18 | creature |
| Q19 | B | Q20 | C | Q21 | D | Q22 | F |
| Q23 | large | Q24 | he | Q25 | heard | Q26 | at |

## Revision 2

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Q1 | 3 | Q2 | 4 | Q3 | 1 | Q4 | 4 | Q5 | 4 |
| Q6 | 2 | Q7 | 4 | Q8 | 2 | Q9 | 4 | Q10 | 3 |
| Q11 | 2 | Q12 | 3 | Q13 | 1 | Q14 | 4 | Q15 | 1 |
| Q16 | 1 | Q17 | 4 | Q18 | 3 | | | | |

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| Q19 | B | Q20 | A | Q21 | D | Q22 | E |
| Q23 | A | Q24 | D | Q25 | C | Q26 | F |
| Q27 | seperated | Q28 | shelter | Q29 | "Yes, | Q30 | Singapore |

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| Q31 | Although it was tight for Ted, he continued wearing his uniform. |
| Q32 | Either Daniel or the boys have drawn the poster. |

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Q33 | because | Q34 | at | Q35 | seemed | Q36 | bite |

| | |
|---|---|
| Q37 | lapped up all the milk |
| Q38 | She wanted to find out who owned the kitten and where it lived. |
| Q39 | (A) |
| Q40 | find the owner of the kitten |
| Q41 | 3<br>2<br>1 |
| Q42 | (i) collar<br>(ii) cat bed |



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# ENGLISH LANGUAGE
# PRIMARY 3
# MILESTONE CHECK (1)

**Name :** _____ (  ) **Date :** _____

**Class : Pr 3 /** _____ **Parent's signature :** _____

## Vocabulary

**Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.**

1 Calvin has been working out at the gym so that he can develop his _____.

(1) teeth (2) bones
(3) tongue (4) muscles (  )

2 Tyres are made of _____ and are used on vehicles.

(1) wood (2) glass
(3) rubber (4) cotton (  )

3 Our teacher told us that every website has a _____ address.

(1) rare (2) joint
(3) common (4) unique (  )

4 Toxic chemicals can _____ the water in the rivers, lakes and oceans.

(1) hurt (2) flood
(3) bum (4) pollute (  )

5 The duck uses its _____ to paddle across the pond.

(1) hooves (2) clawed feet
(3) flippers (4) webbed feet (  )



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## Grammar

**Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.**

6 Amy likes to do the cooking _____.

(1) itself (2) herself
(3) ourselves (4) themselves ( )

7 Mrs Tan _____ the plants in her garden now.

(1) water (2) waters
(3) watered (4) is watering ( )

8 Bella prefers to use the _____ of the two sticks.

(1) long (2) longer
(3) longest (4) length ( )

9 A male bush cricket can chirp as _____ as a power saw to attract female mates.

(1) loud (2) louder
(3) loudest (4) loudness ( )

10 Frogs have smooth and moist skin _____ toads have dry and bumpy skin.

(1) as (2) but
(3) or (4) so ( )

11 Don't you _____ frogs are amazing creatures?

(1) think (2) thinks
(3) thought (4) thinking ( )

12 Fish take in oxygen as water passes _____ their gills.

(1) from (2) around
(3) through (4) between ( )



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**Grammar Cloze**

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

**USE EACH WORD ONLY ONCE**

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (A) | on | (B) | of | (C) | in |
| (D) | from | (E) | onto | (F) | around |

Frogs have existed for a long time. There are about 4,700 species

_____ frogs around the world. Ninety species of frogs are found in the
**(13)**

United States. Frogs can be found _____ nearly every climate.
**(14)**

Frogs are ampibians. The word 'amphibian' comes _____ _____ the
(15)

Greek Language and means 'both lives'. They can live both in water and on land. A

frog mainly feeds _____insects and small animals. They are interesting
**(16)**

little creatures.

*Adapted from "http://www.defenders.org/frogs/basic-facts"*



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**Editing**

**Correct each word in bold for spelling and *underlined* for punctuation. Write the correct word or punctuation in the relevant box.**

Raju was walking around his neighbourhood with his friend, Peter. He was

(17) [ ]

feeling hungry. When he saw a fruit on a tree, he wanted to eat it, Peter stopped him

(18) [ ]

and said, "We should not eat this fruit. It may be **poisonos**!" Raju realised it could be

(19) [ ]

dangerous to eat the fruit so he thought of what he should do peter suggested going

(20) [ ]

to his grandmother's house nearby for lunch. "That is a **brillant** idea!" Raju

exclaimed.

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| Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q5 | Q6 | Q7 | Q8 | Q9 | Q10 |
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| 4 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Q11 | Q12 | Q13 | Q14 | Q15 | Q16 | | | | |
| 1 | 3 | B | C | D | A | | | | |

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|---|---|
| Q17) | It |
| Q18) | poisonous |
| Q19) | Peter |
| Q20) | brilliant |

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