



AI TONG SCHOOL
2018
END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION
PRIMARY 2

ENGLISH LANGUAGE
PAPER 2 (LANGUAGE USE AND COMPREHENSION)

Total Time: 1 hour

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Do not open the booklet until you are told to do so.

Follow all instructions carefully.

Answer all questions.

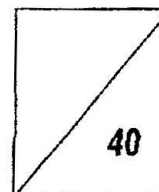
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Class: Primary 2 _____

Date: 23 October 2018

Parent's signature: _____



Paper 1	Paper 2	Paper 3	Paper 4	Total Marks

Section A: Grammar MCQ (5 X 1 mark)

Choose the most suitable answer to complete each sentence. Write its number in the brackets provided.

1. Mrs Lee _____ her plants daily.

- (1) water
- (2) waters
- (3) is watering
- (4) are watering

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2. The doorbell rang _____ Mother was cooking dinner.

- (1) so
- (2) but
- (3) when
- (4) because

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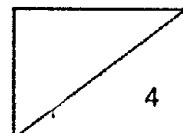
3. Looking up, Josh exclaimed, "Look! The aeroplane is flying _____ the houses."

- (1) in
- (2) on
- (3) from
- (4) above

4. As Mr Goh was leaving for work, _____ daughter ran up to him and gave him a hug.

- (1) his
- (2) her
- (3) him
- (4) them

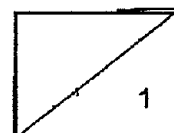
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5. "_____ are you holding in your hands?" Linda asked Peter, pointing at his clenched fists.

- (1) How
- (2) Who
- (3) What
- (4) When

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Section B: Vocabulary MCQ (5 X 1 mark)

Choose the most suitable answer to complete each sentence. Write its number in the brackets provided.

6. Cheryl yelled when a worm _____ past her feet.

- (1) leaped
- (2) wriggled
- (3) slithered
- (4) bounced

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7. When the strong wind blows, the kites fly _____ into the sky.

- (1) taller
- (2) lighter
- (3) higher
- (4) deeper

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8. The teacher reminded the students, "After you have completed your work, you must check it _____."

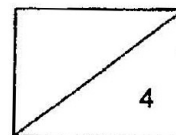
- (1) easily
- (2) safely
- (3) carefully
- (4) attentively

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9. Jenny was reading about the wonders of magnets. She was eager to find out more _____ facts about them.

- (1) easy
- (2) boring
- (3) difficult
- (4) interesting

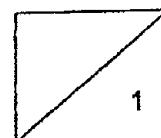
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10. Lucy is as brave as a _____. She saved a little boy from an angry dog.

- (1) lion
- (2) bee
- (3) bird
- (4) lamb

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Section C: Visual-Text Comprehension (5 x 1 mark)

Study the poster below carefully and answer the following questions.

Thomson Kids Club proudly presents

Fun Carnival

at Thomson Mall
from 15 October to 14 November 2018

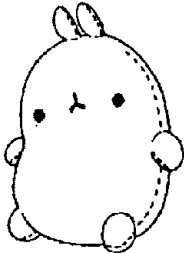
Lucky Draw

- one lucky draw chance for every \$50 spent
- The first prize is a television set!
- Consolation prizes include shopping and book vouchers.

Highlights

- Magic shows
- Food tasting booths
- Game booths

Free balloons for children
8 years old and below!



Spend \$200
and redeem a
cute plush toy.

For more information, please visit the website at www.mall.sg. You can also call Mr David Tay at 6987 1234 or email info@mall.sg.

11. What is the name of the event held at Thomson Mall?

It is _____

12. What is the top prize of the lucky draw?

The top prize is _____

13. State one highlight of the event.

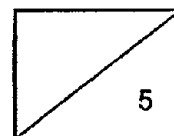
It is _____

14. How can someone redeem a plush toy?

He needs to _____ to redeem the plush toy.

15. Who can the visitors call if they need more information?

They can call _____ at 69871234.



Section D: Grammar Cloze (8 x 1 mark)

Read the passages 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 **ONCE** only.

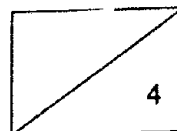
Passage 1

(A) play	(B) plays	(C) played
(D) playing	(E) is playing	(F) was playing

Tom loved to play. He enjoyed (16) _____ with his class mates during recess. Tom would (17) _____ games with his classmates at the field. In the evening, Tom and his neighbours, met at the playground near his house and (18) _____ games like hide-and-seek.

Once, while Tom (19) _____ hide-and-seek, he hid in a box and no one could find him. He only came out from his hiding place when he realised that everyone was looking for him.

Written by Mrs Ang



Passage 2

(A) along

(B) behind

(C) by

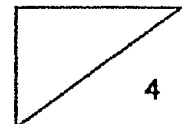
(D) in

(E) into

(F) with

Many people do not like snails as they are moist and slimy. Snails can be found
(20) _____ gardens and ponds. Snails have soft bodies protected
(21) _____ hard shells. When the snail is disturbed, it pulls itself back
(22) _____ its shell and hides. Snails produce slimy mucus to make a
slippery track. With this slime, snails can even crawl (23) _____ a tree
branch upside down. Isn't that amazing ?

Source: <http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/sciencefacts/animals/snail.html>



Section E: Editing for Spelling (3 x 1 mark)

Correct each word in **bold** for spelling. Write the correct word in the boxes provided.

Daniel and Ling Ling cut the cloth they had bought. They were making costumes for

(24)

a performance so they **tryed** their best to make sure the sewing was done properly. Finally,

(25)

the costumes were ready. The children were **dilighted**.

(26)

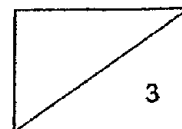
Daniel and Ling Ling put on the costumes, picked up the brooms and **pretanded** to

be soldiers marching smartly in the field.

"One, two, one, two," Ling Ling chanted proudly. Daniel and Ling Ling were pleased

that their costumes were ready for their performance.

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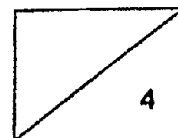


Section F: Word Order (2 x 2 marks)

Arrange the words in the correct order. Then write the sentence on the lines provided.

27. surprised when was
a birthday cake he saw Paul

28. a every day It is to
brush my teeth good habit



Section G: Comprehension (10 marks)

Read the passage below and answer the questions carefully.

It was one week before the Show-and-Tell presentation. Ramli's presentation script was ready but he had not been practising. Spending more time on his handheld game console, Ramli did not prepare well for his presentation. Ramli's mother, Mrs Siti, was worried.

"Ramli, it's time to stop playing and start practising!" Mrs Siti scolded Ramli sternly. Walking over to Ramli, she confiscated his handheld game console. Mrs Siti ignored Ramli's protests and began practising with him. 5

After days of practice with his mother, Ramli became more confident about presenting in front of his classmates. By then, Ramli had memorised the script. He had also recited his speech numerous times in front of his mother. At times, Mrs Siti would give him gentle reminders to keep his eyes on the audience. Ramli was finally ready for the big day. 10

Feeling grateful, Ramli thanked his mother and gave her a hug. If not for his mother, he would not be ready for the Show-and-Tell presentation. Ramli was elated when he received an excellent grade from his teacher. 15

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29. Why did Ramli **not** prepare for his Show-and-Tell? (1m)

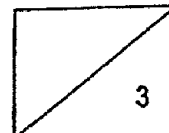
He did not prepare for his Show-and-Tell because _____

- (1) his presentation script was not ready
- (2) his teacher would give him an excellent grade
- (3) he spent too much time playing on his game console
- (4) he was not confident about presenting in front of his classmates ()

30. Which **word** in paragraph 1 has the same meaning as 'rehearsing'? (1m)

31. Write 1, 2 and 3 in the blanks below to indicate the order of events that occurred in the passage. (1m)

	Mrs Siti reminded Ramli to look at the audience.
	Ramli's teacher gave Ramli a good grade for his presentation.
	Ramli prepared his presentation script.



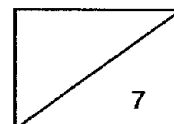
For question 32, 33 and 34, put a tick (✓) in the correct column. The first example has been done for you. (3m)

	Sentence	True	False
Example	Mrs Siti was Ramli's mother.	✓	
32.	Ramli had only one more week to prepare for Show-and-Tell.		
33.	Mrs Siti kept Ramli's handheld game console.		
34.	Ramli practised for Show-and-Tell on his own.		

35. Why did Ramli feel more confident after the practices with his mother? (2m)

36. How did Ramli show that he was grateful to his mother? (2m)

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ANSWER KEY

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

Q11 It is the Fun carnival.

Q12 The top prize is a television set.

Q13 It is the game booths.

Q14 He needs to spend \$200 to redeem the plush toy.

Q15 They can call Mr David Tay at 69871234.

Q16	D	Q20	D	Q24	tried
Q17	A	Q21	C	Q25	delighted
Q18	C	Q22	E	Q26	pretended
Q19	F	Q23	A		

Q27 Paul was surprised when he saw a birthday cake.

Q28 It is a good habit to brush my teeth everyday.

Q29 (3)

Q30 practising

Q31

2	Mrs Siti reminded Ramli to look at the audience.
3	Ramli's teacher gave Ramli a good grade for his presentation.
1	Ramli prepared his presentation script.

Q32 True

Q33 True

Q34 False

Q35 Ramli had memorised his script and recited his speech numerous times.

Q36 Ramli showed that he was grateful to his mother by giving her a hug and thanked her.

THE END

