

**RIVER VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL  
ENGLISH LANGUAGE  
PRIMARY 3 WEIGHTED ASSESSMENT 1  
TERM 1 / 2019**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (     )

Class: P3 \_\_\_\_\_

Mark: \_\_\_\_\_ / 20

Date: 28 February 2019

Parent's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Duration: 40 minutes

**Instructions to candidates**

- 1. Do not turn over this page until you are told to do so.**
- 2. Read the questions and follow all the instructions carefully.**
- 3. This booklet contains a total of 20 questions. (Question 1 to 20)**
- 4. Answer all the questions.**
- 5. For all the questions, write the answers in this booklet.**



**Section A: Grammar MCQ (5 x 1 mark)**

**Choose the correct answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) and write its number in the brackets provided.**

1. My best friend and I climbed \_\_\_\_\_ the hill next to our school.

|         |             |           |
|---------|-------------|-----------|
| (1) for | (2) in      |           |
| (3) up  | (4) through | (       ) |

2. Samuel \_\_\_\_\_ his favourite song all the time.

|             |                |           |
|-------------|----------------|-----------|
| (1) sing    | (2) sings      |           |
| (3) singing | (4) is singing | (       ) |

3. Mr Lim was angry that Tanya scribbled all \_\_\_\_\_ her worksheet.

|          |            |           |
|----------|------------|-----------|
| (1) in   | (2) on     |           |
| (3) over | (4) around | (       ) |

4. Judy hurt her arm when she fell \_\_\_\_\_ her bicycle.

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| (1) at  | (2) in   |           |
| (3) off | (4) down | (       ) |

5. Ming Ming \_\_\_\_\_ a cake for his mother's birthday last month.

|           |            |           |
|-----------|------------|-----------|
| (1) bake  | (2) baked  |           |
| (3) bakes | (4) baking | (       ) |

**Section B: Vocabulary MCQ (5 x 1 mark)**

**Choose the correct answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) and write its number in the brackets provided.**

6. Bala won the gold medal as he ran \_\_\_\_\_ during the race.
- (1) as fierce as a lion      (2) as fast as lightning  
(3) as hungry as a bear    (4) as proud as a peacock      (      )
7. Mr Tan looks menacing but he is rather \_\_\_\_\_.
- (1) angry                      (2) scary  
(3) friendly                  (4) hardworking              (      )
8. The \_\_\_\_\_ boy entered the dark and scary tunnel by himself.
- (1) diligent                  (2) fearless  
(3) satisfied                  (4) exhausted              (      )
9. Johnny felt \_\_\_\_\_ after beating his strongest competitor in the recent sports meet.
- (1) fierce                      (2) jealous  
(3) invincible                (4) frightened              (      )
10. The owl \_\_\_\_\_ itself on a tree branch and watched the other animals happily.
- (1) pierced                    (2) pieced  
(3) perched                   (4) pricked                  (      )

**Section C: Cloze Passage (10 x 1 mark)****Passage 1**

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

Use each letter only once.

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| (A) afraid   | (B) found | (C) lost   |
| (D) mountain | (E) night | (F) walked |

Sanjay, 26, who went missing in Cambodia last week, survived for about a week in the mountain without food.

After the fall, he got (11) \_\_\_\_\_ in a forested area. To find his way down the (12) \_\_\_\_\_, he followed the path of a waterfall and (13) \_\_\_\_\_ towards the sunset. Every (14) \_\_\_\_\_, he slept in the caves and used his coat to keep himself warm. He was finally (15) \_\_\_\_\_ by the villagers after a week.

Mr Sanjay's determination and positive thoughts helped him survive.

*Adapted from: [https://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/missig-nie-](https://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/missig-nie)*

*student-was-lost-in-cambodia-mountain-for-a-week-before-he-was-found*

## Passage 2

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

**Use each letter only once.**

|            |          |           |
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| (A) around | (B) eat  | (C) feed  |
| (D) grow   | (E) size | (F) timid |

Rabbits are small mammals with fluffy, short tails, whiskers and long ears. There are more than 30 species (16) \_\_\_\_\_ the world. Some rabbits are about the (17) \_\_\_\_\_ of a cat while some can (18) \_\_\_\_\_ to be as big as a small child. Rabbits (19) \_\_\_\_\_ hay and leafy vegetables. They are (20) \_\_\_\_\_ creatures and should be treated with care. If well taken care of, a rabbit can live up to eight years!

*Adapted from: <https://www.livescience.com/28162-rabbits.html>*



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| Q1  | Q2  | Q3  | Q4  | Q5  | Q6  | Q7  | Q8  | Q9  | Q10 |
| 3   | 2   | 3   | 3   | 2   | 2   | 3   | 2   | 3   | 3   |
| Q11 | Q12 | Q13 | Q14 | Q15 | Q16 | Q17 | Q18 | Q19 | Q20 |
| C   | D   | F   | E   | B   | A   | E   | D   | B   | F   |

