

**METHODIST GIRLS' SCHOOL (PRIMARY)**  
**PRIMARY 1 MID-YEAR EXAMINATION 2006**

**ENGLISH**

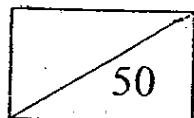
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Date : 5<sup>th</sup> May 2006

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Section I. Vocabulary ( 14 marks )

A. Fill in each blank with the correct word from the box.

Use each word only once.

(10 x 1 m = 10 m )

|                     |                    |                    |                        |                    |                  |
|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| <del>shop</del>     | <del>sharpen</del> | <del>library</del> | <del>hairstylist</del> | <del>aunt</del>    | <del>slide</del> |
| <del>tortoise</del> | <del>sleep</del>   | <del>jump</del>    | <del>grandmother</del> | <del>kittens</del> | <del>stick</del> |

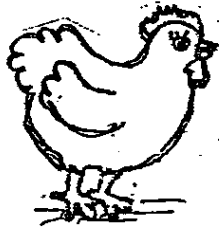
1. My baby brother likes to \_\_\_\_\_ his thumb.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ my pencils when they are blunt.
3. We borrow books from the \_\_\_\_\_.
4. We must take turns to play on the \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The cat looks after her three \_\_\_\_\_ very well.
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ cuts my hair.
7. My mother's mother is my \_\_\_\_\_.
8. I can buy toys from the \_\_\_\_\_ near my flat.
9. It is not safe to \_\_\_\_\_ over the drain.
10. There is a little \_\_\_\_\_ in the pond.

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B. Do you know what sounds these animals make? Match them correctly.

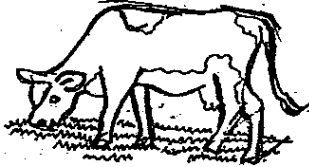
(4 x 1m = 4m)

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Moo!

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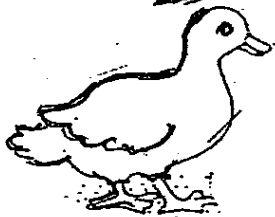
Quack!

13.



Cluck!

14.



Squeak!

Section II. Grammar (26 marks)

C. Choose and circle the correct word from within the brackets.

(10 x 1m = 10 m)

15. Mr Lim (~~is~~, am, ~~are~~) a baker. (~~She~~, ~~He~~, They) makes bread.

16. The girls (~~is~~, ~~am~~, are) very happy. (~~She~~, ~~He~~, They) have balls.

17. My friends and I (~~is~~, ~~am~~, are) going to the bookshop.

(~~They~~, ~~She~~, ~~We~~) ~~want~~ to buy some pencils.

18. I (~~is~~, ~~am~~, are) very angry. Ali stepped on (~~her~~, ~~his~~, my) foot.

19. Jane (~~is~~, ~~am~~, are) crying. (~~He~~, ~~I~~, She) has a headache.

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D. Rearrange the words to make sentences. Remember to start with a capital letter and end with a full stop. ( 2 x 1m = 2m )

20. the climbs up monkey tree the

\_\_\_\_\_

21. loves John play the to piano

\_\_\_\_\_

E. Put in the capital letters, commas, full stops or question marks. ( 4 x ½ m = 2m )

22. Alice sees many geese some chicks and hens in the farm.  
What other animals are there in the farm

F. Fill in each blank with a suitable word. ( 5 x 1 m = 5m )

Today is Sunday. Ravi \_\_\_\_\_ Sam want to

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\_\_\_\_\_ to the beach and \_\_\_\_\_ in the sea.

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Ravi packs \_\_\_\_\_ big basket of food. Sam takes along

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\_\_\_\_\_ enormous umbrella. They are ready for a day

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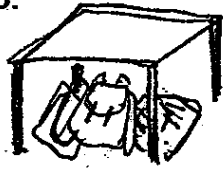



at the beach.

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G. Fill in the blanks with these words. Use each word only once.




( 4 x 1m = 4m )

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| <del>that</del> | behind | <del>under</del> | <del>this</del> |
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| <p>28.</p>   | <p>The bags are _____ the table.</p>     |
| <p>29.</p>   | <p>_____ is my doll.</p>                 |
| <p>30.</p>   | <p>_____ eagle is flying in the sky.</p> |
| <p>31.</p>  | <p>Sue is hiding _____ the tree.</p>     |

H. Fill in the blanks with the correct nouns to mean one or more than one.

( 3 x 1m = 3m )

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| <p>32.</p>  | <p>These _____ ( cock ) crow loudly every morning.</p> |
| <p>33.</p>  | <p>Your _____ ( shirt ) is very dirty.</p>             |
| <p>34.</p>  | <p>My parents are _____ ( dentist ).</p>               |

**Section III. Comprehension (10 marks )**

Read the story carefully. Then answer the questions that follow.

Laura's friends sing "Happy Birthday" to her. Then she blows out the eight candles and cuts the big pink cake. Laura's mother asks the children to finish eating the cake before they can have the surprise.

Just as they finish eating, the door opens and in comes a clown! His face is white and he has a big red nose. He wears an orange shirt and a pair of green trousers. The clown does not talk. He just does tricks. All the children laugh and enjoy themselves. After that, Laura's friends go home.

"Did you enjoy the party, Laura?" her mother asks.

"Oh, yes!" Laura says. "But I am sorry Father missed it."

Then, the clown hugs Laura.

"Happy birthday," he says. "Do you know me now?"

It is her father!

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I. Read each sentence below. Write True if it tells what happens in the story. Write False if it does not. (5 x 1m = 5m)

35. Laura has a birthday party.

36. Laura cuts the cake after her friends sing the birthday song.

37. The clown has a big orange nose.

38. The clown tells funny stories.

39. Laura's mother is not at the party.

J. Answer the following questions in complete sentences. (5 x 1m = 5m)

40. How old is Laura?

Laura is \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

41. What is the surprise?

It is \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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42. What clothes does the clown wear?

The clown

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43. What does the clown do to make everybody laugh?

The clown

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44. Who is the clown?

The clown

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**THE END**

Please check your work carefully.



**Answer Sheets**  
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|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| 1) suck        | 2) sharpen     | 3) library | 4) slide    | 5) kittens   |
| 6) hairdresser | 7) grandmother | 8) shop    | 9) jump     | 10) tortoise |
| 11) cluck      | 12) moo        | 13) squeak | 14) Quack   | 15) is, He   |
| 16) are, They  | 17) are, We    | 18) am, my | 19) is, She |              |
| 23) and        | 24) go         | 25) swim   | 26) a       | 27) an       |
| 28) under      | 29) This       | 30) That   | 31) behind  | 32) cocks    |
| 33) shirt      | 34) dentists   | 35) True   | 36) True    |              |
| 37) False      | 38) False      | 39) False  |             |              |

**Q20.** The monkey climbs up the tree.

**Q21.** John loves to play the piano.

**Q22.** Alice see many geese, some chicks and hens in the farm.  
What other animals are there in the farm?

**Q40.** Laura is eight.

**Q41.** It is a clown.

**Q42.** The clown wears a shirt and a pair of trousers.

**Q43.** The clown does tricks.

**Q44.** The clown is Laura's father