



Maha Bodhi School
2009 Semestral Assessment 1
English Language (Paper 2)

Name: _____ ()

Class: Primary 1 _____

Duration: 1 h 30 min

Date: 4 May 2009

Paper 2 (65 marks)	
Paper 3 & 4 (35 marks)	
Total (100 marks)	
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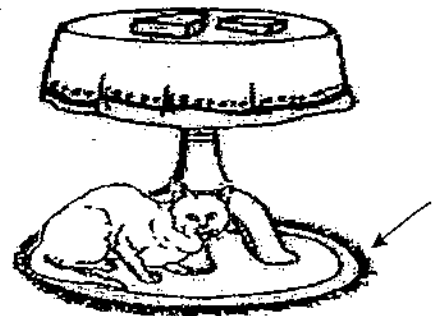
(Teachers to read all instructions and questions once through before the start of the paper.)

Section A: Vocabulary (18 x 1 mark)

Read each question and look at the picture. Then choose the correct answer and put a tick (✓) in the box beside it.

1) The cat is sitting on a _____

mat	
tray	
pillow	
blanket	



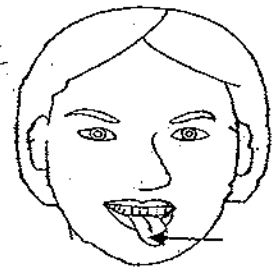
2) My mother uses a _____ to sweep the floor.

mop	
stick	
broom	
spade	



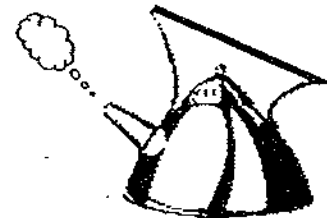
3) John uses his _____ to taste the food.

nose	
teeth	
mouth	
tongue	



4) Jenny boils hot water with the _____.

jug	
pot	
mug	
kettle	



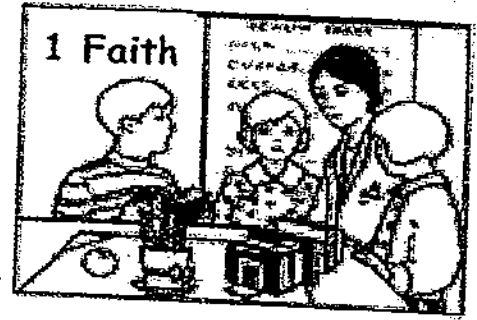
5) I drink hot milk from my _____.

mug	
dish	
bowl	
plate	



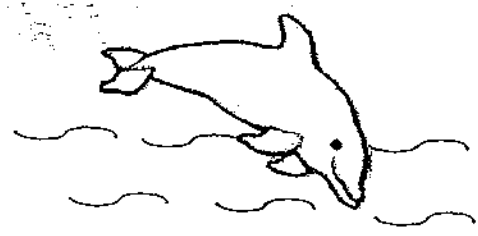
6) The teacher is talking to her pupils in the _____.

hall	
field	
classroom	
playground	



7) Mary saw a _____ jumping out of the water.

crab	
otter	
dolphin	
seahorse	



8) Jen gave Bob a _____ for his birthday.

gift	
balloon	
streamer	
party hat	



9) The _____ keeps the hall clean.

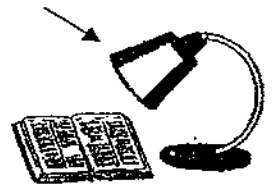
pilot	
doctor	
janitor	
librarian	



Fill in each blank with the most suitable word from the box.
Use each word only ONCE.

queen	crocodile	pig
winter	lamp	summer

10) My father switches on the _____
_____ to read his book.



11) The hungry _____ ate
_____ a zebra for breakfast.



12) The children build a snowman in _____



13) The _____ wears a crown on
_____ her head.



14) Farmer Brown has a _____ in his
_____ farm.



Where can you find these things? Write the name of each place.
The first letter of the word is given.

Example

pond, playground, cycling track

park

15) fish, fruits, meat, vegetables

m

16) doctors, medicine, nurses, patients

c

17) sand, waves, shells, sandcastles

b

18) food stalls, benches, tables, drinks

c

Section B: Grammar (20 x 1 mark)

Complete the sentences with *has* or *have*.

Example

Dot Fox a wig.

Dot Fox has a wig.

19) They three storybooks.

20) My uncle a purple car.

21) I many friends.

22) Gina some pencils.

Read the sentences carefully. Circle the verbs.

23) Meihua and Bob play in the garden.

24) My sister buys a new dress.

25) The boys swim in the pool.

26) Mrs Koh works in an office.

27) Uncle Pete walks along a bumpy path.

Fill in the blanks with *is* or *are* to complete the sentences.

Aunt May and Jill are in a bookshop. Jill (28) _____ looking

for a storybook. She sees the storybook on the shelf. Aunt May pays for

the book at the cashier. There (29) _____ three people in

the queue. Aunt May has to wait.

Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the box.
Use each word only ONCE.

read reads

Kelly and I (30) _____ our storybooks in the library.

My father (31) _____ the newspapers after breakfast.

cycle cycles

Uncle Tom (32) _____ to work every day.

Mr Lim and his family (33) _____ in the park on Sundays.

He It

My cat did not eat anything. (34) _____ is hungry.

The boy lost his toy. (35) _____ was crying.

Section C: Punctuation (7 x 1 mark)

There is one punctuation mistake or missing punctuation in each sentence.
Rewrite the sentences using the correct punctuation.

39) Where are you going

40) i walk to school.

41) How did she do it.

42) That bag belongs to ben.

43) The baby is sleeping

Handwriting practice lines for question 43, consisting of two sets of three horizontal lines (top solid, middle dashed, bottom solid).

44) the dog is chasing the cat.

Handwriting practice lines for question 44, consisting of two sets of three horizontal lines (top solid, middle dashed, bottom solid).

45) Is your birthday in april?

Handwriting practice lines for question 45, consisting of two sets of three horizontal lines (top solid, middle dashed, bottom solid).

Section D : Comprehension (10 x 2 marks)

Passage 1

Read the story carefully.



Father and Ali are walking down the stairs. Father turns to Ali and puts his finger on his lips. Ali nods his head. Mother is going to wake up soon. They have to go to the kitchen to get everything ready.

Read each question and tick (✓) the box with the correct answer.

46) What does Father want Ali to do when he turns to Ali?

<input type="checkbox"/>	He wants Ali to walk carefully.
<input type="checkbox"/>	He wants Ali to walk quietly.
<input type="checkbox"/>	He wants Ali to walk slowly.

47) Where is Mother?

<input type="checkbox"/>	She is in the kitchen.
<input type="checkbox"/>	She is at the staircase.
<input type="checkbox"/>	She is in the bedroom.



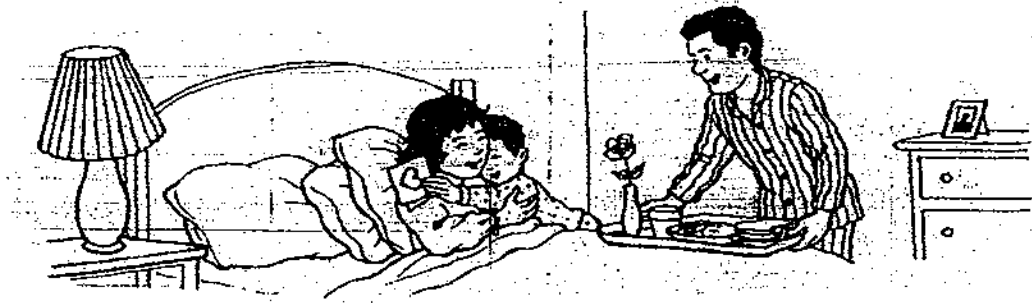
In the kitchen, Ali puts the bread in the toaster. Then, he cracks some eggs in a bowl. Father fries the eggs. They know Mother loves eggs. Ali pours some juice in a glass and puts the food on a tray. He decorates it with a flower and a card. They are ready to give Mother a birthday surprise.

48) What is the first thing that Ali does for Mother?

<input type="checkbox"/>	He pours juice in a cup.
<input type="checkbox"/>	He puts bread in the toaster.
<input type="checkbox"/>	He cracks some eggs in the bowl.

49) Who likes to eat eggs?

<input type="checkbox"/>	Ali likes to eat eggs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mother likes to eat eggs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Father likes to eat eggs.



Father and Ali sneak back upstairs to Mother's bed. Ali gives Mother a hug and a kiss. Mother opens her eyes. They both say, "Happy Birthday! We love you!"

50) How do you think Mother feels on that day?

	She feels sad.
	She feels happy.
	She feels angry.

Passage 2

Read the story carefully and complete the sentences. Use the words given in the brackets.

A boy is in a restaurant with his family. A waiter takes a tray of food and a few bowls of soup to their table and they start having their meal. Nobody knows that the boy has a pet frog in his jacket. Suddenly, the frog jumps out of his jacket.

51. The frog belongs to

(the boy / the woman / the waiter)

The frog jumps onto the next table. A woman is sitting there. The frog lands onto her salad. The woman screams loudly and she drops a cup of drink. The waiter sees it. He quickly catches the frog and throws it out of the restaurant. The boy runs to the waiter and says, "Hey, that's my frog!"

52. The woman screams loudly because she is

(afraid / hungry / excited)

53. The frog jumps into the woman's

(drinks / salad / soup)

54. The boy puts the frog in his pocket and takes it to the restaurant.

He is a

boy.

(playful / lazy / kind)

55. The

catches the frog.

(boy / woman / waiter)

End of Paper



Please remember to check your work thoroughly.



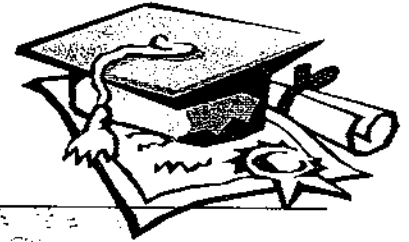


ANSWER SHEET

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SCHOOL : MAHA BODHI PRIMARY
SUBJECT : PRIMARY 1 ENGLISH

TERM : SA1



- 1)mat 2)broom 3)tongue 4)kettle 5)mug 6)classroom
7)dolphin 8)gift 9)janitor 10)lamp 11)crocodile 12)winter
13)queen 14)pig 15)market 16)clinic 17)beach 18)canteen
19)They have three storybook.
20)My uncle has a purple car.
21)I have many friends.
22)Gina has some pencils.
23)play 24)buys 25)swim 26)works 27)walks 28)is 29)are
30)read 31)reads 32)cycles 33)cycle 34)It 35)He
36)beside 37)on 38)behind
39)Where are you going?
40)I walk to school.
41)How did she do it?
42)That bag belongs to Ben.
43)The baby is sleeping.
44)The dog is chasing the cat.
45)Is your birthday in April?

46)He wants Ali to walk quietly.

47)She is in the bedroom.

48)He puts bread in the toaster.

49)Mother likes to eat eggs.

50)She feels happy.

51)the boy

52)afraid

53)salad

54)playful

55)waiter