

2004 SEMESTRAL ASSESSMENT (2) PRIMARY 1

DURATION: 1 h 30 min

DATE: 27 October 2004

INSTRUCTIONS

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

Answer all questions.

Name: _ ()	Marks:
Class: Primary 1	60
Parent's Signature:	
Date:	

A. Circle the correct word in the brackets. (5x1 mark)



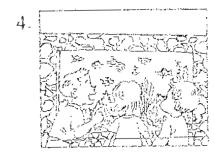
Sam (enroys. distikes (starts) playing badminton so much that he wants to have another game.



Alex was so (hungry, thirsty; tired) that he drank two glasses of water.



My grandparents exercise every morning. They are in the (blue, green, pink) of health.



An aquarium is a place where (fishes. plants, frogs) are kept for people to see.

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My cousin and I collect (badges, coins, stickers).

B. Fill in the blanks with a suitable word from the box below.

Use each word only once. (5 x 1 mark)

flowers insects poison timid blows healthy red delicious

- 6. Ants, butterflies and bees are all
- 7. My younger sister the candles on the cake.
- 8. When Mr Tan found out that his son had broken the fish tank, he saw
- 9. The pizza was so w that Raj ate three slices of it.
- 10. Stanley is as ______ as a mouse. He is afraid to sleep in his own room all by himself.

C. Circle the correct form of the word in the brackets. (5 x 1 mark)

- 11. My friends and I often (do, does, doing) our homework together.
- 12. Hasar (share, shares, sharing) his toys with the other children.
- 13. Aunt Sheila is (push, pushes, pushing) her baby's pram:
- 14. My mother (read, reads, reading) the newspaper every morning.
- 15 The butterfiles (fly. flies, flying) away from the flowers.

D. Circle the correct word in the brackets. (5 x 1 mark)

- 16. These apples are (sweet, sweeter, sweeter) than those in the basket.
- 17. I am the (short, shorter, shortest) pupil in the class.
- 18. Between the twins, Tiffany is (pretty, prettier, prettiest).
- 19. The red dress is (cheap, cheaper, cheapest) than the yellow one.
- 20. Timothy is the (fast, faster, fastest) runner in the race.

E.	Fill in the box with the correct punctuation mark. (5x1 mark)			
	? " ''			
21.	We are going to the beach this weekend			
22,	Where do you keep your pet hamster			
23.	Hello! Is anybody there? I Janet called out.			
24.	I bought a pencil a ruler and a pair of scissors from the bookshop.			
25.	How much does this box of crayons cost			
T.	Fill in each blank with the past teuse form of the verb in the brackets. (5 x 1 mark)			
26.	The cat (lick) its paw just now.			
27.	The fairy (change) the bat into a prince			
. 28.	The marbles (drop) out of the tox.			
29.	The boys (catch) some grasshoppers in the field yesterday.			
30.	Siti (break) the vase this morning.			

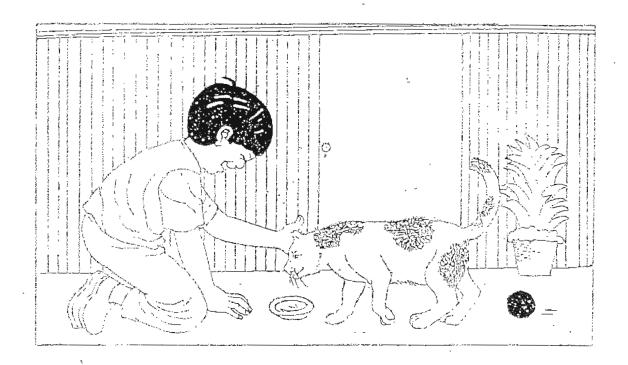
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34.	do you		your	dog	How	. bathe	
35.	cat	of Kitens	My	to	a litter	gave birth	
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H. Fill in each blank with suitable word from the box below. Use each word only once. (5 x 1 mark)

water lunch collect beach dinner helped along saw

It was a bright and sunny day. We left home early in order to
get a good spot at the (36) When we reached
there, my sister changed into her swimming costume and went into
the water. I (37) my mother to unpack the things
that we brought. After a while, I joined my sister who was
swimming happily.
At noon, we had (38) together. After
lunch, I walked (39) the beach and collected
some seashells. I (40)a starfish. I threw it back
into the water so that it would still be alive.
Soon, it was time to go home. We were rather tired but we
had a wonderful time.

1. Study the picture carefully. Fill in each blank with a suitable word of your own. (5 x 1 mark)



Tim has a pet cat named Kitty. It has white (41)
with black spots on its body and tail. Kitty likes to play with a
small rubber ball. Whenever Tim (42) the ball, it tries
to chase d.
Kitty likes to (43) rice and fish. It drinks
milk from a saucer. Tim (44) good care of Kitty.
He cleans it every day. Kitty sleeps (45) a big basket
with a blanker to keep it warm.

J. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow. Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided. (5x1 mark)

Dear Irene,

How are you? I am enjoying my holiday. I am staying at my uncle's house in China. I will be here for two weeks.

My uncle has a farm in China. Have you ever been to a farm before? My uncle has chickens, ducks, cows and pigs on his farm. There are even horses. My uncle taught me to ride a horse. It was not easy at first but after a few tries, I can now ride a horse around the farm. My uncle keeps the horses in a stable. There are seven of them altogether. This morning, I helped my uncle feed the animals. After feeding the chickens, my cousins and I helped to collect the eggs. We collected a small basket of eggs. I like staying on the farm because I like to look at the animals. I learnt a few things about the animals too. I will be visiting my uncle again in December. Would you like to come along?

When I come back to Singapore, I will show you all the photos which I have taken here. Well, I think I have to go now.

Your friend.

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46.	How long will Sue be staying with her uncle?		
	She will be staying with her uncle for	···	
	(1) less than a week(2) a week(3) two weeks	(.)
47,	Who has a farm in China?		
A C	(1) Suc's firend(2) Suc's cousin(3) Suc's uncleWhich animal lives in a stable?)_ `
40,	willon annual lives in a stable:		
	(1) a horse (2) a cow (3) a pig	ξ	.)
40)	What did Sue and her cousins do together	on the	e farm?
	(1) fed the animals (2) fearnt to ride a horse (3) collected the eggs	()
50.	When Sue comes back to Singapore, she was been supported by the support of the su	vants	·
	(1) to look at her holiday photos(2) to keep the herses in a stable(3) to learn a few things about animals	į	

K. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow. (5 x 2 marks)

One morning, when Mei Li was on her way to school, she met Sarah at the school gate. Sarah was walking very slowly and she looked tired. Mei Li decided to help Sarah.

"Hello, may I help you?" asked Mei Li. Sarah smiled and nodded her head. Mei Li carried Sarah's bag. Then she held Sarah's hand and they walked into the school together.

"I met with an accident a month ago. A car knocked me down while I was crossing the road. As a result both my legs are weak. I find it difficult to walk now," Sarah said.

Mei Li felt sorry for Sarah. From that day onwards, Mei Li always waited for Sarah at the bus-stop in front of the school. Mei Li thought that it was her duty to help someone like Sarah. Although she had to come to school earlier, she did not mind. She was glad that she helped someone in need.

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