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Class : Primary 5 _____

CHIJ ST NICHOLAS GIRLS' SCHOOL (PRIMARY)



Primary 5

Continual Assessment 2

22 August 2011

English Language

Paper 2 Booklet A

Duration of Paper (Booklets A and B): 1 h 40 min

30 questions

30 marks

Instructions to Candidates:

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

Follow all instructions carefully.

Answer all questions.

This booklet consists of 10 printed pages and 1 blank page.

Study the following advertisement and then answer questions 1 to 5!

King Edward Hospital Recruitment Drive



EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGIST

Requirements:

- ◇ A university degree in Sports Science!
- ◇ At least 2 years of working experience in a relevant setting
- ◇ Working experience with national athletes is an added advantage
- ◇ Team player, possesses good interpersonal and communication skills
 - ◇ Patient and has a genuine desire to make a difference

PHARMACIST

Requirements:

- ◇ Registered pharmacist with relevant experience
- ◇ Independent, attentive to details and with good initiative
- ◇ Good interpersonal and communication skills

STAFF NURSE

Requirements:

- ◇ Registered nurse with at least 2 years of relevant experience!
- ◇ Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- ◇ Independent and able to work with minimum supervision

PATIENT SERVICE ASSOCIATE

Requirements:

- ◇ Minimum GCE 'O' Level
- ◇ At least 1 year of relevant experience, with frontline counter experience preferred!
 - ◇ Computer literate with good typing speed
 - ◇ Good interpersonal and communication skills
- ◇ Able to perform multiple tasks of patient registration, filing of patients' records, financial counselling as well as payment collection

For more information,

visit our website at <http://www.kingedwardhospital.com/recruit.html>,

email us at enquiries@kingedwardhospital.com, or

call our customer service hotline at 6543 2100.

Please send all applications to:

The Human Resource Manager

88 King Palace Avenue

Singapore 228899

Closing date: 15 November 2011

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For each question from 1 to 5, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4). Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet! (5 marks)

1 One of the duties of a patient service associate is to _____.

- (1) counsel athletes
- (2) dispense medicine
- (3) key in patients' records
- (4) supervise the staff nurse

2 Applicants for the post of exercise physiologist need not have _____.

- (1) a Sports Science degree
- (2) good communication skills
- (3) 2 years of working experience
- (4) working experience with national athletes

3 The staff nurse and the pharmacist must be able to work _____.

- (1) in a team
- (2) independently
- (3) with national athletes
- (4) with close supervision

4 King Edward Hospital is particularly interested in recruiting people with _____.

- (1) initiative
- (2) experience
- (3) typing skills
- (4) organizational skills

5 To apply for any of the posts, you need to _____.

- (1) send an email
- (2) visit the website
- (3) call the customer service hotline
- (4) write to the human resource manager

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For each question from 6 to 12, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4). Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (7 marks)

6 Mr Kumar ~~saw~~ the monkey _____ up the rambutan tree last night.

- 1 climb
- 2 climbed
- 3 had climbed
- 4 was climbing

7 One of the guests _____ late for the opening ceremony last night!

- 1 is
- 2 are
- 3 was
- 4 were

8 Neither James nor Hock Keng _____ forward to performing on Speech Day this Friday.

- 1 look
- 2 looks
- 3 looked
- 4 looking

9 Owing to the recent heavy downpour, the construction workers have _____ to remove the debris from the landslide.

- (1) yet
- (2) until
- (3) since
- (4) despite

10 "Have you _____ your homework?" Mrs Smith asked her son.

- 1 do
- 2 did
- 3 does
- 4 done

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11 Someone passed _____ from exhaustion after running round the field under the hot sun.

- (1) on
- (2) by
- (3) out
- (4) down

12 If Hui Ling had wanted to pass her English examination, she _____ studied hard for it.

- (1) will have
- (2) may have
- (3) might have
- (4) should have

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For each question from 13 to 15, choose the correct punctuation to complete the passage. Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (3 marks)

It was a hot and humid morning. Ali and Fazil went hiking in the woods. Their mother packed sandwiches (13) ~~Ringo potato chips~~ and two packets of apple juice. When Ali and Fazil got to the middle of the woods, they stopped to have a rest. Ali, who was tired and had developed a blister on his left foot, grumbled (14) "I'm hungry."
Fazil suggested: ~~Let's eat our lunch now~~ (15)
Hearing that, Ali broke into a big grin and nodded in agreement.

- 13 (1) [.] full stop
(2) [,] comma
(3) [?] question mark
(4) [!] exclamation mark
- 14 (1) [, "] comma and inverted commas
(2) [. "] full stop and inverted commas
(3) [? "] question mark and inverted commas
(4) [! "] exclamation mark and inverted commas
- 15 ~~(1)~~ [, "] comma and inverted commas
~~(2)~~ [. "] full stop and inverted commas
~~(3)~~ ["] inverted commas and full stop
~~(4)~~ [. "] full stop, inverted commas and full stop

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For each question from 16 to 20, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4). Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

- 16 When her grandmother suddenly passed away, Kelly was filled with _____ for not visiting her grandmother more often.
- (1) retort
 - (2) reaction
 - (3) remorse
 - (4) reluctance
- 17 His family has to put up with his _____ of making everyone bow to him in the morning.
- (1) character
 - (2) behaviour
 - (3) mannerism
 - (4) idiosyncrasy
- 18 Miss Tan scolded Tom for chatting _____ while she was teaching.
- (1) insistently
 - (2) incessantly
 - (3) instantaneously
 - (4) inconspicuously
- 19 During the war, the Lim family _____ their hometown and migrated to Singapore.
- (1) deserted
 - (2) destroyed
 - (3) desolated
 - (4) demolished
- 20 Mrs Raja was so _____ by the beautiful landscape that she forgot her friends were waiting for her at the nearby restaurant.
- (1) enticed
 - (2) gratified
 - (3) intrigued
 - (4) mesmerised

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For each question from 21 to 25, choose the word closest in meaning to the underlined word. Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet.

(5 marks)

Long ago in Eastern China, there lived a retired farmer. As he aged, the frail old man went to live with his son, daughter-in-law and their little boy. His trembling hands, blurred eyesight and falling steps made even the simplest tasks rather difficult for him. While eating, he often dropped his food on the floor.

Once, while trying to hold his glass of milk, he accidentally spilled it on the tablecloth. Seeing the mess on the table, his son and daughter-in-law became irritated. They set up a small table in a corner of the room and made the old man eat alone.

Sometimes, when the couple glanced in the old man's direction, they noticed he had tears in his eye as he ate alone. Still, the only words the young couple had for him were criticisms when he dropped a fork or spilled his food. Their little boy observed everything in silence.

Adapted from http://www.indianchild.com/wooden_bowl.htm

- 21 (1) puny
(2) feeble
(3) shrivelled
(4) vulnerable
- 22 (1) twitching
(2) stumbling
(3) quavering
(4) lumbering
- 23 (1) grab
(2) grasp
(3) grope
(4) grapple
- 24 (1) annoyed
(2) aggrieved
(3) astounded
(4) aggravated
- 25 (1) insults
(2) warnings
(3) complaints
(4) admonitions

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Read the passage below and answer questions 26 to 30.

The poachers had finally found a buyer for their stolen goods. At the meeting with the buyer, they brought out a small duffel bag and unzipped it. Inside was a terrified one-year-old baby gorilla. The poachers had likely killed the little female's parents and captured her in the forests of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Africa. Then they took her across the border into Rwanda, with the intention of selling her as a pet. 5

However, the buyer did not bring any money. He brought the cops. The poachers were arrested on the spot but the Rwandan authorities knew the orphan was still in danger. They had rescued baby gorillas before and understood that they needed to act quickly. The authorities rushed the young gorilla to the nearby headquarters of the Mountain Gorilla Veterinary Project (MGVP). The vets there realised that she had not been given enough food or water, but they were much more worried about something else. The baby gorilla, which was later named Dunia, had not been getting enough touch. 10

"Baby gorillas simply don't survive without their mother's constant body contact," says Chris, a veterinarian. "They give up the will to live." The project's staff immediately began holding and cuddling Dunia, the little baby gorilla. 15

Dunia resisted attention at first, shying away from people who reached for her. "She needed contact, but there is no reason that she should trust people after what she'd been through," says Chris. "Humans had killed her family." Three caretakers were assigned to her so she would be with a foster parent at all times. 20

The project's primary mission is to care for gorillas which are affected by mankind activities in the region. Along with the massive habitat destruction caused by logging and mining industries, illegal hunting threatens to drive the remaining eastern lowland gorillas to extinction. 25

Gorillas are vegetarians. Fortunately, Dunia had a healthy appetite for the diet she was given which included pineapples, bananas and milk formula. Although she became stronger, a month after she was rescued her appearance revealed the psychological stress she carried inside – much of her hair had fallen out. That was a delayed reaction to the combined traumatic experiences of losing her parents and being kept with a poor diet by the poachers. 30

After six months of loving care, a good diet, and a comfortable home at the project's headquarters, Dunia was looking and acting like a healthy, happy young gorilla should. Dunia now ventures further from her caregivers for longer periods of time. She enjoys carefree moments of exploration out in the grassy areas of her enclosure. Eventually, the vets at the project hope to place Dunia and the other orphaned gorillas in a sanctuary, and maybe release them into the wild as a group. No matter where she ends up, Dunia will never be alone again. 35

Adapted from <http://kids.nationalgeographic.com>

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26 When Dunia was taken to Rwanda, she was in critical need of _____.

- (1) food
- (2) water
- (3) touch
- (4) attention

27 Dunia was wary of her caregivers at first because humans had _____.

- (1) killed her family
- (2) destroyed her habitat
- (3) taken away her source of food
- (4) hunted her community to near extinction

28 Dunia lost her hair because she _____.

- (1) was kept in captivity for too long
- (2) did not like her human caregivers
- (3) was affected by mining activity in her habitat
- (4) was traumatized by what she had gone through

29 The word "sanctuary" (line 37) has the same meaning as _____.

- (1) forest
- (2) shelter
- (3) asylum
- (4) orphanage

30 Which of the following is not a factor in driving gorillas to extinction?

- (1) They are sold as pets.
- (2) They are killed by humans.
- (3) Their habitats are destroyed.
- (4) They are kept in enclosures by MGVP.

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Booklet A	30
Booklet B	40
Total	70

Parent's Signature: _____

This booklet consists of 6 printed pages and 1 blank page.

There are 10 blanks, numbered 31 to 40, in the passage below. From the list of words given, choose the most suitable word for each blank. Write its letter (A to Q) in the blank. The letters (I) and (O) have been omitted to avoid confusion during marking. (10 marks)

EACH WORD CAN BE USED ONLY ONCE.

(A) along	(D) can	(G) for	(K) into	(N) these
(B) as	(E) despite	(H) from	(L) might	(P) unless
(C) because	(F) down	(J) in	(M) on	(Q) while

Ancient Egypt had created one of the world's first great civilizations. It is a long, narrow country _____ the River Nile. It is particularly famous _____ two reasons. It preserved dead people _____ mummies, and it built huge pyramids which were the tombs. Pyramids and mummies _____ tell us a lot about life in ancient Egypt.

Studying a mummy can help us understand what illnesses people suffered _____ and what they ate. The Egyptians believed that dead people continued living in another world. _____ they were alive, Egyptians learned magic spells to help them face the perils of the Underworld. _____ spells were collected and compiled in the Book of the Dead. Wealthy people were buried with a copy of this book, hoping that it would protect them _____ their journey through the Underworld.

The pyramids give us an insight _____ the building skills and religious beliefs of the Egyptians. The pyramids were miracles of architecture and organization. _____ not having cranes, drills or machines of any kind, the Egyptians created some of the largest stone buildings ever made. These towering tombs are still standing today and continue to attract millions of visitors each day.

Adapted from Mummies & Pyramids by Sam Taplin

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Correct each word in **bold** for spelling and each underlined word for grammar.
Write the correct answer in the relevant box. (10 marks)

Crime scene investigators (CSIs), also known as forensic scientists,

search for information at crime scenes. Using these clues, along with the help of

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*science and **tacknology**, CSIs help police investigators in figuring out what*

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happened, when it happened, and who was involving.

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It is a job requires great attention to detail, as well as a strong stomach.

CSIs may be asked to work on grim and bloody crime scenes involving murders,

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*assaults, car accidents, and fires. They may also find themselves **chairlenged** by*

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*old crime scenes, where few clues are to be found. **Fourtunatlee**, CSIs are*

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*trained to known where to look for important pieces of **aveedence**.*

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*CSIs document crime scenes using photography. He **collecf** fingerprints,*

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take photos, and create moulds of footprints. Their job included finding and

collecting hair and blood samples, as well as tracing for clues. Not everyone can

stand the work that CSIs undertake. For people who love logic and science, then

becoming a CSI may be the right work for them.

Adapted from How To Become A Crime Scene Investigator by Sue Hamilton

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Fill in the blank with a suitable word.

(10 marks)

One day, an old man went fishing at a lake. Although he fished for a long time, he was

_____ to catch anything. Finally, he gave up and walked back to his fishing hut.

(51) As he was nearing the front door, he was surprised to find it open. Having a _____

nature, he walked quietly to the door and peered inside. There was a huge black bear pulling

the cork out of his honey jug with its sharp teeth. The honey _____ all over the

floor and the hungry bear rubbed its paw in it, smearing it all over. (53)

The old man crept _____ to the back of the fishing hut. He put his head

through the window and gave a loud yell. The black bear jumped out of shock and ran out of the door with its right paw covered with honey. (54)

The bear ran to the nearby lake. Standing on its hind legs, it _____ up its

right paw. Soon flies were swarming around the sticky sweet paw. The bear waded into the water with his sticky paw full of flies. Just then, a big trout came jumping out of the water trying to eat the flies. The bear gave it a swat and it flew to the _____ and flopped on

the ground. This was followed swiftly by another. Soon there was a large pile of fish. (56)

The bear decided that it had caught _____ fish and waded out of the lake

to eat them. As the old man watched the bear eat half a dozen of trout, his stomach rumbled. After some time, the bear gave a big yawn and rubbed its paunch. It stood up and

_____ the remaining fish in a row for the old man who was hiding behind the

bushes. The old man crept out of the bushes and walked down to the shore. He found that the bear had left him six large trout. He looked ahead and _____ that the bear

was standing at the edge of the wood watching. "Thanks a lot," the old man called to the bear. (59)

The bear waved the now-clean paw at the old man and _____ into the woods. (60)

"Well, that's the first time a bear has ever paid me for my honey," said the old man.

Adapted from The Fisherman and the Bear by S.E. Schlosser

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Fannie sat cross-legged on her Uncle John's front porch with her favourite rag doll clutched under one arm. The late afternoon sun shone through the leaves of the giant oak tree, casting its flickering light on the cabin. This golden motion of light entranced the child and she sat with her face turned upward, as if hypnotized. The steady hum of conversation flowed from the inside of the cabin.

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"Ellen, I'm so glad that you came to church with us today. Why don't you spend the night with us? It's getting late and it will be dark before you make it home," said Aunt Sally.

"I'll be fine, Sally," replied Fannie's mother. "Anyway, you know how Larry is about his supper. I left plenty for him and the boys on the back of the stove, but he'll want Fannie and me home. Besides, he'll want to hear if Sam's wife managed to drag him into church." The laughter that followed her mother's statement broke the child's musings and she stood up, pulled her dress over the protruding petticoat, and stepped inside.

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"Get your shawl, Fannie. When the sun goes down, it'll get chilly," advised Ellen.

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As the little girl went to the chair by the fireplace to retrieve her wrap, her uncle came in from the back with a lantern.

"You'll need this, Ellen. The wick is new and I've filled it up for you," said Uncle John.

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"I appreciate it, Johnny," Ellen said. "I'll have Larry bring it back when he goes to town next week."

Ellen kissed her younger brother good-bye and hugged Sally gently. Patting her sister-in-law on her swollen belly, she said, "I'll be back at the end of the month. Don't lift anything heavy. If that queasy feeling keeps bothering you, brew some of that mint tea I left in the kitchen. Lord knows I've never seen a baby keep its mommy so sick as much as this one has. It's a boy for sure."

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Upon hearing this, Fannie frowned. She was the youngest in her family, and the only girl. After living with four brothers, she had prayed fervently to God every night for Him to let her aunt have a girl. The only other comfort she had was the pretty rag doll that her mother had made for her. Tucking the doll under her left arm and gathering the shawl with the same hand, she stood waiting patiently. Aunt Sally kissed Fannie lightly on the cheek and squeezed her gently. "If I have a girl, I hope that she will be as sweet as you," her aunt whispered. Uncle John patted her on the head and said, "Bye, little darling. When that old mama cat has her kittens, I'll give you the pick of the litter."

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This brought a smile to Fannie's face and swept away the darkening thoughts of boys.

Adapted from Hobnail by Crystal Arbogast

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ALL ANSWERS MUST BE IN COMPLETE SENTENCES

61 How was Fannie related to Uncle John?

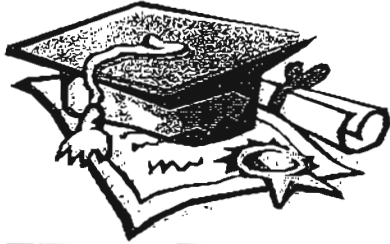
62 Where was Ellen as ^{Fannie} ~~Fanny~~ sat on the porch?

63 What does 'this' (line 19) refer to?

64 Why was Sally advised not to lift heavy things?

65 Explain clearly how Fannie felt with four brothers in the family.

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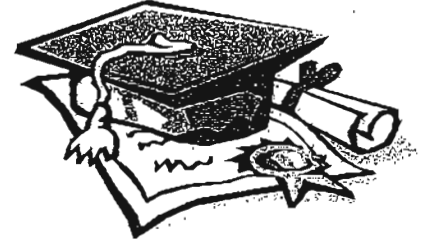


ANSWER SHEET

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- 41)technology 42)involved 43)requiring 44)assaults 45)challenged
46)Fortunately 47)know 48)evidence 49)They 50)includes
51)unable 52)cautious 53)spilled 54)quietly 55)help
56)shore 57)enough 58)left 59)saw 60)lumbered
- 61)Fannie was Uncle John's niece.
62)Ellen was in the cabin when Fannie sat on the porch.
63)'This' refers to the lantern that uncle John lent Ellen.
64)Sally was pregnant.
65)Fannie felt lonely and awkward for she was the only girl in the family with four brothers.