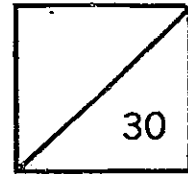


ROSYTH SCHOOL  
P2 HOLISTIC ASSESSMENT 2013, TERM 2  
ENGLISH LANGUAGE  
MINI TEST



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Class: P2 \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 14 May 2013 Duration: 40 min

**Section A: Vocabulary (10 x 1 mark)**

Read each question carefully. Choose the correct answer and write its number in the bracket provided. (5 x 1 mark)

1. My teacher taught me how to \_\_\_\_\_ a picture using a brush.

(1) paint

(2) write

(3) choose

( )

2. After the shower, Caili felt cool and \_\_\_\_\_ in her pyjamas. Soon, she fell asleep.

(1) safe

(2) afraid

(3) comfortable

( )

3. The ~~drowning~~ boy was waving his arms \_\_\_\_\_ to the lifeguard.

(1) terribly

(2) horribly

(3) frantically

( )

4. The beautiful \_\_\_\_\_ flew around the garden to drink nectar from the flowers.

(1) pupa

(2) butterfly

(3) caterpillar

( )

5. The beetle has a hard outer covering to \_\_\_\_\_ itself.
- (1) grow
  - (2) change
  - (3) protect
- (      )

Fill in each blank with the correct word from the box below. Use each word once only. (5 × 1 mark)

chased    except    squeezed    afraid    begged    crowded

Everyone in the school knows about the big bully, James. He is a tall and thin boy from Primary 3. My classmates and I are (6) \_\_\_\_\_ of James. He usually takes the school bus to school (7) \_\_\_\_\_ on days that he has remedial lessons.

Last Friday, it was (8) \_\_\_\_\_ in the school canteen during recess. There were many children buying food from the stalls. I was queuing in front of James. After I got my bowl of noodles, I turned around and accidentally knocked into him. James got really mad and caught hold of me by the collar. I apologised and (9) \_\_\_\_\_ him to let me go. He refused and then he (10) \_\_\_\_\_ my arms until I had a blue black mark.

Section B: Grammar (10 x 1 mark)

Read each question carefully. Choose the correct answer and write its number in the bracket provided. (5 x 1 mark)

11. My brother and I \_\_\_\_\_ going to the zoo this Sunday.  
(1) is  
(2) am  
(3) are ( )
12. Yesterday, I \_\_\_\_\_ attend lessons because I was sick.  
(1) do not  
(2) did not  
(3) does not ( )
13. Mrs Tan added \_\_\_\_\_ sugar into her coffee to make it sweet.  
(1) many  
(2) some  
(3) several ( )
14. After measuring the line, Jenny put her ruler \_\_\_\_\_ her pencil case together with the pencils inside.  
(1) into  
(2) from  
(3) under ( )
15. A \_\_\_\_\_ of bees flew out from the beehive and attacked the boys.  
(1) herd  
(2) pack  
(3) swarm ( )

Fill in each blank with the correct conjunctions from the box below. Use each conjunction once only. (5 x 1 mark)

and	then	when	so	but	while
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Last Sunday, my aunt brought my cousins and me to the library. We took a bus there. (16) \_\_\_\_\_ we reached the library, we went to the Children's Section. My cousins and I chose a few books to read.

After a while, we began to quarrel over the books. I was so angry that I stomped away. I hid in a corner. (17) \_\_\_\_\_ cried softly. A librarian came to comfort me (18) \_\_\_\_\_ I could not stop crying. (19) \_\_\_\_\_ she brought me to the information counter and made an announcement. I continued crying (20) \_\_\_\_\_ waiting for my aunt to pick me up. My aunt scolded me for running away. I apologised to her and promised not to do that again.

Section C: Graphic Stimulus (3 x 2 marks)

Study the brochure carefully and answer the questions.

Dear neighbours,

You are invited to our block party.

**When:** Saturday, 1 June 2013

**Where:** Void deck

**Who:** Adults and children staying in Block 15  
Pets are not allowed

Register by 10 May 2013 and you will get an attractive goodie bag!



There will be food and games for everyone. Colourful balloons will be given to children below 12 years old.

**Best Dressed Contest**

The family that comes in the most interesting costumes will win the Best Dressed Award. For some ideas on what to wear, visit our website at [www.blockparty.com](http://www.blockparty.com)

**For registration:**

Call Mr Francis at 6000 1234 or email to [francis@neighbourhood.sg](mailto:francis@neighbourhood.sg).  
Registration closes on 28 May 2013.

Choose the correct answer and write its number in the bracket provided.

21. When is the block party?

- (1) 1 June 2013
- (2) 10 May 2013
- (3) 28 May 2013

(     )

22. How can a family win the Best Dressed Contest?

They must wear the most \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) colourful costumes
- (2) attractive costumes
- (3) interesting costumes

(     )

23. How do you register for the block party?

- (1) Visit the website
- (2) Call or email Mr Francis
- (3) Register at the void deck

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**Section D: Comprehension (2 x 2 marks)**

After a week of rain, the sun finally came out. It shone brightly in the sky. Tom ran out to the park to play. He found a puddle full of tadpoles. Day after day, Tom watched the tadpoles. They grew legs and their tails became shorter. Tom was worried that the puddle would dry up before the tadpoles turn into frogs. He thought of a solution. He scooped the tadpoles into an old watering can. Two weeks later, Tom saw a tiny frog coming out from the spout. It jumped onto the grass. Then two more frogs came out of the spout. At last, Tom counted ten little frogs hopping on the grass. He jumped for joy. He had saved a whole family of frogs!

Complete the sentences with the correct answers.

24. What was Tom worried about?

He \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

25. How did Tom feel after saving the frogs?

He \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Please check your work carefully.**

~ End of Paper ~

# ANSWER SHEET

**EXAM PAPER 2013**

**SCHOOL : ROSYTH SCHOOL**

**SUBJECT : PRIMARY 2 ENGLISH**

**TERM : SA1 (Holistic Assessment – term 2)**

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## Section A

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5
1	3	3	2	3

Q6) afraid

Q7) except

Q8) crowded

Q9) begged

Q10) squeezed

## Section B

Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15
3	2	2	1	3

Q16) When

Q17) and

Q18) but

Q19) Then

Q20) while

## Section C

Q21	Q22	Q23
1	3	2

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Q24) He was worried that the puddle would dry up before the tadpoles turn into frogs.

Q25) He felt happy after saving the frogs.

