



Saint Theresa College
PARVA PARVORUM PULCHRA

PRIMARY SCHOOLS		
HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION 2009		
YEAR 4	ENGLISH (LISTENING COMPREHENSION)	TIME: 20 MINUTES
Name: _____		Class: _____

- The teacher will tell you when to write.
- Tick only one box for each answer in numbers 1 to 14 and write one word in the blank space in number 15.
- Check your answers.

Marks: 1 mark each

Total: 15 marks

Put a tick(✓) in the box to show the correct answer.

1. Where do the animals in the story live?

a) in a forest

b) on a mountain

c) in a zoo

d) by the sea

a)
b)
c)
d)

2. Whom does the wild donkey greet?

a) the parrot and the monkey

b) the elephant and the deer

c) the tiger and the leopard

d) the giraffe and the zebra

a)
b)
c)
d)

3. How does the sea lion call the visitors at the zoo?

a) by shouting

b) by blowing

c) by signing

d) by roaring

a)
b)
c)
d)

4. Where do the parrot and the monkey live?

a) They live in cages.

b) They live on a hill.

c) They live in a room.

d) They live on a tree.

a)
b)
c)
d)

5. What do the visitors give to the monkey and the parrot?

a) They give them toys.

b) They give them food.

c) They give them water.

d) They give them money.

a)
b)
c)
d)

6. What can the parrot do to attract visitors?

- a) It flies round the cage.
- b) It goes near the visitors.
- c) It jumps up and down.
- d) It sings a song.

a)
b)
c)
d)

7. How does the parrot think he looks?

- a) gentle and good
- b) pretty and bright
- c) clean and fresh
- d) big and strong

a)
b)
c)
d)

8. Why does the monkey not answer the parrot?

- a) because he is tired
- b) because he does not like to boast
- c) because he hates the parrot
- d) because he is proud

a)
b)
c)
d)

9. How does the monkey show kindness to the parrot?

- a) He waves in a friendly way.
- b) He gives him some nuts.
- c) He dances for him.
- d) He gives him a hug.

a)
b)
c)
d)

10. Who answers the parrot's question?

- a) A woman answers the parrot's question.
- b) A child answers the parrot's question.
- c) A man answers the parrot's question.
- d) Other birds answer the parrot's question.

a)
b)
c)
d)

11. Where does the man stop?

- a) He stops in front of the cage.
- b) He stops by the pond.
- c) He stops under a tree.
- d) He stops near the giraffe.

a)
b)
c)
d)

12. How many nuts does the man give the parrot?

- a) He gives him six nuts.
- b) He gives him many nuts.
- c) He gives him three nuts.
- d) He gives him no nuts.

a)
b)
c)
d)

13. Why does the man give so few nuts to the parrot?

- a) because the parrot is very lazy
- b) because the parrot only repeats what others tell him
- c) because the parrot is cruel
- d) because the parrot does not want to sing

a)
b)
c)
d)

14. Why is the monkey given more nuts?

- a) because he is bigger than the parrot
- b) because he is very kind
- c) because he is hungry
- d) because he can make things up by himself

a)
b)
c)
d)

15. Give a word from the passage which shows that the parrot is not happy because the monkey is given more food by the visitors.
