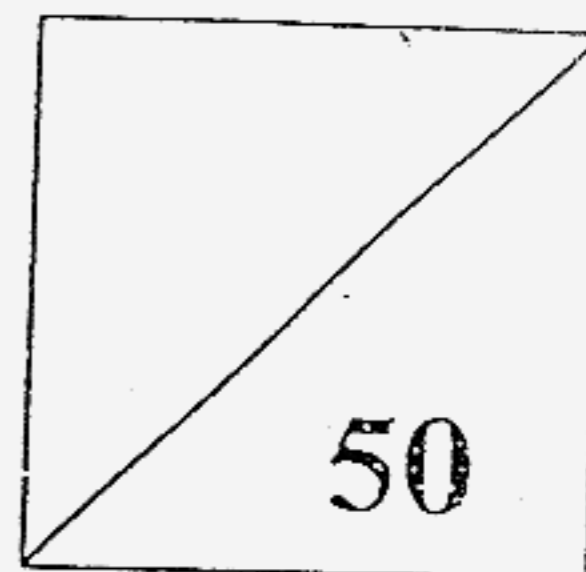


KONG HWA SCHOOL  
SEMESTRAL ASSESSMENT TWO 2005  
ENGLISH PAPER 2  
PRIMARY ONE



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ( )

Class: Primary 1/\_\_\_\_\_

Date: 24 October 2005

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Duration: 60 minutes

Section E: Grammar (10 x 1 m)

For each question, choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

1. A peacock is a beautiful bird. It \_\_\_\_\_ colourful feathers.  
1) have                      2) had  
3) is having                 4) has                                 ( )
2. Lucy is playing hide-and-seek with Bob. She is hiding \_\_\_\_\_ the curtains.  
1) above                      2) behind  
3) in                             4) on                                 ( )
3. Shawn \_\_\_\_\_ his room daily.  
1) cleaned                     2) cleaning  
3) cleans                      4) cleaned                             ( )

4. Amy \_\_\_\_\_ a box of chocolates for her mother yesterday.

1) bought

2) buys

3) is buying

4) buy

( )

5. Dad always \_\_\_\_\_ carefully so we feel safe with him.

1) drive

2) is driving

3) drives

4) will drive

( )

6. The pupils are very quiet now. They \_\_\_\_\_ to their teacher.

1) listens

2) are listening

3) listened

4) is listening

( )

7. There are four wallets on the table.  
\_\_\_\_\_ wallet is yours?

1) Why

2) What

3) Who

4) Which

( )

8. Mother \_\_\_\_\_ a delicious cake for me on my birthday last year.

1) bake

2) bakes

3) baked

4) is baking

( )

9. Mrs Wong is looking for Nick and Jenny.  
She wants to talk to \_\_\_\_\_.

1) us

2) them

3) him

4) her

( )

10. Look! \_\_\_\_\_ kites are high up in the sky!

1) That

2) This

3) These

4) Those

( )

Section F: Vocabulary (10 × 1 m)

For each question, choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

11. Every night, Rani puts her dirty clothes in the \_\_\_\_\_.  
1) shelves                              2) laundry basket  
3) drawer                                4) cupboard                              (     )
12. The grandfather clock \_\_\_\_\_ loudly.  
1) chimes                                2) rings  
3) screams                                4) sings                                      (     )
13. All the mice \_\_\_\_\_ into the hole when they saw the fierce cat.  
1) crawled                                2) strolled  
3) scampered                              4) skipped                                (     )
14. Our sense of \_\_\_\_\_ helps us to feel an ice-cube.  
1) sight                                    2) touch  
3) hearing                                 4) taste                                      (     )
15. "I did not sleep well last night. The bed was \_\_\_\_\_."  
1) strong                                 2) comfortable  
3) hard                                     4) smooth                                 (     )

16. Aunt Agnes is a good \_\_\_\_\_. She always serves food cheerfully to her customers.

- 1) chef
- 2) cashier
- 3) waitress
- 4) waiter

( )

17. \_\_\_\_\_ are short and small creatures.

- 1) Giants
- 2) Dragons
- 3) Dwarfs
- 4) Genies

( )

18. Mrs Tan buys \_\_\_\_\_ from the butcher.

- 1) vegetables
- 2) meat
- 3) noodles
- 4) fruits

( )

19. The horses \_\_\_\_\_ loudly in the stable.

- 1) chatter
- 2) hiss
- 3) neigh
- 4) moo

( )

20. David is a an \_\_\_\_\_ boy. His room is always in a mess.

- 1) neat
- 2) rude
- 3) hardworking
- 4) untidy

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Section G : Grammar Cloze (5 × 1 m)

Fill in the blanks with the correct answers using the words provided in the box.

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| was | has | for | are | is | under |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-------|

Dear Sabrina,

There is ~~a~~ friendly girl ~~living~~ near my house. Her name  
(21) \_\_\_\_\_ Kathy and I enjoy watching her fly a kite. Kathy also  
(22) \_\_\_\_\_ a naughty black cat that loves licking my toes!

Yesterday, Kathy invited me over (23) \_\_\_\_\_ lunch. She  
showed me all the kites which she kept (24) \_\_\_\_\_ her bed.  
I (25) \_\_\_\_\_ excited to see so many colourful kites!

Kathy will be teaching me how to fly a kite soon. I wish you could be  
here too!

Your friend,

Winnie

Section H : Vocabulary Cloze (5 × 1 m)

Fill in the blanks with the correct answers using the words provided in the box.

slippery   rainy   housework   favourite   dirty   neat

Every Sunday, I wake up early to help Mother with the (26) \_\_\_\_\_. I will mop the floor and tidy up the house. Mother is happy when the house is (27) \_\_\_\_\_ and clean.

On (28) \_\_\_\_\_ days, my sister and I will go to the library to read some books. On sunny days, we go to the playground with our friends. We enjoy playing on the (29) \_\_\_\_\_ slide most.

Before going to bed, I will usually read my (30) \_\_\_\_\_ story books. I like reading books on animals and their adventures!

Section I : Word Order (5 × 1 m)

Re-arrange the words to form meaningful sentences. Begin each sentence with a capital letter and end it with a full stop or question mark.

31. wild                      lions                      are                      animals

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32. waters                      the plants                      the gardener                      daily

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33. a sandcastle                      are building                      the                      children

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34. its body                      a giraffe                      on                      patches                      has

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35. lazy cat                      a dog                      by                      that                      was chased

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Section J: Comprehension MCQ (5 x 1 m)

Read the following story carefully and then choose the most suitable answer for each question. Write the number of the answer in the brackets.

It is a cold and rainy night. Alice is getting ready to sleep. Mrs Lim has just turned off the lights in Alice's bedroom. The room is dark and Alice is afraid. She hears a noise and pulls the blanket over her head. It is coming from under the bed!

Alice screams, "Mummy! There is a monster under my bed!"

Mrs Lim immediately rushes to her room, turns on the lights and looks under the bed.

"There's no monster under your bed, Alice. It is only Charlie," said Mrs Lim. Both Alice and her mother laugh as Charlie barks and runs out of the room.

*Adapted from English Test Papers, Published by Casco*

36. \_\_\_\_\_ is getting ready for bed.

- 1) Mrs Lim
- 2) Alice
- 3) Charlie
- 4) The monster

(     )

37. The noise is coming from \_\_\_\_\_.

- 1) under the blanket
- 3) outside the window

- 2) outside the room
- 4) under the bed

(     )



38. Which word has the same meaning as "afraid"?

The word is \_\_\_\_\_.

1) frightened

2) confused

3) delighted

4) grumpy

( )

39. Why do you think Alice screams for her mother?

She \_\_\_\_\_.

1) sees a monster under the bed.

2) is feeling cold

3) is afraid of the dark

4) hears a noise from under the bed

( )

40. Charlie is a \_\_\_\_\_.

1) boy

2) dog

3) monster

4) cat

( )

Section K : Comprehension (5 × 2 m)

Read the following diary entry carefully and then answer the questions.

Saturday, 22 October 2005

Dear Diary

Yesterday, Mother and I went to the Shop-Fresh Supermarket to do our weekly shopping. It sells everything from fruit to shoes.

Mother needed to buy a lot of food there. She has to cook many dishes for my birthday party tomorrow. After looking through the shelves, we filled our trolley with many food items. Mother also bought bananas, apples and other fresh fruits. I think she is going to make her famous fruit salad!

While waiting to pay for the fruits at the cashier, Mother quickly went to get a doll for me. She knew I would be glad with the present.

Mother told me to keep the fruits in the refrigerator once we got home. I can't wait to help mother with the cooking!

Lucy

41. Where did Lucy go to do her shopping?

Lucy went to the \_\_\_\_\_.

42. Why did Lucy and her mother buy many food items?

They wanted to \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

43. How did Lucy know that her mother will be making fruit salad for the party?

She bought \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

44. What gift did Lucy's mother buy for her?

She bought Lucy \_\_\_\_\_

45. Which word in the passage tells you that everyone knows Mother is good at making the fruit salad?

The word is " \_\_\_\_\_ "

End of Paper

Have you checked your answers?

## Answer sheets

|        |              |         |          |          |          |
|--------|--------------|---------|----------|----------|----------|
| 1)4    | 2)2          | 3)3     | 4)1      | 5)3      | 6)2      |
| 7)4    | 8)3          | 9)2     | 10)4     | 11)2     | 12)1     |
| 13)3   | 14)2         | 15)3    | 16)3     | 17)3     | 18)2     |
| 19)3   | 20)4         | 21)is   | 22)has   | 23)for   | 24)under |
| 25)was | 26)housework | 27)neat | 28)rainy | 29)slipp |          |

30)favourite

31)Lions are wild animals.

32)The gardener waters the plants daily.

33)The children are building a sandcastle.

34)A giraffe has patches on its body.

35)That lazy cat was chased by a dog.

36)2      37)4      38)1      39)4      40)2

41)Lucy went to the Shop-Fresh Supermarket.

42)They wanted to have a party.

43)She bought bananas, apples and other fresh fruits.

44)She bought Lucy a doll.

45)The word is famous.