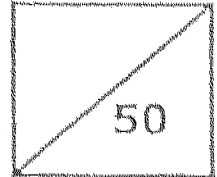# ROSYTH SCHOOL
CONTINUAL ASSESSMENT 1, 2004
ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2
PRIMARY 2

CA1

Total Marks: /50

Name: _____

Class: Pr 2-__

Duration: 1 hour

Register No. _____

Date: 1st March 2004   Parent's Signature: _____

Instructions to Pupils:

1.   Do not open this booklet until you are told to do so.
2.   Follow all instructions carefully.
3.   ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS.

	Maximum	Marks Obtained
Grammar /Vocabulary	30	
Comprehension (MCQ)	10	
Comprehension (OE)	10	
Total	50	

Section A: Grammar MCQ (7 x 1 marks)

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

1.   Shall we go _____ the office to look for the teacher?

(1) beside   (2) into
(3) through   (4) over   (   )

2.   Raju cannot see what the magician is doing because a tall man
      is standing _____ him.

(1) behind   (2) beside
(3) between   (4) in front of   (   )

3.   Put this bookmark _____ the pages of the book.

(1) under   (2) into
(3) inside   (4) between   (   )

4.   Jenny asked Sharon, "Will _____ go to the
      canteen with me? "

(1) I   (2) you
(3) she   (4) we   (   )

5.   Mr Azman and Mr Kumar are postmen. Both of them
      _____ in a post office.

(1) work   (2) works
(3) worked   (4) working   (   )

6. " Ben, _____ broke the vase? Was it you? " asked mother angrily.

     (1) who   (2) what

     (3) where   (4) when   (Y

7. " Tom, _____ did you have your haircut?" asked Sam. "Last Sunday," replied Tom.

     (1) who   (2) what

     (3) where   (4) when   (Y

Section B: Grammar Cloze.
Passage 1 (4 x 1 marks)

Fill in each blank with the correct answer from the box. Use each answer only once.

~~talk~~	talks	~~talking~~	~~talked~~

     My sister, Susan, loves to (8)_____ on the telephone. In the evenings, she would call her friends and spend hours (9) _____ to them. Yesterday, she (10)_____ on the phone for two hours! Sometimes, Father does not allow Susan to use the telephone. He says that she (11)_____ too much.

Passage 2 (4 x 1 marks)

Fill in each blank with the correct answer from the box. Use each answer only once or not at all.

he	she	we	mine	your	they

Tommy and Jun Seng are in the classroom. "Please lend me
(12)_____ eraser. I did not bring (13)_____,"
Tommy said to Jun Seng.

"But I do not have one. You can borrow from May Yee. I know
(14)_____ has a nice one," replied Jun Seng.

" I don't want to borrow from girls," muttered Tommy.

(15) "_____ will not lend their things to me."

Section C: Vocabulary MCQ (7 x 1 marks)

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

16. We will feel _____ if we have no friends.

    (1) generous   (2) lonely
    (3) cheerful   (3) gentle   (   )

17. Some friends are noisy but others are _____ and seldom speak.

    (1) cute   (2) funny
    (3) quiet   (4) naughty   (   )

18. Su Fen is a/an _____ girl. She helps her mother to do many household chores.

    (1) hardworking   (2) careful
    (3) courteous   (4) intelligent   (   )

19. When Uncle Tom needs to buy some medicine, he goes to a _____.

    (1) wet market   (2) coffeeshop
    (3) dentist   (4) pharmacy   (   )

20. My uncle is a _____ in a hotel. He prepares delicious food.

    (1) cashier   (2) chef
    (3) customer   (4) waiter   (   )

21. Mr Wong is _____. He can lift the heavy box all by himself.

    (1) as wise as an owl   (2) as busy as a bee

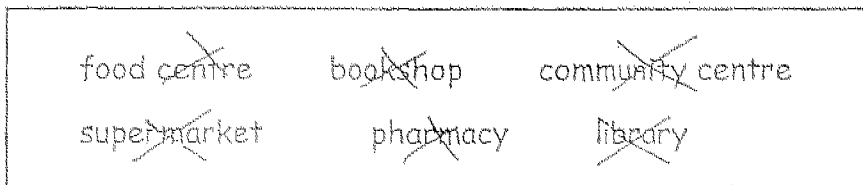   (3) as strong as an ox   (4) as slow as a snail   (   )

22. I like living in a _____ because there are common facilities such as a swimming pool and tennis courts.

    (1) terrace house   (2) condominium

    (3) cottage   (4) flats   (   )

Section D: Vocabulary Cloze
Passage 1 (4 x 1 marks)

Fill in each blank with the correct answer from the box. Use each answer only <u>once</u> or not at all.

| food centre | bookshop | community centre |
| supermarket | pharmacy | library |

    I love to read storybooks. The (23) _____ is my favourite place in the neighbourhood. My mother takes my brother and me to the library every Saturday morning. We go there after our tuition classes at the (24) _____. Next to the library is a big (25) _____. Mother shops there for fresh fruits and vegetables while my brother and I read books in the library. When Mother has finished her shopping, we go to the nearby (26) _____ to have our lunch.

Passage 2 (4 x 1 marks)

Fill in each blank with the correct answer from the box. Use each answer only _once_ or not at all.

~~receptionist~~	~~policeman~~	~~security guard~~
~~sales assistants~~	~~cashier~~	~~librarian~~

You can find people doing different types of jobs in a department store. The (27) _____ help us to look for the things we need. After choosing the things we want to buy, we go to the (28) _____ to make our payment. If you need to make some enquiries, you can ask the (29) _____ at the information counter. She will be happy to help you. If you are lost or separated from your family, look for the (30) _____ . His job is to make sure that the shopping mall is a safe place for everyone !

Section E: Comprehension 1 (5 x 2 marks)

Read the poem below carefully. Choose the correct answer for each question and write its number in the brackets provided.

<u>I'm A Little House Mouse</u>

I'm a little house mouse
    And I live here by myself
With lots of cheese and nibbly things
    Just lying on the shelf

Today, I'm going visiting
    With Molly Mouse next door
We're having tea and cakes and things
    Just like we've had before

She always calls to welcome me,
    "Hello and how are you ?
I've got the kettle on the boil,
    There're cakes and pastries too."

But then at last it's time to go
    And so it's "Cheerio".
Back through the hole **beneath** the stairs
    Off to my home I go.

31.   The little house mouse lives _____.

    (1) by himself   (2) with his parents
    (3) with his family   (4) with Molly Mouse   (   )

32. Molly Mouse is the little house mouse's _____

    (1) sister   (2) cousin

    (3) neighbour   (4) relative   (   )

33. The little house mouse _____ goes to Molly Mouse's house.

    (1) never   (2) seldom

    (3) hardly   (4) often   (   )

34. The word "beneath" in the last stanza means _____

    (1) under   (2) over

    (3) beside   (4) behind   (   )

35. The little house mouse goes to Molly Mouse's house because _____

    (1) he doesn't have any food at home

    (2) he enjoys her company

    (3) they can play games together

    (4) he likes to eat the cakes and pastries   (   )

Section F: Comprehension 2 (5 × 2 marks)

Read the passage carefully and then answer the questions that follow.

Old Mrs Kumar lives in a three-room flat with her son, Alan, who is a pilot. Alan is away from home very often so Mrs Kumar is alone most of the time.

She spends her time watching television and knitting sweaters for Alan. Mrs Kumar seldom goes out because her legs are not strong. Sometimes, she even misses her meals because she is not able to leave her apartment.

When her neighbours knew about it, they took turns to buy her food. Some of them would cook a share for Mrs Kumar. Now, Mrs Kumar never misses a meal anymore. She is indeed lucky to have such good neighbours!

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36.   Who does Mrs Kumar live with ?

_____

37.   How does Mrs Kumar spend her time ?

_____

38. Why is Mrs Kumar not able to leave her apartment?

_____

_____

39. What do you think may happen if Mrs Kumar goes out on her own ?

_____

_____

40. How did her neighbours show that they cared for her ? State one way.

_____

_____

End of Paper

(Have you checked your work?).

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1) 2

2) 4

3) 4

4) 2

5) 1

6) 1

7) 4

8) talk

9) talking

10) talked

11) talks

12) your

13) mine

14) she

15) They

16) 2

17) 3

18) 1

19) 4

20) 2

21) 3

22) 2

23) library

24) community centre

25) supermarket

27) sales assistants

28) cashier

29) receptionist

30) security guard

31) 1

32) 3

33) 4

34) 1

35) 2

36) Mrs Kumar lives with her son, Alan

37) She spends her time watching television and knitting sweaters for Alan.

38) Her legs are not strong.

39) She may fall.

40) They took turns to buy food for her.