

**Primary Two  
English Language  
Continual Assessment Two**

**SECTION A**

**Choose a suitable word from the box to fill in the blanks.  
Use each word only once. (5 x 1 mark)**

drop	settings	crafty	cruel	generous
plots	collapse	plan	idea	crooked

1. I always enjoy reading Enid Blyton's books on the "Famous Five". The way they go about solving the mysteries make the \_\_\_\_\_ very interesting.
2. The robber is able to avoid being caught by the police because he is as \_\_\_\_\_ as a fox.
3. The earthquake has caused many buildings to \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ king caused much suffering to the people.
5. "Would it be good \_\_\_\_\_ for John to buy the present?" Linda asked.

**SECTION B**

**Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.  
(5 x 1 mark)**

6. Susan was so \_\_\_\_\_ by the story that she cried.

- (1) moved                      (3) disgusted  
(2) confused                 (4) bored



12. The hero charged \_\_\_\_\_ the monster and killed it with his sword.

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| (1) onto | (3) to   |
| (2) at   | (4) into |

13. A \_\_\_\_\_ of students visited the Jurong Bird Park last week.

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| (1) team   | (3) group  |
| (2) troupe | (4) school |

14. Ahmad enjoyed the book because the stories in it \_\_\_\_\_ interesting.

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| (1) is  | (3) was  |
| (2) are | (4) were |

15. Of the twins, Alice is the \_\_\_\_\_ student.

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| (1) good   | (3) best      |
| (2) better | (4) excellent |

16. Anne's dog barked \_\_\_\_\_ at the noisy neighbours.

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| (1) fierce   | (3) more fiercely |
| (2) fiercely | (4) most fiercely |

17. Alan has been living in Bedok \_\_\_\_\_ six years.

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| (1) for   | (3) until |
| (2) since | (4) when  |

18. I waited for my sister in the library but I did not know \_\_\_\_\_ she would be there.

- (1) how
- (2) why

- (3) when
- (4) where

19. "Will \_\_\_\_\_ pass me the curry, please?" Mother asked the boys.

- (1) he
- (2) she

- (3) you
- (4) they

20. "Must Leela \_\_\_\_\_ the books immediately?" Ali asked.

- (1) return
- (2) returns

- (3) returned
- (4) returning

#### SECTION D

Fill in each blank with the most suitable word in the brackets.

(5 X 1 mark)

Once upon a time, in the land of the Red Indians, there was no rain for a long time. The rivers and lakes dried up and many people were dying of thirst. A small colourful snake saw (21)\_\_\_\_\_ ( how, what, why ) the people were suffering. It came out of (22)\_\_\_\_\_ ( its, it's, his ) hiding place and spoke to them.

"I'm a magic snake," it said. "Throw me into the sky and I will bring you rain!"

The old chief picked up the snake and threw it as (23)\_\_\_\_\_ ( high, higher, highest ) as he could into the sky. The snake began to grow longer and form a large arch in the sky. Soon, it started (24)\_\_\_\_\_ ( rain, rained, raining ). The red Indians believed that the snake or the rainbow would appear in the sky whenever there (25)\_\_\_\_\_ ( was, were, is ) rain.

**SECTION E**

The sentences in the box are in the wrong order. Write out the sentences next to the pictures so that they are in the correct order.

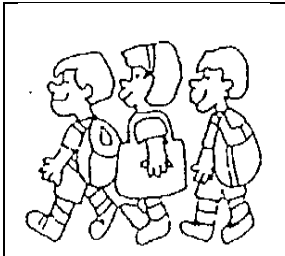
(5 X 1 mark)

A Happy Afternoon

1. Soon, they sat down to a delicious meal.
2. Her brother went cycling his friends in the park.
3. Mother was busy preparing lunch for them.
4. Mary and her brothers walked home from school.
5. Then, Mary went to play ball with her friends.

Picture 1

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Picture 2

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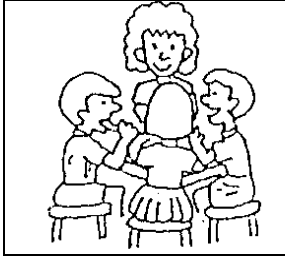


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Picture 3

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Picture 4

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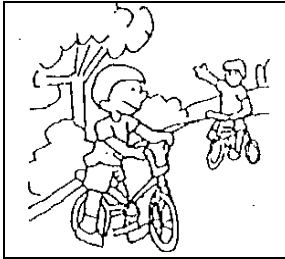


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Picture 5

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**SECTION G**

Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical mistake. A circle indicates a wrong or missing punctuation mark. Put the correct punctuation mark or word in each box. (5 X 1 mark)

Long ago, there was an emperor who had the loveliest palace in the world.

(31)

Every day, he take a walk in his huge garden.

One day, while the emperor was walking in his garden, he heard a

(32)

(33)

beatifull voice. He looked around and saw a nightingale sang on a tree.

(34)

“Wouldn’t it be nice to have a bird sing for me every night ,” he

wondered.

(35)

He ordered his servants to catch the nightingale and bring it at him.

## SECTION H

Fill in the blanks with most suitable words in the box. Use each word only once. (5 X 1 mark)

exclaim	timid	funny	evil	helplessly
hopelessly	scream	excited	shy	frightening

It was the weekend. Mei Mei was excited. She was going to watch a show with her friend, Patricia.

It was a (36)\_\_\_\_\_ show. It was about an (37)\_\_\_\_\_ monster which loved to eat animals. Each time the monster chased the helpless animals, Mei Mei would grab Patricia's arm and (38)\_\_\_\_\_. However, Patricia would just look at Mei Mei, shake her head and laugh at her friend for being so (39)\_\_\_\_\_

Mei Mei could only look at her friend (40)\_\_\_\_\_.

## SECTION I

Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions. Your answer must be based on the passage.

Not everyone lives in the kind of house that you do. In Singapore, the most common types of houses we see are high-rise flats and one to three-storey houses. However, in some parts of Malaysia, people live in longhouses. As many as one hundred families all live together under one roof. A longhouse has many rooms. It is like a small town in one building.

There is a long corridor which is shared by everyone who lives in a longhouse. At night, people sit here and chat with their neighbours. On one side of the corridor is a long row of doors. Beyond these are homes of different families in the longhouse.



Longhouses are a common sight in the Sarawak forests. One of these longhouses is known Long Rodan. It belongs to a headman called Cik Jawa. Fifteen families, including his, live and work together. Long Rodan is a very happy place. The mothers and fathers work on their farms around the longhouse. The children go to school in the morning and play all afternoon.

**Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.  
(4 x 1 mark)**

41. Longhouses can be found in \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) some kinds of houses
- (2) some parts of Malaysia
- (3) some parts of Singapore
- (4) small towns

42. A longhouse can have \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) only one family
- (2) two hundred families
- (3) about one hundred families
- (4) hundreds of families

43. A longhouse has \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) a corridor and rooms on both sides of the corridor
- (2) a corridor on one side and rooms on the other side
- (3) rooms on both sides
- (4) corridors on both sides

44. Which one of the following statements is true?

- (1) Fifteen families stay in Cik Jawa's longhouse
- (2) People in Malaysia live in longhouses.
- (3) There are a few longhouses in Sarawak.
- (4) All longhouses are called long Rodan

**Answer these questions. (3 x 2 marks)**

45. How do the people relax after a day's work?

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46. Why is a longhouse described as a small town?

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47. Which sentence in the passage tells you that people do not have to travel far from their homes to work?

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