



AI TONG SCHOOL  
2006

SEMESTRAL ASSESSMENT ONE  
PRIMARY 2  
ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2

DURATION : 1 hour 30 minutes

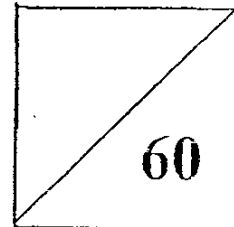
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INSTRUCTIONS

Do not open the booklet until you are told to do so.  
Follow all instructions.  
Answer all questions.

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

Marks :



Class : Primary \_\_\_\_\_

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

Date : \_\_\_\_\_

Section A : Vocabulary (10 x 1 mark)

Choose the most suitable word to complete each sentence. Write its number in the brackets provided.

1. Kelvin is wearing his new \_\_\_\_\_ for his swimming lesson.  
(1) pants (2) pyjamas  
(3) swimming trunks (4) swimming costume ( )
  
2. Si Min is helping her teacher to carry a stack of \_\_\_\_\_.  
(1) books (2) leaves  
(3) fruit (4) sand ( )
  
3. Jenny is buying a \_\_\_\_\_ of ice-cream.  
(1) bottle (2) pail  
(3) jar (4) tub ( )
  
4. Do not touch the \_\_\_\_\_. There is boiling water in it.  
(1) toaster (2) stove  
(3) kettle (4) iron ( )
  
5. Wei Wen was very \_\_\_\_\_ when he did not do well for his examinations.  
(1) disappointed (2) excited  
(3) cheerful (4) glad ( )

6. The witch cast a \_\_\_\_\_ on the prince.

(1) dream

(2) broom

(3) spell

(4) wish

( )

7. We felt so \_\_\_\_\_ after a long wait.

(1) energetic

(2) pleased

(3) tired

(4) lonely

( )

8. My mother is \_\_\_\_\_ with me because I ate too much potato chips.

(1) frightened

(2) happy

(3) nervous

(4) angry

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9. Yue Jun sent out ten \_\_\_\_\_ to his friends for his birthday party.

(1) recipes

(2) letters

(3) reports

(4) invitations

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10. As it was very dark at the beach, Daddy used a \_\_\_\_\_ to light up the place.

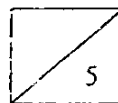
(1) joss stick

(2) spade

(3) kerosene lamp

(4) match stick

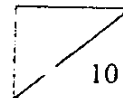
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Section B: Grammar (10 x 1 mark)

Underline the correct answer in the brackets.

11. ( Why , What , Where ) is the school bus so late today?
12. My sister ( buy , buys , bought ) a new handbag last weekend.
13. ( Do , Does , Did ) not go to the pool. It is very deep.
14. Please ( keep , keeps , kept ) quiet. I am trying to study for my examinations.
15. There is not ( much , many , more ) sugar left in the jar.
16. The children are happy. ( He , She , They ) are going to the Jurong Bird Park today.
17. Jane was ( in , between , onto ) the toilet when the telephone rang.
18. He can ( speak , speaks , spoke ) French very well.
19. ( They , Them , Their ) are going to the Disneyland in Hong Kong tomorrow.
20. ( What , When , Who ) is your favourite teacher ?



**Section C : Grammar (5 x 2 marks each)**

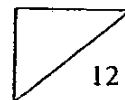
Read the sentences carefully. Fill in the blank with the correct form of the word in the brackets.

21. Mother \_\_\_\_\_ (cook) curry chicken for us yesterday.
22. This red pen is \_\_\_\_\_ (expensive) than the blue one.
23. Anne and Susan still \_\_\_\_\_ (has) their old diaries till now.
24. Mr Cheng \_\_\_\_\_ (teach) them last year.
25. My grandfather \_\_\_\_\_ (take) a nap every afternoon.

**Section D : Word Order (5 x 2 marks)**

Rearrange the words to form a correct sentence. Begin each sentence with a capital letter and end it with a full-stop or a question mark.

26. on the table      a basket      There is      of flowers
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_



27. Annie jumping is or running

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28. for a shirt Mrs Wong is buying her husband

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29. the This a prince is about story adventures of

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30. gratetul to Mr Ong am I his help for  
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**Section E : Grammar Close (5 x 1 mark)**

Read the passage carefully and fill in the blanks with the most suitable word in the box.

a	on	an	of
next	at	from	down

Kenny, a ten-year-old-boy, loves to look up at the stars twinkling in the night sky. He wants to be an astronaut when he grows up. Every night, he will sit \_\_\_\_\_ to the window and dream about being an astronaut.  
(31)

He wants to step \_\_\_\_\_ the moon someday. One day, he told his mother that his dream would be to pluck a star \_\_\_\_\_ for her .  
(32) (33)

One starry night, Kenny was looking \_\_\_\_\_ the sky. Suddenly, he saw a star falling \_\_\_\_\_ the sky. It was a shooting star! He quickly made a wish. He wished that his dream to be an astronaut would come true.  
(34) (35)

**Section F : Close Passage (5 x 1 mark)**

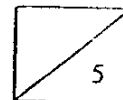
Fill in the blanks with the correct word.

The sky was getting dark outside. Lynn had just returned from school. Her grandmother had just called her and told her that she might be home \_\_\_\_\_  
(36)

Soon, claps of thunder could be heard and \_\_\_\_\_  
(37)  
started to fall from the sky. Lynn wished that her grandmother was at home with her.

Suddenly, lightning flashed across the sky. The lights in the house went out. Lynn was \_\_\_\_\_ . Tears rolled down her \_\_\_\_\_  
(38) (39)  
and she began to cry.

Just then, she heard the door bell \_\_\_\_\_ . She quickly wiped  
(40)  
off her tears and ran to the door.





Section G : Comprehension (5 x 2 marks)

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions in complete sentences.

Once upon a time, there lived a little girl. Her family was very poor. They did not have enough food to eat so the little girl had to help.

One cold winter night, she went out to sell matches. "Please buy a box of matches from me," she called out to the people in the streets. However, no one bought any from her as everyone was too busy to notice her.

She was very sad. She was shivering too. The cold wind was blowing strongly. She lit a match to keep herself warm... ..

41. What kind of family did the little girl come from?

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42. What did the little girl do to help her family?

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43. Why was she unable to sell any matches?

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44. Which word in the passage tells you that she felt cold?

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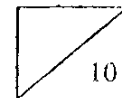
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45. How did she keep herself warm?

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\*\*\* The End\*\*\*  
Have you checked your work?



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Answer Sheets

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5
3	1	4	3	1
Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
3	3	4	4	3
Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15
why	bought	Do	keep	much
Q16	Q17	Q18	Q19	Q20
They	in	speak	They	Who

Q21	Q22	Q23	Q24	Q25
cooked	more expensive	have	taught	takes
Q31	Q32	Q33	Q34	Q35
next	on	down	at	from
Q36	Q37	Q38	Q39	Q40
later	rain	afraid	cheeks	ring

26. There is a basket of flowers on the table.
27. Is Annie running or jumping?
28. Mrs Wong is buying a shirt for her husband.
29. This story is about the adventures of a prince.
30. I am very grateful to Mrs Ong for his help.
  
41. The little girl came from a poor family.
42. The little girl helped her family to sell matches.
43. It was because everyone was too busy to notice her.
44. The word is "shivering"
45. She lit a match to keep herself warm.