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RED SWASTIKA SCHOOL
MID-YEAR EXAMINATION 2005
ENGLISH LANGUAGE

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Section A: Vocabulary

Part 1: Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided. (10 marks)

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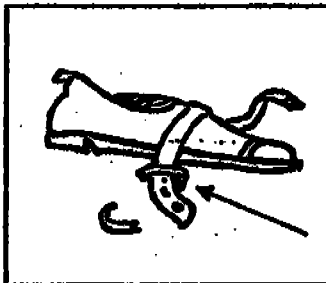


Peter's grandfather has an old _____ in his storeroom.

- (1) radio
- (2) drum set
- (3) gramophone
- (4) record

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My sister cannot wear her shoes because the _____ is spoilt.

- (1) strap
- (2) buckle
- (3) sole
- (4) heel

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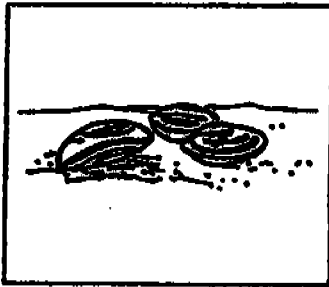


There is a fierce _____
living in the forest.

- (1) ogre
- (2) giant
- (3) fairy
- (4) dragon

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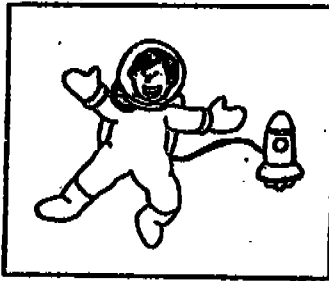


Weiming picked up some _____
at the beach.

- (1) corals
- (2) crabs
- (3) mussels
- (4) sea urchins

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I wish to be a/an _____ as
I can travel up to space.

- (1) diver
- (2) sailor
- (3) acrobat
- (4) astronaut

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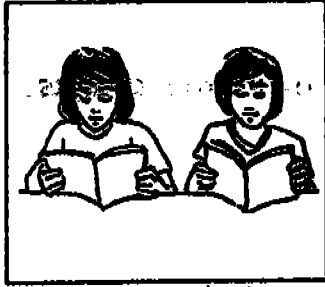


Siti is a _____ girl. She
wakes up early to sweep the floor
every day.

- (1) gentle
- (2) kind
- (3) hardworking
- (4) poor

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The girls are reading _____ in the library.

- (1) loudly
- (2) quietly
- (3) noisily
- (4) soundly

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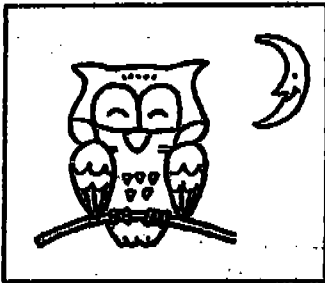


Mother bought a _____ of toothpaste from the provision shop.

- (1) bottle
- (2) jar
- (3) tube
- (4) bar

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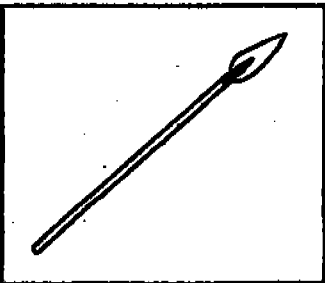


The owl _____ in the forest at night.

- (1) chirps
- (2) quacks
- (3) hoots
- (4) crows

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10.



The man used a/an _____ to fight his enemies.

- (1) spear
- (2) knife
- (3) axe
- (4) sword

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Section A: Part 2

**Choose the answer from the box and fill in the blanks.
(5 marks)**



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|--------|---------|------------|---------|--------------|
| loose | nervous | list | insects | jersey |
| letter | birds | nightdress | tight | disappointed |



11. Mohan received a _____ from his pen pal yesterday.
12. Butterflies and bees are _____.
13. Susie puts on her _____ before going to bed.
14. Ahmad always feels _____ whenever he is told to stand in front of the class to tell a story.
15. This shirt is too _____, I need a bigger one.

Section A: Part 3


Look at the pictures carefully and fill in each blank with a suitable word. (5 marks)

Long ago, there lived a beautiful girl named Angel. Angel's father was so afraid of losing her that he locked her up in a

(16)  . For years, Angel missed the sweet smell of the (17)  and the warmth of the sun. For a long time, no one saw her.

One day, a handsome young (18)  happened to pass by. Suddenly, a (19) 

leapt out of the pond and told him the sad story of Angel.

That night, he took a rope and set Angel free. He took her back to his (20)  and they got married and lived happily ever after.

Section B: Grammar

Part 1: Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided. (10 marks)

21. Both of them _____ their dinner an hour ago.

- (1) has (2) have
(3) had (4) having ()

22. Does this bus _____ to Tampines?

- (1) go (2) goes
(3) went (4) going ()

23. The performers _____ colourful costumes when they danced at the concert.

- (1) wear (2) wears
(3) wore (4) wearing ()

24. Miss Gopal scooped the soup _____ a ladle.

- (1) by (2) with
(3) at (4) on ()

25. The baby cried loudly _____ he was hungry.

- (1) so (2) but
(3) and (4) because ()

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26. Mr and Mrs Rahman will _____ Ali and Minah to Disneyland if they do well in their examinations.

- (1) take (2) takes
(3) took (4) taking ()

27. Have you seen Tim and Sally? I cannot find _____.

- (1) him (2) her
(3) us (4) them ()

28. The children _____ walking to school now.

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

29. Suling : _____ is your sister going to the party with?

Jane : Her best friend, Mary.

- (1) Whom (2) What
(3) When (4) Where ()

30. "You are the _____ pupil I have ever seen," said Mr Lee.

- (1) lazy (2) lazier
(3) laziest (4) most lazy ()

Section B: Part 2

Circle the correct answer. (5 marks)

Jason and Mingfa had an interesting adventure. They went camping on 31. (a , an , the) island. They went to the island by boat. 32. (What , When , Where ,) they were in the middle of the sea, strong winds started to 33. (blow , blew , blowing). The big strong waves tossed and overturned their boat. They screamed 34. (for , of with) help. Luckily, a marine police in a motorboat 35. (spot , spotted , spotting) them. They were glad that they were saved.

Section B: Part 3

Fill in each circle with the correct punctuation. The underlined words are not punctuated correctly. Write its correct form in the box given. (5 marks)

One day, June was ill. She had to go to the hospital and stay there for a few days.

"Hello, June! How are you feeling today (36) " the

nurse smiled and asked (37) She took June's temperature

and gave her some medicine.

Later in the afternoon (38) Roy and Weiwei came to

visit June. They talked and played games together. Then, Roy

and Weiwei had to leave. June felt a bit sad but Roy said,

(39)

"your mum will be here to see you later. (40) After a few

days, June felt much better. She was discharged from the

hospital.

Section C: Word Order

**Rearrange the words to form a sentence or a question.
Begin each sentence with a capital letter and end it with a
full-stop or question mark. (5 marks)**

41. the bookshop to Sam are going I and

42. at home must matches We play with not

43. basket Please me the carry help

44. died felt Devi when very puppy her sad

45. any Has come your wishes of ever true

Section E: Comprehension

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow. (10 marks)

It was the first day of school. Tom and Jerry finished their lunch at the usual time. They took their school bags and left the house. They had to wait at the car park for the school bus to come.

After half an hour of waiting, Tom became impatient. They would be late for school if the bus did not come. They did not want to be late for school, especially on the first day.

Just then, their classmate, Ravi, came cycling by. They were very surprised. Ravi was not wearing his school uniform and he did not carry his bag. He stopped in front of the two brothers.

"Where are you going?" he asked.

"To school, of course!" replied Jerry.

"Why aren't you in uniform?" asked Tom.

"Today is a school holiday! Don't you remember?" Ravi asked in surprise.

The two brothers looked at each other and laughed.

Section D: Cloze Passage

Fill in each blank with a suitable word. (5 marks)

Once, there was a wicked witch. She caught small animals and used them for her (46) _____ spells. All the animals were (47) _____ of her. They hid themselves whenever they saw her.

One day, the animals (48) _____ a meeting. They decided to get (49) _____ of the witch. They asked a kind wizard for help. He agreed to (50) _____ the witch a lesson by turning her into an ugly toad. From then on, the animals lived in peace.

51. Where did the brothers wait for the school bus?

52. Why did Tom become impatient?

53. What was Ravi doing when Tom and Jerry saw him?

54. Why was Ravi not in his uniform?

55. Which word in paragraph 1 has the same meaning as "normal"?

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| 1) 3 | 28) 2 |
| 2) 2 | 29) 1 |
| 3) 4 | 30) 3 |
| 4) 3 | 31) an |
| 5) 4 | 32) when |
| 6) 3 | 33) blow |
| 7) 2 | 34) for |
| 8) 3 | 35) spotted |
| 9) 3 | 36) ? |
| 10) 1 | 37) . |
| 11) letter | 38) , |
| 12) insects | 39) Your |
| 13) nightdress | 40) " |
| 14) nervous | 41) Sam and I are going to the book shop. |
| 15) tight | 42) We must not play with matches at home. |
| 16) tower | 43) Please help me carry the basket. |
| 17) flowers | 44) Devi felt very sad when her puppy died. |
| 18) prince | 45) Has any of your wishes every come true? |
| 19) frog | 46) evil 47) afraid 48) held 49) rid |
| 20) castle | 50) teach |
| 21) 3 | 51) They waited at the carpark for the school bus. |
| 22) 1 | 52) He would be late for school if the bus did not come. |
| 23) 3 | 53) Ravi wasy cycling when Tom and Jerry saw him. |
| 24) 2 | 54) It was a holiday. |
| 25) 4 | 55) The word is "usual". |
| 26) 1 | |
| 27) 4 | |