



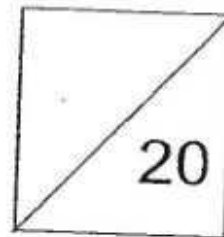
CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
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PRIMARY ONE
ENGLISH LANGUAGE

LISTENING COMPREHENSION

Name: _____ ()

Class: Primary One _____

Date: 26 September 2008



INSTRUCTIONS:

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Follow all instructions carefully.

Answer all the questions.

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Section A: Phonics (5 Marks)

Listen carefully to your teacher and circle the correct letter.

Example: A (B) C

1. A B C

2. A B C

3. A B C

Example: A B C

4. A B C





5. A B C

Section A Marks	/5
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Section B: Picture Matching (5 Marks)

Look at the pictures carefully. Listen to your teacher and tick the correct box.

Example:

			
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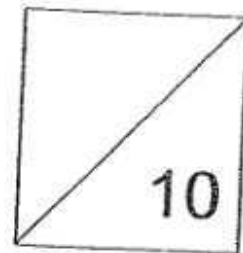
COMPOSITION

Name: _____ ()

Class: Primary One _____

Date: 3 October 2008

Time: 30 minutes



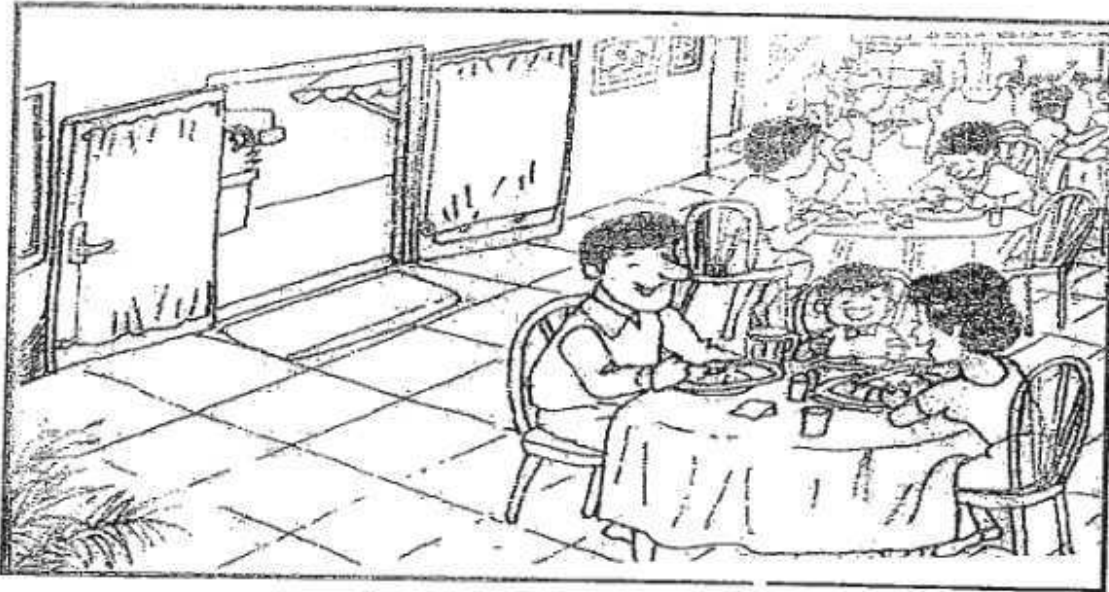
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Look at the picture below. Complete the story with at least 8 sentences. You may use the helping words given in the boxes.

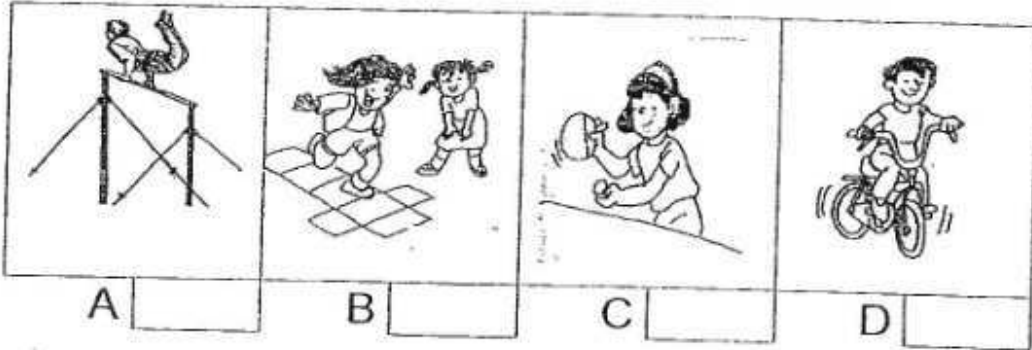
At the restaurant



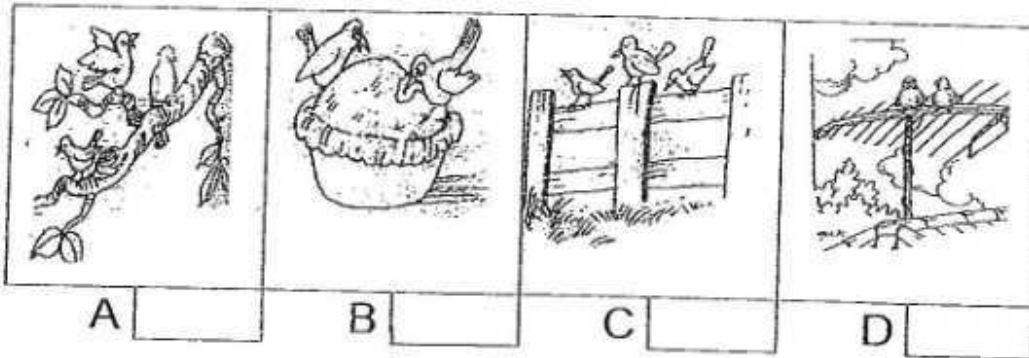
eating	people	chose	delicious
forks and spoons	crowded	menu	waiter

Last Saturday, my family and I went _____

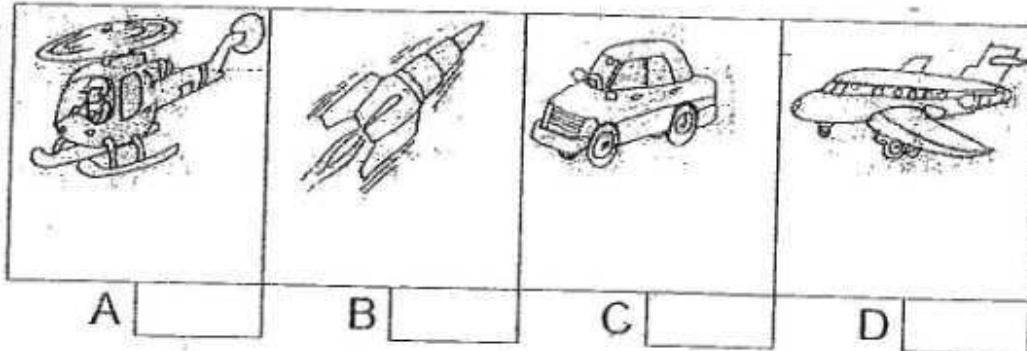
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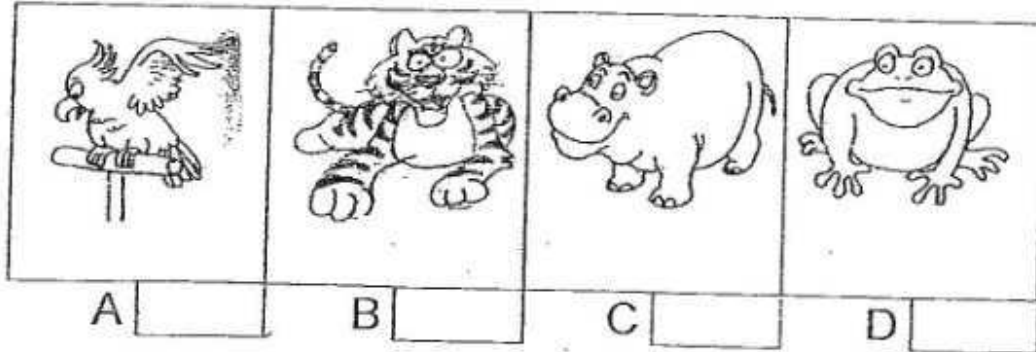
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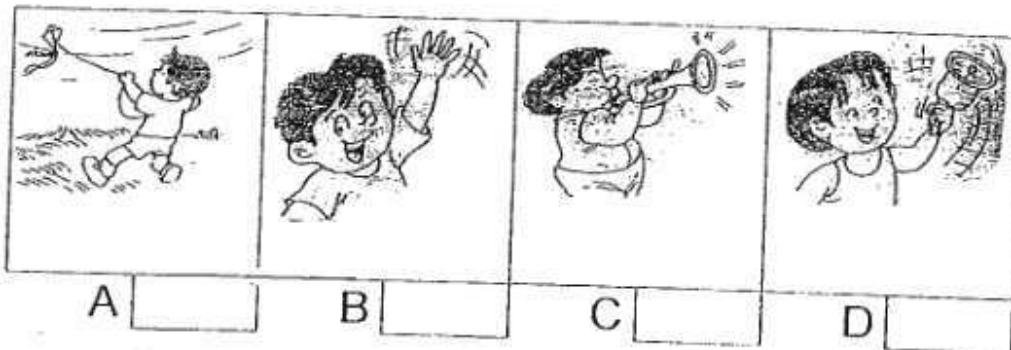
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9.



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Section B Marks	/5
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Section C: Spelling (10 Marks)

Listen carefully to your teacher. Write the correct word in the blanks provided.

11. I saw a flash of _____ just now.
12. My friend is standing _____ my brother.
13. My parents put their groceries in the _____.
14. _____ like carrots and peas keep us healthy.
15. My friends and I like _____.
16. I _____ to the beach last Sunday.
17. Please bring an umbrella as it is a _____ day.
18. I love the decorations on the _____ tree.
19. Yesterday, we had chicken for _____.
20. Last _____, we went to Japan for a holiday.

Section C Marks	/10
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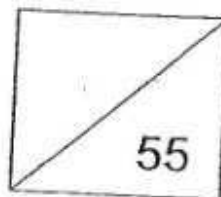
PAPER 2

Name: _____ ()

Class: Primary One _____

**50 QUESTIONS
(55 MARKS)**

TOTAL TIME FOR BOOKLET: 1 HOUR



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Section A: Vocabulary – Part 1 (5 marks)

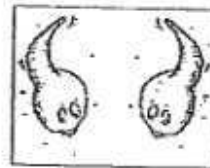
Look at the pictures carefully. Fill in each blank with the most suitable word from the box. Use each word once only.

bicycle	butcher	caterpillars	drawer	dress
fishmonger	skirt	tadpoles	trishaw	wardrobe

1. Mr. Yap sells meat in the market. He is a



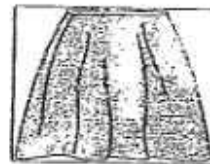
2. The eggs of the frog will hatch into baby



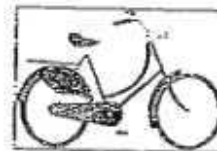
3. We hang our clothes in a _____



4. I received a _____ for my birthday.



5. Uncle Loh rides on a _____



Section B: Vocabulary – Part 2 (10 marks)

Read the sentences carefully. Choose the most suitable answer. Write its number in the brackets provided. Do not fill in the blanks.

6. Tom is very _____. He has donated all his savings to the Straits Times Pocket Money Fund.
(1) stingy
(2) generous
(3) humorous
(4) responsible ()
7. My sister followed the _____ in the cookbook and made a chocolate cake.
(1) menu
(2) recipe
(3) advertisement
(4) announcement ()
8. Weiming's voice is as loud as _____. I can hear him from the classroom on the fifth floor.
(1) rain
(2) storm
(3) thunder
(4) lightning ()
9. My baby sister was frightened by the lion's _____.
(1) roar
(2) hiss
(3) moo
(4) growl ()
10. The dog gave birth to a _____ last week.
(1) foal
(2) calf
(3) cub
(4) puppy ()

11. Doctor Ng used a _____ to measure my temperature.
(1) bandage
(2) torchlight
(3) stethoscope
(4) thermometer ()
12. Please get a/an _____ to repair the leaking pipe.
(1) plumber
(2) engineer
(3) mechanic
(4) electrician ()
13. I drink a _____ of milk every morning.
(1) tub
(2) cup
(3) flask
(4) plate ()
14. I was _____ to learn that Father is buying me a present to reward me for my good results.
(1) excited
(2) irritated
(3) depressed
(4) disappointed ()
15. My parents took me to the _____ to watch a football match.
(1) circus
(2) theatre
(3) cinema
(4) stadium ()

Section C: Grammar – Part 1 (10 marks)

Read each sentence carefully. Choose the most suitable answer. Write its number in the brackets provided. Do not fill in the blanks.

16. _____ are you going to New Zealand?
(1) Who
(2) What
(3) When
(4) Where ()
17. Daniel is _____ than his twin brother.
(1) tall
(2) taller
(3) tallest
(4) as tall as ()
18. "Did the cat _____ the tree just now?" Ali asked.
(1) climb
(2) climbs
(3) climbed
(4) climbing ()
19. Suling and Suying organised the party by _____.
(1) herself
(2) ourselves
(3) yourselves
(4) themselves ()
20. Everyone _____ busy preparing for the competition now.
(1) is
(2) are
(3) was
(4) were ()

21. " _____ bags belong to my friends," said Michael as he pointed to the bags beside him.
- (1) This
 - (2) That
 - (3) Those
 - (4) These
- ()
22. Muthu _____ to the Bird Park for his learning journey tomorrow.
- (1) go
 - (2) goes
 - (3) is going
 - (4) was going
- ()
23. We must remember to wash _____ hands before we eat.
- (1) its
 - (2) my
 - (3) our
 - (4) your
- ()
24. Collin has no idea how to fill _____ this application form.
- (1) in
 - (2) on
 - (3) into
 - (4) onto
- ()
25. James can _____ the saxophone very well.
- (1) play
 - (2) plays
 - (3) played
 - (4) playing
- ()

Section D: Grammar – Part 2 (5 marks)

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the words in the brackets.

26. Do you have a _____ (cheap) soccer ball than this one?
27. My elder sister always _____ (drink) a glass of water every morning.
28. My family and I _____ (visit) our grandparents last evening.
29. The brothers _____ (has) to perform at the Victoria Concert Hall next week.
30. Jack and Ken _____ (wait) for me in the canteen now.

Section E: Grammar – Part 3 (5 marks)

Read each sentence carefully. Choose the most suitable answer from the box below and write it in the blank provided. Use each word once only.

against	between	on	through	under
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31. Jasper put an egg _____ two slices of bread to make a sandwich.
32. The frightened kitten was hiding _____ the table.
33. A housefly flew into the kitchen _____ that window.
34. My mother put my school uniform _____ the bed after ironing it.
35. The boy who is leaning _____ the wall is my brother.

Section F: Comprehension Cloze (5 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Fill in each blank with the most suitable word from the box below. Use each word once only.

bag	chain	clock	pouch	sandals
shoes	shoelaces	shorts	trousers	watch

My father and I went jogging last evening. First, we changed into our T-shirt and (36) _____. Then, my father went to the kitchen and filled up two small bottles of water. I took a bottle from him and put it into my waist (37) _____.

After that, we put on our socks and running (38) _____. I looked at my father after I tied my (39) _____ and told him I was ready. We then walked to the park near our house.

Before we started our jog, we did some stretching. Finally, my father glanced at his (40) _____ to check the time and shouted, "Ready, get set, go!" We hoped to complete three rounds in fifteen minutes.

Section G: Comprehension MCQ (5 marks)

Read the following message carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Dear Aunt Sally,

Your travel agent, Mr. Tan, called. He told me to write down this message for you.

- ◆ Your flight for Japan is confirmed for next Friday, 15 November, at 11.30 p.m.
- ◆ Please collect your air ticket from Peter tomorrow at 9.30 a.m.
- ◆ You need to be at Changi Airport Terminal 2 at 8.30 p.m. to check in your luggage.
- ◆ You will arrive in Japan the following day at 6.30 a.m.
- ◆ The hotel that you will be staying at is Hyatt Regency Hotel.
- ◆ A hotel shuttle bus will pick you up at Narita Airport to take you to the hotel.

Love,

Jess

For each question, choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets provided. Do not fill in the blanks.

41. The message was written for _____
(1) Jess
(2) Peter
(3) Mr. Tan
(4) Aunt Sally ()
42. Aunt Sally's flight will depart from Changi Airport at _____
(1) 6.30 a.m.
(2) 8.30 p.m.
(3) 9.30 a.m.
(4) 11.30 p.m. ()
43. Aunt Sally will check in her luggage at Changi Airport _____
(1) Terminal 1
(2) Terminal 2
(3) Terminal 3
(4) Budget Terminal ()
44. Aunt Sally will arrive in Japan on _____
(1) Thursday
(2) Friday
(3) Saturday
(4) Sunday ()
45. Which one of the following sentences is true?
~~(X)~~ Aunt Sally will take a taxi to the hotel.
~~(X)~~ Aunt Sally will take a train to the hotel.
~~(X)~~ Aunt Sally will take an airport bus to the hotel.
~~(X)~~ Aunt Sally will take the hotel shuttle bus to the hotel. ()

Section H: Comprehension Open-ended (10 marks)

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

Dear Justin,

How are you in America? Hope you are enjoying school as much as I do! We are going to celebrate the Mooncake Festival soon.

The Chinese celebrate the Mooncake Festival annually. This festival is also known as the Mid-Autumn Festival.

There is a full moon on the day of the Mooncake Festival. The Chinese believe that the full round moon on that day represents a time for family members to come together and celebrate.

Food is an important part of the celebration. During the Mooncake Festival, some people make mooncakes. They are made with sugar, lotus seeds, egg yolks and other delicious ingredients. They come in different shapes and sizes too. We can also buy mooncakes easily from the supermarkets or bakeries.

My siblings and I love eating mooncakes and drinking Chinese tea during the Mooncake Festival. How about you? I hope to hear from you soon.

Love,
Ben

Answer the questions in complete sentences.

46. Who is the writer of the letter?

The writer is _____

47. What is another name for Mooncake Festival?

It is _____

48. What does the full moon represent?

It represents _____

49. Which word in paragraph 2 has the same meaning as "yearly"?

50. How do you know that all mooncakes do not look the same?

End of Paper





ANSWER SHEET

EXAM PAPER 2008

SCHOOL : CATHOLIC HIGH PRIMARY SCHOOL
SUBJECT : PRIMARY 1 ENGLISH

TERM : SA 2

- 1)butcher 2)tadpoles 3)wardrobe 4)skirt 5)bicycle
6)2 7)2 8)3 9)1 10)4 11)4 12)1 13)2
14)1 15)4 16)3 17)2 18)1 19)4 20)1 21)4
22)3 23)3 24)1 25)1 26)cheaper 27)drinks
28)visited 29)have 30)are waiting 31)between
32)under 33)through 34)on 35)against 36)shorts
37)pouch 38)shoes 39)shoelaces 40)watch 41)4
42)4 43)2 44)3 45)4
46)The writer is Ben.
47)It is Mid-Autumn Festival.
48)It represents a time for family members to come together and celebrate.
49)The word is "annually."
50)They come in different shapes and size.