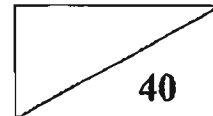


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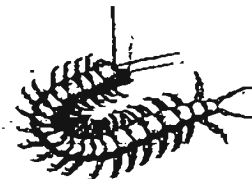
Time : 1 hour

For Sections A and B, choose the most suitable answer and write its number (1, 2 or 3) in the brackets () provided.

Section A : Vocabulary (5 x 1 mark)

1. The centipede _____ into the earth to lay its eggs.

- (1) digs
- (2) flies
- (3) picks



()

2. The _____ worm frightened the little girl and she started crying.

(1) swaying

(2) waddling

(3) wriggling ()

3. Bats and owls are known as _____ of the night.

(1) insects

(2) chickens

(3) creatures ()

4. Grandmother went to the clinic to get some _____ for her cough.

(1) curry

(2) honey

(3) medicine ()

5. The _____ flutters from flower to flower looking for nectar.

(1) beetle

(2) butterfly

(3) mosquito ()

Section B : Grammar (5 x 1 mark)

6. Ruimin received a sticker _____ her teacher for handing in neat work.
- (1) to
(2) at
(3) from ()
7. "Argh!" Mother _____ at the sight of the cockroach that flew into her kitchen.
- (1) scream
(2) screamed ()
(3) is screaming
8. A butterfly has to push _____ way out of the shell by itself.
- (1) it
(2) its ()
(3) their
9. Shanti opened the door and _____ surprised to see a present on the floor.
- (1) is
(2) are ()
(3) was

10. This curry tastes _____ than the chicken rice.

(1) best

(2) good

(3) better ()

Section C : Vocabulary Cloze (5 x 1 mark)

Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box given below.

Use each word ONCE only.

delicious	flies	flowers	friend
leaves	hungrily	terrible	wiggles

Little Caterpillar lives on a big tree. Every morning,

he (11) _____ his way across a big, green leaf.

He chews (12) _____ on the big leaf. He always

says, "Yum! This is (13) _____."

He sees many (14) _____ blooming.

They are full of sweet nectar. He looks up and sees

Lady Butterfly. He waves and says hello to his dear

(15) _____. He hopes to become a beautiful

butterfly soon.

Section D : Grammar Cloze (5 x 1 mark)

Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box given below.

Use each word ONCE only.

at	is	from	have
she	with	was	you

“Where’s Snowy?” asked Father. The Tan family
(16) _____ about to have dinner when they realised
that Snowy, their pet cat, was missing.

Snowy had been staying (17) _____ the Tan
family since she was a kitten. Whenever the family had dinner,
(18) _____ would also have hers.

“Meow!” Snowy appeared from under the table and smiled
(19) _____ them. “There (20) _____
are!” said Father. He cuddled Snowy gently.

Section E : Editing (5 x 1 mark)

Read the sentences below. Wrong or missing punctuation marks are circled and grammatical mistakes are underlined. An apostrophe is indicated by 's or s'. Put the correct punctuation mark or word in the boxes provided.

21. "Hurray () Let's go to the beach," shouted Xunming excitedly.

22. "If we don't hurry, we'll be late for Rina (s) party," reminded Siti to her brother.

23. Kumar loves reading books by (r) oald Dahl.

24. There are many butterfly fluttering around the flowers.

25. Zaki was not hungry as he eat a lot at lunch just now.

Section F : Graphic Stimulus (5 x 1 mark)

Study the following text and then answer questions 26 to 30.



Do you grow orchids at home?
Here is a workshop that will share with you
how to care for your orchids.

Venue: Singapore Orchid Farm

Date: 2 March 2011

Time: 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Workshop Programmes:

- The Right Fertilizer
- Choosing an Orchid
- Design Your Own Orchid Garden

Each participant will get to bring home a mini orchid plant!

Register by 28th February 2011.
Call Mr Toh at 63451111 to register now!

Refer to the text shown on page 8 and answer the following questions.

26. What is the name of the workshop as shown in the text?

It is the _____.

27. When will the workshop be held?

It will be held on _____.

28. Name any two programmes at the workshop.

They are _____ and

_____.

29. What can each participant get at the end of the workshop?

They can get a _____.

30. Who should you call if you want to register for the workshop?

I should call _____.

Section G : Comprehension (5 x 2 marks)

Read the passage carefully and answer questions 31 to 35.

Did you know that Singapore is known as a Food Paradise?

There is plenty of food to eat. Often, one is spoilt for choice.

There are many different types of food. Sometimes, we just do not know what to eat.

One of Singaporeans' favourite food is the chicken rice. It is served with steaming hot rice, a bowl of soup, lettuce and slices of roasted chicken. This dish may look simple but it is savoury. For a healthier choice, you can choose skinless or even steamed chicken.

Singaporeans enjoy eating. They feel that eating brings people together. That is why Singapore is known as a Food Paradise.

For questions 31 to 32, choose the most suitable answer and write its number (1, 2 or 3) in the brackets () provided.

31. The phrase "Food Paradise" refers to _____
_____.

- (1) a place where you cannot choose food
- (2) a place where you have few food choices
- (3) a place where you have many food choices ()

32. According to the passage, how is chicken rice served?

It is served with _____.

- (1) rice, soup and lettuce only
- (2) rice, lettuce and roasted chicken only
- (3) rice, soup, lettuce and roasted chicken only ()

For questions 33 to 35, answer them in complete sentences.

33. Which word in the passage has the same meaning as “tasty”?

34. Give two ways to prepare chicken rice as a healthier dish.

I can prepare the dish using _____

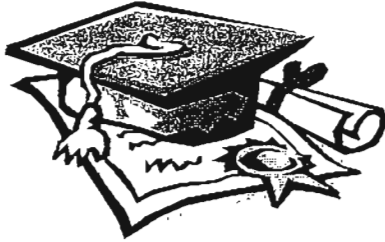
or _____ chicken.

35. Why do you think Singaporeans love to eat?

End of Paper

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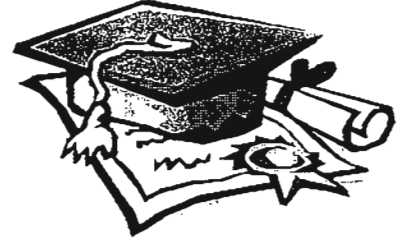


ANSWER SHEET

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Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
1	3	3	3	2	3	2	2	3	3

11)wriggles 12)hungrily 13)delicious 14)flowers 15)friend

16)was 17)with 18)she 19)at 20)you 21)!

22)Rina's 23)Roald 24)butterflies 25)ate

26)It is the Orchid Appreciation Workshop.

27)It will be held on 2 March 2011.

28)They are Choosing Orchid and The Right Fertilizer.

29)They can get a mini orchid plant.

30)I should call Mr Toh.

31)3 32)3

33)The word is "savory".

34)I can prepare the dish using skinless or steamed chicken.

35)Eating bring people together.