



RED SWASTIKA SCHOOL

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**CONTINUAL ASSESSMENT 2008**  
**English Language**

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

Class : Primary 2/ \_\_\_\_\_

Date : 18 August 2008

Duration : 1h

Note:

1. Do not open this Booklet until you are told to do so.
2. Read the instructions for each section carefully.
3. Do not waste time. If a question is too difficult for you, go on to the next one.
4. Check your answers thoroughly and make sure you attempt every question.

45 Questions

50 marks

**MARKS**

	OBTAINED	POSSIBLE
TOTAL		50

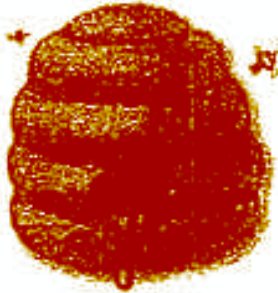



Parent's Signature : \_\_\_\_\_

Section A: Vocabulary (10 marks)

Choose the correct answer from the box and write the answer under the picture.

EACH WORD CAN BE USED ONLY ONCE

eagle	hamster	owl
guitar	shovel	hive
horse	squirrel	donkey
shell	branch	rose

1.  _____	2.  _____
3.  _____	4.  _____

eagle	hamster	owl
guitar	shovel	hive
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\_\_\_\_\_

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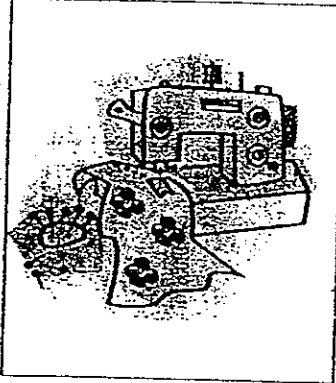


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Section B: Vocabulary (5 marks)

Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

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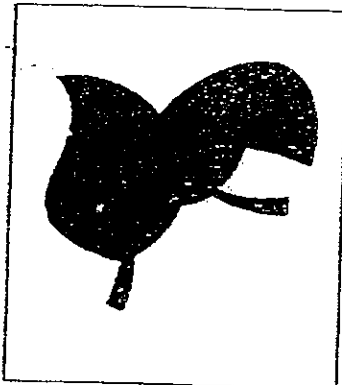
My grandaunt has a

\_\_\_\_\_ in her house.

- (1) computer
- (2) refrigerator
- (3) washing machine
- (4) sewing machine

( )

12.



Plants have many green

\_\_\_\_\_

- (1) fruits
- (2) flowers
- (3) leaves
- (4) roots

( )

13.



We look for a \_\_\_\_\_  
when we want to know what our  
future holds.

- (1) dress maker
- (2) fortune teller
- (3) storyteller
- (4) samsui woman

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14. I have a \_\_\_\_\_ in my living room.



- (1) gramophone
- (2) television
- (3) kerosene lamp
- (4) grandfather clock ( )

15. We need \_\_\_\_\_ when we play badminton.



- (1) bats
- (2) sticks
- (3) wands
- (4) rackets ( )

Section C: Grammar (10 marks)

Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

16. Ryan and Chester can tie their shoelaces by \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) himself
- (2) ourselves
- (3) herself
- (4) themselves ( )

17. Mother: \_\_\_\_\_ were you talking to just now?  
Samuel: I was talking to Jonathan.

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

18. James and his friends \_\_\_\_\_ along the beach yesterday.

- (1) cycle (2) cycles  
(3) cycled (4) cycling ( )

19. Mary was a naughty girl when she was young. She always bullied her baby sister and \_\_\_\_\_ her cry.

- (1) make (2) makes  
(3) made (4) making ( )

20. Sarah: The soup is too salty! \_\_\_\_\_ did you put into it?  
Jaime: I think I put in too much salt.

- (1) Who (2) What  
(3) When (4) Why ( )

21. These dolls are Susan's. They belong to \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) she (2) her  
(3) he (4) him ( )

22. \_\_\_\_\_ white mice over here belong to Thomas.

- (1) This (2) These  
(3) That (4) Those ( )

23. National Day falls \_\_\_\_\_ 9<sup>th</sup> August every year.

(1) on

(2) at

(3) in

(4) with

( )

24. Arthur! \_\_\_\_\_ away from that rat!

(1) Stay

(2) Stand

(3) Sit

(4) Squat

( )

25. Julia's rose is \_\_\_\_\_ than the one Jasmine is holding.

(1) as dark as

(2) dark

(3) darker

(4) darkest

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Section D: Vocabulary Cloze (5 marks)

Fill in the blanks with the helping words in the box.

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blue	dark	coop	rake
eyrie	spade	candle	dance

26. An eagle lives in a/an \_\_\_\_\_.
27. Mr Singh uses a \_\_\_\_\_ to clear the leaves in his garden.
28. The sky is so \_\_\_\_\_ Today. It is a good day to go for a swim.
29. When he was young, Grandfather had to light a \_\_\_\_\_ to see in the dark.
30. Maria loves to sing and \_\_\_\_\_.



Section E: Grammar Cloze (5 marks)

Circle the correct answer in the brackets.

Henry and his father, Mr Brown, were fishing at sea. Mr

Brown ~~had~~ 31. ( rent , rents , rented ) a boat for the day.

They were having a good time.

Without warning, the calm sea became rough. Mr Brown tried

~~to~~ 32. ( steer , steers , steering ) the boat from the huge

waves while Henry pulled in the fishing lines. A huge wave turned the

boat over. Henry and his father 33. ( is , are , were )

thrown into the sea. Their boat was destroyed.

The two hung onto a large piece of their broken boat and to

each other. ~~Henry~~ 34. ( is , am , was ) afraid. He held on

35. ( tightly , tighter , tight ) to his ~~father~~. Just then,

Mr Brown gave a shout. Another boat was sailing towards them. They

were saved!

Section F: Word Order (5 marks)

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 a question mark.

36. some sunflowers her red roses garden Sally and  
has in

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37. us as the dresses Grandmother she showed  
a that wore little girl

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38. you National Museum visited Have ever the

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39. a earthworm underground lives The hole in

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40. a rainbow There seven colours are in

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Section G: Comprehension (10 marks)

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions correctly.

The tarsier is a small animal. It has a body of about twelve centimetres long and a tail that is twenty centimetres long. It weighs only about one hundred and twenty grams. ~~It eats small lizards, fish and insects.~~ It looks for food at night. During the day, it sleeps in a high tree, safe from enemies.

The tarsier looks very ~~weird~~. It is grey in colour and has big brown eyes which help it to see in the dark. Its eyes are bigger than its brain. Its feet are almost as long as its body. It can jump almost three metres from one tree to another. It also has long fingers, which look like human fingers.

Tarsiers live only in Indonesia and the Philippines. People there call it "hantu", which means ghost. What an interesting animal!



What are the two things a tarsier eats?

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How does the tarsier keep itself safe from its enemies during the day?

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43. Which part of the tarsier's body is the longest?

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44. In which countries can a tarsier be found?

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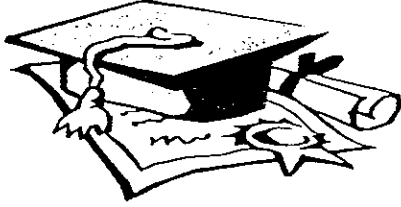
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Which word in paragraph 2 has the same meaning as "strange"?

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# ANSWER SHEET

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- 1)hive    2)shell    3)eagle    4)squirrel    5)rose    6)guitar
- 7)owl    8)shovel    9)branch    10)horse    11)4    12)3
- 13)2    14)4    15)4    16)4    17)1    18)3
- 19)3    20)2    21)2    22)2    23)1    24)1
- 25)3    26)eyrie    27)rake    28)blue    29)candle    30)dance
- 31)rented    32)steer    33)were    34)was    35)tightly
- 36)Sally has red roses and some sunflowers in her garden.
- 37)Grandmother showed us the dresses that she wore as a little girl.
- 38)Have you ever visited the National Museum?
- 39)The earthworm lives in a hole underground.
- 40)There are seven colours in a rainbow.
- 41)It eats small lizards and fish.
- 42)It sleeps in a high tree, safe from enemies.

**43)The tail is the longest part of the body.**

**44)It can be found in Indonesia and the Philippines.**

**45)The word is "weird".**