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PEI HWA PRESBYTERIAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Practice Paper (2)

Name : _____

Date: _____

For Questions 1 to 17, choose the correct answer and shade your answer in the Optical Answer Sheet (OAS) provided.

Section A: Vocabulary MCQ (7 marks)

1) There is a lake near Mrs Thompson's house. Its water is as _____ as crystal.

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| (1) dirty | (2) clear | |
| (3) muddy | (4) clean | () |

2) Mr Chen gave his wife a _____ of flowers for her birthday.

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| (1) clump | (2) forest | |
| (3) group | (4) bouquet | () |

3) James was advised by the doctor to eat more as he is _____ and needs to gain more weight.

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| (1) frail | (2) obese | |
| (3) scrawny | (4) plump | () |

4) As the eldest child, Jerry was told to _____ to his younger brother while playing together.

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| (1) give up | (2) give in | |
| (3) give away | (4) give out | () |

5) We must reduce the use of plastic bags to protect our _____.

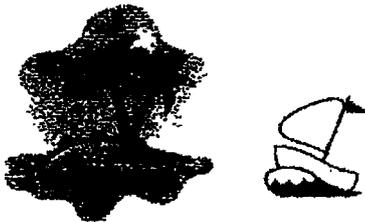
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| (1) location | (2) habitat | |
| (3) surroundings | (4) environment | () |

Section C: Visual Text Comprehension (5 marks)

For Questions 18–22, choose the correct answer and shade your answer in the Optical Answer Sheet (OAS) provided.

ISLAND-HOPPING ADVENTURE

Do you enjoy the outdoors? Do you love being surrounded by nature? Are you interested in biodiversity? Join our team of experienced guides as they explore flora and fauna on the beautiful islands of St Jake, Larazus and Scenic Island!



St Jake Island

- Largest of the Northern Islands in the country
- Rich in history
- Amazing flora and fauna
- A guided tour on key trails of this island

Larazus Island

- Pristine beach
- Great for picnics & runs
- Participants will have their snack or lunch break here
- Please bring along a plastic bag as there are no dustbins on this island.

Scenic Island

- First Marine Park in the country
- Rich in biodiversity
- A guided tour of the Marine Park Gallery

Limited time only! One of the country's popular adventure company, **Sail With Us** is having a promotion for groups of 5 people of all ages for an island-hopping adventure this December!

What are you waiting for? Gather your family and friends for an exciting adventure! Dates are limited!

Dates: 4, 11, 18 December, Saturday
19 December, Sunday

Time: 8 am to 6pm

Gather at Marina West Pier jetty by 7.45am for a briefing.

Intermingling with other groups is strictly not allowed.

For enquiries, please call 64488382. Visit us at www.sailwithus.com to find out more. Only **online booking** is accepted. An advanced booking of 1 week is required.

*Please bring your own food, drinks and a bag to dispose your trash. Let's keep the islands clean and green!

Organiser: Sail With Us

18) This advertisement is for people who _____.

- (1) want to be a guide
- (2) enjoy going to the beach only
- (3) want to go to St Jake's island only
- (4) are nature lovers and have interest in biodiversity

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19) Participants will be able to enjoy _____ on Larazus Island.

- (1) a guided tour of the key trails
- (2) their lunch or snack at the beach
- (3) a guided tour of the Marine Park Gallery
- (4) enjoy the amazing flora and fauna found

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20) The first Marine Park is built on _____ Island.

- (1) Scenic
- (2) St Jake
- (3) Larazus
- (4) Northern

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21) Jane can _____ to book for the island-hopping trip.

- (1) call 64488382
- (2) go to the organiser's website
- (3) go to Marina West Pier jetty to buy tickets
- (4) gather at Marina West Pier jetty at 7.45am

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22) Which of the following is false?

- (1) No intermingling is allowed during the trip.
- (2) The promotion is valid for groups of 5 people.
- (3) Only adults are allowed for the island-hopping adventure trip.
- (4) Food and drinks are not provided by the Sail With Us company.

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Section D: Vocabulary Cloze (8 marks)

Read the two passages carefully.

Passage 1

Choose from the words given in the boxes and fill in each blank with the correct **LETTER**.

USE EACH WORD **ONCE** ONLY

(A) sports	(B) maintain	(C) participate
(D) healthy	(E) exercise	(F) responsible

Staying fit is more than eating healthily. We must be (23) _____ for our own health in order to enjoy different types of activities. One of the ways to stay strong and fit is to (24) _____ at least two to three times a week.

We can have a quick jog around the neighbourhood or (25) _____ in sports with our family and friends. By doing so, not only are we able to (26) _____ our fitness, but we can also have fun and bond with them. A strong, healthy body also prevents us from falling sick easily.

Passage 2

Fill in each blank with a suitable word.

Ali woke up startled and rubbed his eyes. "Oh no! I'm late for the exam!" he quickly (27) _____ out of bed. He started to (28) _____ as he could feel his heart beating quickly. He brushed his teeth and put on his uniform hurriedly.

As he (29) _____ at the clock, he realised that he had five minutes left before his Mathematics examination starts. Without delay, he grabbed his bag, ran down the stairs and (30) _____ across the road without checking for oncoming traffic. Ali regretted that he had stayed up late, watching television the night before.

Section E: Grammar Cloze (8 marks)

Read the two passages carefully. Choose from the words given in the boxes and fill in each blank with the correct LETTER.

Passage 1

USE EACH WORD ONCE ONLY

(A) on	(B) in	(C) at
(D) of	(E) to	(F) around

It has been a long and exhausting day for Gary. He sat with three bags of clothes and toys (31) _____ the void deck of his HDB flat. He had collected them from his neighbours.

The clothes will be donated (32) _____ charity. Gary enjoys doing volunteer work for the underprivileged. Besides collecting used clothes and toys for donations, he would visit the old folks' home (33) _____ weekends. He would chat and play simple games with the elderly. He enjoys being (34) _____ the elderly as at times they would share wise advice with him. Gary feels a sense of satisfaction each time he brings a smile to others.

Passage 2

USE EACH WORD ONCE ONLY

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| (A) swim | (B) swimming | (C) swims |
| (D) swam | (E) is swimming | (F) are swimming |

Hannah and Omar enjoy water sports. Both of them are in the (35) _____ club in their school. They would (36) _____ at the nearby pool on weekends.

They have represented their school for numerous competitions and they train together. Last week, Omar was not feeling well so Hannah (37) _____ alone at the nearby pool. Whenever they (38) _____ for competitions, their parents would give them moral support by cheering and encouraging them. Both of them hope to represent Singapore in the Olympics someday.

Section F: Connectors (4 marks)

Combine the sentences to make one sentence using the word or words given. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning of the given sentences.

39) We can go to the park to fly some kites. It is a breezy day.

Since _____

40) The firemen saved the dog. The dog was stuck on a tree.

_____ which

41) Kelly went to the library. Then, she met her mother at the supermarket.

_____ before

42) Tom enjoys fishing. His brothers enjoy fishing too.

_____ as well as _____

Section G: Comprehension (8 marks)

Read the passage carefully and answer Questions 43 to 48. Your answers must be based on the passage. You must write in complete sentences.

Raju and Ken were cycling at the nearby park and they were very excited. They wanted to find out who could cycle faster around the park. Ken was confident he would win as he was more skilful than Raju.

When the race began, Ken took off as fast as he could. Soon, he was ahead of Raju and left him trailing behind. When he knew he was leading, he thought of doing some stunts which he had watched on television before. He started standing on his bicycle and showed off a few stunts to Raju. He did not look at the path in front of him.

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"Ken! Watch out!" Raju shouted. Ken turned and he saw a little girl in front of him. He turned his bicycle handles sharply to avoid crashing into her. He lost his balance and he was flung off his bicycle, crashing into some bushes. Raju cycled quickly towards Ken who was clutching his right ankle, groaning in agony.

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Raju tried to help Ken up. Ken tried to stand but he grimaced as he felt a sharp pain on his injured ankle. Ken had sprained his ankle and it looked bruised. Ken put his hand around Raju's shoulder as he hobbled to a nearby bench to rest.

By this time, passers-by had gathered around the two boys. Ken reassured them that it was just a minor injury while Raju called Ken's mother to inform her of the incident. Soon, Ken's mother appeared, looking worried. She took him to the clinic and the doctor confirmed that it was a bad sprain. Ken heaved a sigh of relief that it was not fractured. He walked out of the clinic with a bandaged ankle and was filled with regret.

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43) What were Raju and Ken doing at the park? (1m)

44) Why did Ken think that he would win the race? (1m)

45) Which word in paragraph four shows that Ken was in a lot of pain? (1m)

46) Why did Raju shout at Ken? (2m)

47) Write 1, 2 and 3 below to show what happened first, next and last. (1m)

___ Ken hobbled to a nearby bench to rest.

___ Ken's mother took him to the clinic.

___ Ken lost his balance and he was flung off his bicycle.

48) How did Ken feel as he walked out of the clinic? Why? (2m)

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SUBJECT : ENGLISH

TERM : PRACTCE PAPER (2)

Q1	2	Q2	4	Q3	3	Q4	2	Q5	4
Q6	2	Q7	3	Q8	2	Q9	1	Q10	1
Q11	4	Q12	4	Q13	1	Q14	3	Q15	1
Q16	1	Q17	2	Q18	4	Q19	2	Q20	1
Q21	2	Q22	3						

Q23	F	Q24	E	Q25	C	Q26	B
Q27	got	Q28	panic	Q29	looked	Q30	dashed
Q31	C	Q32	E	Q33	A	Q34	F
Q35	B	Q36	A	Q37	D	Q38	F

Q39	Since it is a breezy day, we can go to the park to fly some kites.
Q40	The firemen saved the dog which was stuck on a tree.
Q41	Kelly went to the library before she met her mother at the supermarket.
Q42	Tom as well as his brothers enjoys fishing too.

Q43	They were cycling at the park.
Q44	Ken though he would win the race as he was more skillful than Raju.
Q45	Grimaced
Q46	He wanted to warn Ken to avoid crashing into the girl who was on his cycling path.
Q47	2 3 1
Q48	He felt regretful. He did some stunts that caused him to be injured.

