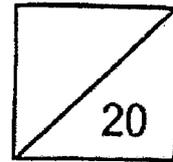


Catholic High School (Primary)
English Language
Primary 4
Weighted Assessment 3 (2025)



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Section A – Comprehension Cloze (4 x 1 mark)

Read the passage carefully. Fill in each blank with the most suitable word.

On Thursday, President Halimah Yacob joined students at Northbrooks Secondary School to celebrate Racial Harmony Day. She visited various booths which showcased fusion food, ethnic attire and crafts. She also observed students as they (1) _____ part in various activities.

In a Facebook post, Madam Halimah expressed that (2) _____ was heartening to see young people coming together to learn about our multicultural society. She also stressed the importance (3) _____ respecting diversity.

The visit concluded with an interaction session where students got a (4) _____ to chat with Madam Halimah. It was a rare opportunity to interact with the President as she shared her life experiences and gave advice about being compassionate and helping others. The Student Council President, Ang Kay Lee, 14, related how she was impressed by Madam Halimah's friendliness and appreciated all that she had shared.

Adapted from: Our differences are a strength and cause to celebrate: President Halimah at Racial Harmony Day event | The Straits Times

Section B – Synthesis & Transformation (3 x 2 marks)

For each of the questions from 5 to 7, rewrite the given sentence(s) using the word(s) provided. Your answer must be in one sentence. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning of the given sentence(s).

5. We will go to the playground if the rain stops.

_____ until
_____.

6. Desmond went to the police station. His wallet was lost.

_____ whose
_____.

7. Jane said, "I took a bus to school."

Jane said that _____
_____.

Section C – Comprehension – Open-ended (10 marks)

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

<p>Adam was sitting alone in a corner at Sunshine Food Court, waiting for his mother who had gone to order lunch. It was lunchtime and the food court was packed like sardines.</p>	
<p>"Hello, Adam," a lady in a black dress approached him. Although it was very noisy in the food court, her high-pitched voice was as clear as a bell. Adam stared at her but could not remember who the lady was.</p>	5
<p>"I'm Aunt Susan, your mother's friend," the lady said. The name rang a bell, but Adam still could not recall who she was. "Don't worry if you cannot remember me. Do you want a digital pet which is fun and easy to look after?" the lady added.</p>	10
<p>It sounded interesting. The lady proceeded to show Adam the free phone application named "Pat a Pet" on her phone. She then asked Adam for his phone number so she could send it to him. When Adam replied that he did not own a phone, the lady quickly asked for his mother's number instead. When he was thinking if he should give his mother's number, she was very pushy and kept persuading him to do so. Adam also felt that it was strange that she did not have his mother's number if she was indeed her friend. He felt uneasy and desperately wanted to get away from the lady.</p>	15
<p>Just as Adam was hesitating, he heard his mother calling out to him for help to carry a tray of dishes. Adam hurriedly ran off to help his mother. When they returned to the table, the lady was gone. Adam sighed in relief and quickly related what had happened earlier to his mother. His mother praised him for being alert and not falling into a stranger's trap.</p>	20
<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Adapted from: https://more.whatsup.sg/a-tale-full-of-bells/</i></p>	

8. Where were Adam and his mother?

_____ [1 mark]

For Q9 & Q10, read each statement and tick ✓ 'True' or 'False'. Refer to paragraphs 1 and 2 to help you. The first example has been done for you. [2 marks]

Statements		True	False
Example	Adam was with his parents at the food court.		
9.	The food court was very crowded.		
10.	Adam could recognise the lady in the black dress.		

11. Which 3-word phrase in paragraph 3 has the same meaning as 'sounded familiar'? [1 mark]

Answer Questions 12 to 14 in complete sentences.

12. What does the word 'it' in line 13 refer to? [2 marks]

13. Why did Adam feel uneasy after the lady asked for his mother's number? [2 marks]

14. How did Adam feel when he and his mother returned to the table? Why did he feel so? [2 marks]

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Q1)	took
Q2)	it
Q3)	of
Q4)	chance
Q5)	We will not go to the playground until the rain stops.
Q6)	Desmond whose wallet was lost went to the police station.
Q7)	Jane said that she had taken a bus to school.
Q8)	At sunshine Food Court.
Q9)	True
Q10)	False
Q11)	rang a bell.
Q12)	It refers to the free phone application named "Pat a Per".
Q13)	Adam felt uneasy because the lady was very push and keep on asking for his and if the mother's phone number, lady was his mother's friend, the lady should have his mother's phone number , Adam was also thinking whether he should give out his mother's phone number.
Q14)	Adam felt relieved, because he did not give his mother's phone number to the stranger and did not fall into the stranger trap.

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HENRY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL
2025 PRACTICE PAPER (TERM 3)
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PRIMARY FOUR

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CLASS: 4 _____

Duration of Paper: 40 min

Section A: Grammar Cloze

Read the passage below. Choose the correct word from the words given in the box and write its letter (A to F) in each blank. USE A WORD ONCE ONLY.

(A) about	(B) at	(C) for
(D) of	(E) off	(F) to

Last Sunday, Jenny and her parents were having breakfast together. They were
(1) _____ a coffee shop near their home. While they were eating,
Jenny talked (2) _____ what she did in school that day.

Jenny excitedly shared that she enjoyed her batik painting lessons in school. She
also told them that her artwork was selected (3) _____ an exhibition
in the Art Museum. Her parents were proud (4) _____ her achievement.
They smiled and congratulated her.

Section B: Comprehension Cloze

Fill in the blanks with the most suitable word.

Elena's parents took her to the Night Safari for her tenth birthday.

She was excited yet nervous. She was worried that the walking trails might not be lit up and they might have to walk in total (5) _____. Once they reached the park, Elena was relieved to see the lights along the trail and they could walk on it safely.

When Elena and her parents became tired of walking, they decided to (6) _____ the tram. It took them to many different Animal Zones around the park. It was an eye-opening experience for Elena to see the animals moving around in (7) _____ own environment.

Soon, it was time to leave the park. Elena had (8) _____ enjoyable time and also learned a lot about nocturnal animals. Elena thanked her parents for the wonderful birthday treat.

Section C: Synthesis

Rewrite the following pairs of sentences as one sentence without changing the original meaning.

9. My mother was washing the dishes. I was cleaning my room.

While _____

10. Peter will put on weight. Peter keeps eating snacks in between meals.

If _____

Section D: Comprehension

Read the passage below and answer questions 11 to 18.

<p>Baobao has silky white fur which curls as it grows. Ben takes him to the dog groomer twice a year. His fur is cut really short as it tangles easily. The groomer will always tie a bright yellow bandana around his neck.</p>	
<p>Baobao was abandoned by his previous owner. Ben had brought him home from the Animal Shelter. At first, the dog was malnourished and very timid. With great patience, Ben nursed him back to good health and continued to feed him well. Since then, both Ben and Baobao formed a special bond.</p>	5
<p>Every weekday at noon, Baobao will sit at the front gate straining to hear the familiar sound made by Ben's school bus. As soon as he hears the screeching of brakes, he will burst into a flurry of activity. There will be plenty of tail wags, happy barks and leaps into the air. Their daily reunions are joyous!</p>	10
<p>One morning, Baobao was resting on his favourite spot in the kitchen. He saw something move in the garden and ran out to investigate. Sensing danger, he jumped back. He ran back into the kitchen, barking furiously. A large creature crawled out from behind the plants. It moved towards him.</p>	15
<p>"What is it, boy?" asked Ben. Looking behind his dog, what he saw, made his skin crawl. Right in the centre of the kitchen was a giant monitor lizard! Its mouth was wide open showing its sharp teeth!</p>	
<p>Wanting to protect his beloved owner, Baobao lunged at it. Quick as lightning, Ben caught him in mid-air, just as the lizard's mouth snapped shut. Ben held onto his dog which was still barking in his left arm. Using his free hand, he grabbed a tennis racket. He yelled and waved it wildly at the lizard.</p>	20
<p>Luckily, the lizard decided it had enough of the commotion. He crawled lazily out of the kitchen. Ben quickly shut the kitchen door.</p>	
<p>That night, Ben gave Baobao a big juicy bone as a reward.</p>	25

11. Baobao's fur is cut really short because it _____, [1m]
 (1) is clean
 (2) is silky white
 (3) tangles easily
 (4) grows really fast ()

12. Ben and Baobao formed a special bond because _____. [1m]
 (1) Ben nursed it back to health
 (2) its previous owner abandoned it
 (3) they first met at the Animal Shelter
 (4) it was malnourished and extremely fearful ()

13. In line 9, what does the phrase 'familiar sound' refer to? [1m]

14. Which sentence from paragraph 4 tells you that Baobao was curious? [1m]

15. Write the number (1, 2 or 3) in the boxes beside the events below to show the order that they happened in the passage. [1m]

Baobao ran back into the kitchen.	
Baobao lunged at the lizard.	
Baobao was resting on the kitchen floor.	



16. State whether each statement in the table below is **True** or **False**. Use **evidence** from the passage to give a **reason** for your answer. [2m]

	Sentence	True/ False	Reason
(a)	Baobao greeted his owner by wagging his tail only.		<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
(b)	Ben was shocked and frightened when he first saw the lizard.		<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

17. Why did Baobao try to attack the lizard? [1m]

18. Complete the table below using appropriate words/phrases that best describe the change in Baobao at the beginning and at the end of the passage. [2m]

	At the beginning	In the end
(a)		Baobao is well-fed.
(b)	Baobao was timid.	

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Q1	(B) at	Q2	(A) about	Q3	(C) for	Q4	(D) of
Q5	darkness	Q6	take	Q7	their	Q8	an

Q9	While I was cleaning my room, my mother was washing the dishes.
Q10	If Peter keeps eating snacks in between meals, he will put on weight.

Q11	(3)
Q12	(1)
Q13	It was the screeching of the brakes of Ben's school bus.
Q14	He saw something move in the garden and ran out to investigate.
Q15	2 3 1
Q16	(a) False. Baobao also have happy bark and leaps into the air. (b) True. When Baobao saw the lizard, it made his skin crawl.
Q17	He wanted to protect his owner, Ben.
Q18	(a) Baobao was malnourished. (b) Baobao is brave.

