

TAO NAN SCHOOL
Primary 2 English Language End-of-Year Examination-2009

Name: _____ () Date: 26 October 2009

Class: Primary 2 ()

Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes

Time: 1.30 p.m. - 3.00 p.m.

Parent's signature: _____

Marks: _____ / 60

Section A (5 x 1 mark)

Vocabulary

Fill in each blank with the most suitable word given in the box.

Use each word only ONCE.

spanner	mask	respectful	tweet	bouquet
hammer	cloak	hoot	bundle	considerate

1. My hair stood on end when I heard the owl _____.
2. It was _____ of him to stand up and greet his grandparents.
3. The little girl presented the guest-of-honour with a _____ of flowers.
4. My father uses a _____ to tighten the nuts on the bicycle.
5. The knight removed the _____ which he wore on his face.

Section B (5 x 1 mark)

Vocabulary

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.

6. Jack cut out the pictures and stuck them in his _____.
(1) comic (2) diary
(3) scrapbook (4) photo album ()
7. All the teachers and pupils were so impressed by the fabulous performance that they _____ loudly.
(1) exclaimed (2) cried
(3) applauded (4) celebrated ()
8. The story took place in a country called Neverland. Neverland is the _____ of the story.
(1) setting (2) character
(3) plot (4) legend ()
9. If you want your pet dog to listen to your command, you have to train it to be _____.
(1) responsible (2) awake
(3) friendly (4) obedient ()
10. The man climbed to the _____ of the mountain.
(1) peak (2) height
(3) point (4) last ()

Section C (10 x 1 mark)

Grammar

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.

11. I wanted to buy him the shirt _____ he did not like it.
(1) if (2) but
(3) so (4) when ()
12. Matt bought _____ dessert for his mother.
(1) any (2) many
(3) much (4) some ()
13. The motorcycle skidded _____ the slippery road.
(1) out (2) off
(3) into (4) through ()
14. My father and _____ like to sing during our free time.
(1) I (2) me
(3) you (4) he ()
15. Jack _____ the book so he had to pay for it.
(1) lose (2) lost
(3) loses (4) losing ()
16. Siti and Ahmad always _____ when they have the time.
(1) jogs (2) jogging
(3) jog (4) jogged ()

17. The pupils were reading all by _____ at the school hall when their teacher, Mr Lee, got there.
(1) yourselves (2) ourselves
(3) himself (4) themselves ()
18. Jeremy said to Molly, "I did _____ you told me to but it didn't work!"
(1) what (2) why
(3) where (4) which ()
19. ^SMy brother _____ to the library later to meet his classmate. They will be spending an hour there.
(1) goes (2) went
(3) is going (4) has gone ()
20. _____ I borrow your storybook, please?
(1) Must (2) Will
(3) Shall (4) May ()

Section D (2 x 1 mark)

Language Use

Write a question for each sentence. You must start the question with the given word. End each question with a question mark.

21. When _____?

Mary visits her aunt during school holidays.

22. Who _____?

Ben's father paid for the storybooks.

Section E (3 x 1 mark)

Synthesis

Join the two sentences into one. Use the word given in the brackets.

23. Jennifer took the medicine. Jennifer was not feeling well.

Since _____

24. You complete your homework. I will buy you an ice cream.

_____ if

25. This is the girl. The girl won a gold medal in the art competition.

_____ who

Section F (5 x 1 mark)

Editing for Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical mistake. A wrong or missing punctuation mark is indicated by a circle. Put the correct punctuation mark or word in each box.

Last Sunday, Diana and Mike learnt how to make a pizza. They helped

(26)

(27)

Mother to cuts button mushrooms, green pepper, pineapple and ham onto small pieces.

Next, Mother kneaded the dough. Then, she spread tomato paste and

(28)

cheese onto the dough before putting the ingrediance on top of it.

(29)

"What an enormous pizza ○" exclaimed Diana and Mike.

Then, they put the pizza into the oven to bake. Mike did the

(30)

washing- up. They had a dilicious meal that day. The children looked

forward to baking another pizza.

Section 6 (5 x 1 mark)

Grammar Cloze

Fill in each blank with the correct word given in the brackets.

It was a public holiday. My family and I decided to go to the beach for a swim. (31) _____ (While, When, So) my brothers, Raja and Muthu, heard the good news, they jumped for joy.

"Let's go to East Coast Lagoon," I suggested. My brothers nodded excitedly. However, our parents (32) _____ (do, does, did) not want us to go there as it was too far away. They wanted to go to West Coast Park instead. We sat down and (33) _____ (discuss, discusses, discussed) where we should go.

Raja said, "We can go there by ourselves. You need not go (34) _____ (with, by, for) us, Mum and Dad."

Our parents disagreed as they felt it was too dangerous for us to travel without an adult. Finally, all of us (35) _____ (go, goes, went) to East Coast Lagoon together. We had a lot of fun that day and we went to West Coast Park the following week.

Section H (4 x 1 m)

Graphic Stimulus

Read the advertisement carefully. Then use the information to fill in each blank with the most suitable information.

Tampines North Zone Residents' Committee Block Party



Venue : Block 345, Tampines Street 32

Date : 20 December 2009

Time : 1.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.

Ticket : \$2.00

Free for children 11 years and below.

Early Bird Special !

Come early and receive a mystery gift. Only for the first 50 residents !



Highlights:

Ice cream



Magic show



Lucky Draw



Tickets are on sale now till

15 December 2009.

At Block 344, Resident Committee Centre

Mon - Fri
On weekdays only

From 9.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m.

Twenty attractive prizes to be won!
Drop your tickets into the lucky draw box.

36. This block party will be held at _____

37. If you arrive early at the party, you may get _____

38. You can win prizes during the _____

39. Mr Tan should not go on a _____

to buy the tickets.

Comprehension

Read the passage carefully. Answer question 40 to 46.
Your answer must be based on the passage.

One day, Billy the farmer was on his way home from the market after buying some ponies. "Be careful with them. They're rather playful," the pony seller reminded Billy. Thanking the pony seller, Billy rode on one of the small ponies home while the rest followed behind.

After a while, Billy thought, "I had better make sure that all my little helpers are following me." So, he turned around and counted his ponies.

"Oh dear, where is pony number ten?" Billy wondered, feeling shocked. Immediately, he got down from the pony and looked everywhere. However, he could not find it. "Let me count again," Billy muttered to himself. There were ten ponies.

"It must have come back," Billy said. He climbed back onto the first pony and continued his way home.

Shortly, Billy felt uneasy again and decided to recount. "Where did the tenth pony go?" he thought, scratching his head. Frowning, Billy jumped off his pony and looked everywhere. Still, he could not find the missing pony. He was worried.

Just then, Billy's friend, Eddy, walked towards him. Billy asked Eddy for help. Eddy counted ten ponies. Billy counted ten too. He was puzzled but relieved.

Climbing onto his first pony, Billy thanked Eddy for helping him. He headed home with a wide grin on his face. There were indeed ten ponies.

Section I (3 x 1 mark)

Comprehension MCQ

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.

40. Billy looked back to check if the ponies were _____.
- (1) playing
 - (2) with him
 - (3) coming back to him
 - (4) going back to the market
- ()
41. Eddy helped Billy to _____.
- (1) gather the ponies
 - (2) find the missing pony
 - (3) climb onto the first pony
 - (4) check the number of ponies
- ()
42. The word " _____ " in the passage has the same meaning as "confused".
- (1) puzzled
 - (2) shocked
 - (3) relieved
 - (4) worried
- ()

Section J (4 x 2 marks)

Comprehension Open-ended

Answer the following questions in complete sentences.

43. Where did Billy buy the ponies?

44. What did the pony seller tell Billy?

45. How did Billy search for his tenth pony?

46. Why did Billy keep counting nine ponies?

Section K (10 marks)

Writing

47. Picture 1, 2 3 and 4 form a story. Describe each picture with at least one sentence. You may use the helping words. **Your sentences must form a story.**

1



parents

goodbye

2



toys

played together

3



telephone
climbed up

4



fell off
hurt

Answer Ke

EXAM PAPER 2009

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SUBJECT : PRIMARY 2 ENGLISH

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1)hoot 2)respectful 3)bouquet 4)spanner 5)mask 6)3 7)3
8)1 9)4 10)1 11)2 12)4 13)2 14)1 15)2 16)3 17)4 18)1
19)3 20)4

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40)2 41)4 42)1

43)He bought the ponies from the market.

44)The pony seller told Billy to be careful with them because they were rather playful.

45)He searched everywhere to find his tenth pony.

46)He was sitting on one pony and did not count it.

47)1)One glorious morning, John's parents went to work. John His younger brother, Jim waved goodbye to their parents.

2)John and Jim played together. They played with toy together.

3)Suddenly, the telephone rang, John went to pick up the telephone .Jim climbed up the chair.

4)He wanted to go down but he fell off the chair. He was terribly hurt and cried loudly.