

**Pai Chun Public School**  
**Term 2 Weighted Assessment, 2023**  
**English Language**  
**Primary 3**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (     )

Class : Primary 3 / \_\_\_\_\_

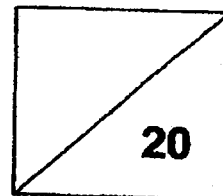
Date : 17 May 2023

Time : 45 minutes

English Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Marks:



Read the passage carefully. Choose the correct word from the words given in the box and write its letter (A to F) in each blank.  
(6 × 1 mark)

**USE EACH WORD ONCE ONLY.**

(A) her	(B) him	(C) his
(D) she	(E) them	(F) they

Ben is the oldest of eight children. He speaks fondly of (1) \_\_\_\_\_ family. His younger brothers and sisters like to play with him because he is very loving. Sometimes, Ben would buy things for all of (2) \_\_\_\_\_. Ben's favourite sibling is his youngest sister. (3) \_\_\_\_\_ is very well-liked by her siblings. They are a close-knit family.

Read the passage carefully. Underline the correct word from the words given in the brackets.

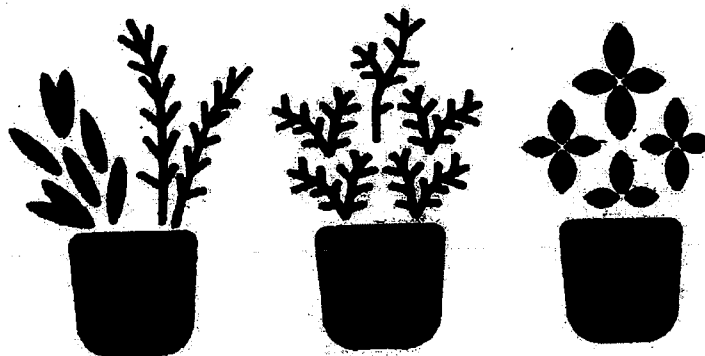
Do you know that a dog is called a puppy until it is about one year old? It (4) [is / are] referred to as "man's best friend". If you (5) [has / have] a dog, it will always be loyal to you! A dog (6) [perform / performs] many tricks to please its owner. So if you would like a pet, you can consider adopting a dog!

Study the brochure carefully and answer the questions that follow.

(4 × 1 mark)

## **FAMILY DAY 2021**

Join us for a day of family fun at Gardens By The Bay.  
Take part in exciting activities such as leaf printing and bark rubbing.  
Parents, this is the perfect chance for your children to learn more about nature!



**Date: Saturday, 18 September 2021**

**Time: 9 am to 6 pm**

**Venue: Waterfall Room**

**Price: \$8 per person**

**Package: \$30 for a family of 4**

To register, log on to [www.gardenbythebay.com/purchase](http://www.gardenbythebay.com/purchase) and make payment via credit card. Registration closes on 17 September 2021.

For enquiries, kindly send an email to [events@gardensbythebay.com](mailto:events@gardensbythebay.com) or contact Miss Lim at 6412 3456.

**Organised by:**  
Garden By The Bay

**Proudly sponsored by:**  
- Horticultural Club of Singapore  
- Popular Bookstore  
- May Flowers Pte Ltd

For Q7 to 10, four options are given. Choose the most appropriate option and write your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) in the brackets provided.

7. The aim of the event is to \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) allow families to learn more about nature
- (2) bring only children to Gardens By The Bay
- (3) attract more customers to Popular Bookstore
- (4) attract more visitors to Horticultural Club of Singapore ( )

8. This event is organised by \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) Popular Bookstore
- (2) May Flowers Pte Ltd
- (3) Gardens By The Bay
- (4) Horticultural Club of Singapore ( )

9. To register for the event, you have to \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) call Miss Lim at 6412 3456
- (2) purchase tickets at the Waterfall Room
- (3) e-mail to [events@gardensbythebay.com](mailto:events@gardensbythebay.com)
- (4) log on to [www.gardensbythebay.com/purchase](http://www.gardensbythebay.com/purchase) ( )

10. Which one of the following statements is true?

- (1) The event is held in the Family Room.
- (2) The event is planned specially for the elderly.
- (3) You can purchase tickets on 18 September 2021.
- (4) The cost to bring a family of 4 to the event is \$30. ( )

Combine each pair of sentences to make one sentence using the word(s) given. The meaning of the sentence must be the same as the sentences given. (4 x 1 mark)

11. The teacher was teaching. The pupils took down notes.

When \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

12. I took a shower. I went to bed after that.

Before \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

13. My father bought me a present. It was my birthday.

\_\_\_\_\_ because  
\_\_\_\_\_

14. Tom performed a good deed. His teacher praised him.

\_\_\_\_\_ so  
\_\_\_\_\_

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

(6 marks)

It was pouring heavily. Mabel was drenched by the time she arrived at the sheltered walkway. From a distance, she watched the public bus leave the bus stop without her. She shook her head and sighed, "I should have brought my umbrella."

Mabel stood at the shelter and watched people board the buses. The only way she could reach school would be to have someone shelter her to the bus stop and wait for the next bus. The school was just one bus stop away. However, she was not confident of anyone helping her at all. Everyone looked too busy to notice her.

After asking a few passers-by for help, Mabel began to feel discouraged. She was shocked that no one had agreed to help her. Resigned to fate, she decided to wait for the rain to stop.

Suddenly, someone tapped Mabel on her shoulder. It was a tall and beautiful lady. She had recognised Mabel's school uniform and offered to shelter her to school. Mabel smiled and agreed readily.

When Mabel finally sat down in class, she took off her wet socks and dried them in class. Even though she was drenched, she was still glad that the lady had helped her.

*Teacher's text*

15. Tick (✓) your chosen answer.

According to paragraph 1, how did Mabel plan to go to school that day? [1m]

<input type="checkbox"/>	She wanted to take the public bus.
<input type="checkbox"/>	She wanted to walk to school on her own.
<input type="checkbox"/>	She wanted to ask a passer-by to drive her to school.

16. Write 1, 2 and 3 in the blanks below to indicate the order in which the events took place. Refer to paragraph 3 to help you.

\_\_\_\_\_ Mabel asked for help from passers-by.

\_\_\_\_\_ Mabel decided to wait for the rain to stop.

\_\_\_\_\_ No one wanted to help Mabel.

For Q17 to 18, read each statement and tick (✓) if they are true or false. Refer to paragraph 3 to help you. The first example has been done for you. [2m]

	Statement	True	False
Example	It was raining heavily.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17.	Mabel decided to walk in the rain when the passers-by did not help her.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18.	Mabel was happy when the lady offered to shelter her.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

19. What does the word "them" in line 17 refer to? [1m]

Write your answer in a complete sentence.

20. According to the passage, why was Mabel happy even though she was drenched? [1m]

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**SECTION A**

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
C	E	D	Is	Have	Performs	1	3	4	4

**SECTION B**

Q11	When the teacher was teaching, the pupils took down notes.
Q12	Before I went to bed, I took a shower.
Q13	My father bought me a present because it was my birthday.
Q14	Tom performed a good deed so his teacher praised him.
Q15	✓ she wanted to take the public bus.
Q16	1, 3, 2
Q17	False
Q18	True
Q19	Mabel's wet socks
Q20	Mabel was happy because the lady sheltered her to school.