

METHODIST GIRLS' SCHOOL (PRIMARY)

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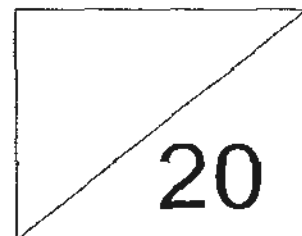
PRIMARY 2 TOPICAL TEST
2010
ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Vocabulary and Grammar

Name: _____ ()

Class: P2. _____

Date: 6 May 2010



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Section A: Vocabulary

Choose the most suitable answer for each blank and then write A, B, C or D in the brackets. (10 x 1m)

1. Hayley found a hermit _____ when she went to the beach. It was looking for a bigger shell.

- (A) clam
- (B) crab
- (C) snail
- (D) prawn ()

2. The timid boy trembled with _____ when he heard the howling sound in the middle of the night.

- (A) joy
- (B) fear
- (C) sorrow
- (D) excitement ()

3. Mother decided to _____ up a delicious meal for Father on his birthday.

- (A) kick
- (B) blow
- (C) whip
- (D) shake ()

4. The hungry leopard _____ loudly and licked its lips.
- (A) roared
(B) barked
(C) neighed
(D) trumpeted ()
5. We have to wait _____ for the lights to turn green before crossing the road.
- (A) patiently
(B) carefully
(C) hurriedly
(D) attentively ()
6. Aunt Gracie looked through her shopping _____ to see what she needed to buy at the market.
- (A) bill
(B) list
(C) menu
(D) recipe ()
7. Govin and Sulin went to the _____ and they saw many colourful fishes.
- (A) zoo
(B) cage
(C) aviary
(D) aquarium ()

8. The audience was _____ when they watched the play. The funny characters made them laugh so much!

- (A) sad
- (B) amused
- (C) surprised
- (D) frightened ()

9. I _____ the envelope, put a stamp on it and dropped it into the letter box.

- (A) sealed
- (B) packed
- (C) wrapped
- (D) bandaged ()

10. It was such a beautiful night and the stars were shining

_____.

- (A) weakly
- (B) clearly
- (C) brightly
- (D) fiercely ()

Section B: Grammar

Choose the most suitable answer for each blank and then write A, B, C or D in the brackets. (10 x 1m)

11. Mrs Teo walks into the classroom and greets us _____ a smile.
- (A) at
(B) on
(C) by
(D) with ()
12. _____ the mouse saw the cat, it squeaked and scurried away.
- (A) If
(B) So
(C) When
(D) While ()
13. Nora told me that she _____ a sister. She is the only child.
- (A) has
(B) have
(C) do not have
(D) does not have ()

14. Jenny and I are borrowing many books from the library because _____ need them for our project.
- (A) it
 - (B) we
 - (C) she
 - (D) they ()
15. _____ you ever eaten a lobster? It is delicious!
- (A) Has
 - (B) Had
 - (C) Have
 - (D) Having ()
16. At the cinema, Zack held on to the big box of popcorn and sat _____ his parents.
- (A) at
 - (B) into
 - (C) over
 - (D) between ()
17. Deena loves to play with her kittens at home. _____ does her brother.
- (A) If
 - (B) So
 - (C) When
 - (D) While ()

18. There were many people lining up to buy food
_____ the canteen during recess.
- (A) at
(B) on
(C) over
(D) between ()
19. Daisy wanted to catch the grasshopper but it
_____ away before she could even try.
- (A) hop
(B) hops
(C) hopped
(D) hopping ()
20. The children were playing so happily at the playground that
_____ forgot it was time for lunch.
- (A) it
(B) he
(C) she
(D) they ()

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Have you checked your work?

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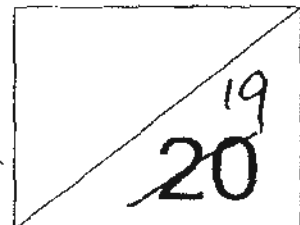
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Listening and Comprehension

Name: _____ ()

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Section A: Listening Comprehension

Listen carefully to the story read by your teacher.

Choose the correct answer for each question and write A, B, C or D in the brackets. (5 x 1m)

1) Why did Megan want to buy fruits?

- (A) She wanted to give the fruits to her friends.
- (B) She wanted to make fruit juice for her friends.
- (C) She wanted to make fruit tarts for her friends.
- (D) She wanted to make a fruit salad for her friends. ()

2) Megan screamed because she was _____ when she saw something crawling on the floor.

- (A) excited
- (B) terrified
- (C) delighted
- (D) disappointed ()

3) Megan called the _____ for help.

- (A) police
- (B) customers
- (C) shop assistant
- (D) security guard ()

4) The creature that was crawling on the floor had two big _____,
a shell covering its whole body and its skeleton was outside its body.

(A) wings

(B) pincers

(C) feelers

(D) flippers

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5) The crab had escaped from the supermarket's _____ section.

(A) fruits

(B) poultry

(C) seafood

(D) vegetables

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Section B: MCQ Comprehension

Read the passage carefully.

Jenny and Shanti were best friends. They were in the same class in Primary One and Primary Two. They used to play together during recess, go to the swimming pool during the weekends and even travel overseas together with their families during their holidays.

But they were separated and went to different classes in Primary Three. They saw very little of each other from then on. They soon forgot about the friendship they had shared with each other.

Jenny was in Primary Six when she had a bad fall at the school canteen. She screamed out loudly. Just then, a hand reached out to her and asked her whether she was all right. It was Shanti!

Tears of joy rolled down Shanti's cheeks as she helped Jenny get up. Jenny gave Shanti a hug and thanked her. Jenny said, "I miss those days when we used to be close. You are still my best friend after all these years!" Shanti nodded as they made their way to the sickbay.

Choose the correct answer for each question and write A, B, C or D in the brackets. (5 x 1m)

- 6) Jenny and Shanti were separated at the end of Primary _____.
- (A) One
 - (B) Two
 - (C) Six
 - (D) Three ()
- 7) They forgot about their friendship because they _____.
- (A) rarely saw each other
 - (B) went overseas to study
 - (C) fought with each other
 - (D) went to different secondary schools ()
- 8) Why did ^{Jenny}~~Shanti~~ scream?
- (A) She was sad.
 - (B) She was in pain.
 - (C) She was embarrassed.
 - (D) She missed her best friend. ()

9) Why did tears roll down Shanti's cheeks?

- (A) She felt sad to see her friend in pain.
- (B) She had caused her friend to fall down.
- (C) She felt happy to see her friend in pain.
- (D) She was touched by her friend's gesture.

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10) Why did Jenny still consider Shanti her best friend?

- (A) Shanti went for recess together with her.
- (B) Shanti ignored her when she screamed in pain.
- (C) Shanti was still willing to help when she fell down.
- (D) Shanti was in the same class as her since Primary Two

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Section C: Open-Ended Comprehension

Read the passage carefully.

"What's that?" screeched Mary as she looked excitedly at the cookbook that Carol was holding. It was a gigantic book. Mary had never seen a book of that size before.

"Shhh, don't make noise. My sister may hear us," whispered Carol as she pulled Mary into the bedroom and shut the door behind her.

Mary was eager to know what was going on. Carol opened the book and chanted a magic spell that went, "Daba Daba Doo! Make all my wishes come true!"

What a surprise! A chef appeared from nowhere and told the girls to choose a dish from the cookbook. Mary and Carol were hungry. They were so busy doing their Social Studies project that they had not eaten their breakfast and lunch. They quickly and eagerly flipped through the pages of the gigantic cookbook and chose their favourite dish, Chicken Rice!

The chef exclaimed, "Your wish is a dish that nobody should miss!" What a miracle, two plates of delicious chicken rice appeared before them. The chef then vanished into thin air. The girls enjoyed their meal and did not share the magic cookbook with any member of their family.

Answer these questions in complete sentences. (5 x 2 m)

11) Why was Mary excited about the cookbook?

12) Why did Carol ask Mary to talk softly?

13) Why did Mary and Carol miss their meals?

14) How do you know that the girls were selfish about the magic cookbook?

15) (a) Which word in the passage has the same meaning as "big"?

(b) Which word in the passage has the same meaning as "disappeared"?

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ANSWER SHEET

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A	C	D

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Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
D	B	C	B	C	B	A	B	D	C

- 11) She had never seen such a gigantic book before.
- 12) She asked Mary to talk softly because Carol's sister might hear them.
- 13) They missed their meals because they were so busy doing their Social Studies project.
- 14) They did not share the cook book with other family members.
- 15) a) The word is "gigantic".
b) The word is "vanished".