

Part 2

You should spend about 15 minutes in this part.

Read the text below and correct the underlined errors. For each question, write the correct word in the space provided on your answer sheet.

A Fire

Kassim (0) but his family live in Kampung Pandan. It had not rained for weeks in his neighbourhood. Soon (9) an grass at the back of Kassim's house became very dry. One especially hot afternoon, the grass suddenly caught (10) by fire. When the incident occurred, Kassim was at home with (11) him mother, younger brother and baby sister. He had been busy doing his homework while his brother was watching the television. Meanwhile, his mother and baby sister were sleeping. Soon Kassim (12) smelling something burning. It was coming from outside and he was shocked to see the grass burning. Furthermore, the fire was coming (13) over his house. Kassim woke his mother up and she (14) quick grabbed the baby. Kassim then went and got his brother. All of them hurriedly ran out of the house. Once outside, Kassim calls the fire department. Within ten minutes (15) the fire engine arrived. The firefighters worked fast and the fire was put out. Although the fire (16) having destroyed a bit of the kitchen, it was not too badly damaged. Kassim and his family thanked the firefighters.

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