

SECTION C

Grammar

Exercise 1

Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided. (15 marks)

1. The nurse cared _____ her patients diligently in the ward.
(1) of (2) for
(3) to (4) at ()
2. Sam pointed _____ the cute design on the wall and laughed.
(1) on (2) of
(3) at (4) in ()
3. The SMRT staff stood _____ the platform to guide the passengers.
(1) above (2) at
(3) through (4) on ()
4. Jane came _____ a flashy car driven by her husband.
(1) in (2) inside
(3) to (4) at ()
5. The motorcycle lay ruined _____ the ground after it had overturned.
(1) along (2) at
(3) on (4) to ()

6. Victoria Theatre will be reopened _____ August.
(1) on (2) in
(3) at (4) over ()
7. Madam Cheng walked _____ the steps carefully to avoid falling over.
(1) through (2) on
(3) to (4) onto ()
8. The man became greedy _____ learning that he could earn more by cheating others.
(1) after (2) to
(3) at (4) onto ()
9. Miss Chua sat upright on the chair _____ her arms folded.
(1) for (2) from
(3) of (4) with ()
10. The little girl covered herself with a blanket _____ keep herself hidden.
(1) from (2) at
(3) to (4) for ()
11. The house burst _____ flames after someone torched it.
(1) with (2) into
(3) at (4) in ()
12. Peter looked relaxingly _____ the camera to have his photograph taken.
(1) at (2) to
(3) of (4) in ()

13. The coach studies Mary's strokes _____ see why she cannot swim well.

(1) to

(2) of

(3) for

(4) in

()

14. Mr Wong showed his invitation card _____ the party at the Istana.

(1) in

(2) with

(3) into

(4) for

()

15. The lighthouse provides the ships _____ guidance in direction.

(1) with

(2) at

(3) to

(4) for

()

Exercise 2