

GRAMMAR TEST 1 (PRE-TEST / POST TEST)

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NAME : _____

CLASS : _____

Instruction :

This test paper consists of three : Section A, Section B and Section C. Answer all questions.

SECTION A : GRAMMAR

Complete the sentences using the words in the brackets. Use the Present Tense, Past Tense or Future Tense (whether Simple, Progressive, Perfect or Perfect Progressive)

1. Ramli is at the library. He _____ 1. (sit) at the table. He _____ 2. (sit) there since this morning. He _____ 3. (write) a short story for a competition. He _____ 4. (use) a dictionary to look up the spelling of some words. The dictionary _____ 5. (not belong) to him. It _____ 6. (belong) to his friend. Ramli _____ 7. (look) up words in the dictionary because he _____ 8. (want) to make sure that he _____ 9. (not have) any misspelled words in his story.
2. Right now, the children _____ 10. (be) at the beach . They _____ 11. (have) a good time. They _____ 12. (have) a beach ball, and they _____ 13. (play) catch with it. They _____ 14. (like) to play catch. Their parents _____ 15. (sunbathe) on the beach. They _____ 16. (try) to get a tan. They _____ 17 (listen) to some music on a radio. They also _____ 18. (hear) the sound of the sea gulls and the sound of the waves.
3. Sheila _____ 19. (need) to call her parents today and tell them about her new apartment. They cannot call her because they _____ 20. (not know) her new telephone number. She _____ 21. (not give) her telephone number yet to them because she _____ 22. (be) busy lately.
4. Yesterday afternoon, I _____ 23. (pay) a visit to En. Halim's house. When I _____ 24. (get) there around two o'clock, Pn. Hasnah _____ 25. (be) in the yard. She _____ 26. (plant) flowers in the garden. En. Halim _____ 27. (be) in the garage. He _____ 28. (repair) his car. He _____ 29. (change) the oil. The children _____ 30. (play) in the front yard. In other words, while En. Halim _____ 31. (fix) the oil in the car, the children _____ 32. (play) with a ball in the yard.
5. Last week, Sam and Ritz _____ 33. (go) to the zoo at around one o'clock. They _____ 34. (see) many kinds of animals and _____ 35. (have) a few adventures. While they _____ 36. (walk) by the elephant, it _____ 37. (begin) to squirt water at them, so they _____ 38. (run) behind a rock and _____ 39. (dry) themselves. Later , while they _____ 40. (pass) the giraffe area, one of the tall, purple-tongued animals _____ 41. (lower) its head toward Sam and _____ 42. (start) to nibble on his green hat. Ritz said, "Shoo!". At that point, the giraffe _____ 43. (stretch) its head toward Ritz and _____ 44. (try) to eat his ice-cream cone. Ritz _____ 45. (not let) the giraffe have the ice-cream because he _____ 46. (stand) right in front of a sign that said. "DO NOT FEED THE ANIMALS".

- She _____ 47. (point) at the sign and _____ 48. (say) to the giraffe, "Can't you read?"
6. Last Friday was a holiday. So, I _____ 49. (not have) to go to school. I _____ 50. (sleep) a little later than usual. At about ten, my friend Fatin _____ 51. (come) over to my house. We _____ 52. (pack) a picnic basket and _____ 53. (drive) to Perdana Park. We _____ 54. (spend) most of the day there.
- When we _____ 55. (get) to the park, we _____ 56. (find) an empty picnic table near a pond. There _____ 57. (be) some ducks in a pond, so we _____ 58. (feed) them. We _____ 59. (throw) small pieces of bread on the water, and the ducks _____ 60. (swim) over to get them. One duck was very clever. It _____ 61. (catch) the bread midair before it _____ 62. (hit) the water. Another duck _____ 63. (be) a thief. It _____ 64. (steal) bread from the beak of other ducks. While we _____ 65. (feed) the ducks, Fatin and I _____ 66. (meet) a man who usually _____ 67. (come) to the park to feed the ducks. We _____ 68. (sit) on a park bench and _____ 69. (speak) to him for fifteen or twenty minutes.
- After we _____ 70. (eat) our lunch, I _____ 71. (take) a short nap under a tree. While I _____ 72. (sleep), a mosquito _____ 73. (bite) my arm. When I _____ 74. (wake) up, my arm itched, so I scratched it. Suddenly, I _____ 75. (hear) a noise in the tree above me. I _____ 76. (look) up and _____ 77. (see) an orange and gray bird. After a few moments, it _____ 78. (fly) away.
- During the afternoon, we _____ 79. (do) many things. First, we _____ 80. (take) a long walk. When we _____ 81. (get) back to our picnic table, I _____ 82. (read) a book, and Fatin _____ 83. (draw) pictures. Later, we _____ 84. (play) game of chess. Fatin _____ 85. (win) the first game, but I _____ 86. (win) the second one. Then, she _____ 87. (teach) me a new game, one with dice. While we _____ 88. (play) the game, one of the dice _____ 89. (fall) from the picnic table onto the ground. We finally _____ 90. (find) it in some tall grass. In the evening, we _____ 91. (join) a huge crowd to watch fireworks display. Some of the explosions _____ 92. (be) very loud however, that they _____ 93. (hurt) my ears. When the display was over, we _____ 94. (leave).
- All in all, it was a very enjoyable day.
7. It is October now. The weather _____ 95. (begin) to get colder. It is always like this every October. I _____ 96. (not like) winter, and _____ 97. (think) autumn is beautiful. In a few weeks, my friend and I _____ 98. (take) a weekend trip to the country if the weather is nice. We _____ 99. (drive) through the river valley and enjoy the colours of fall.
8. My sister and her husband _____ 100. (come) over to my house for dinner tomorrow night. It's my sister's birthday, so I _____ 101. (prepare) a special birthday dinner for her. I _____ 102. (cook) her favourite food: chicken chop and *tomyam*. I am sure she _____ 103. (like) it.