Grammar Mid –Term Quiz

Section A: Sentences

Select *sentence* if the group of words is a complete thought or *fragment* if the group of words in not a complete thought. (6pts)

Some suntan lotion.

Toby walked along the shore .

A starfish was lying on the sand.

Had five arms.

Toby saw a sandcastle.

Section B: Kind of Sentences

Read the sentence. Select whether the sentence is imperative(command), interrogative (question), declarative (statement) or exclamatory. (6 marks)

How did you learn about butterflies?

I read a library book about butterflies.

Be on your best behavior for the next two weeks.

Place it next to me.

What a trip that will be!

Where do butterflies live?

Some butterflies live in North America.

What a great time we are having!

Wave to your friends.

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Section C: **Subject and Predicate**

Choose the correct Punctuation for each sentence below.

Danny, look over there

Did you see the whale flip

Wow, that whale just spouted

A whale spouts when it blows out its breath

A whale breathes through its blowhole

What a lot of whales there are today

Why do we see so many whales

Section D: **Nouns**

Select the two nouns in each sentence below.

Two girls went to the museum.

The rooms were full of paintings.

Statues stood in the garden

The father rode a taxi

The driver drove along the streets.

Section E:

Write the plural form of each noun. (8pts)

Carrie and Gina watch many bird.

Two nests are in some bush.

The mother robins perch on branch.

The girls do not disturb the chick.

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The little birds make loud chirp.

We all have different hobby.

Amy reads adventure story.

The children saw several sheep.

The trip leaders pointed out a herd of deer.

Several goose swam in a pond.

Two man were fishing in a stream.

They were as quiet as mouse.

Some child wanted to fish too.

One child had sore foot form walking so far.

Section F: ***Common and Proper Nouns***

Drag and drop the underlined words in the passage below to the correct column to tell whether it is a common or proper noun.

Sam Griffin lives in Mexico. His neighbors have a son named Miguel. Miguel's nickname is Mike. Mike and Sam are best friends. The boys go to Alta Vista Elementary School. Both students write for the school newsletter.

Common Nouns	**Proper Nouns**
1._____	1._____
2._____	2._____
3._____	3._____
4._____	4._____
5._____	5._____
6._____	6._____

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Section G: ***Pronouns***

Choose the pronoun that would best replace the underlined words in the sentences.

The children found another key.

What is the key used for?

Ned, Kara and I see a big box.

Does the box have a lock?

Ned fits the key into the lock.

Kara sees that the key fits.

Kara and I open the box.

Ned smiles at Kara and me.

The box is full of old toys.

Kara and I play with the toys.

Section G: Verbs

Write the action verb in each sentence on the lines provided.

Maya and Kathy tell jokes.

Kevin plans his magic trick.

Three boys make some puppets.

Rafael writes the advertisements.

The talent show begins in ten minutes.

Kevin wears a black suit.

Maya stretches her arms and legs.

All the performers wait backstage.

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