



STUDENT'S NAME:

CLASS/SECTION:

ASSESSMENT PAPER 1

PRELIM TERM

Primary 3

English as a Second Language

45 Minutes

SECTION A - READING	
SECTION B - GRAMMAR	
SECTION C - LISTENING	
SECTION D - WRITING	

Section A: READING COMPREHENSION

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DIRECTIONS : Read the paragraph about " Chinese New Year Celebration"
Write T if the statement is TRUE and F if the statement is FALSE.



CHINESE NEW YEAR CELEBRATION

Chinese people use Chinese calendar. It is based on the cycles of moon. Before the New Year people clean their houses to clean away the bad luck from the old year.

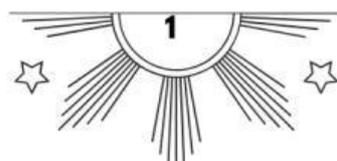
On New Year's Eve people have a special dinner. They cook whole fish and chicken. The animals are cooked whole because it means everything is going to be all together next year.

After dinner, it is time for firecrackers. People set off firecrackers to scare away any bad spirits. On New Year's Day people put on new clothes. People greet their parents and grandparents. They say "Gong Xi Fa Cai." (It means "Congratulations for the good fortune.")

Children get red envelopes with money inside. People watch the lion and dragon dances and wish everybody a happy and healthy New Year.



1. _____ People clean their houses on New Year's Day.
2. _____ On New Year's Eve people have a special dinner.
3. _____ "Gong Xi Fa Cai" means "Happy New Year."
4. _____ On New Year's Eve people put on new clothes.
5. _____ Children get red envelopes with chocolate coins inside.



Section B: GRAMMAR

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**DIRECTIONS : READ the sentences. Each of the sentences has a mistake.
FIND the mistake and WRITE the correct sentence.**

6. They're makeing a burger. _____

7. She's runing in the rain. _____

8. I is studying at home. _____

9. I'm listen to music. _____

10. He's writeing a letter. _____

Section C: LISTENING



DIRECTIONS : LISTEN to the poem "Rope Rhyme" twice. Choose the correct word from the box and WRITE the answer in the blank.

ROPE RHYME

Get set, ready now , jump right in
Bounce and kick and giggle and _____
Listen to the rope when it hits the ground
Listen to that clappedy-slappedy _____
Jump right up when it tells you to
Come back _____, whatever you do
Count to a hundred, count by ten
Start to _____all over again
That's what jumping is all about
Get set, ready now,
jump,
right,
_____!

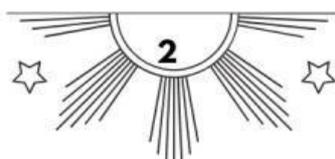
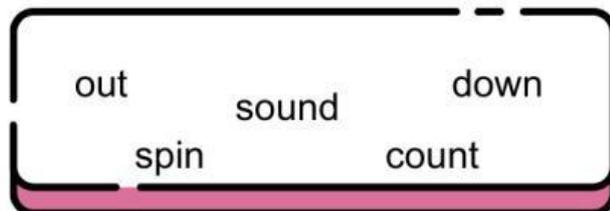
11. _____

12. _____

13. _____

14. _____

15. _____



Section D: WRITING

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DIRECTIONS : READ the instructions in the box below and **WRITE** an apology letter.

<p>What to write about?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pretend that you are Bat• Write a letter to the Mammals and the Birds• Say that you are sorry that you switched teams• Say that you are ready to follow the rules now• Ask if you can please come back and play• End the letter with the words : Your friend , Bat
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Dear _____ ,

