

**YEAR 8 GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY ASSESSMENT (EAL VERSION)**

**Section A: Vocabulary [15 Marks]**

Write the **NUMBER GIVEN** with the corresponding correct meaning in the **ANSWER** column

NO	WORD		MEANING	ANSWER
1	Dehydration		One pair of metal ring joined by a chain.	
2	Remedy		A roof made of dried plant leaves.	
3	Crockery		A person declared guilty of a criminal offence.	
4	Eerie		An action of clearing bacteria or germs from surfaces.	
5	Throb		A cruel act.	
6	Shackles		To say something without deliberate intention.	
7	Blacksmith		To put out a light or flame.	
8	Convict		Devil or evil spirit	
9	Atrocity		A poor condition, completely destroyed.	
10	Extinguish		Something that cures a condition.	
11	Thatch		Kitchen utensils that are of earthen materials.	
12	Blurt		A person who makes or repair iron materials.	
13	Wretched		A condition caused by lack of water in the body.	
14	Demon		Mysterious and frightening	
15	Sterilize		A strong, regular beat	

**Section B: Grammar [25 Marks]**

**Part 1: [ 5 Marks]**

*Rewrite sentences given below by using USED TO appropriately.*

*Example:*

Q: When she was a child, she lived in a small village.

A: When she was a child, she used to live in a small village.

1. When he was a young man, he enjoyed playing basketball.

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2. In ancient Rome, wall paintings were a popular form of advertising.

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3. Before she learned to read, her parents read stories to her.

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4. Before he came to Ankara, life was cheap in Turkey.

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5. Jim spoke German at school, but he has now forgotten.

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## Part 2: [10 Marks]

Complete the sentences below by using *USED TO* and *WOULD* appropriately.

Example:

I ..... **used to be** ..... (be) very shy. Whenever a stranger came to our house, I ...**would hide** (hide) in a closet.

1. Last summer, my sister and I took a camping trip in the Rocky Mountain. It was a wonderful experience. Every morning, we ..... (wake) up to the sound of singing birds. During the day, we ..... (hike) through woods and along mountain stream.
2. I ..... (be) afraid of flying. My heart ..... (start) pounding every time I stepped on a plane. But now I'm used to flying and enjoy it.
3. I got a new bicycle when I was ten. My friends ..... (ask) to ride it, but for years I ..... (let / never) anyone else use it.
4. When my grandfather was a boy and had a cold, his mother ..... (make) him go to bed. Then she ..... (put) goose fat on his chest.
5. When I was a child, I ..... (take) a flashlight to bed with me so that I could read comic books without my parents' knowing about it.

**Part 3: [10 Marks]**

Use words given to complete the conversation below.

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**Conversation 1**

- Receptionist: Good morning. .... can I help you Sir?
- Guest: Good morning. I would like to have a room for 2 nights here.
- Receptionist: Thank you for choosing Grand Meridian Sir. We have single bedroom, Twin bedroom, Deluxe Twin bedroom and Premium Suite. .... would be your preference Sir?
- Guest: I'd like to have the Premium Suite. .... is the price per night?
- Receptionist: Premium Suite would be RM 250 PER night, for 2 nights would cost RM500 Sir.
- Guest: Sounds good. .... are the facilities available there?
- Receptionist: We have an in-house Jacuzzi, and a family size lounge area, with ocean view from the room sir.  
Buffet breakfast, lunch and dinner is included. Free Wi-Fi and unlimited coffee and tea throughout a day is provided Sir.
- Guest: That sounds really nice, I'd like to take the room.

## **Conversation 2**

- Teacher: Simon, ..... is your opinion about online learning?
- Simon: Learning online is fun and boring at the same time.
- Teacher: ..... can it be?
- Simon: It is fun as we can have so many interactive activities during lesson and assignment aren't always of writing. Boring as I won't be able to see my friends and play with them.
- Teacher: ..... is your preference? Online? or Face-to-Face?
- Simon: I would say Face-to-Face because I really miss my friends.
- Teacher: ..... do you keep in touch with them now?
- Simon: I would make a video call to see my friends and chat.
- Teacher: ..... usually you would make those calls?
- Simon: I usually call them after school hour or at night.
- Teacher: I can understand ..... you and your friends are so attached now.