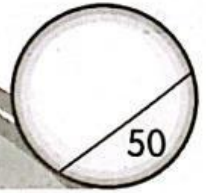




First Half-yearly Test

Ujian Pertengahan Sesi Akademik



PART 1

[5 marks]

Questions 1 to 5

Read the text in each question carefully. For each question, circle the correct answer A, B or C.

1.



This sign tells us to _____.

- A gather here in case of a fire
- B save the people here from a fire
- C build a fire here for the campsite

2.

Kit : Hi, Ben. How did you come to school this morning?

Ben : My dad drove me in his car.

Kit : I thought you live near our school?

Ben : Yeah, I normally come to school on foot but it was raining this morning.

From the dialogue, we know that _____.

- A Ben's house is near to his school
- B Kit drives a car to school every day
- C Ben didn't use to walk to school in the morning



3.

KTM IMPORTANT NOTICE

- ★ Arrive at the station 30 minutes before departure time.
- ★ Boarding closes five minutes before departure time.
- ★ One passenger can bring up to three pieces of luggage.

If Jamie is boarding the 10:40 a.m. train to Klang, she _____.

- A can bring five pieces of luggage
- B can board the train at 10:35 a.m.
- C should be at the station by 10:10 a.m.

4.

WE ARE HIRING!

We're looking for passionate and dedicated teachers!

Requirements:

- ✿ Fluent in English and Mandarin
- ✿ At least two years of experience in teaching primary school pupils
- ✿ Possess a driver's licence

George can apply for this job if he _____.

- A doesn't have a car
- B loves working with kids
- C has no teaching experience

5.

Lucas

Mum, I forgot to bring along my football shoes when I left home. I need them for school practice later at 4 p.m. Can you send them to me by 3 p.m.? I'll be at Jacob's house. Thanks!

Lucas wrote this message to _____.

- A remind his mother to meet him at school
- B tell his mother to bring his football shoes
- C ask his mother to fetch him at Jacob's house

PART 2**[4 marks]****Questions 6 to 9**

Read the text below and choose the correct word for each blank. For each blank, circle the correct answer A, B or C.

A Magical Adventure

Hi, I'm Dylan. Welcome to my blog! My family and I went swimming with the dolphins last weekend. It was amazing! Dolphins are friendly, smart and so much fun to be around. I was nervous at first (6) _____ it turned out to be the best experience ever! I jumped (7) _____ the water and swam alongside the dolphins. They (8) _____ around and even played ball with me. The water was crystal clear. The dolphins were so graceful as they swam in the sea. I (9) _____ like I was part of their ocean world!

Fun fact: Do you know that dolphins sleep with one eye open?

6. A so

B but

C because

7. A in

B into

C over

8. A soaked

B swirled

C splashed

9. A felt

B feel

C feeling

PART 3**[5 marks]****Questions 10 to 14**

Read the text below and answer the questions that follow. For each question, circle the correct answer A, B or C.

Don't Play with Fire

Jack felt very bored at home. He had no siblings to play with, and his parents were at work. As he looked around the house, he noticed a small box of matches on the dining table.

"I've never played with matches before. This could be fun!" Jack thought. He took out one match and struck it against the side of the box. Suddenly, a small orange flame appeared at the tip. He thought it was beautiful and tried to touch it. He slowly moved his little finger towards the flame.

"Ouch!" he screamed as the heat burned him. In pain, he dropped the match, which landed on a pile of old newspapers. Within seconds, the fire started spreading. The flames grew bigger, and smoke filled the air. Jack panicked. "Help! Fire! Help me!" he screamed loudly for help.

Luckily, his neighbour, Lim, heard his cries. He rushed inside, grabbed Jack and carried him out of the house to safety.

Jack trembled as tears ran down his face. He was grateful to Lim for saving his life. From that day on, he promised never to play with fire again.

10. Jack was feeling bored at home because _____.
A he had a lot of work to do
B he was alone at home with nothing to do
C he was waiting for his neighbour to come over to his house
11. Where was Jack when the incident happened?
A Outside B At home C At his neighbour's house
12. What happened after Jack touched the flame?
A He blew out the fire before it spread.
B He dropped the match on the floor and it burned out.
C He burned his finger and dropped the match on some newspapers.
13. How did Jack escape from the fire?
A His neighbour carried him outside.
B Lim put out the fire and saved him.
C He ran outside to safety all by himself.

14. In the end, Jack learned that _____.
- A he could play with matches
 - B he should not use matches without adults' supervision
 - C he should have played with the matches more carefully

PART 4

[6 marks]

Questions 15 to 20

Read the texts about three people (A, B and C) carefully. For each question, choose the person (A, B or C) who fits the description. Write your answer in the space provided.

A	Anna I have loved the ocean since I was young. As a marine biologist, I have worked for eight years studying whales, turtles and jellyfish. I think it is very exciting to dive into the sea and learn about sea creatures. I help clean the ocean and protect coral reefs. Sometimes, I also rescue sick sea creatures. When I am not in the water, I visit schools to teach children about the ocean. I hope people will stop polluting the sea and help protect marine life.
B	Debbie I have been working as an astronomer for ten years. I chose this job because I love studying the space. I work in an observatory, where I use a telescope to look at the planets, stars and asteroids. I spend many nights watching the sky and writing reports. My job is important because I help scientists to understand space. Sometimes, I appear on television or visit schools to talk about the universe and space travel. I hope one day I can help astronauts travel to Mars.
C	Olivia As soon as I finished my studies, I became a wildlife photographer. I travel to different countries to take pictures of animals in nature. Most of them are elephants, polar bears and colourful birds. It is not easy because I must wait for hours to capture the perfect picture. I also have to be very quiet so that I do not scare the animals. My photos appear in magazines and books to teach people about wildlife. I hope my pictures will help people love and protect animals.

A	Anna
B	Debbie
C	Olivia

0.	This person travels a lot in her line of work.	C
15.	She uses special equipment to look at things that are far away.	
16.	People can see her work in books and magazines.	
17.	She visits schools to teach kids about protecting living creatures and their environment.	
18.	This person is not afraid of going underwater when doing her job.	
19.	Her job involves waiting for the right moment, so she has to be patient.	
20.	This person needs to stay awake at night to make observations.	

PART 5

[5 marks]

Questions 21 to 25

Read the descriptions of some words about life in the past. What is the word for each one? The first letter is already there. There is one space for each letter in the word.

0.	An object that holds oil and gives light by burning the oil.	o _ _ _ l _ a _ m _ p
21.	A small house, usually in the countryside.	c _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _
22.	A subject in which you study things that happened in the past.	h _ _ _ _ _ _ _
23.	Housewives used it to wash clothes by hand.	w _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _
24.	People burnt it to produce heat during winter.	c _ _ _ _
25.	This feather was used as a pen.	q _ _ _ _

[10 marks]

In your email,

- ▶ say what you like to eat as a kid.
- ▶ tell him what activities you used to do.
- ▶ share with him how you feel about your childhood.

Write about 30 to 50 words. Write your email below.

To:	henry@zmail.com.my
Subject:	My childhood

Date: 21st June 2012
 From: Henry (henry@zmail.com.my)
 Fee: RM30 per person

Register with your class teacher before 15th June
 Write your email in about 60 to 80 words.

To: henry@zmail.com.my
 Subject: School camping trip

The new Lono Watch is both a watch and a mobile phone. Apart from showing time, it can also be used for making calls, sending emails and so on. So, as well as being so useful, it is made of metal and it is waterproof.

In this test, we know that the Lono Watch is only sold for a long time.

PART 7

[15 marks]

Your school is having a camping trip. Write an email to your classmate, Lisa, to tell her about it and invite her to go with you.

SJK(C) TIN LIN

CAMPING TRIP

All Year 5 and Year 6 students of SJK(C) Tin Lin only

Date : 21st June – 23rd June

Venue : Penang Nature Park

Fee : RM30 per person

Activities:

- Fishing
- Cooking competition
- Jungle trekking

Register with your class teacher before 12th June.



Write your email in about 60 to 80 words.

To:	lisa@zmail.com.my
Subject:	School camping trip