



Week 13
English Mastery
Primary 2

The Write Tribe

TEST PART 1

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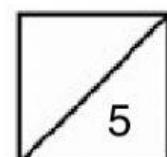
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IDIOMS (5 marks)

word/phrase	meaning
Bolt from the blue	
It's better to be safe than sorry	
Live and learn	
Kill two birds with one stone	
Don't cry over spilt milk	

Admit you made a mistake and learn from it	No point being upset over something that cannot be changed
Get two things done at once	Suddenly
Make sure you are careful before you do anything	



Use the idioms to form sentences (10 marks)

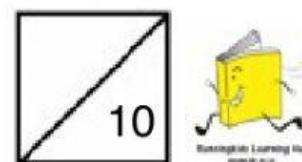
1. Bolt from the blue

2. It's better to be safe than sorry

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5. Don't cry over spilt milk



Match the proverbs (5 marks)

**If you play with fire,
you will get burned**

**As you sow, you shall
reap**

**Money doesn't grow on
trees**

**Laughter is the best
medicine**

Practice makes perfect

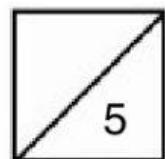
Don't waste money

Being positive will make
you feel better even if bad
things are happening.

If you do dangerous things,
be prepared to get hurt.

The more you do
something, the better you
will become at it.

If you do good things, good
will happen to you. If you do
bad things, bad things will
happen to you.



Write a suitable sentence to explain the proverb (10 marks)

Example: The grass is always greener on the other side

Your neighbours may appear to have a swell life from the outside. However, I am sure they have problems too. The grass is always greener on the other side!

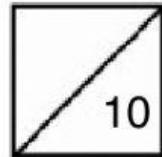
1. Practice makes perfect

2. Laughter is the best medicine

3. Money doesn't grow on trees

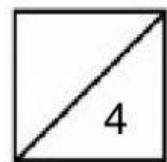
4. As you sow, you shall reap

5. If you play with fire, you will get burned



word/phrase	meaning
Aroma	
Packed like sardines	
Chided	
Famished	

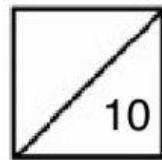
Good smell of food	scolded	Very crowded
very hungry		



Fill in the blanks (10 marks)

playful kitten	hard rocks	slow turtle	
fit fiddle	white ghost	green grass	
pretty picture	wise owl	tall giraffe	light feather

1. My sister does not do anything quickly. She is a _____.
2. The broccoli's colour was _____.
3. Joanne could touch the ceiling easily, she is a _____.
4. Danny has read a lot of books. No wonder he is a _____.
5. My father exercises a lot. He is a _____.
6. The noodles were _____. Munching on them will crack my teeth!
7. Sara turned into a _____ when she saw a flying cockroach. She's deathly afraid of cockroaches.
8. After removing the heavy books, my bag became a _____.
9. My sister is always full of beans. She's always climbing everything. She's such a _____.
10. Rogerina, in her creamy white dress was a _____.



Using similes to write character descriptions (20 marks)

Cold as ice

Mother can be as cold as ice

Reason:

if you cross her

Put them together:

Mother can be as cold as ice if you cross her.

Flat as a pancake

Joanne's nose is as flat as a pancake.

Reason:

after she got punched by a bully.

Put them together:

Joanne's nose is as flat as a pancake after she got punched by a bully.

1. as slow as a turtle

2. as playful as a kitten

3. as pretty as a picture

4. as light as a feather



Using similes to write character descriptions

5. as hard as a rock

6. as green as grass

7. as wise as an owl

8. as tall as a giraffe

9. as fit as a fiddle

10. as white as a ghost

