

## Developing Potential for Success School

Building Wisdom with Virtues

Vocabulary & Reading Tests

Time Allowed: 60 Minutes

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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### SECTION A: VOCABULARY

Vocabulary from Oxford Word Skills Course book (Unit 21-40)

A: Match the following words with their definitions. (10pts)

A. Accelerate	F. The outskirt	K. Neutral	P. Leak
B. Reverse	G. The rush hour	L. Elegant	Q. Faulty
C. Day return	H. Skid	M. Filling	R. mud
D. Valid	I. Collide with	N. Specialist	S. Polish
E. Via	J. Figure	O. Surgeon	T. Grease

#### Definitions

1. Going through a place (to get to another place)
2. Hit sth very hard while moving
3. A mixture that a dentist puts in your tooth to fill a hole
4. Go backwards in a car
5. A doctor who does medical operations
6. A ticker to travel to a place and back again on the same day
7. A person who knows a lot about a particular subject
8. (of a color) not strong or bright
9. Allow liquid or gas to go through a hole or crack
10. Go faster
11. Not working well; only working sometimes
12. Acceptable and able to be used
13. Soft, wet earth
14. The time when a lot of people travelling to and from work
15. The shape of the body, especially that of the woman
16. Make sth shine by rubbing it with a cream or liquid
17. Suddenly move forwards or sideways without any control
18. The outer part of a town or city
19. Oil or fat that comes from cooking
20. Attractive and well designed

Write your answer here

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**B: Complete each gap below with a correct word from the box. (7.5pts)**

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|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. Stylish     | 5. out of order | 9. wards       | 14. urgent      |
| 2. speedometer | 6. nightmare    | 10. tidy       | 15. transformed |
| 3. chew        | 7. stains       | 11. outfit     |                 |
| 4. windscreen  | 8. connecting   | 12. wiped      |                 |
| wiper          | flight          | 13. broke down |                 |

- We use the ..... to clean the wind screen when it is dirty or rains.
- His digital ..... read 54 miles an hour, faster than he had ever ridden in his life.
- A ..... will take at least two different planes with two different flight numbers to reach your final destination.
- The party was a complete ..... I will not join this kind of party again.
- Our car ..... and we had to push it off the road.
- Puthy is wearing a ..... suit.
- I've got a cowboy ..... for the fancy dress party.
- The old factory has been ..... into an art gallery.
- You don't ..... your food enough - that's why you get indigestion.
- Many people are in ..... need of food and water during this lockdown.
- Two hospital ..... have had to be closed for fumigation.
- I'm afraid we have to walk up the stairs – the elevator is .....
- Tomato sauce ..... terribly - it's really difficult to get it out of clothes.
- She wiped the mirrors until they shone.
- The house was clean and .....

Write your answer here

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**C: Circle the best word in each of the following sentences. (7.5pts)**

- The form was terribly complicated and I had a lot of *trouble/valid* with it.
- The next meeting is *invalid/due* to be held in three months' time.
- What time did you get *into/in* last night?
- I turn up/get in at school at 7 o'clock.

5. I heard that our trip had been arranged/postponed due to the bad weather.
6. I'll *stop off/stop by* at the shops on my way home and get some wine.
7. The whole journey was a *nightmarish/nightmare* - we lost our luggage and we arrived two days late.
8. This door seems to be *stuck/struck* - can you help me push it open?
9. She was crushed in a *freak/fatal* accident in a cave in Thailand.
10. The accident has blocked two *lanes/paths* of the motorway.
11. You should slow down as you approach the *junction/outskirt*.
12. I could see two tall *fingers/figures* in the distance.
13. Kai wants dark red walls, but I'd rather a more *neutral/fashionable* colour like grey.
14. I've got a cowboy *suits/outfit* for the fancy dress party.
15. *The old photograph brought back painful/memorable memories. It reminds me about my ex-boyfriend.*

D: Choose the option A, B, C or D that BEST completes each gap in the passage below or the correct synonym for each underlined word.(7.5pts)

1. I'd like to make ..... with Dr Snow, please.  
A. a meeting      B. an appointment      C. assumable      D. filling
2. The nurse pulled a screen around the bed so that the doctor could ..... the patient in private.  
A. checkup      B. check-up      C. examine      D. examind
3. He's been having ..... for two months now without any improvement.  
A. examined      B. treat      C. treatment      D. treated
4. The man claimed that he was once ..... on his way to work. They took his wallet.  
A. murdered      B. vandalize      C. robbed      D. attacked

5. This car is worth a lot of money.
- A. fashionable      B. extravagant      C. expensive      D. extraordinary
6. I visit my relation from time to time.
- A. occasionally      B. frequently      C. recently      D. continually
7. Mr. and Mrs Kiki are very loving.
- A. perfect      B. affectionate      C. quarrelsome      D. jovial
8. Lolo has consented to marry Lyly.
- A. decided      B. agreed      C. planed      D. offered
9. The courageous man saved the tittle girl from the fire.
- A. brave      B. clever      C. strong      D. fierce
10. We made a serious mistake in your report.
- A. minor      B. slight      C. sad      D. grave
11. No one has found a remedy for this disease.
- A. help      B. solution      C. cure      D. medicine
12. My brother is as obstinate as a mule.
- A. hardworking      B. cunning      C. stubborn      D. stupid
13. My son is very eager to meet you.
- A. happy      B. glad      C. unwilling      D. keen
14. The survey reveals that two-thirds of married women earn less than their husbands.
- A. weeps      B. exposes      C. vanishes      D. moist
15. These men are ready to die for their country.
- A. escapes      B. reside      C. pass away      D. respect
16. The jury concluded from the evidence that the defendant was not guilty.
- A. innocent      B. victim      C. sentenced      D. fine



17. A person who sees an event happening, especially a crime or an accident:

- A. victim                      B. the prosecution                      C. the defence                      D. witness

18. The crime of getting money by deceiving people:

- A. theft                      B. burglary                      C. fraud                      D. robbery

19. Children need to be taught to have respect for other people's belongings.

- A. property                      B. violent                      C. offence                      D. attack

20. I walked in and everyone burst \_\_\_\_\_ laughing.

- A. into                      B. in                      C. out                      D. of

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E: Supply the correct key term based on the given definition. (10pts)

- .....: a country that agrees to support another country.
- .....: a ticket that can only be used for travelling to a place and back to where you started in a single day
- .....: acceptable and able to be used.
- .....: stop fighting and admit you have lost.
- .....: talk to somebody in order to decide or agree on something.
- .....: the organizations that deal with accidents and urgent problems such as fire, illness, or crime

7. ....: having many different uses or ble to adapt or be adapted to many different functions or activities.
8. ....: a place where you can consult a dentist.
9. ....: a set of clothes worn for a particular occasion or activity
- 10.....: something added to a machine or to clothing that has a useful or decorative purpose
- 11.....: the leader of the country with no king or queen.
- 12.....: a war between groups of people who live in the same country.
13. ....: the time when people choose individuals to speak for them and act for them.
- 14.....: one of the areas into which the country is divided for voting in political election.
- 15.....: an examination of evidence in court to decide if somebody has done something illegal.

#### PET READING

Reading PET Part 1  
Reading PET Part 2  
Reading PET Part 3  
Reading PET Part 4