RACE TO 50 BUCKS CHALLENGE

SET 1 QUIZ 1 : 2 bucks or no bucks

rustled	**in seventh heaven**	**wobbled**
firmly	**accomplishment**	**assured**
took a deep breath	**tentatively**	**instructions**
reward		

1. Jonah _____ of fresh air and grinned. He was in _____ when he finally climbed up the tallest hill in his city.

2. The strong wind _____ the tree leaves and swayed the branches. James _____ as he tried to walk against the direction of the wind.

3. Joanne has _____ agreed to perform during the National Day concert. If we offer her a _____ she may not back out.

4. I _____ my mother that I will follow her _____ when baking a cake.

5. Mr. John _____ believes that it is hard work that resulted in his _____ as the most successful business man in his village.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

SET 1 QUIZ 2 : 2 bucks or no bucks

raining cats and dogs	**quiet as a church mouse**	**seeker**
Therefore	**strained his ears**	**loud steady voice**
wardrobe	**high-pitch screech**	**astonishment**
flailing his arms wildly	**yelled at the top of his lungs**	**burst into laughter**
comical sight		

It was 1._____ outside. Gabriel and his older brother Hadriel could not go out to play.2. _____, they decided to play hide and seek in the house. Gabriel was the 3._____. He covered his eyes with his hands and stood facing a wall while Hadriel went in search of a hiding place. In a 4. _____, Gabriel counted, ".....9...10. I'm coming!"

Gabriel wondered where to begin looking. He 5. _____ to listen for any sounds. Hadriel was 6. _____. Gabriel decided to start searching in the bedroom. Gabriel went through the 7. _____ and looked under the beds. Hadriel was nowhere to be found.

Just as Gabriel was going to look in the kitchen, there was a 8. _____. To his 9. _____, he saw his older brother storming out from the store room, screaming and 10. _____.

"There's a flying cockroach!" Hadriel 11. _____. Gabriel could not control himself and 12. _____ at his brother's 13. _____.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

SET 1 QUIZ 3 : 2 bucks or no bucks

Words and their meanings

Phrases	Meaning
raining cats and dogs	
Therefore	
seeker	
loud steady voice	
strained his ears	
as quiet as a church mouse	
wardrobe	
high-pitched screech	
to his astonishment	
sprinting	
flailing his arms wildly	
yelled at the top of his voice	

raining heavily	**voice that is clear and calm**	**one who is looking for something**
made an effort to hear	**running very quickly**	**moving his arms in the air in a frantic manner**
a sharp cry	**to his surprise**	**shouted loudly**
a cabinet used for holding clothes	**very quiet**	**as a result**

LIVEWORKSHEETS

SET 1 QUIZ 4 : 1 buck or no buck

secure	**steady**
serious	**solid**

It was the first day on his job as a prison guard. John was determined to impress his seniors. With 1. _____ footsteps, he walked towards the prison cells. His duties included passing food trays to the prisoners. He knew this was a 2. _____ task and he had to do it well. He had heard too many horror stories. One of the prison inmates grabbed an officer's hand through the door flap and wouldn't let go for hours!

Despite knowing that the prisoners were locked behind 3. _____ steel bars, John's heart palpitated. With steady hands, he passed the first food tray through the door flap. After making sure the prisoner had received his food tray, John ensured the lock was safe and 4. _____.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

SET 1 QUIZ 5 : 1 buck or no buck

crawled	**skipped**
sprinted	**strolled**

Madeline 1. _____ beside her mother as they made their way to the park. She could not wait to get to the playground and play on her favourite swing. When she saw the playground, Madeline let go of her Mother's hand and 2. _____ towards it. After telling Madeline to be careful, Mother 3. _____ to the nearby bench where a few mothers were chatting away. Madeline was happily swinging up and down when she saw something shiny beneath the slide. She 4. _____ on her belly under the slide to investigate.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

SET 1 QUIZ 6 : 2 buck or no buck

comical sight	**high-pitch**	**beads of perspiration**
burst into laughter	**flailing her arms wildly**	**engrossed**
humongous	**looking high and low**	**exhilaration**
dotted	**sapphire blue**	**enthusiastically**

1. Janet was _____ to get the attention of the lifeguard.

2. A _____ cry got the attention of the lifeguard

3. I was _____ for my lost book.

4. _____ dotted my forehead as I was _____ in the task of building a mechanical toy for my brother.

5. The two clowns got the attention of the crowd. It was such a _____ that everyone _____.

6. The sky was a _____ and white fluffy clouds _____ the blue vastness.

7. The _____ stadium had twelve badminton courts.

8. Feeling the _____ rising in them, the two girls played _____.

LIVEWORKSHEETS