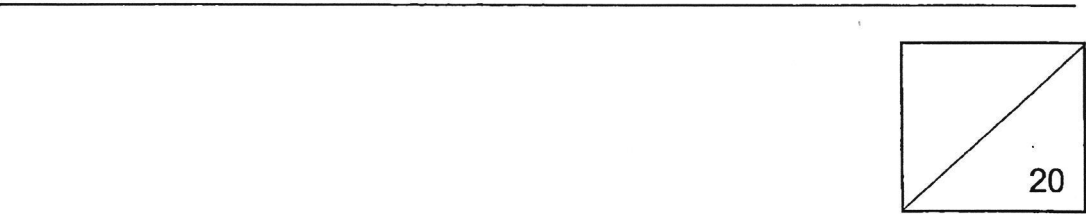


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### (A) Grammar

For each question from 1 to 4, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and write your answer in the bracket.

(4 marks)

1. Last Sunday, Oliver \_\_\_\_\_ a nature walk along the MacRitchie Reservoir.

(1) take  
(2) took  
(3) takes  
(4) is taking

(       )

2. When Nina won the race, she was so proud of \_\_\_\_\_ for training tirelessly.

(1) myself  
(2) herself  
(3) yourself  
(4) themselves

(       )

3. "\_\_\_\_\_ cup of lemonade is so sour! Please add more sugar syrup," said Sara as she pointed to the cup in her hand.

(1) This  
(2) That  
(3) These  
(4) Those

(       )

4. The tickets for the charity funfair were sold out. \_\_\_\_\_ people turned up to support the event for the homeless.

(1) A few  
(2) Many  
(3) Much  
(4) Some

(       )

**(B) Vocabulary**

For each question from 5 to 8, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and write your answer in the bracket.

(4 marks)

5. The \_\_\_\_\_ created stunning artwork to beautify the walls of the school library. The artwork featured popular characters from children's books.
- (1) actor  
(2) artist  
(3) author  
(4) advertiser ( )
6. Jakob \_\_\_\_\_ in the piercing wind, so he wrapped himself more tightly in his thick woollen jacket.
- (1) waved  
(2) fluttered  
(3) shivered  
(4) shattered ( )
7. "Where is the toilet?" Aisha \_\_\_\_\_ in Mother's ear during the movie, not wanting to disturb the others.
- (1) shouted  
(2) gossiped  
(3) chattered  
(4) whispered ( )
8. There was a \_\_\_\_\_ display of fireworks at the Marina Bay on New Year's Day. Everyone applauded after it ended.
- (1) dull  
(2) limp  
(3) grim  
(4) vibrant — ( )

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**(C) Grammar Cloze – Prepositions**

There are 4 blanks, numbered 9 to 12 in the passage below. Choose the correct word from the words given in the box and write its letter (A to F) in each blank.

(4 marks)

**Use each word once only.**

(A) down	(B) for	(C) from
(D) of	(E) through	(F) up

Having the service dog, Knight, was one of the best decisions Patrick made. Patrick used a wheelchair to get (9) \_\_\_\_\_ one place to another. Ever since an accident, Patrick was not able to move about to do simple chores by himself.

A year ago, while struggling to get (10) \_\_\_\_\_ the front door, Patrick dropped his keys. It was a nightmare (11) \_\_\_\_\_ him to reach out for the keys because leaning out of his wheelchair to pick (12) \_\_\_\_\_ the keys was dangerous. He could fall out easily.

With Knight around, Peter had someone to look out for him. "With a simple command, Knight knows what to do!" said Peter with relief.

*Adapted from Changing a Life: Patrick and Service Dog Knight. NEADS: World Class Service Dogs.*

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**(D) Grammar Cloze – Subject-Verb Agreement**

For each question from 13 to 16 in the passage below, two options are given.  
**Underline** the correct word from the given words in the brackets.

(4 marks)

Lions are known as symbols of power and strength. Very few animals **(13)** [ is / are ]  
a threat to lions. Leopards and hyenas **(14)** [ hunt / hunts ] lion cubs only when the adult  
lions are out of sight.

Unfortunately, humans **(15)** [ has / have ] been a real threat to adult lions. Lions are  
hunted for their body parts or displayed as a symbol of achievement.  
This **(16)** [ was / were ] accepted in the past. In recent years, many animal welfare groups  
have come forward to stand against such hunting practices.

*Adapted from Thomson, S. (2023). Save the...LIONS.*

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**(E) Editing for Spelling**

Each of the underlined words contains a spelling error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes.

(4 marks)

*Do you know of anyone who keeps a field mouse as a pet? Walt Disney once*

(17)

*corght a mouse and made a leash for it using a string.*

(18)

*One fine school day, Walt hurried into class and showed everyone his new*

(19)

*pet. One of his classmates saw the little animal and skreemed. Their teacher*

(20)

*stomped right over and scolded Walt. Walt was not upset. He was pleesed to get all*

*the attention with his pet mouse for a day. At that time, he did not know that*

*another mouse, Mickey Mouse, would make him really famous all over the world.*

*Adapted from Stewart.W. (2014). Who Was Walt Disney?.*

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Q11)	B
Q12)	F
Q13)	are
Q14)	hunt
Q15)	have
Q16)	was
Q17)	caught
Q18)	hurried
Q19)	screamed
Q20)	pleased

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