

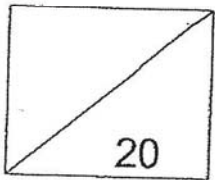
Nanyang Primary School
Primary 4
English Language
Term 3 Weighted Assessment

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(A) Grammar

For each question from 1 to 3, 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.
(3 marks)

1. Vani _____ the first among her siblings to fall asleep last night.
- (1) is
 - (2) are
 - (3) was
 - (4) were
- ()

2. _____ old magazines in the room upstairs are a fire hazard.
- (1) This
 - (2) That
 - (3) These
 - (4) Those
- ()

3. I was careful and made _____ mistakes in my worksheet this time.
- (1) little
 - (2) many
 - (3) much
 - (4) fewer
- ()

(B) Vocabulary

For each question from 4 to 6, 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.

(3 marks)

4. John broke the vase and put the _____ on Jane.

- (1) guilt
- (2) crime
- (3) blame
- (4) mistake

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5. Suling is a _____ girl who does not like to waste money buying things that she does not need.

- (1) thrifty
- (2) stingy
- (3) selfish
- (4) choosy

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6. One of the _____ for making ice cream is milk.

- (1) recipes
- (2) supplies
- (3) equipment
- (4) ingredients

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Score

(C) Grammar Cloze

There are 3 blanks, numbered 7 to 9 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. Use each word once only. (3 marks)

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|----------|--------|----------|
| (A) her | (B) it | (C) them |
| (D) they | (E) us | (F) we |

Recess was almost over. Mary and Jane were walking hurriedly towards the library and did not see a big stone in front of (7) _____. Unfortunately, Mary tripped over (8) _____ and fell. Mary cried out in pain as she had injured her knees. The books she had been carrying were scattered on the floor. Jane saw what had happened to Mary and immediately went over to help (9) _____. Mary felt thankful that Jane was around to help her.

Score

(D) Editing for Spelling

Each of the underlined words contains a spelling error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes. (3 marks)

One day, Ahmad and Ros were playing with their cat in a field near their

(10)

home. They discovered a hole and were intrested to find out what was in it.

Unfortunately, their cat fell into it. They tried to rescue their pet but were

unsuccessful.

(11)

The pair ran home to inform their parents and all of them soon arivd at

(12)

the scene. The hole was not big enuff for an adult to enter and they tried

many different ways to rescue the cat.

Eventually, they succeeded in getting the frightened animal out.

Score

(E) Comprehension

Read this passage and answer questions 13 to 19.

(8 marks)

Uncle Podger was an annoying person. Whenever he took on a task in his house, he would turn the house upside down. Once, his wife, Aunt Mary wanted to hang a picture on the wall. When Uncle saw that, he immediately said, "Let me do it! I design buildings every day and this is child's play."

First, he sent his daughter, Alice, to get some nails. Before climbing onto the chair, he instructed his son, Tom, to get the hammer. While one person was holding the hammer, I was shining a light on the wall so that Uncle could make a mark for the nail.

By this time, Uncle, who was a little on the heavy side, was short of breath and having difficulty balancing himself on the chair.

"Hand me the hammer and picture," Uncle ordered. Tom handed him the hammer which Uncle promptly dropped on my foot and unjustly scolded me for no reason. As the picture was heavy, it slipped from his hand too. The glass came off as the frame hit the chair. Uncle managed to save the glass but cut himself.

After that, Uncle got down from the chair to look for his handkerchief to bandage his wound. We searched everywhere for it but to no avail. Uncle reprimanded us, "Doesn't anybody know where my handkerchief is?"

By ten o'clock that night, everyone was hungry and tired. The picture was finally on the wall, but crooked. When Uncle asked us if he had done a good job, we all agreed very quickly that he had.

Adapted from: Three Men in a Boat by Jerome K. Jerome

13. Pick out a **two-word** phrase from paragraph 1 that tells us that Uncle Podger considered hanging a picture on the wall to be a simple thing to do. [1m]

Do not
write in this
space

For questions 14 to 15, read each statement and tick ✓ "True" or "False".
The first example has been done for you. [2m]

	Statement	True	False
Example	Aunt Mary was Uncle Podger's wife.	✓	
14.	Uncle Podger would make a mess of the house every time he helped out at home.		
15.	Aunt Mary asked Uncle Podger to hang a picture on the wall for her.		

16. How did Uncle Podger's heavy weight affect him while he was hanging the picture on the wall? [2m]

17. Write 1, 2 and 3 in the blanks to show what happened first, next, and last in paragraph 2. [1m]

- _____ Uncle Podger climbed onto the chair.
- _____ Uncle Podger sent his daughter to get some nails.
- _____ Uncle Podger sent his son to get the hammer.

18. Which word has the same meaning as "immediately"?
Circle either (A) or (B). [1m]

Tom handed him the hammer which he promptly dropped on my foot and
(A)

unjustly scolded me for no reason.
(B)

19. Tick ✓ the answer which best completes the sentence.
Everyone agreed very quickly with Uncle Podger that he did a good job because _____. [1m]

- they were grateful to him for volunteering
- they were satisfied with the way the picture had been hung
- they were afraid they had to go through the whole process of hanging the picture again

Score

ANSWER KEY

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Q1	3	Q2	4	Q3	4	Q4	3	Q5	1
Q6	4	Q7	C	Q8	B	Q9	A		

Q10	interested
Q11	arrived
Q12	enough
Q13	child's play
Q14	True
Q15	False
Q16	Uncle Podger was short of breath and he could not balance himself on the chair.
Q17	3 1 2
Q18	promptly (A)
Q19	✓ They were afraid they had to go through the whole process of hanging the picture again.

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