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Class	Primary 6	100	
Date	18 August 2022		46 A., F. J. (), 10 (), 10 (), 20 (
Duration for Situational Writing & Continuous Writing	1h 10min		
Marks			55
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Instructions to students		Do NOT open this booklet until you are told to do so. Follow all instructions carefully. Answer all questions.
	4.	Use a dark blue or black ballpoint pen to write your answers in the foolscap.

This paper consists of 3 pages altogether.

Part 1: Situational Writing (15 marks)

1 The pictures below show Kai, Raj and Ain discussing an idea after school on 10 October 2022. Study the pictures carefully.



In your email, include the following key information:

<u>Your Task</u>

Imagine you are Kai.

Write an email to Mr Lee, Manager of Angel Bakery, to request if he can provide some snacks for the visit.

You are to refer to the pictures and information on page 1 for your email.

In your email, include the following key information:

- when and where the visit will take place
- the purpose of the visit
- two other details of the request
- when he needs to reply to you

You may reorder the points. Remember to write in complete sentences.

Part 2: Continuous Writing (40 marks)

2 Write a composition of <u>at least 150 words</u> about **something precious**.

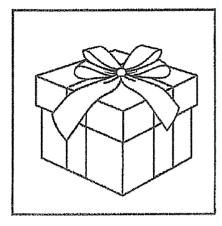
The pictures are provided to help you think about this topic.

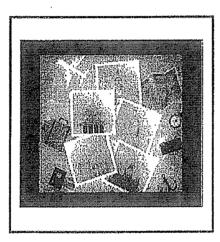
Your composition should be based on one or more of these pictures.

Consider the following points when you plan your composition:

- What was precious?
- Why was it precious?

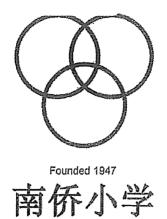
You may use the points in any order and include other relevant points as well.







End of Paper



NAN CHIAU PRIMARY SCHOOL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION 2022 ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2 LANGUAGE USE & COMPREHENSION PRIMARY 6 Booklet A

Name / Index #		()
Class	Primary 6		
Date	18 August 2022		
Duration for Booklet A, B and C	1h 50min		
	Booklet A		28
Marks	Booklet B		67
	Total		95
Parent's Signature			

Instructions to	1.	Do NOT open this booklet until you are told to do so.
students	2.	Follow all instructions carefully.
	3.	Answer all questions.
	4.	Shade your answers in the Optical Answer Sheet provided.
	5.	Do not use correction fluid/tape or highlighters on the OAS.

This paper consists of 9 pages altogether.

For each question from 1 to 10, choose the appropriate option (1, 2, 3 or 4). Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (10 marks)

- 1 The soldiers had been briefed on what to do ______ there be an emergency.
 - (1) will
 - (2) shall
 - (3) would
 - (4) should
- 2 The doctor recommended that I ______ a vision break every thirty minutes of near work.
 - (1) take
 - (2) took
 - (3) takes
 - (4) am taking
- 3 _____ do you expect us to complete our project within an hour? We need more time.
 - (1) Who
 - (2) How
 - (3) When
 - (4) Where
- 4 My elder sister is envious _____ my new dress.
 - (1) of
 - (2) by
 - (3) on
 - (4) with

5 This is by far _____ movie that I have ever watched.

- (1) an entertaining
- (2) a very entertaining
- (3) the most entertaining
- (4) the more entertaining

"I'm going to pass this test with flying colours, _____?" asked Sharon. 6

- (1) do I
- (2) am I
- (3) don't l
- (4) aren't l

7 People who work at night have to get used to ______ in the daytime.

- (1) slept
- (2) sleep
- (3) sleeps
- (4) sleeping
- Advice about possible career choices ______ to the students who are 8 interested to know more.

 - (1) is given(2) are given
 - (3) has given
 - (4) have given

you continue to work hard, you will not achieve your goals. 9

- (1) If
- (2) Since
- (3) Unless
- (4) Despite
- 10 Neither of the twins ______ to join in the game but they have offered to organise it.
 - (1) want
 - (2) wants
 - (3) wanted
 - (4) wanting

For each question from 11 to 15, choose the most appropriate option (1, 2, 3 or 4). Shade the oval (1, 2, 3, 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

- 11 The culprits were fortunate to escape punishment despite the ______ of their offence.
 - (1) severity
 - (2) urgency
 - (3) intensity
 - (4) difficulty

12 Kelly was ______ for her brave act in saving the drowning child.

- (1) noticed
- (2) approved
- (3) appreciated
- (4) commended

13 Your new jacket really ______ the colour of your eyes.

- (1) brings in
- (2) brings up
- (3) brings out
- (4) brings along

14 Lester _____ that we go to his house for a meal and we obliged.

- (1) alleged
- (2) claimed
- (3) insisted
- (4) protested

15 It is better to do things slowly and properly as _____.

- (1) haste makes waste
- (2) still water runs deep
- (3) a stitch in time saves nine
- (4) time and tide wait for no man

For each question from 16 to 20, choose the word closest in meaning to the underlined words. Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

Max, being a mischievous boy, decided to play a trick on his teacher, Mrs Chan.

He <u>scooped</u> his pet mouse, Jerry, put it into his pocket and headed for school. (16)

<u>Surreptitiously</u>, Max let Jerry loose, making sure no one would catch him in the act. (17)

At once, it <u>scampered</u> to the front of the class and squeaked. <u>Stupefied</u> to see the (18)

mouse, Mrs Chan screamed. The whole class roared with laughter.

Unamused, she declared angrily, "If no one admits to playing this trick, I shall

punish the whole class!"

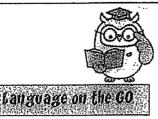
As soon as the class heard that, they stopped laughing and turned to look at Max,

expecting him to own up. Max knew that he was in hot soup.

- (20)
- **16** (1) lifted
 - (2) threw
 - (3) grabbed
 - (4) removed
- 17 (1) trickily
 - (2) furtively
 - (3) indirectly
 - (4) deceptively
- 18 (1) sped
 - (2) skipped
 - (3) sprinted
 - (4) scurried
- 19 (1) numbed
 - (2) amazed
 - (3) shocked
 - (4) confused
- 20 (1) plead
 - (2) blame
 - (3) confess
 - (4) acknowledge

Study this flyer carefully and then answer questions 21 to 28.

Learn a new Language @ LANGgo School!



Why learn a new language?

Picking up a new language may sound intimidating without the right environment and techniques.

Speaking two or more language has quite a wide scale of benefits, namely,

- enhances the ability to focus on information needed to complete a task.
- allows flexibility and sensitivity in your thinking.
- provides access, connection and exposure to various cultures all over the world.
- gives you more choices of jobs in various fields.

With the world getting more globalised, it does not make sense to stay monolingual. Arm yourself with the tool for the 21st century - another languagel

Why Choose LANGgo?

	Ð	Ministry of Education registered school
*****	Śř	Small class size of one to ten students
		Private classes
	00	Conversational skills
	Q	Experienced and qualified native speakers
	a k	Certificate upon completion

Who are we?

Set up in 2002, LANGgo is a Singapore-based language school that helps you quickly learn a new language – be it in listening, reading, speaking or writing. We focused on helping individuals to develop language proficiency skills in another language.

What do we offer?

We teach a wide variety of languages with a focus on conversational skills. The languages taught include English. Chinese, Malay, Tamil, Japanese, Korean, German, Thai, Spanish and French.

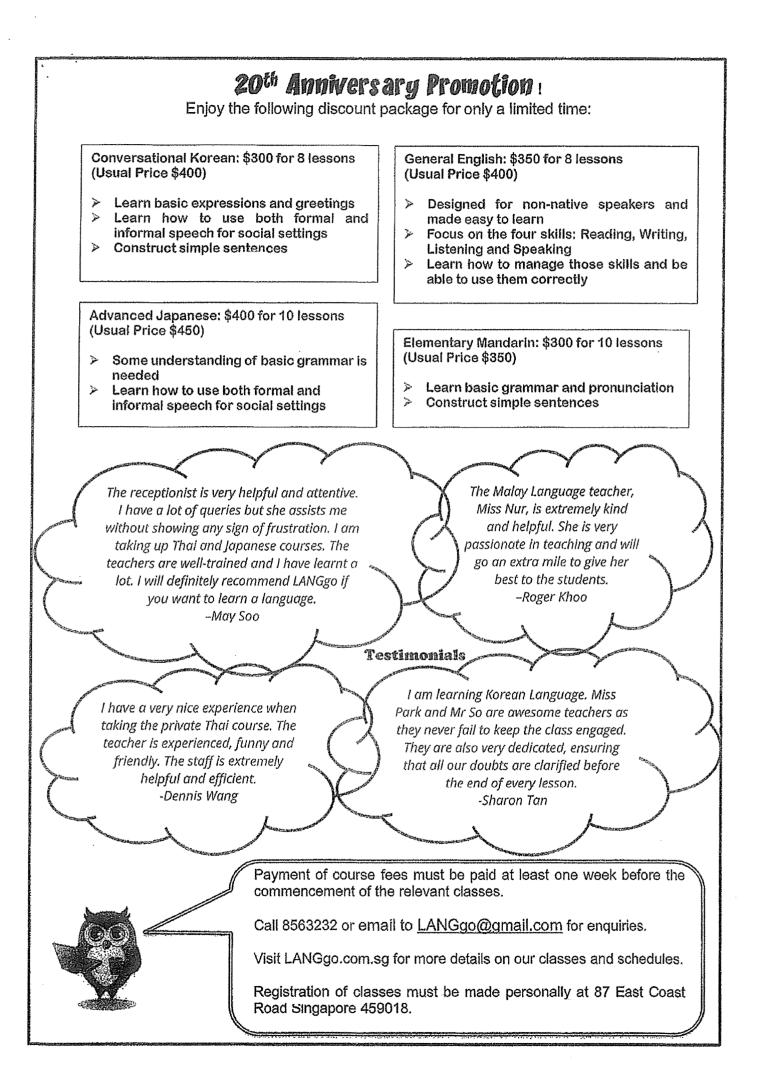
We also offer language preparation programmes for the following examinations: IELTS (English), DELE (Spanish), DELF (French), CELI (Italian), TESTDAF (German), JLPT (Japanese), TOPIK (Korean) SKBMW (Malay) and TPT (Thai).

Our examination preparation programme will be according to your skill level and goals. You can choose between private classes, semi-private classes, group classes or virtual online lessons to learn your new language. Each class will only have 1 to 10 students so every student will get the individual attention he or she needs.

What about our Teachers?

- Highly qualified and experienced native speakers with at least five years' experience in teaching their respective languages.
- Armed with skills to teach others to be proficient users of the language

Rest assured you will learn the most accurate form of language.



For each question from 21 to 28, choose the most appropriate option (1, 2, 3 or 4). Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (8 marks)

- 21 What does the phrase 'arm yourself with the tool' on Page 5 mean?
 - (1) The world is getting more globalised.
 - (2) It does not make sense to be monolingual.
 - (3) Knowing only one language is sufficient for the 21st century.
 - (4) Learning another language is an essential skill for the 21st century.
- 22 According to the flyer, which one of the following is **not** a benefit of speaking more than one language?
 - (1) You will be guaranteed a job.
 - (2) You will be more flexible in your thinking.
 - (3) You will be exposed to various cultures worldwide.
 - (4) You will be able to focus on information and complete a task.
- **23** Which one of the following language preparation programmes does not have a focus on conversational skills?
 - (1) Italian
 - (2) French
 - (3) German
 - (4) Spanish
- 24 Which of the following statements about LANGgo School is true ?
 - (1) Students will enjoy a discount for all the classes offered.
 - (2) Students can choose online lessons to learn a new language.
 - (3) Their teachers are qualified teachers from Ministry of Education.
 - (4) There are classes catered for big groups of more than ten students.
- **25** What is the similarity between the Conversational Korean and the Elementary Mandarin classes?
 - (1) Students can learn to construct simple sentences.
 - (2) Students only need to pay \$300 for 10 lessons per class.
 - (3) Students will be taught basic grammar and pronunciation.
 - (4) Students will know how to use both formal and informal speech for social settings.

- 26 Why did LANGgo School publish the testimonials of the students?
 - (1) to introduce the different teachers for the different classes
 - (2) to show the importance of learning more than one language
 - (3) to let the public know that the teachers are very funny and friendly
 - (4) to attract more students to join the classes by sharing the students' positive experiences

27 To register for the classes, interested parties can _____.

- (1) Call 8563232
- (2) Visit LANGgo.com.sg
- (3) Go to 87 East Coast Road
- (4) Email to LANGgo@gmail.com
- 28 What is the main aim of the flyer?
 - (1) to share about the benefits of bilingualism
 - (2) to celebrate the 20th Anniversary of LANGgo School
 - (3) to encourage the public to learn a language at LANGgo School
 - (4) to showcase the testimonials of the students who had attended the classes

Read this passage carefully and answer questions 71 to 80.

(20 marks)

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"The hole looks really deep," Billy muttered as he kept his hands on the wall of the cave.

Jake peered over the edge of the hole. It spread from one side of the cave to the other. The hole seemed like a dark bottomless pit. Vines crept down the sides of the cave and into the hole, slithering over and between each other like black snakes. Staring into the hole, Jake stood precariously near the edge while Billy refrained from getting too close to it. To the latter, it looked too dangerous. The 5 glistening, intertwined vines looked slippery. One misstep on one of the vines or losing his footing would mean tumbling into the deep black abyss. Staring back towards the entrance of the cave, Billy had his heart in his mouth when he realised that the ray of light at the entrance of the cave appeared too far away. He gulped. His heart was pounding hard against his chest.

"I think I can see something down there," whispered Jake, flashing Billy a wide grin. Lying face down 10 on the ground, Jake's head was over the edge of the hole. Billy felt strange. His body seemed to be pulled towards the hole, which was as if it was going to swallow him whole.

"I dare you to come closer to the hole to take a look," Jake shrieked in excitement. Billy wanted to yell out a loud 'no' but no voice came out of his throat. Chickening out then would mean the word would be all over school very soon. His classmates would seize the opportunity to mock him. Reluctantly, he crouched down on all fours and spread his feet back behind him, making sure not to get too close over the edge of the dark space in front of him. At that moment, he spotted something. It was a flicker which seemed like a tiny fragment of light reflecting off something.

"See it?" gasped Jake as he nudged Billy with his elbow, which made Billy jump.

"No! I didn't see anything," Billy answered hesitantly. Obviously, Billy was lying. Stealing a glance at Jake, Billy saw a smile of mesmerised glee on his face. Billy edged slightly away from Jake. A smell rose from the hole. A musky, earthy smell. A smell that Billy did not want lingering in his face for too long. Their initial plan had been simple. All they were supposed to do was to sneak into the cave and take a look at the big hole. Yet, Jake wanted **much more** than that. With his eyes fixated on the dark mass below them, Jake's lips parted slightly and his breath was shallow. 25

"What are you waiting for? Let's get into the hole and explore it together now!" Jake roared impatiently with menacing eyes, like something had a grip on him. Billy shook his head, swallowed away the dryness in his throat and shuffled further away from Jake. In disgust, Jake curled his top lip. Turning away, Jake pushed himself into an upright position and swivelled his legs around. Upon doing **that**, both his feet hung over the dark hole. He then eased himself closer to the edge of the hole and leaned 30 over. He cleared his throat and spat down into the darkness.

"Jake, let's get out of here. We can come back another time with a rope or a ladder," pleaded Billy, who would rather be ridiculed in school on Monday.

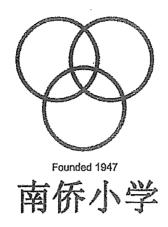
"Yeah, why not Billy? We'll bring your dad's ladder and get your mum to pack us some sandwiches. "". We can have a picnic at the bottom of the hole," Jake blurted in sarcasm and harrumphed, before 35 moving himself closer to the edge of the hole.

Billy stood up and reached out his hand, "Jake, I'm serious. I don't want you to do this."

"What you want and what I want are two different things.

Without another sound, Jake leapt into the blackness. Billy jerked his hand back and stood frozenlike statue for a few seconds as he watched Jake's body disappearing from view into the darkness.

"Jake!" Billy's loud clarion voice echoed in the cave. "Are you all right?" No response. Still and silent. Dead silence. Inching forward, Billy stared down into the hole. Not a single sound came up from the abyss. Not one fragment of light. Not a soul in sight. It was like Jake had never existed at all.



NAN CHIAU PRIMARY SCHOOL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION 2022 ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2 LANGUAGE USE & COMPREHENSION PRIMARY 6 Booklet B

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Class	Primary 6		
Date	18 August 2022		4
Duration for Booklet A, B and C	1h 50min		
	Booklet B (Grammar Cloze, Editing, Comprehension Cloze, Synthesis & Transformation)		47
Marks	(Comprehension Open-Ended)		20
	Total		67
Parent's Signature			

Instructions	1.	Do NOT open this booklet until you are told to do so.
to students	2.	Follow all instructions carefully.
	3.	Answer all questions.
	4.	Write your answers in this booklet.
	5.	Use a dark blue or black ballpoint pen to write your answers in
		the space provided for each question.
		This paper consists of 6 pages altogether

This paper consists of 6 pages altogether.

There are 10 blanks, numbered 29 to 38, in the passage below. From the list of words given, choose the most suitable word for each blank. Write its letter (A to Q) in the blank. The two letters (I) and (O) have been omitted to avoid confusion during marking.

(10 marks)

EACH WORD CAN ONLY BE USED ONCE.

*Contact tracing is ongoing for the affected flights and for the duration of his stay in Singapore. _______this period, he had largely remained in his hotel room, except to (34) visit a massage establishment and eat at three food establishments.

"In general, at _________ locations, the risk of transmission to visitors (35) low. Data has shown that monkeypox transmits through either close (36) physical _______ prolonged contact. All four locations visited by the case are (37) undergoing cleaning and disinfection. Thirteen close contacts have been identified. They will be placed on quarantine for twenty-one days _______ their last contact with the case. If suspected of being infected, they will be conveyed to the NCID immediately for further evaluation and isolation to prevent further transmission," added the Ministry.

> (Go on to the next page) Score:

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Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes. (12 marks)

Dear Diary,

	My first day in scho <u>ol</u>	was memorable. I could still recall the events that
	(39)	
happ	ened even after a long t	ime. <u>Whatever I reminisce my primary school life</u> ,
(40)		
I will	l feel <u>nostarlegic</u> .	
	I woke up to the soun	d of my alarm clock early that morning and a wave of
(41)		

excitement <u>overwellmed</u> me. I got ready for school while my mother packed my snack (42) box filled with nutritious food. Entering into the school <u>premeses</u>, I had a simultaneous (43)

feeling of joy and fear. Many boys and girls were seeing playing merrily at the school

compound. How could they be so happy without their mothers?

(44)

In the classroom, the mood was intensive. We did not know what to expect. As soon

as I got used to the routine for scheduled classes, I finally understood the importance (45) (46)

of having a <u>disiplind</u> life and its benefits. If any of us <u>missbehayfed</u> or did not pay (47)

attention in class, our teachers <u>could</u> reprimand us and inform our parents.

(48) My form teachers then went <u>through</u> our school rules before getting us

(49) (50) (50) to introduce <u>myself</u> to our classmates. I started to enjoy the conducive <u>envirement</u> of my class. During snack break, I shared my food with one of my classmates. That marked the start of our beautiful friendship.

(Go on to the next page) Score: Jackie Chan was a Hong Kong-born Chinese stuntman, actor and director. His dangerous acrobatic stunts and engaging physical humour made him an action-film star in Asia and helped to bring kung fu movies ______ the mainstream of American (51) cinema.

to Australia when he was six. The following Chan and his family (52)year, his parents sent him back to Hong Kong to _____ a strict boarding (53)school. He studied acrobatics, singing and martial arts. These landed (54) him roles as a child actor and later, as a stuntman. Chan often travelled back and _ to visit his parents and work in Australia. However, he finally made a (55)_ to Hong Kong, a place he called his permanent home. decision to (56) (58) Chan commenced his movie career by appearing in _____(57) roles in two films which starred Bruce Lee, the rising martial arts superstar back then. Not long after Lee's untimely death, Chan got his big break and started receiving offers to take on major roles in ____, he started writing, directing and starring in his own movies. His own films. (58)stunts were often extraordinarily dangerous and he nearly died from a fall that fractured his his hearing. Chan sustained many injuries as a skull and (59)of doing his own stunt work. In 2016, Chan became the first Chinese (60) recognised his 'distinctive actor to receive an honorary Academy Award ____ (61) international career'.

Chan had done it the hard way to _______ his dreams and goals to be an (62) International cinematic star. He also founded the Jackie Chan Charitable Organisation in 1998 and is directly involved in providing financial _______ to schools and (63) universities around the world. He is a UNICEF GoodWill Ambassador who has campaigned ________ animal abuse and pollution. He has also assisted with disaster relief (64) ________ to the 2004 Indian Ocean Tsunami victims. Chan is truly one of the (65) pride in the international film industry.

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Score:

For each of the question from 66 to 70, rewrite the given sentence(s) using the word(s) provided. Your answer must be in one sentence. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning of the given sentence(s). (10 marks)

66 The twins loved to watch movies. The twins loved to read books.

Not only _____

67 My classmates were sweeping the floor when I entered the classroom.

The floor _____

68 "How did you get Ben to come here yesterday?" Sally asked Jane.

Sally asked Jane _____

69 She encouraged me constantly. I overcame all odds.

With _____

70 Malaysia and Singapore are separated by the Straits of Johor.

Separating Malaysia

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Score:

71 Where was the big hole located? [1m]

Do not write in this space.

72 What made Billy feel that the hole was dangerous? [2m]

73 Based on lines 2 to 12, fill in the following table. [2m]

How Billy felt	What made Billy felt that way
a)	Billy realised that they had gone too deep into the
	cave.
weird	b)

Fill in the following table by identifying the correct word(s) from the passage. [2m]

Question	Word(s) from the passage		
a) Which word from the sixth paragraph			
tells us that Jake could not stop			
looking at the hole?			
b) Which four-word phrase from the		ſ	
seven paragraph tells us that Jake			
showed his contempt for Billy?			*******

75 Look at the table below. What do the words in the left column refer to in the passage? Write your answers in the column on the right. [3m]

Word(s) from the passage	What the word(s) refer(s) to
a) it (line 2)	
b) much more (line 24)	
c) that (line 29)	

(Go on to the next page)

Score:

(a) 	(b)	
] [2m
Based on the story, state wh false, then give one reason v		nt in the table below is true or m]
	True/False	Reason
Billy could not tolerate the smell that was coming from the hole.		
Billy's classmates would laugh at him for being a coward.		
Jake and Billy's initial plan was to enter the hole and explore it.		
Based on the story, fill in the lifferent situations. [2m] When Jake first spotted the flicker, When Billy begged Jake to leave,	e	ow Jake's reaction to the
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<u>Booklet A</u>

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Q 1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10

Booklet B

Q 29	Q30	Q31	Q32	Q33	Q34	Q35	Q36	Q37	Q38
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Q39)	whene	ver	Q43)	seen	<u> </u>	Q47)	would		
Q40)	nostal	gic	Q44)	intense)	Q48)	over		
Q41)	overwheimed Q45)		discipli	ned	Q49)	oursei	ves	·	
Q42)	premis	ses	Q46)	misbeh	aved	Q50)	enviro	nment	

Q51)	into	Q56)	return	Q61)	which	
Q52)	moved	Q57)	minor	Q62)	achieve	
Q53)	attend	Q58)	eventually	Q63)	support	
Q54)	skills	Q59)	lost	Q64)	against	
Q55)	forth	Q60)	result	Q65)	effort	
Q66)	Not only did the twins love to watch movies, but they also loved to read books.					
Q67)	The floor was being swept by my classmates when I entered the classroom.					

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Q68)	Sally asked Ja	ane how she had gotten Ben to go there the previous				
	day.					
Q69)	With her cons	tant encouragement, I overcame all odds.				
Q70)	Separating Malaysia and Singapore is the Straits of Johor.					
Q71)	The big hole was in the cave.					
Q72)	The hole was like a dark bottomless pit. The vines in the cave looked					
	slippery.					
Q73)	a) frightened					
	b) Billy felt th	at the hole was pulling his body, ready to swallow him				
	whole.					
Q74)	a) fixated					
	b) curled his	top lip				
Q75)	a) The hole					
	b) Jake exploring the hole					
	c) Jake pushing himself into an upright position and swivelling his					
	legs around.					
Q76)	a) Billy shool	k his head.				
	b) Billy shuff	led further away from Jake.				
Q77)						
	a) True	Billy did not want the smell lingering in his face for				
	,	too long.				
	b) True	Billy's classmates would definitely take the				
		opportunity to mock him if he chickened out.				
	c) False	Jake and Billy's initial plan was to sneak into the				
		cave and take a look at the big hole.				
Q78)	_	Billy with his elbow				
	1	arcastic remarks				
Q79)	What you want and what I want are two different things.					
Q80)	There was n	o trace of Jake had disappeared into the hole.				