

RED SWASTIKA SCHOOL  
END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION 2006  
ENGLISH LANGUAGE

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Class : Pr 2 / \_\_\_\_\_

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Section A: Vocabulary

Part 1: Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided. (10 marks)

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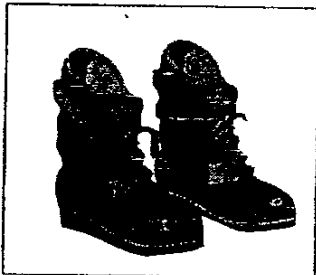


Peter wants to be a \_\_\_\_\_  
when he grows up because he likes to  
bake bread and cakes.

- (1) chef
- (2) waiter
- (3) cook
- (4) baker

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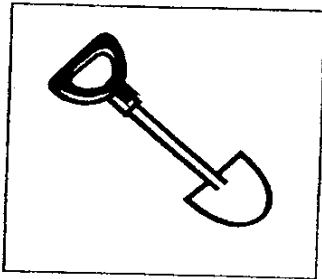


Mr Lim is a construction worker. He  
has to wear a pair of \_\_\_\_\_ to  
work every day.

- (1) boots
- (2) shoes
- (3) sandals
- (4) clogs

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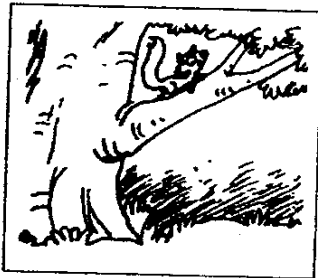


Mr Gopal has a \_\_\_\_\_ in his garden.

- (1) rake
- (2) spoon
- (3) shovel
- (4) ladle

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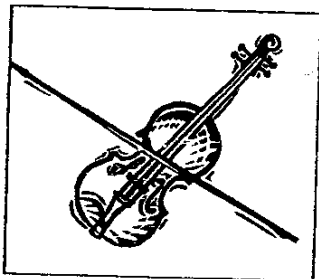


Look! There is a cat on the \_\_\_\_\_ of the tree.

- (1) twig
- (2) root
- (3) branch
- (4) trunk

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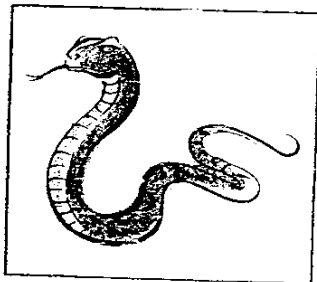


Mei Ling played a beautiful song on the \_\_\_\_\_ during the concert just now.

- (1) violin
- (2) guitar
- (3) flute
- (4) piano

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I heard a snake \_\_\_\_\_ among the bushes.

- (1) buzzing
- (2) hissing
- (3) whistling
- (4) squeaking

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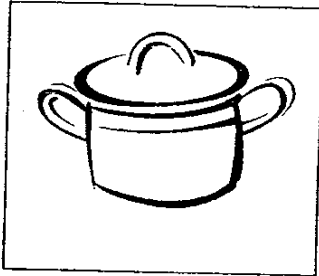


Nana the \_\_\_\_\_ flew over the moon on her broom.

- (1) clown
- (2) ogre
- (3) wizard
- (4) witch

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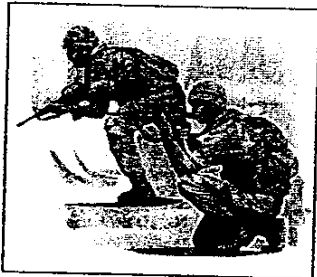


Mrs Lim is cooking chicken soup in the \_\_\_\_\_ now.

- (1) wok
- (2) pot
- (3) pan
- (4) kettle

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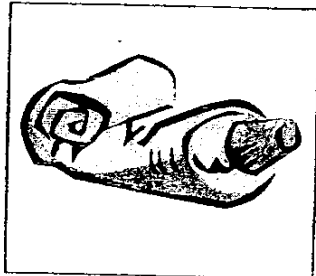


The soldiers fought \_\_\_\_\_ and won the war.

- (1) quickly
- (2) timidly
- (3) happily
- (4) bravely

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The \_\_\_\_\_ of toothpaste in the bathroom is almost used up.

- (1) jar
- (2) stick
- (3) tube
- (4) bottle

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Section A: Part 2

Choose the answer from the box and fill in the blanks.  
(5 marks)

snorkelling	vegetables	ingredients	flowers	patterns
materials	shocked	colour	swimming	bored

11. Mother bought all the \_\_\_\_\_ needed to bake the birthday cake from the supermarket.
12. Daffodils, marigolds, orchids and hibiscuses are all \_\_\_\_\_.
13. Raju was so \_\_\_\_\_ with the movie that he fell asleep in the cinema.
14. The chameleon changes \_\_\_\_\_ to camouflage itself.
15. Suzy's hobby is \_\_\_\_\_. She goes to the pool at least twice a week.

Section A: Part 3

Look at the pictures carefully and fill in each blank with a suitable word. (5 marks)

Jane's parents took her to the Children's Day Carnival at the

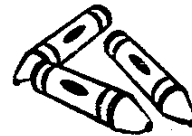
Pasir Ris Park on Sunday (16) \_\_\_\_\_



after breakfast. Jane took part in the Children's Art

Competition. She was very excited as it was her first time at a

carnival. Jane packed her (17) \_\_\_\_\_



coloured pencils and drawing paper in a bag. She also took her new

(18) \_\_\_\_\_



. It was a birthday

(19) \_\_\_\_\_



from her mother. Jane

hoped to take (20) \_\_\_\_\_



of people at

the carnival. There were many activities at the carnival. Jane

watched a magic show with her mother while her father went to

listen to a band performance.

**Section B: Grammar**

**Part 1: Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided. (10 marks)**

21. My classmate always \_\_\_\_\_ home from school in the evenings.

- (1) walk                      (2) walks  
(3) walked                    (4) walking                      (     )

22. How \_\_\_\_\_ sugar do you want in your coffee?

- (1) any                      (2) much  
(3) many                    (4) some                      (     )

23. The last time I saw Tom \_\_\_\_\_ on Monday.

- (1) is                      (2) are  
(3) was                    (4) were                      (     )

24. My uncle bought \_\_\_\_\_ a watch for doing well in my test.

- (1) I                      (2) me  
(3) him                    (4) you                      (     )

25. The naughty boy squeezed \_\_\_\_\_ the two cupboards to hide from his angry mother.

- (1) over                    (2) onto  
(3) around                (4) between                      (     )

26. Does anyone \_\_\_\_\_ a pair of scissors?
- (1) has                      (2) have  
(3) had                      (4) having                      (     )
27. "You should learn to behave \_\_\_\_\_ when you are in the hall," Mrs Lee told the class.
- (1) myself                  (2) yourself  
(3) yourselves              (4) ourselves                  (     )
28. Mr Ong : \_\_\_\_\_ is the boy who broke the window?  
Cindy : In the toilet.
- (1) Who                      (2) When  
(3) Where                    (4) Which                      (     )
29. Look! A burglar is \_\_\_\_\_ into that house through an open window.
- (1) climb                    (2) climbs  
(3) climbed                  (4) climbing                  (     )
30. Come over here and look at \_\_\_\_\_ sofa. My father bought it during a sale recently.
- (1) this                      (2) that  
(3) these                    (4) those                      (     )

Section B: Part 2

Circle the correct answer. (5 marks)

Mr Teng was a rich man who had many servants, but he had no wife or children. The servants sknew that their master would leave all his money to 31. ( him, them, her ) when he died. They promised him they would always be faithful to him.

Mr Teng wanted to 32. ( test, tests, tested ) them. He wanted to see who the 33. ( much, more, most ) faithful one was.

One day, he gathered all of them and said, "I have 34. ( lose, loses, lost ) my whole fortune to another man. My house and everything I own will be his from now on. I also have to work for him. If any of you 35. ( wish, wishes, wished ) to stay with me, you must work with me for the rest of your lives."

The servants looked at one another. They could not believe their ears. All of them refused to stay except for a young man. Mr Teng had found his faithful servant.



Section B: Part 3

Fill in each circle with the correct punctuation. The underlined words are not punctuated correctly. Write its correct form in the box given. (5 marks)

Danny was a small but clever deer. One afternoon, when he was sitting by the river bank <sup>(36)</sup>  a crocodile caught his foot. Danny knew that the crocodile was going to eat him. He thought of a plan to trick the crocodile. <sup>(38)</sup>

<sup>(37)</sup>  "Ha! Ha! Ha!" laughed Danny. "why are you biting a

piece of useless wood, Mr Crocodile <sup>(39)</sup>  " asked Danny. The

crocodile was surprised. He thought he had caught Danny's

foot. The crocodile then let go of Danny's foot <sup>(40)</sup>  ~~C~~lever

Danny quickly ran away.

Section C: Word Order

Rearrange the words to form a sentence or a question. Begin each sentence with a capital letter and end it with a full-stop or question mark. (5 marks)

41. been lately to you library Have the

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42. flying past when was A looked up Karen bird

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43. because Everyone he Mr Lim is listens to wise

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44. as well as fun simple Hobbies can be

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45. late that home tell will be I my mother Please

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Section D: Cloze Passage

Fill in each blank with a suitable word. (5 marks)

The tiger is one of the largest members of the cat family.

It has black (46) \_\_\_\_\_ all over its body. An adult

tiger is about three metres long and (47) \_\_\_\_\_

about two hundred kilograms.

Tigers usually hunt at night and they (48) \_\_\_\_\_

only meat. They attack plant-eating animals such as zebras and

deer. Some tigers attack people too. These tigers are either

wounded or too old to (49) \_\_\_\_\_ after wild animals.

Tigers are found mostly in Asia but they are slowly

disappearing (50) \_\_\_\_\_ our jungles. In many

countries in Asia, there is a law against the hunting of tigers.

**Section E: Comprehension**

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow. (10 marks)

Not long ago, a cargo ship carrying several thousand pieces of wood was sailing from Malaysia to China. After five days at sea, the ship had a leak. Slowly, the ship began to sink.

"Tie the logs together," ordered the captain. "It's our only chance." Immediately, the sailors followed the captain's order. When the ship sank, they were able to keep afloat by clinging to the logs.

Two days passed. The men suffered from hunger and thirst. They had no food or drink. They also had to bear the heat of the sun in the day and the cold wind at night.

On the third day, one of the men saw the smoke of a passing ship. They waved their hands and began to shout. The ship moved towards them. Soon, they were taken aboard and sent to the hospital. When they had fully recovered, they returned home.

51. Where was the cargo ship sailing to?

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52. What caused the ship to sink?

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53. Why did the captain order the men to tie the logs together?

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54. How did the men get the attention of the passing ship?

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55. Which word in the last paragraph has the same meaning as "became well"?

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| 1) 4            | 28) 3   | 51) The cargo ship was sailing to China.  |
| 2) 1            | 29) 4   | 52) A leak caused the ship to sink.   |
| 3) 3            | 30) 1   | 53) They could be able to keep afloat by clinging to the logs when the ship sank.   |
| 4) 3            | 31) them  | 54) The men waved their hands and shouted to get the attention of the passing ship. |
| 5) 1            | 32) test  | 55) The word is "recovered".  |
| 6) 2            | 33) most  |   |
| 7) 4            | 34) lost  |   |
| 8) 2            | 35) wish  |   |
| 9) 4            | 36) ,   |   |
| 10) 3           | 37) "   |   |
| 11) ingredients | 38) Why   |   |
| 12) flowers     | 39) ?   |   |
| 13) bored       | 40) .   |   |
| 14) colour      | 41) Have you been to the library lately?            |   |
| 15) swimming    | 42) A bird was flying past when Karen looked up.    |   |
| 16) morning     | 43) Everyone listens to Mr. Lim because he is wise. |   |
| 17) crayons     | 44) Hobbies can be simple as well as fun.           |   |
| 18) camera      | 45) Please tell my mother that I will be home late. |   |
| 19) present     | 46) stripes   |   |
| 20) pictures    | 47) weighs  |   |
| 21) 2           | 48) eat   |   |
| 22) 2           | 49) chase   |   |
| 23) 3           | 50) from  |   |
| 24) 2           |   |   |
| 25) 4           |   |   |
| 26) 2           |   |   |
| 27) 3           |   |   |