



**CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION (2005)
PRIMARY ONE
ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

Name: _____

Class: Primary One _____

1 hour 10 minutes

65 marks

INSTRUCTIONS:

Do not turn over this page until you are told to do so.
Follow all instructions carefully.
Answer all the questions.

Parent's Signature: _____

Section A: Vocabulary – Part 1 (10 Marks)

Look at the pictures carefully. Fill in the blanks with a correct word from the box. Use each word once only.

newspapers	astronaut	sunny	tennis	bicycles
scientist	windy	badminton	magazines	motorcycles

1. My father reads the _____ every morning before he goes to work.



2. Andy's ambition is to be a _____ when he grows up.



3. Today is a _____ day. Let's go for a swim.



4. Meiling has _____ lessons in the school every Saturday morning.



5. James and Peter are going to the park. They put on their helmets and ride away on their _____



Section B: Vocabulary – Part 2 (10 marks)

Read each sentence carefully. Write the number of the best answer in the brackets. Do not fill in the blanks.

6. John's brother flies a plane. He is a _____.
- (1) pilot
 - (2) sailor
 - (3) driver
 - (4) soldier
- ()

7. My sister's favourite fruit is _____.
- (1) egg
 - (2) chicken
 - (3) cabbage
 - (4) watermelon
- ()

8. I always have a light _____ before I go to bed at night.
- (1) tea
 - (2) lunch
 - (3) supper
 - (4) breakfast
- ()

9. Kenneth is helping his mother to _____ some biscuits.
- (1) fry
 - (2) bake
 - (3) cook
 - (4) steam
- ()

10. My father's mother is my _____.

- (1) aunt
- (2) sister
- (3) mother
- (4) grandmother

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11. Uncle Tom keeps his collection of fish in a/an _____.

- (1) pool
- (2) vase
- (3) bath tub
- (4) aquarium

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12. Jenny's dog is ill. She brings it to see a/an _____.

- (1) dentist
- (2) doctor
- (3) optician
- (4) veterinarian

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13. The _____ is/are twinkling brightly in the night.

- (1) sun
- (2) stars
- (3) moon
- (4) clouds

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14. John likes to visit Japan during _____ because he can play with snow.

- (1) spring
- (2) winter
- (3) autumn
- (4) summer

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15. The Tan family stays in a _____. It has a swimming pool, tennis court and a gymnasium.

(1) flat

(2) tent

(3) shophouse

(4) condominium

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Section C: Grammar (Part 1) (10 marks)

Choose the correct answer. Write the number of the correct answer in the brackets. Do not fill in the blanks.

16. Mark and Kelvin _____ not want to be late, so they are taking a taxi to the library.

(1) do

(2) did

(3) does

(4) doing

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17. Amy is going to the park with _____ grandfather.

(1) its

(2) his

(3) her

(4) hers

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18. Please sweep the floor _____ it is very dirty.

(1) or

(2) but

(3) and

(4) because

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19. The pupils _____ their school song every Monday.
(1) sing
(2) sang
(3) sings
(4) are singing ()

20. Which is the _____ of the two rulers?
(1) long
(2) longer
(3) longest
(4) as long as ()

21. We should always remind _____ to save water as it is very precious.
(1) myself
(2) himself
(3) ourselves
(4) themselves ()

22. _____ is the party starting? Are we going to be late?
(1) Who
(2) What
(3) When
(4) Where ()

23. He has to _____ his book so that he can do his homework.
(1) find
(2) finds
(3) found
(4) finding ()

24. My cousins _____ in the same school as me.
(1) is
(2) am
(3) are
(4) was ()

25. I can hear some sounds coming from the room. Someone _____ on the drum.
(1) plays
(2) playing
(3) is playing
(4) are playing ()

Section D: Grammar (Part 2) (5 marks)

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the words in the brackets.

26. My mother bought two _____ (knife) from the supermarket yesterday.

27. Sam is _____ (hardworking) than his brother.

28. There are many _____ (sheep) on the farm.

29. Mr Lee _____ (give) a talk in the hall now.

30. Are you the _____ (tall) boy in your class?

Section E: Grammar (Part 3) (5 marks)

- Choose the correct word from the box below and write the word in the blank. Use each word once only.

in	between	out	into	off
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31. There is a clinic _____ the two shops.
32. The dog runs _____ the kennel.
33. Remember to take _____ your shoes before you enter the room.
34. The ducklings are swimming _____ the pond.
35. People rushed _____ of the building as it was on fire.

Section F: Comprehension Cloze (5 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Then fill in the blanks with the correct word from the box. Use each word once only.

doctor	sweetly	evening	nurse	medicine
money	uniform	friendly	costume	afternoon

Aunt Sally works in a clinic at Toa Payoh. The clinic opens at nine o'clock in the morning and closes at twelve in the (36)_____ for a break.

Aunt Sally is a (37)_____. She is a great help to the doctor. She loves her job. She wears a white (38)_____. She does registration for the patients and looks after them before they see the doctor. She also gives them their (39)_____ before they leave the clinic .

All the patients like Aunt Sally because she is very nice and (40)_____ towards them.

Section G: Comprehension (10 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Then answer the questions that follow.

Aaron and Julia were at a pet shop with their mother. They were very excited because she had promised to buy them a pet. Aaron wanted a pet dog that he could play and have fun with. This upset Julia because she wanted a nice fluffy rabbit.

“Dogs are too noisy,” Julia said.

“Rabbits are not fun to play with,” argued Aaron.

They argued for quite a while until their mother became quite impatient. She warned them that she would not buy any of the animals unless they agreed on something.

Aaron and Julia nodded and began to look around the pet shop once more. An adorable kitten caught their eyes. Finally they found something they liked and agreed to buy the kitten. Mother was happy and smiled as she paid for the kitten at the cashier.

41. What made Aaron and Julia excited?

- (1) They were at the pet shop.
- (2) They wanted to buy a kitten.
- (3) Their mother had promised to buy them a pet.
- (4) Their mother bought a dog and a rabbit for them. ()

42. Why did Aaron want a dog as a pet?

- (1) Dogs are noisy.
- (2) Dogs are fluffy.
- (3) Dogs are adorable.
- (4) Dogs are fun to play with.

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43. Mother was impatient with Aaron and Julia because _____.

- (1) Aaron did not want a rabbit as a pet.
- (2) Julia wanted a nice fluffy rabbit as a pet.
- (3) she wanted them to buy a kitten as a pet.
- (4) Aaron and Julia could not agree on which pet to buy.

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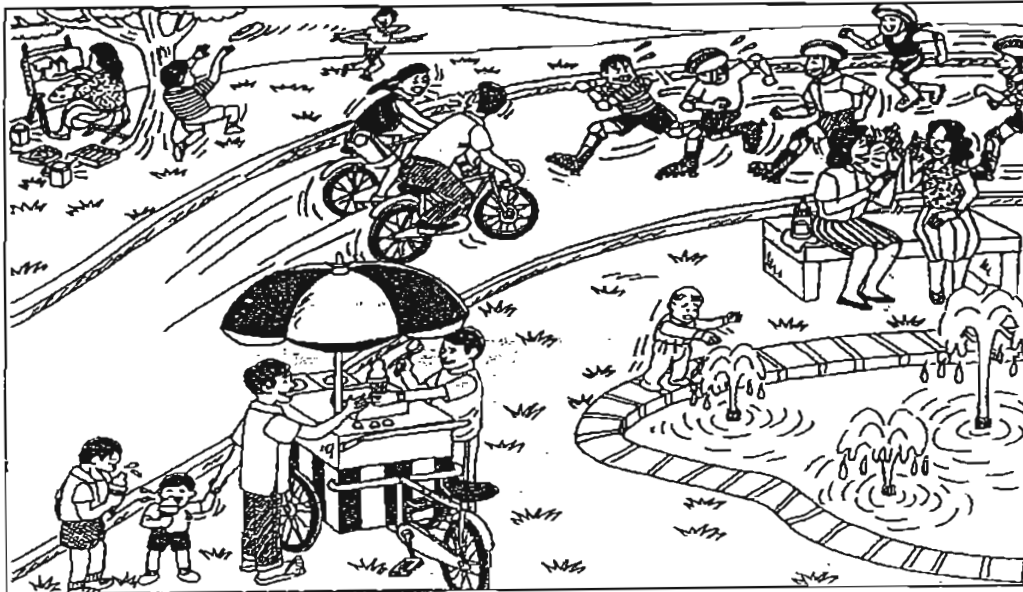
44. Which pet did Aaron and Julia finally decide to buy?

They finally decided to buy _____

45. Why do you think mother was happy when she paid at the cashier?

Section H : Picture Composition (10 marks)

Look at the picture carefully. Write 5 sentences about the picture. You may use the words in the box to help you.



painting	ice-cream seller	roller blading	cycling
chasing	pond	talking	sitting

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Answer Sheets
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|---------------|----------------------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1) newspapers | 2) scientist | 3) sunny | | | |
| 4) tennis | 5) bicycles | | | | |
| 6) 1 | 7) 4 | 8) 3 | 9) 2 | 10) 4 | 11) 4 |
| 12) 4 | 13) 2 | 14) 2 | 15) 4 | 16) 1 | 17) 3 |
| 18) 4 | 19) 1 | 20) 2 | 21) 3 | 22) 3 | 23) 1 |
| 24) 3 | 25) 3 | | | | |
| 26) knives | 27) more hardworking | 28) sheep | | | |
| 29) is giving | 30) tallest | 31) between | | | |
| 32) into | 33) off | 34) in | | | |
| 35) out | 36) afternoon | 37) nurse | | | |
| 38) uniform | 39) medicine | 40) friendly | | | |
| 41) 3 | 42) 4 | 43) 4 | | | |

44) They finally decided to buy an adorable kitten

45) I think she was happy because her children finally agreed to buy for a pet.

1. This is a park

2. A girl is painting beside a tree.

3. A couple is riding their bikes.

4. A man is buying ice-cream.

5. Some teenagers are rollerblading.