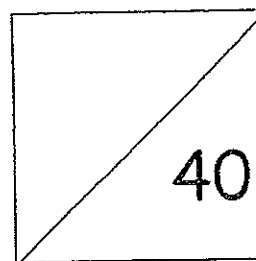


HENRY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL  
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ENGLISH LANGUAGE QUIZ 3  
Primary 2



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**Section A: Vocabulary MCQ (6 marks)**

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

1. Mrs Tan's children love visiting the \_\_\_\_\_ to see the different kind of animals in their enclosures.

- (1) forest
- (2) garden
- (3) park
- (4) zoo

( )

2. The pupils had to climb a \_\_\_\_\_ of stairs to reach their classroom.

- (1) block
- (2) flight
- (3) group
- (4) pile

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3. The wise old owl built its nest-hole in the \_\_\_\_\_ of the tree.

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

( )

4. It was \_\_\_\_\_. The trees were covered with snow.

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

( )

5. Parrots have colourful \_\_\_\_\_ that attract the children.

- (1) feathers
- (2) fur
- (3) hair
- (4) scales

( )

6. The young of an owl is called a/an \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) duckling
- (2) eaglet
- (3) gosling
- (4) owlet

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**Section B: Grammar MCQ (6 marks)**

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

7. Nicole and Ben \_\_\_\_\_ their cousins in Korea every year.  
(1) visit  
(2) visits  
(3) visited  
(4) visiting ( )
8. Sara \_\_\_\_\_ that a monster was chasing her. She woke up in fear.  
(1) dream  
(2) dreams  
(3) dreamt  
(4) dreaming ( )
9. The butterfly flew \_\_\_\_\_ flower to flower looking for nectar.  
(1) into  
(2) over  
(3) from  
(4) through ( )
10. Mary and I are having lunch now. \_\_\_\_\_ will be going for our lessons later.  
(1) I  
(2) We  
(3) She  
(4) They ( )

11. The owl fell \_\_\_\_\_ the tree when it was shot by a hunter.

(1) in

(2) of

(3) up

(4) off

( )

12. Ben was late for school \_\_\_\_\_ he missed the school bus.

(1) so

(2) but

(3) then

(4) because

( )

**Section C: Vocabulary Cloze (6 marks)**

Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the box. Use each word only ONCE.

decided	spider	badger	creature
joggers	requested	bench	questioned

Every Sunday morning, Willy and his family will take a walk in the park. He sees (13) \_\_\_\_\_ running along the track. Sometimes, he will also see children running in the field. After walking around the park and playing with his siblings, he will usually sit on a (14) \_\_\_\_\_ with his family to rest their feet.

One day, however, he (15) \_\_\_\_\_ to sit alone. As he was resting, he spotted an eight-legged (16) \_\_\_\_\_ crawling towards him. It was a (17) \_\_\_\_\_! He shrieked and ran towards his family. His family was puzzled and (18) \_\_\_\_\_ him on his action. His family laughed when he explained to them.

**Section D: Grammar Cloze (6 marks)**

Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the box. Use each word only ONCE.

eat	eats	ate	eating
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"Please give me some money," the boy pleaded with Ryan. The boy wanted to (19) \_\_\_\_\_ some food. Ryan took pity on the boy. He bought some food for the boy and watched him as he (20) \_\_\_\_\_ up all the food hungrily. As the boy was (21) \_\_\_\_\_ his food, Ryan wondered what had happened to him. The boy told Ryan his story after he had finished his food.

with	on	in	by
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Long before vehicles were invented, people travelled from one place to another in other ways. They rode (22) \_\_\_\_\_ animals such as horses, donkeys and camels. Sometimes, these animals were also used to carry goods placed in carts pulled (23) \_\_\_\_\_ the animals. Animals were also used to pull wooden carriages (24) \_\_\_\_\_ people in them. Animals were very useful to people as a form of transportation in the past.

**Section E Word Order (3 X 2 marks)**

Rearrange the words to form complete sentences. Begin each sentence with a capital letter and end it with a full stop or a question mark.

25.

dashed	fell	the	John	kidzone	as	across	he
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26.

recess	could	come	you	during	to	library	the
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27.

piece	of	is	This	heavy	furniture	but	small
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**Section F: Comprehension (10 marks)**

Read the passage carefully and answer questions 28 to 34.

Sam and his sister Jessie decided they wanted a puppy they had seen in a shop. The owner of the shop, Mr Henry, walked over and greeted them. "How may I help you?" he asked. "We would like to buy a puppy," Jessie responded.

"Ah, well, we are not a big pet shop," Mr Henry told her. "So you only have two puppies to choose from." He led them to the back of the store where the two puppies were. One of them was a bulldog named Rambo. The other was a chihuahua named Peanut.

Jessie wanted Peanut. Sam wanted Rambo. Jessie suggested that they have a race to decide which puppy to buy. The winner of the race would get to choose the puppy. Before the start of the race, Sam told Jessie her shoelace was untied. When Jessie looked down, he sped off and got a head start. Sam ran as hard as he could. He looked back and saw that Jessie was very far behind him.

Sam finally got home. He was tired but happy. He knew he was the winner. Jessie arrived a few minutes after Sam. She congratulated him. They returned to the pet store to buy Rambo, the bulldog. However, when they arrived, they only saw Peanut, the chihuahua.

They asked Mr Henry where Rambo was. Mr Henry explained that after they left, a lady walked in and bought the bulldog. Sam looked at Jessie, and she held back a smile. Sam sighed and turned back to Mr Henry. "Sometimes you win the race, but not the prize!" Sam smiled sadly. "We'll take the chihuahua, please."



28. What was Mr Henry's occupation? (1 m)

(1) Animal Rescuer

(2) Pet Shop Owner

( )

(3) Veterinarian

29. How many puppies were sold on the same day? (1 m)

(1) One

(2) Two

( )

(3) More than two

30. Tick (✓) True or False. (2m)

Statement	True	False
Sam and Jessie were classmates.		
Sam and Jessie wanted to have a pet.		
Jessie liked Rambo very much.		
Sam bought Peanut and took it home.		

31. These are Jessie's feelings about getting a pet.

Put them in the right sequence, according to the flow in the story.

Write 1, 2 and 3 on the lines. [1m]

\_\_\_\_\_ She was happy because she could bring home a Chihuahua.

\_\_\_\_\_ She was excited because she could have a pet.

\_\_\_\_\_ She was disappointed because she did not win the race.

32. Match Column A with Column B correctly. (2m)

Column A

Column B

(a) Sam won the race 😊

☹️ but not the prize

(b) Jessie lost the race ☹️

😊 but congratulated  
the winner

33. Write one word from Paragraph 3 that has the same meaning as 'recommended'? (1m)

34. Why did Sam feel sad even though he was the winner of the race?

(2m)

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4	2	2	4	1	4	1	3	3	2

11. 4

12. 4

13. joggers

14. bench

15. decided

16. creature

17. spider

18. questioned

19. eat

20. ate

21. eating

22. on

23. by

24. with

25. John fell as he dashed across the kidzone.

26. Could you come to the library during recess?

27. This piece of furniture is small but heavy.

28. 2

29. 2

30. False

True

False

True

31. 3

1

2

32. a) Sam won the race but not the prize

b) Jessie lost the race but congratulated the winner.

33. suggested

34. Sam was sad because a lady had bought the bulldog that he wanted.