

**Pei Chun Public School**  
**Modular Assessment 2, 2014**  
**English Language**  
**Paper 2 : Language Use and Comprehension**  
**Primary 2**

Name : \_\_\_\_\_ (    )

Marks :

Class : Primary 2 (    )

AA 2 Oral	20
MA 2	40

Date: 25 August 2014

Duration: 1 hour

Parent's Signature:

Subject Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

For Sections A and B, choose the most suitable answer and write its number ( 1, 2 or 3 ) in the brackets (    ) provided.

Section A: Vocabulary ( 5 x 1 mark )

1. Tom spilled some paint on the floor. He had to clean up the

\_\_\_\_\_

- (1) mess
- (2) meal
- (3) menu (    )

2. The snail has a hard shell to \_\_\_\_\_ itself from danger

- (1) protect
- (2) display
- (3) perform (    )

3. Mei Mei \_\_\_\_\_ in delight when she saw the durians on the table.

- (1) sobbed
- (2) squealed
- (3) mumbled ( )

4. The weather forecast tells us the highest and lowest \_\_\_\_\_ of the day.

- (1) season
- (2) temperature
- (3) thermometer ( )

5. You do not need to wear a jacket on a \_\_\_\_\_ day.

- (1) hot
- (2) cold
- (3) windy ( )

**Section B: Grammar ( 5 x 1 mark )**

6. Ahmad \_\_\_\_\_ off the bed quickly when his grandmother came into the room.

- (1) jump
- (2) jumps
- (3) jumped ( )

7. My mother \_\_\_\_\_ a large pot of rice for dinner every day.

- (1) cook
- (2) cooks
- (3) cooked ( )

8. My sister is going for a picnic. She \_\_\_\_\_ a bag of snacks and drinks.

(1) has

(2) had

(3) have

( )

9. The kite can fly very high \_\_\_\_\_ the wind is strong.

(1) or

(2) but

(3) when

( )

10. Mother gave Sue \_\_\_\_\_ water to drink as she was thirsty.

(1) most

(2) little

(3) some

( )

**Section C : Vocabulary Cloze (4 x 1 mark)**

Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box given below.

**Use each word ONCE only.**

enough	feast	thirsty
hungry	screeched	stuttered

Once, there lived a wolf with a huge appetite. He was always (11) \_\_\_\_\_ and would gobble up any food he could find.

One afternoon, he was having a (12) \_\_\_\_\_ when a piece of bone got stuck in his throat. The wolf (13) \_\_\_\_\_, 'Please...help...me.' Just then, a bird with a long beak saw him.

When the bird was removing the bone, the wolf tried to bite the bird's head. The bird (14) \_\_\_\_\_ in fright. It quickly flew away.

**Section D : Grammar Cloze (8 x 1 mark)**

Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box given below.

**Passage 1**

**Use each word ONCE only.**

I	his	him
he	her	you

Timothy will be celebrating his eighth birthday next Saturday. Mother is baking a cake for (15) \_\_\_\_\_ birthday. She knows that (16) \_\_\_\_\_ loves cakes.

“What flavour would (17) \_\_\_\_\_ like for your birthday cake?” Mother asked Timothy.

“Chocolate, please!” Timothy exclaimed. Mother smiled at (18) \_\_\_\_\_.

“I can almost taste it now,” Timothy sighed dreamily.

**Passage 2**

**Use each word ONCE only.**

of	for	from
in	into	under

Sally's friend, James, came to Singapore to visit her last December.

During his stay (19) \_\_\_\_\_ Singapore, James loved the warm weather here. James told Sally that there would be snow (20) \_\_\_\_\_ the whole month of December in America. He would have to wear thick coats made (21) \_\_\_\_\_ wool when he goes out. He would also have to make sure that he covers himself (22) \_\_\_\_\_ head to toe.

Oh, how he would miss sunny Singapore when he returns home.

**Section E : Editing (4 x 1 mark)**

Read the sentences below. Wrong or missing punctuation marks are circled and grammatical mistakes are underlined. An apostrophe is indicated by 's or s'. Put the correct punctuation mark or word in the boxes provided.

23. There are many beautiful beach in the world.

24. Mark saw many dogs  cats and hamsters at the pet fair last week.

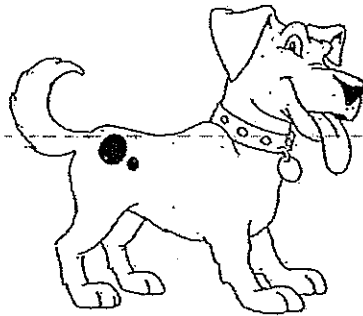
25. You must read quiet in the library.

26. "What's the weather going to be like today  " asked my younger brother.

**Section F : Graphic Stimulus (4 x 1 mark)**

Look at the text below and answer questions 27 to 30.

## Missing Dog !



<b>NAME</b>	Chai Chai
<b>GENDER</b>	Male
<b>AGE</b>	One year old
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>Two folded ears</u></li><li>• A white body with two black spots on its back</li></ul>
<b>BEHAVIOUR</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sneezes when frightened</li></ul>

### REWARD

The person will receive \$500 if Chai Chai is found. Please contact Brad at 84841234 if you have any information of the missing dog.



Refer to the text shown on page 8 and answer the following questions.

27 How old is Chai Chai?

Chai Chai is \_\_\_\_\_

28. Describe one thing about Chai Chai's appearance.

It has \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

29. What does Chai Chai do when it is afraid?

It \_\_\_\_\_

30. How much money can a person receive for finding Chai Chai?

The person can receive \_\_\_\_\_

**Section H : Comprehension (10 marks)**

Read the passage carefully and answer questions 31 to 37. .

One afternoon, Minghui was alone at home. His mother had gone out to fetch his younger sister home from her music class. Feeling hungry, Minghui cut an apple to eat. While doing so, he accidentally cut his finger.

“Ouch! It hurts!” cried Minghui.

Minghui recalled what his teacher had told the class during a lesson on first aid. He quickly turned on the tap and placed his finger under the running water. Then, he took a clean towel to dry his finger. He applied some cream around the wound. Soon, the bleeding stopped.

When Minghui’s mother returned home, Minghui told her what had happened. Minghui’s mother was cross with him for using a knife without permission. However, she was proud that he was able to take care of himself.

For questions 31 and 32, put a tick (✓) in the correct box beside the correct answer. (2 x 1m)

31. Minghui wanted to eat an apple as he was \_\_\_\_\_.

bored	
alone	
hungry	

32. Which of the following statements is true about where Minghui's mother had gone?

She had gone for her music class.	
She had gone to the market to buy apples.	
She had gone to fetch Minghui's sister home.	

For questions 33 and 34, refer to paragraph 3 and tick (✓) "True" or "False" next to each of the following statements. (2 x 1m)

	Statements	True	False
Example	Minghui used a clean towel to dry his finger.	✓	
33.	Minghui recalled what his mother had told him about first aid.		
34.	Minghui put a plaster around his wound.		

For questions 35 to 37, write your answers in the blanks provided.  
(3 x 2m)

35. Why did Minghui put his finger under running water?

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36 Which word in the last paragraph has the same meaning as  
“angry”?

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37. Why was Minghui’s Mother proud of him?

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Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
1	1	2	2	1	3	2	1	3	3

11. hungry

12. feast

13. stuttered

14. screeched

15. his

16. he

17. you

18. him

19. in

20. for

21. of

22. from

23. beaches

24. ,

25. quietly

26. ?

27. one year old

28. two folded ears

29. sneezes when it is afraid

30. \$500

31. hungry

32. She had gone to fetch Minghui's sister home.

33. False

34. False

35. He wanted to clean his wound.

36. The word is "cross".

37. His mother was proud of him because he was able to take care of himself.

