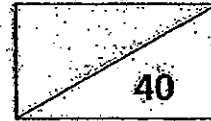


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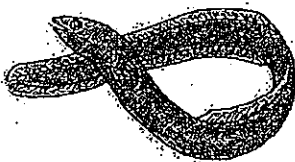
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**Section A : Vocabulary (4 x 1 mark)**

**Put a tick (✓) in the box beside the correct answer.**

1. Father caught \_\_\_\_\_ by the river.



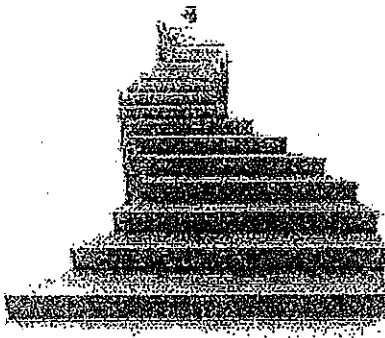
an eel	<input type="checkbox"/>
a turtle	<input type="checkbox"/>
a crayfish	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. Devi went to the beach in the \_\_\_\_\_ to watch the sunset.



evening	
morning	
afternoon	

3. "You have to \_\_\_\_\_ the stairs to go to the next floor," said the teacher.



fly	
skate	
climb	

4. Mother looked high and \_\_\_\_\_ in the house for her lost ring.

low	
out	
down	

**Section B : Grammar (4 x 1 mark)**

**Put a tick (✓) in the box beside the correct answer.**

5. The children are \_\_\_\_\_ happily on the swings now.



play	<input type="checkbox"/>
played	<input type="checkbox"/>
playing	<input type="checkbox"/>

6. My classmates and I are going to the zoo with \_\_\_\_\_ form teacher.

its	<input type="checkbox"/>
our	<input type="checkbox"/>
mine	<input type="checkbox"/>

7. I \_\_\_\_\_ two glasses of water after my exercise yesterday.

drink	<input type="checkbox"/>
drinks	<input type="checkbox"/>
drank	<input type="checkbox"/>

8. “\_\_\_\_\_ doll is this?” asked Sharon.  
“It is mine,” replied May.



What	
Which	
Whose	

**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.**

caught	farm	replied	yelled
fair	hissed	river	wonderful

Siti has a pet. It is a long and harmless snake. Uncle Ali, a neighbour in the village, first saw it two years ago when he was fishing by the (9) \_\_\_\_\_.

When Uncle Ali spotted it, he was very afraid. He (10) \_\_\_\_\_ for help. Then Siti's father came and (11) \_\_\_\_\_ it. Siti got to keep it as a pet after getting his permission.

The snake is a useful and (12) \_\_\_\_\_ pet for Siti's family. Ever since they brought it home, their home has been free from rats and other pests.

**Section D : Grammar Cloze (4 × 1 mark)**

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

**Use each word ONCE only.**

and	here	to	of
from	in	there	over

One weekend, Lucy was on her way to visit her grandmother.

Her grandmother lived a few blocks away (13) \_\_\_\_\_ her house.

To get (14) \_\_\_\_\_, she had to cross a road. The road was always full of fast-moving cars. Her mother told her (15) \_\_\_\_\_ use the overhead bridge to cross the road.

Lucy was carrying a huge bag (16) \_\_\_\_\_ fruits for her grandmother. It was really tiring to climb so many steps of the overhead bridge. Finally, she arrived at her grandmother's house.

**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.

17. "Stay away from the boiling kettle (,) " shouted Aunt Suzy.

18. Father and I eats apples after dinner last evening.

19. The classroom is very dirty. It (s) full of litter.

20. The mice was running away when the big cat came.

**Section F : Word Order (5 x 2 marks)**

Put the words in the correct order to form correct sentences or questions. Begin each sentence with a capital letter and end it with a full stop ( . ) or a question mark ( ? ).

21. birthday                      present                      whose                      is this

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22. the tree                      over                      birds                      are flying                      the

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23. my                      car                      is washing                      father                      the

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24. all                      book                      this is                      best                      of                      the

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25. many                      in the                      there are                      library                      people

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**Section G : Comprehension MCQ (4 x 1 marks)**

Read the passage carefully.

One afternoon, Mary was walking home from school. She saw a dog and a kitten fighting in the drain. The poor kitten was mewling in pain and looked helpless. Mary felt sorry for the kitten. She chased the dog away.

Then she carried the kitten out from the drain. Its paws were bleeding badly. She took out her handkerchief and wiped away the blood.

“Poor kitten. It must be hungry,” Mary thought worriedly. Mary bought a tiny packet of cat food and fed it. After that, it was time for Mary to go home. As she was afraid that the poor kitten would be attacked by other dogs again, Mary decided to take the kitten home.

Put a tick (✓) in the correct box beside the correct answer.

26. Where did Mary see the kitten?

She saw the kitten \_\_\_\_\_.

at home	<input type="checkbox"/>
in the drain	<input type="checkbox"/>
in the school	<input type="checkbox"/>

27. What did Mary use to clean the kitten?

She used her \_\_\_\_\_ to clean the kitten.

tissue	<input type="checkbox"/>
towel	<input type="checkbox"/>
handkerchief	<input type="checkbox"/>

28. How did Mary help the kitten to get away from the dog?

She helped the kitten by \_\_\_\_\_.

feeling sorry	<input type="checkbox"/>
chasing the dog away	<input type="checkbox"/>
worrying about its safety	<input type="checkbox"/>

29. What does the passage tell us about Mary?

It tells us that Mary \_\_\_\_\_.

does not like animals	<input type="checkbox"/>
is kind to weak animals	<input type="checkbox"/>
likes to go to school every day	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Section H : Comprehension Open-ended (3 x 2 marks)**

Read the passage carefully.

Once, there lived a giant called Gary. Gary the Giant lived in Tinyland. Gary was different from other giants. He was gentle and kind but the people of Tinyland did not like him. He always stepped on their houses and plants because he was so big.

One day, Gary the Giant saw some children playing in the park. He wanted to play too but the children shouted, "Go away, you clumsy giant!"

Gary was sad and hid in his cave on the mountain. He started to sob. As he was a giant, his teardrops were like buckets of water that rained down on Tinyland.

Just then, a fire broke out in the village. It was put out by Gary's tears. The people were saved. They were thankful to Gary who became their friend.

**Answer the following questions in complete sentences.**

30. What kind of giant was Gary?

He was \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

31. Where did Gary hide when he was sad?

Gary hid in a \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_.

32. How was the fire put out?

The fire was put out by \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**End of Paper**

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# **ANSWER SHEET**

## **EXAM PAPER 2012**

**SCHOOL : PEI CHUN PUBLIC SCHOOL**

**SUBJECT : PRIMARY 1 - ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

**TERM : CA2**

- Q1. an eel
- Q2. evening
- Q3. climb
- Q4. low
- Q5. playing
- Q6. our
- Q7. drank
- Q8. Whose
- Q9. river
- Q10. yelled
- Q11. caught
- Q12. wonderful
- Q13. from
- Q14. there
- Q15. to
- Q16. of
- Q17. [!]
- Q18. ate
- Q19. It's
- Q20. were
- Q21. Whose birthday present is this?
- Q22. The birds are flying over the tree.
- Q23. My father is washing the car.
- Q24. This is the best book of all.
- Q25. There are so many people in the library.
- Q26. in the drain
- Q27. handkerchief
- Q28. chasing the dog away
- Q29. is kind to weak animals
- Q30. He was gentle and kind.
- Q31. Gary hid in a cave on the mountain.
- Q32. The fire was put out by Gary's tears.

