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### Question 1

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For each question, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer.

When I was shown the wallet, I knew at once \_\_\_ it belonged to.

- A. that
- ✓ B. who
- C. which
- D. whose

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### Question 2

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

There was a fight at the supermarket when one woman accused another \_\_\_ trying to hoard toilet rolls.

- A. of
- B. for
- C. with
- D. against

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### Question 3

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Mother suggested \_\_\_ the dog for a walk.

- A. take
- B. taking
- C. to take
- D. to taking

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### Question 4

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

I \_\_\_ the old lady if I knew she needed help.

- A. help
- B. helped
- C. would help
- D. would have helped

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## Question 5

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

" \_\_\_ I be given a pay rise, I will give you a treat," Siti promised.

- A. Might
- B. Could
- C. Would
- ✓ D. Should

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## Question 6

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

The jewellery in these jewellery boxes \_\_\_ all give to me by my grandmother before she passed away.

- A. is
- B. are
- ✓ C. was
- D. were

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## Question 7

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

\_\_\_ he was given a chance to confess to the crime, he failed to come clean.

- A. Since
- B. Unless
- C. Despite
- ✓ D. Although

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## Question 8

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

"You'll help to carry the chairs to the hall, \_\_\_ you?" the teacher asked the boys.

- A. will
- ✓ B. won't
- C. would
- D. wouldn't

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## Question 9

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Raju witnessed the burglar into the bungalow.

- A. broke
- ✓ B. break
- C. breaks
- D. was breaking

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## Question 10

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Jack approached several people with his proposal, but \_\_\_ were interested.

- A. few
- B. most
- C. many
- D. some

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## Question 11

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

"Ali's interest in rugby has begun to \_\_\_ ever since his friends introduced him to soccer. He has a stronger passion for soccer now," said the coach.

- A. dim
- B. wane
- C. vanish
- D. recede

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## Question 12

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Emily signed up for too many enrichment classes and had difficulty managing her time. She \_\_\_.

- A. had the best of both worlds
- B. struck while the iron was hot
- C. bit off more than she could chew
- D. made a mountain out of a molehill

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## Question 13

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Su Ling resigned because she could no longer tolerate her manager's domineering ways and his \_\_\_\_ behaviour.

- A. overriding
- B. overacting
- ✓ C. overbearing
- D. overwhelming

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## Question 14

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

We could not believe how Gopal had \_\_\_\_ Zack's tricks again.

- A. fallen on
- ✓ B. fallen for
- C. fallen into
- D. fallen over

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## Question 15

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

The judges were impressed by Aminah's \_\_\_\_ and awarded her first prize in the speech competition.

- A. elegance

- B. diligence
- ✓ C. eloquence
- D. dramatisation

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## Question 16

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

For each question, choose the word(s) closest in meaning to the underlined words. (5 marks)

My heart was palpating. I was on tenterhooks even before the race began. My nervousness was obvious to those around me.

- ✓ A. anxious
- B. doubtful
- C. confused
- D. terrorised

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## Question 17

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

My heart was pounding so quickly that I was sure it was audible from a distance. The doctor had reminded me that taking paper in the competition would mean a worsening of my condition but I was adamant to represent my school in the race as it was my only chance.

- A. depletion
- ✓ B. deterioration
- C. degeneration
- D. disintegration

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**Question Type:** Multiple Choice  
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## Question 18

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

when I heard the starter gun, I took off like a deer pursued by its hound. Then what the doctor feared most happened. My kneecap **succumbed** to pressure. "No, please, no!" I cried to myself. The gnawing pain grew.

- A. bowed
- ✓ B. yielded
- C. subjected
- D. surrendered

**Question Type:** Multiple Choice  
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## Question 19

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

My legs weakened and I collapsed. When I **came to**, I was unable to walk and my movement was restricted.

- A. became sensible
- ✓ B. became conscious
- C. became determined
- D. became courageous

**Question Type:** Multiple Choice  
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## Question 20

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

However, I was undaunted and determined to finish the race delisted my injury.



- A. unresolved
- B. unalarmed
- C. uncertained
- ✓ D. unfazed

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**Question Type:** *Multiple Choice*  
**Randomize Answers:** *No*  
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## Question 21

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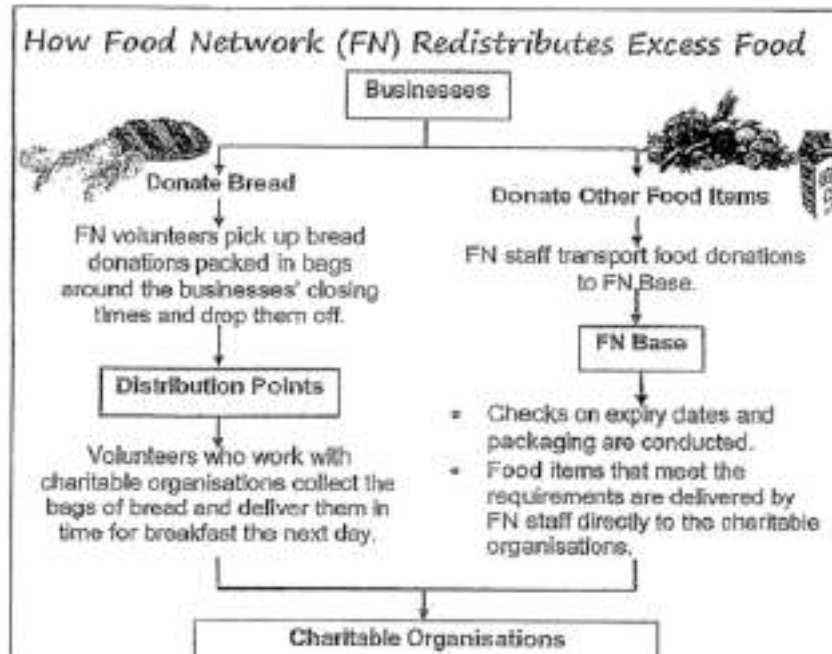
## Lead A Lifestyle of 3Rs!

The 3Rs – reduce, reuse and recycle – play a crucial role in protecting the environment. Cutting down on the amount of waste helps to conserve natural resources, landfill space and energy. Minimising waste is everyone's responsibility. You can play a part too.

### Killing Two Birds with One Stone

Food is among the five largest sources of waste in Singapore and currently accounts for close to a quarter of the total waste. That is equivalent to the weight of more than 64 000 double-decker buses! There is a pressing need to minimise food wastage, and it starts with avoiding food wastage and excess food production. Excess food can then be redistributed to the needy wherever possible.

Food Network (FN) was therefore set up with that objective to redistribute excess food. It has been saving as much as 50 000 kg of bread and other food items from the bins monthly! More than 100 businesses, mostly bakeries and supermarkets, donate excess food, such as bread, milk, fruits and vegetables that is safe to consume. The donations are picked up daily and handed over to charitable organisations that work with the needy.



### How to Minimise Waste at Home



Avoidable food waste, which refers to food that could have been consumed but was not, makes up a significant part of the daily total waste of each household in Singapore. For instance, leftovers from a meal, blemished fruits and vegetables, and food that has turned bad or been kept past its expiry date are often dumped carelessly. Such waste can be prevented if some good habits are formed. These can include preparing lists before shopping for groceries, adopting good food storage and preparation practices, and making use of leftovers to cook.





### How to Minimise Waste at School



A lot of stationery is used at school. To minimise waste, cultivate the following good habits: ensure that both sides of a piece of paper are used, use refillable pens and markers. Post notices in classrooms instead of making multiple copies for distribution. Donations of uniforms and textbooks that are no longer needed but still in good condition should also be encouraged.

As you can see, there are many practical ways you can protect the environment without having to make dramatic lifestyle changes. Now, it doesn't seem that difficult to make reducing, reusing and recycling a way of life, does it?

**Annual Year-End Donation Drive**

- ✓ Instead of leaving festive goodies to turn bad, donate them! They must be unopened, in good condition and have at least two weeks of shelf life left.
- ✓ If there are textbooks you will not be using anymore, donate them! They must be in good condition and notes or scribbles should preferably be erased.

Collection dates	:	1 to 30 December 2020
Collection point	:	Community Service Centre 14 Egmont Road, Singapore 700100
Opening hours	:	6.30 a.m. to 10.30 p.m. daily

In "The 3Rs - reduce, reuse and recycle - play a crucial role in protecting the environment," dashes are used to \_\_\_\_\_.

- ✓ A. present additional information
- B. show that the information is factual
- C. emphasise why the 3Rs are important
- D. indicate that the information is the main idea

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## Question 22

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Why is "Killing Two Birds with One Stone" an appropriate sub-heading for that section?

- A. Food Network picks up donation and distributes them
- ✓ B. Food Network reduces food wastage and helps the needy
- C. Food Network saves businesses and charitable organisations
- D. Food Network prevents excess food production and donations

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**Question 23**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

According to the article, there is a pressing need to minimise food wastage because \_\_\_\_.

- A. food is the largest source of waste in Singapore
- B. Annual food wastage in Singapore weighs about 54 000kg
- C. people living in Singapore have started avoiding food wastage
- ✓ D. almost a quarter of the total waste dumped in Singapore is food

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**Question 24**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Where is the inspection of food items carried out?

- A. distribution points
- B. business premises
- ✓ C. Food Network Base
- D. charitable organisations

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**Question 25**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

According to the section "How to Minimise Waste at Home", what does "such waste" refer to?

- A. recyclable waste
- ✓ B. avoidable food waste
- C. total waste in Singapore
- D. total waste of each household in Singapore

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## Question 26

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Which of the following is not a step toward minimising waste at school?

- A. using refillable writing instruments
- ✓ B. handing out notices to individual students
- C. putting up information sheets on noticeboards
- D. using every available space on a piece of paper

**Question Type:** Multiple Choice  
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## Question 27

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Joan cleared out her cardboard and found some textbooks she wanted to donate. What should she do before heading to the collection point?

- ✓ A. Remove the doodles on some pages
- B. Wrap the textbooks carefully in plastic
- C. Tear out the pages containing written notes
- D. check whether the textbooks can be used the following year

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## Question 28

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

What is the main purpose of the article?

- A. to describe how the 3Rs should be practised
- B. to explain how to help the needy through the 3Rs
- C. to inform readers that the 3Rs are being practised everywhere
- ✓ D. to convince readers that they can do their part to practise the 3Rs

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## Question 29

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

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Match the options below with the most suitable word:

**Clue**

**Match**

The silkworm moth goes through the same development as other moths. \_\_\_\_ unlike other moths, it has been domesticated.

however

Points: +1 -0

Raised and cared for \_\_\_\_ people, silkworm moths live on farms.

by

Points: +1 -0

These farms can be found \_\_\_\_ Japan, China

in

Points: +1 -0

and other countries \_\_\_\_ silk is produced.

where

Points: +1 -0

In the first stage, the female moth lays \_\_\_\_ 500 yellow eggs,

about

Points: +1 -0

\_\_\_\_ no bigger than the head of a pin.

each

Points: +1 -0

The eggs have a glue-like covering \_\_\_\_ makes them stick to anything they touch. This covering acts as a protective shell.

that

Points: +1 -0

\_\_\_\_ the eggs are laid, silk farmers store them in refrigerates to simulate winter before they hatch.

after

Points: +1 -0

When the farmers want the egg to hatch, they move \_\_\_\_ to incubators.

them

Points: +1 -0

which are machines that warm them to \_\_\_\_\_ the correct temperature for hatching.

Points: +1 -0

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## Question 30

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error. Write the correct word in the answer box. (12 marks)

The polar bear in North America is under threat while Borneo and Sumatra, the orang-utan is considered critically endangered. It is a disturbing fact that many difrent kinds of wild animals

Accepted answers:

✓ different

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## Question 31

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

throughout the word are in anger of extinksion.

Accepted answers:

✓ extinction

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## Question 32

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

The reasons for this is many and varied.

**Accepted answers:**

✓ are

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## Question 33

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

The three main threats to wild animals' survival are pollution, the **disturbing** of animals'

**Accepted answers:**

✓ disturbance

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## Question 34

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

natural **envairoment** and man's greed and thoughtlessness.

**Accepted answers:**

✓ environment

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## Question 35

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Firstly, industry has grown **enomously**, and



**Accepted answers:**

✓ enormously

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**Question 36**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

it has become common practice for factories to dispose away factory waste in streams and rivers,

**Accepted answers:**

✓ of

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**Question 37**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

causing great lost of river life.

**Accepted answers:**

✓ loss

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**Question 38**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Secondly, an increase of human population has also led to more land development -

**Accepted answers:**

✓ in

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## Question 39

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

and with it, the distrecktion of habitat for wild animals.

**Accepted answers:**

✓ destruction

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## Question 40

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Fortunately ,the problem is receiving word wide rekonition and

**Accepted answers:**

✓ recognition

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## Question 41

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

some action is being took.

**Accepted answers:**

✓ taken

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## Question 42

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

**Fill in each blank with a suitable word**

My father was a supervisor of a sugar cane plantation in Puerto Rico. Like other children from poor families, I too worked at the plantation. My first \_\_\_ was to drive the oxen that ploughed the cane fields to prepare the land for planting.

**Accepted answers:**

✓ job

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## Question 43

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

For a dollar a day, I \_\_\_ eight hours straight, with no food breaks.

**Accepted answers:**

✓ worked

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## Question 44

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

I would walk behind an ox, \_\_\_ him with a stick to make him move forward.

**Accepted answers:**

✓ prodding

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## Question 45

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

It was tedious work, but it prepared me for life and \_\_\_ me many lasting lessons.

**Accepted answers:**

✓ taught

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## Question 46

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

As the plantation owners were \_\_\_ watching us,

**Accepted answers:**

✓ always

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## Question 47

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

I had to be \_\_\_ time everyday

**Accepted answers:**

✓ on

**Question Type:** Free Text

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## Question 48

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

and work as \_\_\_ as I could.

### Accepted answers:

✓ hard

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## Question 49

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

The habit of being punctual became ingrained in me. I have never been \_\_\_ for any job since.

### Accepted answers:

✓ late

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## Question 50

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

I also learn about \_\_\_ respectful and loyal to people I work for.

### Accepted answers:

✓ being

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## Question 51

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

\_\_\_ importantly, I earned my pay; it never occurred to me to say I was sick because I did not want to work.

### Accepted answers:

✓ most

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## Question 52

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

I was \_\_\_ six year s old, but I was doing a man's job.

### Accepted answers:

✓ Only

**Question Type:** Free Text  
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## Question 53

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Our family needed \_\_\_ dollar we could make

### Accepted answers:

✓ every

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## Question 54

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

because my father never \_\_\_ more than \$18 a week.

### Accepted answers:

✓ earned

**Question Type:** Free Text  
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## Question 55

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Our \_\_\_ was a wood shack with a dirt floor and no toilet.

### Accepted answers:

✓ house

**Question Type:** Free Text  
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## Question 56

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Nothing has made me prouder than bring home \_\_\_ to help my parents, two brothers and three sisters.

### Accepted answers:

✓ money

**Question Type:** Free Text  
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## Question 57

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

Rewrite the given sentence(s) using the word(s) provided.

Both Raj and Simon have gone to the carnival.

\_\_\_\_\_ together with \_\_\_\_\_

**Question Type:** Essay  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
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**QID#:** 29,243,806

### Correctly answered feedback

Raj, together with Simon has gone to the carnival

### Incorrectly answered feedback

Raj, together with Simon has gone to the carnival

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## Question 58

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

The team was loyal to their coach. It inspired the spectators.

\_\_\_\_\_ the team's \_\_\_\_\_

**Question Type:** Essay  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
**Last Modified:** N/A  
**QID#:** 29,243,816

### Correctly answered feedback

The spectators were inspired by the team's loyalty to their coach

### Incorrectly answered feedback

The spectators were inspired by the team's loyalty to their coach

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## Question 59

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

"Will you help water my plants when I am overseas next week?" Mr Lim asked Siti.

Mr Lim asked Siti if \_\_\_\_\_

**Question Type:** Essay  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021



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QID#: 29,243,826

**Correctly answered feedback**

Mr Lim asked Siti she would help water his plants when he was overseas the next week

**Incorrectly answered feedback**

Mr Lim asked Siti she would help water his plants when he was overseas the next week

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## Question 60

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

A police officer appeared suddenly on the crowded street. The pickpocket was nervous .

\_\_\_\_\_ nervous about the \_\_\_\_\_

**Question Type:** Essay  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
**Last Modified:** N/A  
**QID#:** 29,243,836

**Correctly answered feedback**

The pickpocket was nervous about the sudden appearance of a police officer on the crowded street

**Incorrectly answered feedback**

The pickpocket was nervous about the sudden appearance of a police officer on the crowded street

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## Question 61

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

The tailor-bird weaved a nest. Mei Ling was intrigued by the nest

Mei Ling found the nest \_\_\_\_\_

**Question Type:** Essay  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
**Last Modified:** N/A  
**QID#:** 29,243,847

**Correctly answered feedback**

Mei Ling found the nest worn by the tailor-bird intriguing.

**Incorrectly answered feedback**

Mei Ling found the nest worn by the tailor-bird intriguing.

**Question 62**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

My mother suggested the sweetest name: Mercy. We soon learnt it was just what the new Boxer pup my parents had adopted would need. My parents' rambunctious dog would bolt out of bed and go-go-go all day long. Whenever they went out and left her alone for a while, they would not be surprised to come back and see the house in a mess. This led my parents to expect chaos when they brought home a Christmas tree. To their astonishment, Mercy paid no attention to the tree that suddenly appeared in the living room. Nor did she react to the fancy presents under it, including a wrapped box of dog treats, Milk Bones, which were just for her.

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Yet, my mother and father were wary. They never had a dog that did not force them to move everything to higher ground as if they were expecting a flood; but Mercy seemed oblivious to the tree and presents.

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On Christmas day, my mother awoke early, as usual. She passed the dirty-lit living room and then stopped suddenly. Glancing back into the room, she confirmed what she thought she had first seen. Every present under the tree was gone. Only the tree was still there. Had they been robbed? Why hadn't Mercy barked? Where was she? Had the burglars taken her? My mother's thoughts went wild as she noticed a scrap of ribbon on the floor. Then, a bit of torn wrapping paper a few metres away, some glitter beyond that. The clues all made a trail leading toward the back door.

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My mother flipped the switch, bathing the backyard in light. The perpetrator's head lifted and froze. Alarm and guilt made her eyes wide. Oh, yes, it was Mercy. She lay under her favourite tree in the backyard in a fluffy nest of shredded wrapping paper, chewed-up boxes, and curling bits of ribbon. Presents, pawed from their packages, were strewn about among tattered bows. Beautifully-wrapped boxes had gaping holes and there were fragments of wrapping tissue mixed with the last remaining evidence of gifts.

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Clearly, Mercy's self-control had failed. She had silently pilaged one package after another out the doggy door leading to the backyard. Anything edible was gone, including cookies, chocolates, candy canes, and two kilograms of the Milk Bones.

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Trying to suppress a laugh, my father said, "Nature has really taken pity on Mercy. With everything eaten up, she is fortunate to have survived her midnight snack." My parents were so grateful they did not need to take a trip to the veterinarian that they laughed off the ruined presents. To them, this was not a problem. The real problem was with all the gift tags attached to each gift destroyed, how could my parents know who had sent them each of the gifts and send out thank-you cards to them? Mercy had presented the problem, yet Mercy was soon able to provide the answer. A few days after the incident, my mother returned to her rocking chair to find Mercy guiltily licking a plate where a doughnut had just been. She snapped a picture of the shamefaced pooch and used it to make thank-you cards to the family and friends who usually gave them Christmas gifts every year. The caption read, "Thank you for the ???". Inside each card, the whole story was explained. We all had to laugh. Everyone shared the sweet reminder that amid all the gift-giving, it was really a season for 'mercy'.

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Why did the writer's parents expect to find the house in a mess whenever they came back home?

**Question Type:** Essay  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
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**QID#:** 29,243,864

**Correctly answered feedback**

Mercy was a rambunctious dog

**Incorrectly answered feedback**

Mercy was a rambunctious dog

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## Question 63

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

Based on lines 5 - 18 fill in the boxes below. [4m]

	what the writer's parents thought would happen	what actually happened
When the writer's parents brought home the tree	a)	b)
	what the writer's mother thought had happened	what actually happened
When the presents went missing	c)	d)

**Question Type:** Essay

**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021

**Last Modified:** N/A

**QID#:** 29,243,905

### Correctly answered feedback

- a) Mercy would Destroy the tree and presents
- b) Mercy paid no attention to the Christmas tree
- c) They had been robbed and the burglars took Mercy
- d) Mercy had silently pillaged all the packets into the backyard

### Incorrectly answered feedback

- a) Mercy would Destroy the tree and presents
- b) Mercy paid no attention to the Christmas tree
- c) They had been robbed and the burglars took Mercy
- d) Mercy had silently pillaged all the packets into the backyard

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## Question 64

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

How did the writer's mother feel when she saw the present missing under the tree? How do you know?

**Question Type:** Essay

**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021

**Last Modified:** N/A

QID#: 29,243,911

**Correctly answered feedback**

The writer's mother was scared as her thought went wild and thought they had been robbed

**Incorrectly answered feedback**

The writer's mother was scared as her thought went wild and thought they had been robbed

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[Remove From Test](#)**Question 65**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

Fill in the following table by identifying the correct word(s) from the passage. [2m]

Question	Word(s) from the passage
a) Which word from paragraph two tells us that the parents did not trust Mercy to stay away from the tree?	
b) Which two word phrase paragraph four tell us that the presents were found scattered around in the backyard?	

**Question Type:** Essay**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021**Last Modified:** N/A**QID#:** 29,243,919**Correctly answered feedback**

- a) wary
- b) strewn about

**Incorrectly answered feedback**

- a) wary
- b) strewn about

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[Remove From Test](#)**Question 66**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

It was the first time the writer's parents owned a dog

- A. True
- B. False



**Question Type:** True False  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
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**QID#:** 29,243,926

**Correctly answered feedback**

The writer's parents had dogs before they forced them to move everything to higher ground

**Incorrectly answered feedback**

The writer's parents had dogs before they forced them to move everything to higher ground

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**Question 67**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Mercy was only interested in the presents but not the tree

- A. True  
 B. False

**Question Type:** True False  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
**Last Modified:** N/A  
**QID#:** 29,243,932

**Correctly answered feedback**

Mercy pillaged every present bu ignored the tree

**Incorrectly answered feedback**

Mercy pillaged every present bu ignored the tree

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**Question 68**

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

1 pt

Match the options below to indicate the sequence of the events :

**Clue**

**Match**

The writer's mother followed the trail of evidence

2

The writer's mother sensed something was

1

wrong

The writer's mother found the presents destroyed 3

**Question Type:** Matching  
**Grade style:** Full points if all answers are correct  
**Shuffle Mode:** Shuffle Matches Only  
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### Question 69

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim) 0 pts

Why was Mercy considered to be fortunate to have "Survived the midnight snack" (line 29)?

**Question Type:** Essay  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
**Last Modified:** N/A  
**QID#:** 29,243,947

**Correctly answered feedback**

Mercy ate everything edible from cookies and chocolates to candy canes and dog treats and she was fortunate not to have a stomach ache from eating so much

**Incorrectly answered feedback**

Mercy ate everything edible from cookies and chocolates to candy canes and dog treats and she was fortunate not to have a stomach ache from eating so much

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### Question 70

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim) 0 pts

Look at the table below. What do the words in the left column refer to in the passage? Write your answers in the column on the right. [2m]

Word(s) from the passage	What the word(s) refer(s) to
this (line 31)	
it (line 36)	

**Question Type:** Essay  
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**QID#:** 29,243,951

#### Correctly answered feedback

- the presents being ruined
- the picture of Mercy guiltily licking the plate where a doughnut had just been

#### Incorrectly answered feedback

- the presents being ruined
- the picture of Mercy guiltily licking the plate where a doughnut had just been

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## Question 71

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

Why did the caption in the thank you cards have "??"(line 38) in it ?

**Question Type:** Essay  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
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**QID#:** 29,243,957

#### Correctly answered feedback

They did not know what the gifts were ands who had given them as gifts were destroyed

#### Incorrectly answered feedback

They did not know what the gifts were ands who had given them as gifts were destroyed

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## Question 72

Primary 6 English » Primary 6 English (Prelim)

0 pts

Based on the story, how was the name "Mercy" appropriate for the dog?

**Question Type:** Essay  
**Date Added:** Wed 6th Oct 2021  
**Last Modified:** N/A  
**QID#:** 29,243,963

#### Correctly answered feedback

Despite the fact that Mercy had destroyed the gifts, she was still forgiven

#### Incorrectly answered feedback

Despite the fact that Mercy had destroyed the gifts, she was still forgiven

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