

Test: Primary 3 English (Term 1) - School RS

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Select multiple choice answers with a cross or tick:

Only select one answer

Can select multiple answers

Question 1 of 26

Primary 3 English (Term 1) 1 pt

Section A: Grammar (3 marks)

Read each question carefully. Choose the correct answer.

My grandma uses the washing machine to _____ my uniform every Sunday.

- _____
- A) wash
 - B) washes
 - C) washed
 - D) washing

Question 2 of 26

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We were told that when the fire alarm sounds, we should not leave the school compound by _____.

- _____
- A) itself
 - B) ourselves
 - C) themselves
 - D) yourself

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One of the siblings _____ attending the football training tonight.

- A) is
- B) are
- C) was
- D) were

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Primary 3 English (Term 1) 1 pt

Section B: Vocabulary (3 marks)

Read each question carefully. Choose the correct answer.

When John fell off his chair, he let out a _____ sound.

- A) hateful
- B) wonderful
- C) frightful
- D) delightful

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Being as lonely as a _____, the demon wished the girl would come back through the trapdoor once again.

- A) bear
- B) whale
- C) cloud
- D) whip

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The _____ of this story book has created many colourful pictures for his other books as well.

- A) narrator
- B) author
- C) character
- D) illustrator

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Primary 3 English (Term 1) 2 pts

Section C: Grammar Cloze (2 marks)Fill in each blank with the correct word from the options. Use each word **once only**.

1. [] Carol has a passion for art. She has been _____ since age 3. A. drew

2. [] She learnt how to draw cartoon characters when she attended art classes 2 years back. She did a few _____ for the school magazine last year too. Drawing is her favourite pastime. B. drawing

C. drawings

D. drawn

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Primary 3 English (Term 1) 3 pts

Section D: Vocabulary Cloze (3 marks)Fill in each blank with the correct word from the box below. Use each word **once only**.

1. [] Adam likes to play with his toys. Right from the age of three, he used to take his toys _____ and then reassemble the pieces. A. mess

2. [] Sometimes, he manages to put them back _____. B. apart

3. [] but at other times, his toys are left in a _____ on the floor. His parents are always asking him to keep his toys together. C. mess

D. together

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Primary 3 English (Term 1) 1 pt

Section E: Comprehension Cloze (3 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Fill in each of the blanks with the most suitable word.

Questions 9 - 11 make up 1 complete passage:

Amy was having a headache. The continuous banging and drilling in the house was annoying. She covered her ears with both _____ but that did not help much. She walked over to her father's bedroom.

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Before she could complain, her father looked at her and said, "Amy, I know it is very _____ in the house with all the work going on but we have to carry out the repairs." Amy was silent.

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Father added, "You know very well that the tiles on the bathroom wall _____ falling off and the doors of the kitchen shelves have all come off. Put up with it one more week, will you?" Amy agreed. She then decided to go out to the nearby park with her friends.

Section F: Sentence Manipulation

Rewrite the given sentences using the word provided. Your answer must be in ONE sentence. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning of the given sentences.

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David trained hard for the running competition. He came in second last on the day of the race.

_____ but

Section G: Visual Text Comprehension (5 marks)

Study the poster carefully and then answer questions 13 to 17.

The Biggest Magic Show in 2018
10 March to 25 March



Get thrilled by the magic of
Robert Sliver

MPL Theatre
30 Marina Stadium
Opening Night: 10 March 2018
Showtime: 5.00 pm
Saturdays and Sundays
only

Tickets are priced at \$20, \$30, \$50 and \$80!

For more information on sale of tickets call 69876543
You may also purchase tickets online at www.robertmagic.com

Discount for senior citizens aged 60 years and above.
Purchase tickets at the ticketing counter by 9 March
2018

Special discounts for students at the ticketing counter too!
Come in your uniform or just produce your student EZ link card
Organised by: MPL Theatre

Robert Sliver is the name of the _____.

- A) theatre
- B) magician
- C) organiser
- D) magic show

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The first magic show will be shown on _____.

- A) 10 March 2018
- B) 13 March 2018
- C) 20 March 2018
- D) 25 March 2018

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For students to get a special discount for their tickets, they can _____.

- A) call 69876543
- B) wear their school uniform
- C) purchase the tickets online
- D) show the poster at counter

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Raj wants to get a ticket for his 65 year-old grandfather. He must _____.

- A) arrive before 5pm on the opening night
- B) purchase the tickets at www.robertmagic.com
- C) produce his EZ link card when buying the tickets
- D) buy the ticket at the ticketing counter before the opening night

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There is/are _____ show/shows each week.

- A) one
- B) two
- C) three
- D) seven

Section H: Open-ended Comprehension

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Answer the question below:

Which word in paragraph 2 has the same meaning as the word "difficult"?

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Choose the correct answer:

The boy's grandfather was concerned because the boy _____.

- A)** had mean classmates
- B)** seldom talk to him
- C)** hammered many nails into a fence
- D)** said mean things to everyone when angry

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In paragraph 2, the boy started to follow his grandfather's advice. What was the grandfather's advice to the boy?

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Choose True or False

As the days went by, the boy started hammering in more nails.

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- A)** True
- B)** False

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The boy started to control his temper because hammering the nails into the fence was hard.

- A) True
- B) False

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These were the events that happened in the story. Choose the right order according to the flow in the story.

1. The boy hammered forty-two nails into the backyard fence.
2. The boy's grandfather gave him a box of nails.
3. The boy took out a nail for each day when he could control his temper.

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- A)** 1, 2, 3
- B)** 3, 2, 1
- C)** 3, 1, 2
- D)** 2, 1, 3

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- A) boy
- B) grandfather

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Who does 'him' refer to in the sentences below?

The boy went to his grandfather and told him what he had achieved. (paragraph 3)

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- A) boy
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According to the boy's grandfather, what did the holes in the fence represent?
