

Test: Primary 5 - Term 2 (SA1) English (Rosyth)

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Select multiple choice answers with a cross or tick:

☐ Only select one answer

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For each question, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

Kris was on the way home ____ she met her father at the bus stop.

- ☐ A) when
- ☐ B) which
- ☐ C) whom
- ☐ D) where

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____ Mr Goh had known that it was so expensive, he would not have allowed his son to buy the laptop.

- ☐ A) If
- ☐ B) Since
- ☐ C) Unless
- ☐ D) Although

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Having ____ his calculations, Mr Zaid decided he had enough money to buy a new house.

- ☐ A) do
- ☐ B) did
- ☐ C) does
- ☐ D) done

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Primary 5 English (Term 2) 1 pt

The police ____ looking for the burglar for a few weeks before they found out that he had left the country.

- ☐ A) has been
- ☐ B) had been
- ☐ C) will have been
- ☐ D) would have been

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Primary 5 English (Term 2) 1 pt

The supervisor was enraged when he saw his workers ____ the construction debris into the river.

- ☐ A) dump
- ☐ B) dumped
- ☐ C) have dumped
- ☐ D) were dumping

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Primary 5 English (Term 2) 1 pt

Navin as well as his cousins ____ on the way to the party when the train stalled.

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

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Mr Toh asked his son, "You ____ get enough rest, do you?"

- ☐ A) hardly
- ☐ B) usually
- ☐ C) frequently
- ☐ D) occasionally

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1 pt

Vivek thought ____ the steps very carefully before carrying out his plan.

- ☐ A) into
- ☐ B) along
- ☐ C) beyond
- ☐ D) through

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Primary 5 English (Term 2)

1 pt

This medal ____ to Luis by the principal at the ceremony next month.

- ☐ A) is awarded
- ☐ B) was awarded
- ☐ C) will be awarded
- ☐ D) has been awarded

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Primary 5 English (Term 2)

1 pt

Neither the girls nor their mother ____ where the keys are kept.

- ☐ A) know
- ☐ B) knows
- ☐ C) has known
- ☐ D) have known

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Primary 5 English (Term 2) 1 pt

Keiko did not know how to use his new camera despite reading the instruction ____ several times.

- ☐ A) article
- ☐ B) journal
- ☐ C) manual
- ☐ D) newsletter

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The judge warned the witness not to ____ and answer the question directly.

- ☐ A) beat around the bush
- ☐ B) hit the nail on the head
- ☐ C) go on a wild goose chase
- ☐ D) kill two birds with one stone

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Primary 5 English (Term 2) 1 pt

The school has ____ a reputation over the years for developing students of good character.

- ☐ A) put up
- ☐ B) built up
- ☐ C) taken up
- ☐ D) worked up

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The detectives were able to expose the ____ and identify the criminal after months of investigation.

- ☐ A) truth
- ☐ B) proof
- ☐ C) reality
- ☐ D) outcome

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Primary 5 English (Term 2) 1 pt

To avoid reporting for work, the lazy worker tricked his employer by ____ illness.

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- ☐ A) posing
 - ☐ B) feigning
 - ☐ C) imitating
 - ☐ D) performing

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Choose the word(s) closest in the meaning to the underlined word(s)

Damien stood at the starting line, waiting for the starter to sound the horn. He had looked forward to this day for several weeks.

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- ☐ A) reserved
 - ☐ B) predicted
 - ☐ C) scheduled
 - ☐ D) anticipated

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He could hear the cheers from the spectators, some of whom were cheering him on. Although all the other runners were taller than him, he was not daunted.

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- ☐ A) rose over
 - ☐ B) soared over
 - ☐ C) towered over
 - ☐ D) hovered over

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After many months of hard work and training, he was determined to win. At that moment, everything was in his hands. He was desperate to show those who had discouraged him and called him names that he could overcome any obstacle.

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- ☐ A) he jumped the gun
 - ☐ B) he threw in the towel
 - ☐ C) the ball was in his court
 - ☐ D) it was a level playing field

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1 pt

He was calm despite all the thoughts that were in his head.

- ☐ A) quiet
- ☐ B) serene
- ☐ C) tranquil
- ☐ D) composed

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1 pt

At the sound of the horn, he dashed forward, fully convinced of reaching the finish line first. Victory was in sight.

- ☐ A) totally
- ☐ B) hardly
- ☐ C) gradually
- ☐ D) eventually

SERANGOON SOUTH COMMUNITY CLUB ANNUAL SOCCER TOURNAMENT



**Stay active and make
new friends during the
school holidays!**



Back by popular demand, this year's tournament's theme, 'Soccer Unites', brings together children of all ages and backgrounds through soccer.

Preliminary Round : Sat 9 June & Sun 10 June 2018
Second Round : Sat 16 June 2018
Quarter Finals : Sun 17 June 2018
Semi-finals : Sat 23 June 2018
Finals : Sun 24 June 2018

5 Tournament Categories

- Kids (Girls & Boys Combined) - aged 7 to 8 *
- Juniors (Girls) - aged 9 to 10
- Juniors (Boys) - aged 9 to 10
- Seniors (Girls) - aged 11 to 12
- Seniors (Boys) - aged 11 to 12



* The team may comprise all girls, all boys or girls and boys combined.

Form a team of 5 players and register at the Serangoon South Community Club from Monday 28 May to Sunday 3 June 2018. Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. SPACE IS LIMITED!





Registration fee: \$15 per child (includes a jersey and fun pack).



Rules and Regulations

- The tournament is open to Singapore citizens and non-citizens.
- Birth certificate must be brought along for registration as proof of age.
- Consent of parents/guardians is required for all participants.
- Changes to team members can be made on the day of the tournament.
- The organisers will reject any team that breaks the rules and regulations.

AMAZING PRIZES!

Champion Team in each category	A pair of AVIVAS soccer boots for each team member	
Runners-up in each category	A PANTHER sports bag for each team member	
Best player in each category	A one-of-a-kind jersey printed with the autograph of local soccer legend Ronald Oh	
All participants	A NOKE water bottle each (latest design)	

SOCCKER CLINICS

Interested in improving your dribbling, shooting, ball control and other soccer skills? You will be trained by coaches from Kovan Soccer Club at the following times:

Session 1 (9 June): 10.00 a.m. – 11.30 a.m. (juniors clinic)
2.00 p.m. – 3.30 p.m. (seniors clinic)

Session 2 (16 June): 10.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m. (juniors clinic)
2.00 p.m. – 4.00 p.m. (seniors clinic)

Register via our website www.kovansoccer.com latest by 3 June 2018. More details will be sent via email upon successful registration. Participants who have registered are required to attend both sessions. There will be a skills assessment at the end of Session 2. A certificate will be issued only to those who have successfully passed the assessment.

CARNIVAL

Admission is free and all are welcome!

In conjunction with the tournament, the organisers bring you a carnival over all 3 weekends. Enjoy many fun-filled games, a variety of reasonably-priced delicious food and exciting classic carnival rides such as bumper cars, mini rollercoaster and carousel.



Opening Hours: 10.00 a.m.–6.00 p.m.

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Soccer Club



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National Youth
Association



Singapore
Soccer Academy



The phrase "back by popular demand" indicates that ____

- ☐ A) every soccer tournament is organised with a different theme
- ☐ B) this is not the first time the soccer tournament is being organised
- ☐ C) each soccer tournament is usually held during the month of June
- ☐ D) this year's soccer tournament is different from last year's tournament

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The main purpose of the soccer tournament is to ____.

- ☐ A) improve children's soccer skills
- ☐ B) encourage children to join Kovan Soccer Club
- ☐ C) provide children the opportunity to play soccer
- ☐ D) promote friendship among children through soccer

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1 pt

All participants in the soccer tournament will need to _____.

- ☐ A) register at Kovan Soccer Stadium
- ☐ B) make payment when they register
- ☐ C) obtain the consent of the organisers before registering
- ☐ D) produce their birth certificates on the day of the tournament

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1 pt

Which of these statements about the soccer tournament is true?

- ☐ A) Only boys are allowed to participate in the tournament
- ☐ B) All participants must purchase a jersey and funpack worth \$15
- ☐ C) The tournament is held over 3 weekends in June at Kovan Soccer Stadium
- ☐ D) Everyone who turns up to register will be able to participate in the tournament

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1 pt

The prizes that are specially made for the soccer tournament are the _____.

- ☐ A) jerseys
- ☐ B) sports bag
- ☐ C) soccer boots
- ☐ D) water bottles

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1 pt

All participants at the soccer clinic _____.

- ☐ A) may attend either Session 1 or Session 2
- ☐ B) must also compete for attending the training
- ☐ C) will receive a certificate for attending the training
- ☐ D) will be trained by coaches from Kovan Soccer Club

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1 pt

The carnival _____.

- ☐ A) is open to visitors below 12 years old
- ☐ B) offers free food and rides for all visitors
- ☐ C) is open daily from 10am to 6pm
- ☐ D) is also organized by the soccer tournament organisers

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1 pt

The deadline to sign up for the soccer tournament is _____.

- ☐ A) 28 May 2018
- ☐ B) 3 June 2018
- ☐ C) 9 June 2018
- ☐ D) 16 June 2018

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Match the options below with the most suitable word:

1. []	The invention of the camera has allowed us to capture a moment in time. We can revisit ____ forever.	A. a
2. []	Today, digital cameras make photography easy. Most children ____ days have not used a camera that uses film.	B. these
3. []	Whether a camera is digital or uses film, there is ____ universal commonality among them. Both can capture a moment in time.	C. and
4. []	Do you know ____ happens when you push the button on a camera to take a photograph?	D. from
5. []	When doing so, light rays have to pass through the lens. The lens ____ a glass plate that	E. when
6. []	directs those rays ____ an object to the film when the shutter opens.	F. it
7. []	The shutter opens ____ closes really fast.	G. before
8. []	It only wants to let enough light in to capture the image and then closes ____ it gets too much light.	H. what
9. []	The light reacts with chemicals on a film which is stored in the camera's body, producing an image. It is exactly the same image captured ____ the button on the camera was pushed.	I. is
10. []	This is where we get to see ____ moments back in the past which can now last forever. Beautiful memories that we can reminisce about, captured on film.	J. these

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Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error.

The beautiful scenery was absolutely mesmerising. It was tough to contain the excitement I felt. Since, I tried hard to mask my feelings.

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All thoughts of homework and school examinations were forgetting as I looked at the snow-capped mountains before me.

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A few minutes later, I arrived at the ski resort. The ski instructor was a giant man who was addressing the group with a voice so graf that it sounded like someone walking on a gravel path.

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I gingerly walked towards him, worried that I was going to make a fool of myself. He stopped and stared at me as I approached him. Then he resumed giving the remaining instructions from the rest of the skiers.

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Intent on being an outstanding first-time skier, I listened atentively to the instructor,

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Then someone blew a whistle resulting in a stempeed as everyone rushed to be the first in line to glide on the snow.

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As they pushed and shoved their way to the front of the queue, a quarrel broke up between a chubby teenager and an old man.

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The old man was fuming mad because the teenager had eksidentely tripped him with his skies.

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He was scolding the teenager as limped his way to a nearby bench. Meanwhile, with a total lack of remorseful the teenager pushed off on his skis,

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eager to show off his skiing teckniques.

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As he confidently waved to the rest of us, he failed to see the bucket and shovel in the snow, tripping over us.

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In an instant, his graceful ski movements had transformed into a clumsy mess of failing arms and legs kicking in all directions. For sure, he would never make it as an aecrobatik performer. Never in a million years!

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Fill in each blank with a suitable word.

Mika was an only child. His father worked hard ____ carpenter at a nearby shop

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while his mother stayed at ____ and

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baked cookies to contribute to their ____.

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They were not well-to-do but they were quite contented. Mika had ____ complaints except for one.

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His school was located quite ____ distance from his home.

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Every day, rain ____ shine,

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he had to trudge his way wearily to and ____ school.

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That week, Mika was very excited because his birthday was just around the _____. As a birthday present, he has asked his father for a bicycle to cycle to school.

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On his special day, Mika woke up happily to the cheerful ____ of his parents smiling and wishing him a happy birthday.

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As expected, Mika was looking ____ to receive the present he had asked for.

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However, his heart ____ when all he saw was a box that fitted nicely in his father's hand.

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Not to hurt his father's ____, Mika quickly faked a smile as he opened the box to reveal a calculator.

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He ____ tears welling in his eyes.

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He could not ____ feeling disappointed.

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Mika's father was sad. He could not ____ to buy a bicycle for his son due to his meagre pay. Despite that, he promised to buy him one as soon as he could. Mika nodded his head but was not optimistic about it. He knew better.

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Rewrite the given sentences, using the word(s) provided. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning of the given sentence(s).

Minxi is studying overseas. Her mother is a retired teacher.

_____ whose _____.

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My aunt warned the group of boys to not bully the younger children.

The group _____.

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Poh went to the stadium early. He wanted to run several practice rounds first.

_____ so that _____.

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"How long have you been travelling around the world?" the journalist asked us.

The journalist_____.

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Jenny avoids perfumes. She is sensitive to the chemicals found in them.

_____ because of _____.

Omar and Bala had known each other since their preschool days and right through Primary 5 now. Every day after school, the two boys would often fantasise about being famous basketball players as they took turns to throw the ball through the hoop at the basketball court near where they lived.	1
One day, two bullies came stomping onto the court, uninvited. Omar and Bala were frightened. The bullies started calling the boys names. That signalled the boys to distance themselves from the unwelcomed guests. Suddenly, one of the bullies grabbed the basketball. This belongs to us now," said the nasty bully with an evil glint in his eye. His equally nasty partner-in-crime smirked as he dribbled the ball. Without warning, the bullies shoved the two boys to the ground. Quickly, Omar jumped to his feet and ran for home. Overwhelmed by sheer terror, he did not once look back to see if his friend was also able to escape.	5 10
Bala refused to flee although he knew he would be in agony soon. It was so unfair! How could the bullies push people around just because they wanted to? Unfortunately, they were bigger and stronger than Bala. They punched and kicked him relentlessly. Bala did not stand a chance. In the end, one of his eyes was swollen shut and his clothes were torn. The bullies then took one look at their 'masterpiece' and walked off, laughing loudly. Poor Bala was left to stumble home alone.	15
The next day in school, Omar was ashamed when he saw the extent of Bala's injuries. Instinctively, he tried to put an arm on Bala's shoulder but was given a violent push in return. "I can't believe you abandoned me!" yelled Bala. "What kind of a friend are you?" Omar tried to apologise but to no avail. "If that is the kind of friend you are," ranted the angry boy, "then I am better off alone!" Omar felt terrible about running away. His actions had cost him dearly.	20 25
The following day, Bala returned to the court with a new ball. He played by himself since he could not forgive Omar so easily. Suddenly, he heard a voice. One that sent chills down his spine. "Back so soon? Oh great! Another free gift for us?" asked the voice. Bala's pulse raced. However, at that moment, another voice rang out loud and clear across the basketball court. "This stops now!" he bellowed. Omar had been watching his best friend all the while. Once he saw the bullies approaching Bala, Omar seized the chance to make amends.	30
Omar and Bala stood side by side and rolled up their sleeves. They now stood as a team, finding strength in unity. This also gave Omar and Bala newfound confidence and so they stood tall with their chests puffed up. They were now prepared to give it all they had. As soon as the bullies realised that they would be in for a real fight, they paled and retreated, before running off with their tail between their legs. Omar and Bala could not help but laugh. Then they turned to each other and shook hands firmly.	35
It was an unforgettable lesson they learnt that day. To beat the bullies of the world, friends must stand by one another. As good friends should.	40

Which four-word phrase in paragraph 1 tells you that Omar and Bala were childhood friends?

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In paragraph 2, how did Omar and Bala first reach to the bullies?

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Give two pieces of evidence from paragraph 2 which showed that the bullies were not ashamed or did not feel bad taking the basketball.

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Primary 5 English (Term 2) 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 space provided. [4m]

Words from the passage	What the word refers to
• That (line 6)	
• This (line 8)	
• they (line 14)	
• he (line 30)	

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In paragraph 4, explain clearly what the author meant when he said that "his actions had cost him dearly"

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In paragraph 5, why did Bala's pulse race when he was at the basketball court with his new ball?

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The two bullies were playing basketball with Omar and Bala

- ☐ A) True
- ☐ B) False

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Omar left Bala alone because he thought Bala could handle the bullies on his own.

- ☐ A) True
- ☐ B) False

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Bala refused to forgive Omar for abandoning him when the bullies first confronted them.

- ☐ A) True
- ☐ B) False

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Match the options below to indicate the order in which the events occurred in the story.:

1. [] Omar ran home A. 3

2. [] Omar apologised to Bala B. 1

3. [] The bullies called Omar and Bala names C. 2

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2 pts

Which two words best describe how Omar and Bala felt in lines 35-36 when the author said "They were prepared to give it all they had."

-
- ☐ **A)** surprised
 - ☐ **B)** determined
 - ☐ **C)** embarrassed
 - ☐ **D)** upset
 - ☐ **E)** motivated
 - ☐ **F)** discouraged

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0 pts

What made Omar and Bala confident of standing up to the bullies?