

**TAO NAN SCHOOL
Primary 2 English Language Test 1 - 2016**

Name: _____ () Date: **9 May 2016**

Class: **P2** () Duration: **30 minutes**

Parent's signature: _____ Marks: _____ **/ 15**

Section A – Grammar (10 x 1 mark)

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.

1. My brother and I went to the bookshop. _____ bought some pencils.

- (1) It (2) You
(3) We (4) They ()

2. Siti is _____ her bedroom. She is reading a book.

- (1) in (2) at
(3) on (4) over ()

3. Mary _____ the piano very well. She practises for an hour every day.

- (1) play (2) played
(3) plays (4) playing ()

4. Bala and Ravi _____ chicken rice for dinner last night.
(1) has (2) have
(3) had (4) are having ()

5. Jack plays on _____ computer all the time.
(1) his (2) he
(3) him (4) it ()

6. How often do you _____ cycling?
(1) go (2) going
(3) goes (4) are going ()

7. The blue whale is the _____ mammal in the world.
(1) big (2) biggest
(3) bigger (4) as big as ()

8. Mr Wong promised to take his children to the museum _____ he was free.
(1) so (2) but
(3) when (4) and ()

9. "_____ is my friend, Tina!" exclaimed Devi, waving to the girl on the other side of the road.

(1) This

(2) Those

(3) That

(4) These

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10. Do not add too _____ sugar into the tea as it will be too sweet," Mother reminded Sarah.

(1) little

(2) many

(3) few

(4) much

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Section B – Comprehension Open (5 marks)

Read the following passage. Answer questions 11 to 13.

Once, in a small country, there lived a very wise man. The king heard about him and invited him to the palace. The king gave him some riddles and the wise man solved them easily. After that, he was taken to a large room. He was amazed when he saw a wide variety of flowers.

“Pick out a real flower among all the artificial ones!” the king challenged the wise man.

The wise man examined all the flowers carefully. They were so well made that they looked like real flowers in a garden. The flowers gave off a sweet smell too.

The wise man thought to himself, “Insects are attracted to the scent of real flowers.” So, he requested that the window be opened. Within minutes, a bee flew in through the window and went to the real flower.

“That is the real flower,” the wise man told the king.

The king was very impressed with the wise man. “You will be my advisor in the palace,” the king said.

Answer the following questions in complete sentences. Your answers must be based on the passage.

11. What did the wise man see in the large room? (2 marks)

12. How did the king reward the wise man? (2 marks)

13. Which word in the passage has the same meaning as the word 'fake'? (1 mark)

The word is

End of Test