



MARIS STELLA HIGH SCHOOL (PRIMARY)
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2014 TERM 3 ASSESSMENT

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FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.
ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS.

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Section A: Grammar (15 marks)

Choose the correct word to complete the blank and write its number 1, 2, 3 or 4 in the brackets provided. (5 x 1 mark)

1. Mrs Tay asked her class, "_____ wallet is that on the table?"
(1) Who
(2) What
(3) Which
(4) Whose ()

2. Can we borrow your marker? We forgot to bring _____
(1) ours
(2) mine
(3) yours
(4) theirs ()

3. The hunters saw a bull charging _____ them.
(1) along
(2) through
(3) towards
(4) between ()

4. Our teacher did ~~not~~ give us _____ homework because we have a test tomorrow.
(1) much
(2) many
(3) a little
(4) several ()

5. Sarah went to the library _____ she wanted to return her overdue storybook.
(1) or
(2) so
(3) for
(4) but ()

Read the following passage carefully. Choose from the words given in the box and fill in each blank with the correct word. (4 x 1 mark)

USE A WORD ONCE ONLY

| | | |
|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| jog | jogs | jogged |
| were jogging | are jogging | was jogging |

Tim and Susan were good friends. They lived near each other.

One day, Tim (6)_____ in the park when Susan arrived. They decided to (7)_____ together. They (8)_____ happily when Susan stopped suddenly.

"Did you hear that sound?" Susan asked.

"Is that a baby crying?" Tim asked.

Just then, a cat ran out of the bushes. When Tim and Susan realised that the sound was made by the cat, they burst out laughing. After a good laugh, both of them (9)_____ back home.

When they reached home, they told their parents what had happened in the park.

Read the following passage carefully. Each underlined word is wrongly spelt. Each circle is a missing punctuation mark. Put the correct spelling of the underlined word or the missing punctuation mark in each of the boxes. (6 x 1 mark)

There was a greedy bear that lived in a forest.

(10)

Once day, the bear found an enormas beehive on a tree.

"That is a very big beehive," he thought. "Will there be lots

(11)

of honey inside ○" he wondered to himself.

He picked up a stone from the ground and threw it at the

(12)

beehive ○ The bees flew out of the beehive as they had

(13)

(14)

been disterbed. They were extreamly angry with the bear. They

started stinging the bear.

(15)

"Ouch ○" screamed the bear as he ran towards a pond.

He jumped into the pond and saved himself from the angry bees.

Section B: Vocabulary (5 marks)

Choose the correct word to complete the blank and write its number 1, 2, 3 or 4 in the brackets provided. (5 x 1 mark)

16. The worms _____ out of the soil when it rains.

- (1) slide
- (2) glide
- (3) slither
- (4) wriggle ()

17. The grasshopper could not leave its house to collect any food during _____ because it was too cold.

- (1) spring
- (2) winter
- (3) autumn
- (4) summer ()

18. The owl sleeps in the day and hunts for food at night because it is a _____ animal.

- (1) quiet
- (2) cunning
- (3) powerful
- (4) nocturnal ()

19. "Who wants to _____ me to the museum tomorrow?" asked Ali.

- (1) guard
- (2) deliver
- (3) remove
- (4) accompany ()

20. Mother bought some cupcakes from the _____ near our house.

- (1) bank
- (2) clinic
- (3) bakery
- (4) church ()

Section C: Comprehension (10 marks)

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

There once lived an evil magician. One day, he came to a cave deep in a gigantic mountain. He had heard that there was a magic lamp hidden in the cave. He wanted the lamp very much but he did not dare to enter the cave. He was afraid to go through the dark and narrow passageway that led to the lamp.

Luckily for him, he met a boy named Aladdin. He tricked Aladdin into believing that he was his long-lost uncle. He asked Aladdin to go into the cave to get the precious lamp.

Before entering the cave, the magician gave Aladdin a ring. He told Aladdin to rub the ring when faced with danger and he would be saved. Aladdin went into the cave and managed to find the lamp. He was shocked to see lots of beautiful and expensive jewels in the cave too.

Besides taking the lamp, Aladdin also took some of the jewels that he had found in the cave. However, Aladdin could not get out of the cave as the entrance of the cave was blocked by some large rocks! Aladdin looked at his finger and knew what he had to do to get out of the cave.

21. Write one word from paragraph 1 that has the same meaning as 'wicked'. [1m]

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For Q22, write 1, 2, 3 or 4 in the brackets. [1m]

22. The magician did not want to enter the cave because he was afraid of the _____.

- (1) magic ring
- (2) precious lamp
- (3) dark passageway
- (4) gigantic mountain

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For Q23 & Q24, read each statement and tick ✓ 'True' or 'False' [2m]

| Statement | | True | False |
|-----------|--|------|-------|
| 23. | The magician was Aladdin's long-lost uncle. | | |
| 24. | Aladdin was shocked to see the lamp in the cave. | | |

For Q25 & Q26, decide which statement matches the character and tick ✓ the answer that you choose. [2m]

| Statement | | Aladdin | Magician |
|-----------|---|---------|----------|
| 25. | He had never seen the magic lamp. | | |
| 26. | He was given a ring to protect himself. | | |

27. Write down the two things Aladdin took when he was inside the cave. [2m]

i) _____

ii) _____

For Q28, write your answer in a complete sentence.

28. What did Aladdin have to do to get out of the cave? [2m]

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Term 3 assessment

| Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q5 |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 |

6. was jogging

7. jog

8. were jogging

9. jogged

10. enormous

11. ?

12. .

13. disturbed

14. extremely

15. !

16. 4

17. 2

18. 4

19. 4

20. 3

21. evil

22. 3

23. False

24. False

25. Magician

26. Aladdin

27. i) Precious lamp

ii) jewels

28. He had to rub the ring.

Term 2 assessment

| Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q5 |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

6. take

7. took

8. were taking

9. takes

10. !

11. scratched

12. shocked

13. ?

14. bravely

15. .

16. 2

17. 3

18. 2

19. 2

20. 3

21. December

22. luggage

23. Adventure Park

24. Hot Jupiter

25. 7