



**Nan Hua Primary School  
Primary 5 English Language  
Term 3 Weighted Assessment 2020**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ( )

Class: Primary 5/ \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Marks	
Section A:	/5
Section B:	/5
Section C:	/10
<b>Total:</b>	<b>/20</b>

**Answer all questions.**

**Section A: (5 x 1 marks = 5 marks)**

For questions 1 to 5, four options are given. Select the most suitable answer and write the correct number (1, 2, 3 or 4) in the brackets provided.

1 Jonas \_\_\_\_\_ for Jane for over two hours before she finally arrived.

- (1) had waited
- (2) has waited
- (3) has been waiting
- (4) had been waiting

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2 She \_\_\_\_\_ two cups of the coffee every day.

- (1) drink
- (2) drank
- (3) drunk
- (4) drinks

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3 Even though we \_\_\_\_\_ eat as much as we want at the buffet, we should be careful not to overeat.

- (1) can
- (2) must
- (3) should
- (4) ought to

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4 \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs Tan was very tired, she continued to stay up because she had work to complete.

(1) Since (2) When (3) Unless (4) Although ( )

5 The leftover food requires \_\_\_\_\_ so that it would not go bad.

(1) refrigerate (2) refrigerates (3) refrigerated (4) refrigeration ( )

**Section B: Vocabulary (5 x 1 marks = 5 marks)**

For questions 6 to 10, four options are given. Select the most suitable answer and write the correct number (1, 2, 3 or 4) in the brackets provided.

6 The anti-drug campaign will be launched next month to \_\_\_\_\_ people from taking drugs.

(1) entice (2) comply (3) deviate (4) dissuade ( )

7 Amy was \_\_\_\_\_ when she cried out to everyone that she had lost her life savings. In actual fact, she had only lost her wallet with her allowance for the day!

(1) stirring up a hornet's nest (2) leaving no stone unturned (3) driving everybody up the wall (4) making a mountain out of a molehill ( )

8 The argument between the two brothers will \_\_\_\_\_ into a fight if nobody comes forward to help them.

- (1) recede
- (2) diminish
- (3) escalate
- (4) accelerate

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9 I was using a \_\_\_\_\_ to help me assemble the bookshelf.

- (1) menu
- (2) recipe
- (3) manual
- (4) glossary

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10 Our school organises many programmes every year to encourage pupils to \_\_\_\_\_ a healthy lifestyle.

- (1) adopt
- (2) adapt
- (3) harvest
- (4) harness

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**Section C: Comprehension** (10 marks)

Read the passage below and answer questions 11 – 18.

Alice was not her usual bubbly self ever since she came back from a concert that she had attended.

"Luke, can you look over this letter for me, please?" asked Alice from outside his door. Luke sighed and looked up from his Science book. He took a casual look at the letter that Alice had written to someone called Victoria. He whipped out a pencil and started editing the letter. 5

As Luke read the letter, he thought that it was another imaginary matter made up by Alice to one of her imaginary friends. "There, all done!" Luke said and returned the letter to her.

Before Luke could even get back to his book, Alice begged, "Now, I need to look up 10 her address. Can you help me, please?"

Luke sighed again and turned to face his computer. "What is her full name?" Luke asked begrudgingly.

"Victoria Sparkle," said Alice.

"You mean the pop star? You cannot just make up some story about your missing 15 chick and send it to a famous pop star, Alice," Luke objected.

"It really did happen! I lost the chick you gave me there but it is not just about my lost chick. If you had read more carefully, I am actually apologising in the letter for causing her fall," Alice confessed. She regretted sneaking her new pet to school that day to show 20 her friends.

Luke typed in "Victoria Sparkle" into the search function. To his horror, he read on the news website about how Alice's kindergarten had mixed things up and brought a group of children to the Victoria Sparkle concert instead of the Singing Pigs concert at the next building. The website also added that a mysterious yellow chick had appeared on the stage and Victoria had trodden on it in the middle of her singing. Then Victoria fell off the stage 25 and passed out, while the chick disappeared behind the stage.

Luke turned to look at his little sister and asked solemnly, "You did all that?" Alice shrugged with a guilty look on her face. Luke took a deep breath. He knew that Alice would not be able to forgive herself for hurting someone. He turned to face his computer again.

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11. What animal was given to Alice as a pet? (1m)

12. How did Alice feel when she came back from the concert in line 1? Why did she feel that way? (2m)

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13. Which **four-word phrase** from lines 3 – 6 tells us that Luke was not interested in the letter that Alice had written to Victoria? (1m)

14. 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. The first one has been done for you. (2m)

Word from the passage	What the word refers to
the pop star (line 15)	Victoria Sparkle
her (line 9)	
there (line 17)	

15. Which word from lines 17 – 20 show that Alice was guilty about bringing her pet to school?  
(1m)

16. Write 1, 2 or 3 in the blanks below to indicate the order in which the events occurred in the passage. (1m)

\_\_\_\_\_ Alice attended a concert.

\_\_\_\_\_ Alice brought the chick to school.

\_\_\_\_\_ Alice wrote a letter to Victoria.

17. Based on the passage, state whether each statement in the table below is true or false, then give one reason why you think so. (2m)

	True / False	Reason
<b>Luke helped to correct the letter Alice had written to Victoria.</b>		
<b>Alice wrote a letter to Victoria because she was angry that Victoria had trodden on her chick.</b>		

18. Do you think Luke will continue to help Alice look for Victoria Sparkle's address? Support your answer with information from the passage. (2m)

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## ANSWER KEY

**YEAR** : 2020  
**LEVEL** : PRIMARY 5  
**SCHOOL** : NAN HUA  
**SUBJECT** : ENGLISH  
**TERM** : CA2

<b>Q1</b>	4	<b>Q2</b>	4	<b>Q3</b>	1	<b>Q4</b>	4	<b>Q5</b>	4
<b>Q6</b>	4	<b>Q7</b>	4	<b>Q8</b>	3	<b>Q9</b>	3	<b>Q10</b>	1

<b>Q11</b>	A chick		
<b>Q12</b>	Alice felt regretful when she came back from the concert as she lost her pet chick at Victoria Sparkle's concert.		
<b>Q13</b>	Took a casual look		
<b>Q14</b>	Line 9 : Alice Line 17 : Victoria Sparkle's concert.		
<b>Q15</b>	Regretted		
<b>Q16</b>	2, 1, 3		
<b>Q17</b>	True / False	Reason	
Luke helped to correct the letter Alice had written to Victoria.	True	Alice asked him to look over the letter for her. Luke whipped up a pencil started editing Alice's letter.	
Alice wrote a letter to Victoria because she was angry that Victoria had trodden on her chick.	False	Alice was writing a letter to apologise for causing her felt.	
<b>Q18</b>	I think the Luke will continue to help Alice look for Victoria Sparkle's address. He knew that Alice would not be able to forgive herself for hurting someone and he turned to face his computer again.		