



5. "\_\_\_\_\_ the butter from the refrigerator for me, please," requested Grandma.
- (1) Take (2) Took  
(3) Takes (4) Taken ( )
6. "This is the \_\_\_\_\_ chicken rice I have ever tasted," said Siti.
- (1) bad (2) better  
(3) best (4) worse ( )
7. The children will be late for school \_\_\_\_\_ they miss the school bus.
- (1) if (2) so  
(3) and (4) but ( )
8. Last night, Peter \_\_\_\_\_ about an outing with his family.
- (1) dream (2) dreamt  
(3) dreams (4) dreaming ( )
9. This bowl of noodles \_\_\_\_\_ spicy and I like it.
- (1) is (2) are  
(3) was (4) were ( )
10. Devi enjoys swimming \_\_\_\_\_ her sister does not.
- (1) so (2) and  
(3) but (4) because ( )

**Section B – Sentence Formation (4 x 1m)**

**Rearrange the words to form a sentence.**

11. butterfly an A insect is

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12. Tom his I help with homework

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13. favourite Her is food pasta

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14. spiders afraid I am of

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Section C – Comprehension (6m)

Read the following passage. Answer questions 15 to 18.

### Tortoise and Bird

One day, Tortoise was **napping** under a tree. On the same tree, Bird had built her nest. When Tortoise woke up, he spoke to Bird, "What a shabby-looking home you have! Your nest is made of dried twigs and it has no roof. **I** think my shell is a much better home than your nest."

"Yes, it is made of dried twigs and it is not as pretty as your shell but **I** built it, and **I** like it," replied Bird.

"Aren't you jealous of my shell?" asked Tortoise proudly.

Bird shook her head and answered, "My home has space for my family. Your shell can only fit you and protect you alone. **I** think **I** have a better home as **I** live with my family."

Adapted from: <https://moralstories.top/read/the-tortoise-and-the-bird>

15. What was Bird's nest made of? (2m)

It \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

16. Write 1, 2 and 3 in the boxes below to show the order in which the events happened in the story. (2m)

	Bird said her nest was a better home as it had space for her family.
	Tortoise told Bird that her nest was shabby-looking.
	Bird disagreed with Tortoise.

For questions 17 and 18, tick  the correct answer in the box. (2 X 1m)

17. The word '**napping**' in the first paragraph means

sitting.	<input type="checkbox"/>
sleeping.	<input type="checkbox"/>
speaking.	<input type="checkbox"/>

18. Which **one** of the following sentences is **true**?

Bird was happy with her nest.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bird said Tortoise's shell was a better home than hers.	<input type="checkbox"/>

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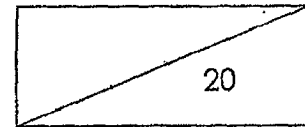
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**Section A – Grammar (6 x 1m)**

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

1. Siti apologised to her brother for losing \_\_\_\_\_ book.

(1) my

(2) her

(3) his

(4) their

(     )

2. I received a birthday invitation \_\_\_\_\_ my best friend.

(1) to

(2) from

(3) around

(4) beside

(     )

3. Sarah was reading a book when the doorbell \_\_\_\_\_.

(1) ring

(2) rang

(3) rung

(4) ringing

( )

4. "\_\_\_\_\_ I have a cup of water, please?" asked Grandma.

(1) May

(2) Might

(3) Will

(4) Would

( )

5. Mr Tan cannot see clearly. His eyesight is getting \_\_\_\_\_.

(1) good

(2) better

(3) worse

(4) worst

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6. Father left his \_\_\_\_\_ of keys on the table.

(1) class

(2) group

(3) team

(4) bunch

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**Section B – Vocabulary (4 x 1m)**

**Fill in each blank with the most suitable answer given in the box. Use each word once only.**

excited	fence	garden	hungry
share	surprised	taste	tired

Rani and her family live in a friendly neighbourhood with a few other families. Each family has a small **(7)** \_\_\_\_\_ in front of their house where they could grow some vegetables and fruits.

Rani's family has planted some tomato plants and she helps to take care of them every day. She waters the plants and makes sure that there are no **(8)** \_\_\_\_\_ caterpillars eating the leaves. When Rani sees the tomatoes ripened, she gets very **(9)** \_\_\_\_\_. She cannot wait to distribute them to her neighbours.

Rani's neighbours are happy to receive the tomatoes. In return, they **(10)** \_\_\_\_\_ with Rani what they have planted. Rani gets to enjoy fresh lettuce and carrots quite often.

**Section C - Synthesis and Transformation (2 x 2m)**

**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.**

11. My daddy likes to dance. My mummy likes to sing.

but

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12. Daniel ate a pie. Daniel ate some noodles.

and

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### Section D – Comprehension Open-Ended (6m)

Read the following passage. Answer questions 13 to 16.

One day, Fox fell into a pond and could not get out. As he was waiting for someone to save him, Goat came by. Goat saw Fox and thought that he had gone into the pond to drink water, so she asked Fox if it was sweet.

"This is the sweetest water I've ever tasted," said Fox. He invited Goat to join him. "Jump in and try it. There is more than enough for both of us."

Feeling thirsty and hot, Goat immediately dived into the pond. As soon as Goat got in, Fox jumped onto Goat's back and leapt out of the pond. Goat realised that she had been tricked. She begged Fox to help her out but Fox shook his head.

"Always think before you act," said Fox as he headed for the woods. Poor Goat! She had to be in the pond for a while before someone came to save her.

*Adapted from "Aesop Fables - The Fox & The Goat"*

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

13. What was Fox doing after he had fallen into the pond? (2m)

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14. How did Fox get out of the pond? (2m)

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15. Which one of the following sentences is **true**?

Tick  the correct box. (1m)

Fox had gone to the pond to drink water.	
Goat believed that the water in the pond was sweet.	

16. Write 1, 2 and 3 in the boxes to show the order in which the events happened in the story. (1m)

	Goat walked past the pond.
	Fox fell into the pond.
	Fox tricked Goat to join him in the pond.

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Q1)	2
Q2)	3
Q3)	3
Q4)	4
Q5)	1
Q6)	3
Q7)	1
Q8)	2
Q9)	1
Q10)	3
Q11)	A butterfly is an insect.
Q12)	I help Tom with his homework.
Q13)	Her favourite food is pasta.
Q14)	I am afraid of spiders.
Q15)	It is made of dried twigs.
Q16)	3, 2, 1
Q17)	sleeping
Q18)	Bird was happy with her nest.

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Q1)	3
Q2)	2
Q3)	2
Q4)	1
Q5)	3
Q6)	4
Q7)	garden
Q8)	hungry
Q9)	excited
Q10)	share
Q11)	My daddy likes to dance but mu mummy likes to sing.
Q12)	Daniel ate a pie and some noodles.
Q13)	Fox was waiting for someone to save him.
Q14)	Fox jumped on goat's back and leapt out of the pond.
Q15)	Goat believed that the water in the pond was sweet.
Q16)	2, 1, 3