



Anglo-Chinese School  
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2023 END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION  
ENGLISH LANGUAGE  
PAPER TWO (BOOKLET A)  
PRIMARY THREE

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Class: Primary 3 \_\_\_\_

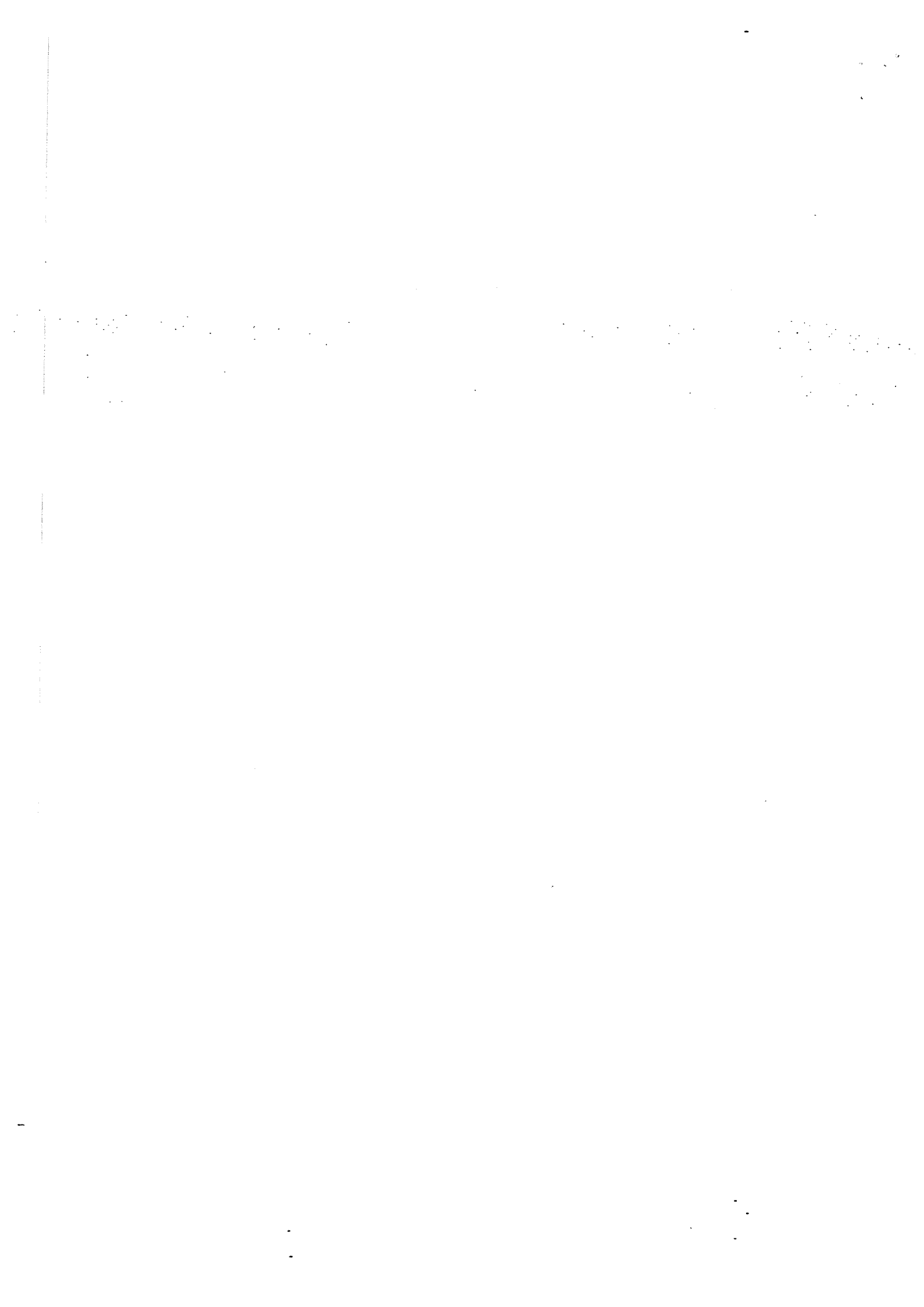
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**Section A: Grammar (8 x 1 mark each = 8 marks)**

For each question from 1 to 8, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4). Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (8 marks)

1. " \_\_\_\_\_ ripe mangoes in the tree over there look delicious!" Andy said.
- (1) This
  - (2) That
  - (3) These
  - (4) Those
2. Devi took \_\_\_\_\_ medicine as she was not feeling well.
- (1) any
  - (2) less
  - (3) many
  - (4) some
3. Madam Lim wanted to bake a cake \_\_\_\_\_ she did not have enough flour.
- (1) as
  - (2) so
  - (3) but
  - (4) then
4. " \_\_\_\_\_ I go to the playground, please?" Ahmad asked his mother.
- (1) Will
  - (2) May
  - (3) Must
  - (4) Shall

5. While the teacher was telling a story, the girl \_\_\_\_\_ attentively.

- (1) listen
- (2) listens
- (3) listened
- (4) is listening

6. Jack screamed when he saw a stray dog running \_\_\_\_\_ him.

- (1) on
- (2) above
- (3) through
- (4) towards

7. "Did you do the homework by \_\_\_\_\_?" asked my father.

- (1) myself
- (2) herself
- (3) himself
- (4) yourself

8. The broken toy can't be fixed, \_\_\_\_\_ it?

- (1) is
- (2) can
- (3) isn't
- (4) can't

**Section B: Vocabulary (6 x 1 mark each = 6 marks)**

For each question from 9 to 14, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4). Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (6 marks)

9. Siti became hungry when she smelled the delicious \_\_\_\_\_ of her mother's cooking.

- (1) scent
- (2) aroma
- (3) perfume
- (4) fragrance

10. George draws well. He wants to be an \_\_\_\_\_ when he grows up.

- (1) artist
- (2) actor
- (3) author
- (4) astronaut

11. Ranjeet was \_\_\_\_\_ when he won the race. He could not stop smiling.

- (1) upset
- (2) eager
- (3) delighted
- (4) disappointed

12. Mrs Chan was as angry as a \_\_\_\_\_ when her son broke her expensive vase.

- (1) bull
- (2) lamb
- (3) snake
- (4) peacock

13. My sister walked \_\_\_\_\_ to the bus stop. She did not want to miss the bus.


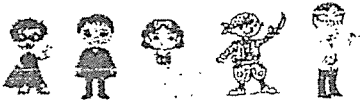


- (1) gently
- (2) carefully
- (3) hurriedly
- (4) gracefully

14. The children enjoyed watching the \_\_\_\_\_ of dancers perform during the concert.

- (1) gang
- (2) troop
- (3) galaxy
- (4) school

**Section C: Visual Text Comprehension (6 x 1 mark)**

Study the poster carefully and then answer the questions that follow.

<b>2023 Sunland Library Festival</b> 5 to 9 November	
<p>Sunland Primary School is organising a library festival once again! Through the fun and exciting activities, the festival aims to promote the love of reading in all students. Participate and stand a chance to win attractive prizes!</p>	
<b>Activities during the Library Festival</b>	
<p><b>Storytelling Session</b></p> <p>Date: 5 November Venue: Sunland Auditorium</p> <p>Don't miss the chance to see local author, Lin You Jia, in person. He will be reading aloud his bestselling picture book, Superhero Secrets, during your recess.</p> 	<p><b>Characters Alive! Competition</b></p> <p>Date: 6 November Venue: Sunland Concert Hall</p> <p>Calling all Primary 1 to 3 students. Dress up as your favourite book character. Top 10 winners will win a book voucher each!</p> 
<p><b>Book Quizzes</b></p> <p>Date: 7 and 8 November Venue: Sunland Library</p> <p>Take part in book quizzes during your recess and discover the wide variety of books available at the school library. All winners will receive a bookmark designed by members of Sunland Book Club!</p> 	<p><b>Book Exchange</b></p> <p>Date: 8 and 9 November Venue: Sunland Reading Corner</p> <p>Do you have books which you have already read? Exchange your books with other students at our very own reading corner. Explore new book titles and do your part to save the environment!</p> 
<p>Sign up for the activities at Sunland General Office by 20 October 2023!</p>	
<p>Supported by: Sunland Book Club</p>	<p>Sponsored by: Angsana Community Library Hillside Neighbourhood Library</p>

For Q15-20, four options are given. Choose the most appropriate option and shade its number (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet (OAS).

15. The organiser of the library festival is \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) Sunland Book Club
- (2) Sunland Primary School
- (3) Angsana Community Library
- (4) Hillside Neighbourhood Library

16. The main aim of the library festival is to \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) encourage students to read
- (2) exchange books with other students
- (3) give students a chance to win prizes
- (4) attend a storytelling session by an author

17. During the storytelling session, students will have a chance to \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) take part in a quiz
- (2) meet a local author
- (3) receive a bookmark
- (4) read aloud a picture book

18. Which one of the following is **false** of the Characters Alive! Competition?

- (1) Only one winner will receive a book voucher.
- (2) The competition is for selected students only.
- (3) The competition is held on the second day of the festival.
- (4) Participants must dress up in their favourite book character.

19. Samy wishes to take part in the activities during the library festival. He should register at \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) Sunland Library
- (2) Sunland Concert Hall
- (3) Sunland General Office
- (4) Sunland Reading Corner

20. Which one of the following is true of the library festival?

- (1) Book quizzes will be held during recess.
- (2) This is the first time the festival is being held.
- (3) The festival is sponsored by Sunland Book Club.
- (4) Students can exchange books at Sunland Library.

End of Paper 2 (Booklet A)



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No.	Contents		Marks	Marks Obtained
1.	Oral		16	
2.	Listening Comprehension		14	
3.	Composition		20	
4.	Language Paper	Booklet A	50	
		Booklet B		
Total Marks			100	

Part II

Section D: Grammar Cloze (8 marks)

Cloze 1: Pronouns (4 x 1 mark each = 4 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Choose the correct word from the words given in the box and write its letter (A to F) in each blank.

USE EACH WORD ONCE ONLY

(A) it

(B) him

(C) my

(D) our

(E) their

(F) them

Dear Ali,

Last weekend, my family moved into a new neighbourhood. We met Ken and his family. They are our new neighbours. They invited us over to (21) \_\_\_\_\_ house for tea. (22) \_\_\_\_\_ mother baked a chicken pie for them. They enjoyed eating (23) \_\_\_\_\_. After eating, Ken and I played football. I had a good time playing with (24) \_\_\_\_\_. I hope you can visit me soon.

Your friend,

Gopal

Adapted from *My Best Friend Moved Away*

Cloze 2: Subject-Verb Agreement (4 x 1m = 4 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Circle the correct word from the words given in the brackets.

Mrs Ang is a mother of two children. Every morning, Mrs Ang (25) [ wake / wakes ] up early to prepare breakfast. Her children, Tina and Mary, always (26) [ has / have ] their breakfast before they go to school. As the school (27) [ is / are ] nearby, they do not need to leave home early. Mrs Ang and her children (28) [ walk / walks ] to the school together. After that, she goes for her morning exercise.

Adapted from *The Happy Housewife*

Section E: Editing (6 x 1 mark = 6 marks)

Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error. A wrong or missing punctuation is denoted by a circle. Put the correct punctuation mark or word (in terms of usage, spelling and form) in each of the boxes.

It was Grandmother's birthday. Jack and Jill wanted to bake a cake to

(29)

(30)

sirprise hēr. The children bought butter, suger and eggs. Jack mixed the ingredients

(31)

(32)

together and baked the cake at the oven for an hour. Jill draw a card for Grandmother.

(33)

There were flowers  butterflies and a rainbow on the card. When Grandmother

(34)

saw the cake and card, she asked, "Are these for me  ." She was very happy.

Adapted from *Children's Story – Grandmother's Birthday*

**Section F: Comprehension 1 (8 marks)**

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

Last month, Samy was in the park with his friend, Peter. They were taking a walk. Just then, Samy spotted a puppy. It looked scared. Samy gently picked it up while Peter looked around the park. He was hoping to find its owner but there was no one in sight. They realised the puppy was lost and decided to take it home. Samy named it Sparkle. The boys took turns to look after it.

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Last Sunday, Peter noticed that Sparkle was missing. The boys searched the house but could not find it. They were worried and decided to search for Sparkle around the neighbourhood.

While searching, the boys shouted, "Sparkle, where are you?" They hoped to get Sparkle's attention. Suddenly, Peter saw a little boy crying in pain and holding on to his leg. Peter and Samy immediately helped the boy up to a bench nearby. They cleaned his wound and put a plaster on it.

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Feeling better, the little boy spoke in a soft voice, "Hi, I'm Meng Wee. Are you looking for your puppy? While I was playing, I saw a puppy running into that empty house." The boys heaved a sigh of relief. They rushed into the house. When they saw Sparkle, they rejoiced. After the incident, they promised to always be kind and to help anyone in need.

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*Adapted from A Kind Act*



38. Which word in paragraph 4 means "jumped for joy"?

[1 mark]

39. What were two things the boys promised to do after the incident?

[2 marks]

1.

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2.

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**Section G: Comprehension 2 (8 marks)**

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Elise and Mei Lin were neighbours and attended the same school. They were good friends and would always spend time together. One day, they attended a school camp. They took part in a treasure hunt for the first time and were determined to win.

During the camp, Mrs Tan, their teacher, conducted a briefing for all the participating teams. Elise and Mei Lin did not pay attention. They were busy talking about how to win the hunt. After the briefing, each team was given ten minutes to confirm their plans before setting off. Elise and Mei Lin argued about whose plan was better. After the ten minutes was up, they still could not decide and went to look for the treasure without having a plan. As a result, they could not find any treasure, unlike other teams who were doing well.

When they realised they were losing, Elise and Mei Lin got upset and started blaming each other. "You didn't collect the map!" Mei Lin complained. "You didn't listen attentively to the clues given during the briefing," Elise argued. Mrs Tan witnessed them arguing and advised, "Good friends should be working together instead of quarrelling."

After hearing that, they felt foolish and began working together as a team. Even though they did not win the treasure hunt, they learnt that working together as a team was more important than winning. For the rest of the camp, they worked well together and enjoyed each other's company. Mrs Tan was pleased that the girls had learnt a valuable lesson.

Adapted from *Friendship*

For Questions 40 and 41, write 1, 2, 3 or 4 in the bracket.

40. Elise and Mei Lin were good friends and \_\_\_\_\_ [1 mark]

- (1) attended different schools
- (2) enjoyed spending time together
- (3) took part in many treasure hunts
- (4) did not like attending school camps

( )

41. Elise and Mei Lin could not find any treasure because they \_\_\_\_\_ [1 mark]

- (1) did not have a plan
- (2) were not given time to plan
- (3) had argued with the other teams
- (4) were not determined to win the treasure hunt

( )

For Question 42 and 43. Read each statement and tick (✓) True or False. The first example has been done for you. [2 marks]

	Statement	True	False
Example	Elise and Mei Lin worked well throughout the treasure hunt.		✓
42	Elise and Mei Lin were punished by Mrs Tan for quarrelling.		
43	Elise and Mei Lin did not win the treasure hunt.		

44. These are events involving Elise and Mei Lin in the story. Put them in the right sequence, according to the flow of the story. Write 1, 2, 3 and 4 on the boxes provided. [2 marks]

	They went for a school camp.
	They cooperated with each other.
	They listened to Mrs Tan's advice.
	They attended a briefing.

45. Why did Elise and Mei Lin feel foolish during the treasure hunt? [2 marks]

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End of Paper (Booklet B)



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**TERM : 2023 SA2**

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
4	4	3	2	3	4	4	2	1	1
Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15	Q16	Q17	Q18	Q19	Q20
3	1	3	2	2	1	2	1	3	1
Q21	Q22	Q23	Q24						
E	C	A	B						

Q25	Wakes
Q26	Have
Q27	Is
Q28	Walk
Q29	Surprise
Q30	Sugar
Q31	In
Q32	Drew
Q33	,
Q34	?
Q35	3
Q36	3
Q37	Peter → looked for the puppy's owner Meng Wee → cried in pain Samy → gave the puppy a name
Q38	Rejoiced
Q39	1. Be kind to people in need. 2. Help anyone in need.
Q40	2

Q41	1
Q42	False
Q43	True
Q44	1, 4, 3, 2
Q45	Elise and Mei Lin felt foolish after listening to Mrs Tan's advice because they were not working together.