 **NARROGIN SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL** 

**Task 6**

**English Year 10**

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| **Student: Teacher: Date Due:** | | |
| **Assessment Type:** Reading and Viewing  **Weighting:** 2.5%  **Task:** Spelling and Grammar Test  **Mark: ( / 50 x 2)**  **= /100** | | |
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| **Spelling Test** | | |
| **Word** | **Correction** | **½ mark each** |
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**Answer the questions below. Make sure to complete all parts of the question.**

**Nouns – Label the common (c), proper (p), abstract (a) and collective (l) noun in each sentence.**

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| 1. There was general excitement among the group when they realised that their hotel in Paris was so luxurious. | **2 marks** |
| 1. 2. Many of us got quite a surprise when the crew of the aeroplane announced that we were 2. about to land in Istanbul. | **2 marks** |

**Verbs – Underline the one-word verb and the compound verb in each sentence.**

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| 1. 4. By the time we arrived in court, the judge had sentenced the men to ten years in prison. |  |
| 1. 5. Although the criminal has confessed to several crimes, he denies any acts of violence. |  |

**Participles – Circle whether the underlined participle is present or past. Then circle if it is used as a noun, adjective or part of a verb.**

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| 1. 7. The soldiers had heard so many broken promises in the past that they did not believe they would really get leave. | **present / past**  **N / A / V** |  |
| 1. 8. As the attack is starting at dawn, there are only a few more hours for preparation. | **present / past**  **N / A / V** |  |

**Infinitives – Underline the infinitive in each sentence.**

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| 1. 9. Everyone needs to wear formal clothes to the ball tonight. |  |
| 1. 10. The servants had to work hard all the time while the guests enjoyed themselves. |  |

**Commas – Place the commas where needed in each of these sentences.**

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| 1. 11. Her ideas for the tower were big bright modern exciting and expensive. |  |
| 1. 12. The first building he designed an art gallery later became famous. |  |
| 1. 13. You need to wear a helmet reflective vest and boots on the building site. |  |

**Semicolons – Place semicolons where needed in these sentences.**

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| 14. There was an assignment to be completed several other students had to be contacted  and then some time set aside to study for the exam. |  |
| 1. 16. I haven’t done a lot of study nevertheless, I think I will pass my tests. |  |

**Adjectives – Identify the adjectives in each sentence.**

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| 1. 17. We had perfect results from the thirty 2. experiments we conducted. | **Descriptive: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Numerical: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** |  |
| 1. 18. Which results were published in 2. many newspapers this morning? | **Demonstrative: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Quantitative: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Interrogative: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** |  |

**Pronouns – Label the first (1), second (2) and third (3) pronoun in each sentence.**

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| 19. Have you told them about us opening a new business? |  |
| 20. Jeremy said it was on the floor, between yours and mine. |  |

**Reflexive Pronouns – Place the correct reflexive pronoun into each sentence.**

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| 21. The telephone cord wound \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ around the legs of the desk. |  |
| 22. My wife and I made \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an appointment with the bank. |  |

**Adverbs – Label the underlined adverbs: manner (m)/time (t)/place (p)/reason (r)/degree (d).**

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| 23. The explosion sounded extremely loud as we sat here  by the window. | **extremely: m / t / p / r / d**  **loud: m / t / p / r / d**  **here: m / t / p / r / d** |  |
| 24. We arrived early and therefore got the best tickets. | **early: m / t / p / r / d**  **therefore: m / t / p / r / d** |  |

**Conjunctions – Circle the conjunction in each sentence.**

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| 25. They went to the match although they did not support either team. Win or lose, it didn’t  matter to them. |  |

**Prepositions – Circle the preposition in each sentence.**

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| 26. The referee ran around the ground enforcing the rules. |  |
| 27. Several free kicks were given during the first ten minutes of the game. |  |

**Apostrophes – Put apostrophes into each sentence where needed. Cross out those that are not needed.**

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| 28. Its so hot in the desert that a cars radiator can boil in a few minute’s. |  |
| 29. With the arrival of the suns fierce heat, many animal’s hide in their den’s. |  |
| 30. Kangaroo’s rest where theres some shade during the day’s heat. |  |

**Homophones – Highlight the correct choices.**

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| 31. The soldiers (fort / fought) (sew / so / sow) hard, and then they were (aloud / allowed) leave to (sea / see) (their / there / they’re) families. If (wear / we’re / where) lucky, the  (war / wore) will soon end. | **2 marks** |

**Homonyms – Choose the word from each list that means both of the definitions.**

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| 32. Definitions: a) sport trainer  b) carriage | **instruct / want / coach / body** |  |
| 33. Definitions: a) bell-like sound  b) circular band | **noise / ring / round / saw** |  |

**Synonyms – Circle the word from the list that is a synonym of the first word.**

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| 34. Fidelity **appreciation / emptiness / insolence / sarcasm / loyalty / laziness**  Gawky **curious / large / uncomfortable / awkward/ complete / bright** |  |

**Antonyms – Draw a line to match the word on the left to its antonym on the right.**

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| 35. Contented  Friendly  Profit  Risky | Hostile  Loss  Unhappy  Safe | **2 marks** |

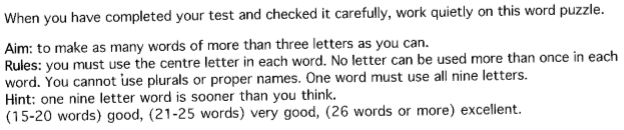
**Punctuation – Punctuate the passage.**

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| 36. Add **three commas** to the paragraph where needed. |  |
| 37. Add **three** **pairs of quotation marks** to the paragraph where needed. | **2 marks** |
| 38. Add **two paragraph breaks (//)** to the paragraph where needed. |  |

Tim warned his father There is a storm alert from the weather bureau. We had better put up the shutters. You do that and I’ll check if there are any loose sheets of iron on the roof replied his father. That’s a good idea agreed Tim.

**EXTRA TIME**

**Word Game**

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