

AI TONG SCHOOL 2021 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION PRIMARY 6

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 3 (LISTENING COMPREHENSION)

Total Time: Approximately 45 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

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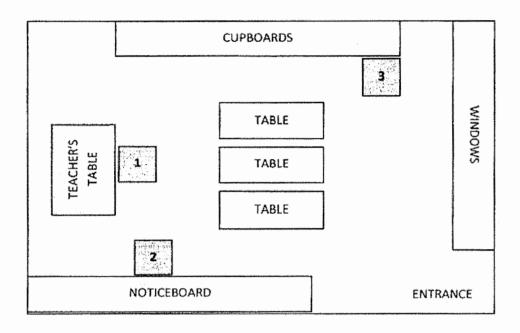
Answer all questions.

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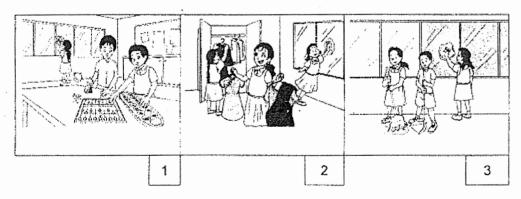
SHADE YOUR ANSWERS (1, 2 OR 3) ON THE OPTICAL ANSWER SHEET.

Text 1

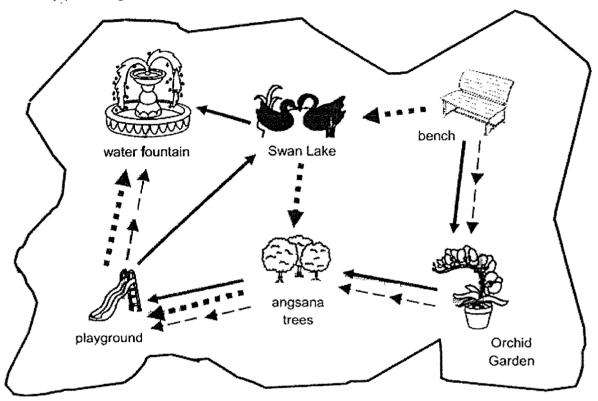
Based on the teacher's instructions, where will the essays and poems be displayed?



2 What must Group \$ do?



- 3 Where was the eyewitness at the start of the incident?
 - (1) sitting on the bench
 - (2) admiring the black swans
 - (3) strolling in the Orchid Garden



- 4 Which route had the thief taken?
 - (1) —————
 - (2)
 - (3) ************

- 5 How did Julie feel at the start of the annual Young Artist Competition?
 - (1) She was calm.
 - (2) She was happy.
 - (3) She was nervous.
- 6 What inspired Julie's art piece?
 - (1) She was inspired by her parents.
 - (2) She was inspired by the Young Artists.
 - (3) She was inspired by the beauty of nature.
- 7 What did Julie say about her
 - (1) They were art enthusiasts.
 - (2) They attended art classes with her.
 - (3) They encouraged her to pursue her passion.

- 8 How did Chee Hong spend his afternoons in the kampong?
 - (1) He went to school.
 - (2) He watched television at his neighbour's house.
 - (3) He caught insects and chased animals with his friends.
- 9 What was Chee Hong's first reaction when he saw his new flat?
 - (1) He feared living on a high floor.
 - (2) He noticed the new facilities in his flat.
 - (3) He realised that a flat was less welcoming than a kampong.
- 10 Why were Chee Hong's parents excited to move to a new flat?
 - (1) They liked the privacy.
 - (2) They liked living on a high floor.
 - (3) They liked the modern facilities.
- At the end of the story, which of the following statements about Chee Hong is true?
 - (1) He refused to make new friends.
 - (2) He preferred his new home to the kampong.
 - (3) He was willing to embrace the changes in his life.

with the heatwave
cast for the days ahead
can be experienced on Friday?

- 14 How has the extreme weather affected the public?
 - (1) Some people have been hospitalised.
 - (2) Outdoor activities have been suspended.
 - (3) Fewer commuters have been travelling by train.

- 15 Which of the following statements is true?
 - (1) People hunt more pangolins than elephants illegally.
 - (2) Human beings have scales and hair, just like the pangolins.
 - (3) Pangolins feed on ants and termites which are facing declining populations.
- 16 What is the main message of the assembly talk?
 - (1) to highlight interesting facts on pangolins
 - (2) to inform listeners that pangolins are endangered animals
 - (3) to urge audience to save pangolins from becoming extinct

- 17 Why did Asha not close her umbrella?
 - (1) She was amazed by its beauty.
 - (2) She wanted to show it off to others.
 - (3) She was afraid the colours would disappear.
- 18 What effect did the umbrella have on the villagers?
 - (1) The uniqueness of the umbrella brought them closer.
 - (2) They were jealous that Asha owned such a beautiful umbrella.
 - (3) They admired the umbrella from afar as Asha paraded around with it.
- 19 When did the village chief steal the umbrella?
 - (1) He stole it when Asha was parading around the village.
 - (2) He stole it when Asha was collecting firewood in the forest.
 - (3) He stole it when everyone was celebrating the annual harvest.
- 20 Based on the story, how should the chief make up for his mistake?
 - (1) He must get a colourful umbrella for the villagers.
 - (2) He must share some of his wealth with the villagers.
 - (3) He must forge bonds with the villagers and be a part of them.

End of Paper



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ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2 (LANGUAGE USE AND COMPREHENSION) BOOKLET A

Total Time For Booklets A and B: 1 hour 50 minutes

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For each question from 1 to 10, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer.

Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade your answer on the Optical Answer Sheet.

(10 marks)

1		The class was on the way to the field when Ben and realised that we had forgotten our water bottles.						
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	l us we me						
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2	The is als	student the principal commended for his thoughtful act so the recipient of the Model Student award.						
	(1)	who						
	(2)	which						
	(3)	whom						
	(4)	whoever						
3		r time,the number of shoppers who bring a recyclable bag for their hases increasing.						
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	(3)	was						
	(4)	were						
4	Our i	family into our new home at Bishan by the enf of this						
	(1)	shifts						
		is shifting						
	(3)	has shifted						
	(4)	will have shifted						
5	"The	children hardly have problems waking up early for school,?" Aunt May asked Mother.						
	(1)	do they						
	(2)	have they						
	(3)	don't they						
	(4)	haven't they						

6		rirresponsible, the brothers gave onsequences of their actions.	consideraton about
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	any little some much	
7		ss it rains, Mr and Mrs Koma cle in the evenings.	their children to the park
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	take took will take will be taking	
8	not ha	this been done differently, we been such a great success," Miss	the graduation ceremony would Lim commented with a smile.
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	Has Had Would Should	
9	It had	I never occurred to Betty that she woul es.	d be keen art
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	in at on for	
10		than decided to tell Mr Loh the truth a unishment he might have to face.	bout the inciden <u>t,</u>
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	owing to giving rise to regardless of resulting from	

For each question from 11 to 15, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade your answer on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks) The organisers pulled the _____ on hosting a free concert as they were unable to get enough sponsors. 11 (1) plug (2) chain (3)trigger (4) strings After the earthquake, electricity was available as the 12 power generators kept breaking down at regular intervals. (1) shortly (2) concurrently occasionally (3) (4) intermittently 13 The triumphant team _____ proudly up the stage to receive the championship trophy. ambled (1) (2)trudged (3)strutted plodded (4) We were worried that Sheila would be unable to ______the pain 14 of losing her parents in the accident. (1) bear on (2) bear up bear out (3) (4) bear with Never , Ravi revises his work as he does not take his good 15

compliant (2)

results for granted.

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contented (3)

(1)

(4) complacent For each question from 16 to 20, choose the word(s) closest in meaning to the underlined word(s). Shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

During Circuitb Breaker, Miss Moh Jin Yin, wanted to find a way to raise funds for those affected by the Covid-19 pandemic. While being cooped up at home, she came up with the idea to provide tuition in exchange for donations to charities. Miss Moh pitched her idea to (17) several of her schoolmates and four girls agreed to join her. They put in motion "Project Circuit", a website where students taking their A-Levels can register for free tuition lessons if they "pay it forward" with a donation of at least S\$20 to a charity. Miss Moh said that making a donation (19) is encouraged but will not be strictly enforced. This is because some students signing up could (20) come from low-income families.

Adapted from: www.todayonline.com

- **16** (1) confined
 - (2) detained
 - (3) restricted
 - (4) imprisoned
- 17 (1) replacement
 - (2) alternative
 - (3) bargain
 - (4) return
- **18** (1) stated
 - (2) raised
 - (3) hinted
 - (4) promoted
- 19 (1) contribution
 - (2) subsidy
 - (3) wage
 - (4) fee
- 20 (1) stemly
 - (2) closely
 - (3) directly
 - (4) precisely

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Harvest Town Day Tour Date: 13 December 2021 Time: 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Pick-up and drop-off point: City Centre Bus Terminal Fee: \$60 (adult) / \$30 (child aged 10 and below)

Here's what you can look forward to!

Be well taken care of by an experienced and approachable tour guide and coach driver.

Visit the local fruit farms which grow over 20 different types of fruits. Learn about unique farming techniques and get a chance to sample some of the seasonal produce. Fresh fruit juice will also be served!

Savour the taste of traditional dishes prepared with local ingredients. You probably will not be able to have them anywhere else! All meals and refreshments for the day will be provided so come with an empty stomach!

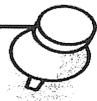
and comfortable air-conditioned tour coach.

Travel in a clean: Visit the pretty villages located in this town. each with its own distinctive feature. While you are sightseeing and shopping, your knowledgeable tour guide will keep you well entertained with their rich history.

What a participant commented about the Harvest Town Day Tour:

"My husband and I took our parents and three children on this tour. The coach driver, Mr Koh, and tour guide, Bridget, made us feel very safe, comfortable and relaxed throughout the trip! Bridget knew a lot about all the places we visited! At first, I was afraid that my children would get tired of listening to all that information. I felt extremely relieved when I realised that I was unduly worried! Bridget was so humorous that all of us thoroughly enjoyed listening to her commentaries! The meals were excellent and my children had fun trying all the different types of fruits, some they had never seen before! We had a great time!"

Mrs Jessica Tay



Please note:

- Reservations must be made online.
- Payment must be made in cash or by credit card at the TourPro office.
- Travel documents must be emailed to docs@tourpro.sg.
- Optional activities may be selected by logging in to your TourPro account.
- A minimum number of 20 participants is required for the tour to proceed,
- Payment made will be refunded in full should the tour be cancelled.
- Partial refunds will be granted for cancellations made at least 14 days before the departure date.

Use the timeline below to keep track of important details!

4-24 Oct	25-31 Oct	1-14 Nov	15-30 Nov	1-13 Dec
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For each question from 21 to 28, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade your answer on the Optical Answer Sheet.

(8 marks)

21	Which	of the following true of the Harvest Town Day Toyr?
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	Only lunch and dinner will be served during the tour. The tour coach will depart from Harvest Town at 10 p.m. Participants should reach City Centre Bus Terminal by 6 a.m. All school-going children can go for the tour at a reduced price.
22	Which farms?	of the following words is used to describe the fruits grown on the
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	local fresh unique seasonal
23		ling to the TourPro website, the tour guide can best present tion about the
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	locations of the villages unique features of the villages rich history related to the villages products that are sold in the villages
24	Why ar	re many exclamation marks used in Jessica's comments?
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	to capture readers' attention to evoke a sense of curiosity for readers to make her comments seem more favourable to emphasise how enjoyable the experience was
25		be bored listening to the tour guide feel exhausted visiting so many places
	(3)	be unwilling to try different types of fruits not understand what the tour guide was saying

26		Mdm Low decided to go on the tour. She had to make a trip to the TourProoffice to						
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	book a place on the tour make payment for the tour hand over travel documents sign up for optional activities						
27		an received a full refund ofthe payment he had made for the tour. What have happened?						
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	There were limited places available. The tour had fewer than 20 participants. He had cancelled his reservation in October. He had not chosen any of the optional activities.						
28	A tir	neline is provided for the following possible reasons excep						
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	to attract someone to go for the tour to show what needs to be done for those who are interested to remind those who have signed up about various deadlines to give an impression that the tour company is well-organised						



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ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2 (LANGUAGE USE AND COMPREHENSION) BOOKLET B

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Answer all questions.

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There are 10 blanks, numbered 29 to 38, in the passage below. From the list of words given, choose the most suitable word for each blank. Write its letter (A to Q) in the blank. The letters (I) and (O) have been omitted to avoid confusion during marking. (10 marks)

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perio	od, action wi	ll be t	aken	(22)		those wh	o do not co	mply w	ith advice to
clea	n up	(34)	the	emselve	s in pu	blic dining	places.		
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Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or gracorrect word in each of the boxes.	ammatical error. Write the (12 marks)
Fort Canning Park is located in the southeast part of	Singapore. Nature lovers
(39) (40)	
will find plenty to delight on at the park which features man	y <u>history</u> gardens.
(41)	
Spice Garden is <u>inspiring</u> by Sir Stamford Raffles' for	mer spice plantation. The
(42)	
garden rapresants his experiments and contains numerous s	pice plants he grew here.
(43)	
Raffles Garden is also named after him, an enthuseasthic	I naturalist. This garden
includes the many flora and fauna that Raffles studied, colle	ected or planted
(44)	sected of plainted.
Artisan's Garden is an <u>exhibent</u> and activity space who	ere children and adults
(45) (46)	
can <u>partecipete</u> in archaeology workshops. The garden is a <u>pr</u>	reffered picnic site
(47)	
because it is shaded and visitors can see displays explanation	n what it used to be like.
(48) (49)	
As a recraetional space, Jubilee Park is family-friend	dly. Its popular with
children is due to the playground that is nestled there. Child	lren aet to eniov plav
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equipment that blends after the environment. The name Jub	illee Park comes from
the King George V Jubilee Park which existed from 1935 to	1972.
	Adapted from: The Straits Times
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A group of wandering wild elephants has become an overnight Internet
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sensation in China and globally. The pack first captured the of of
the locals in March 2020 after they suddenly left their home in the Xishuang Nature
Reserve. While the original group of 16 elephants, two decided (52)
to the herd and return home after a week. The rest have
on their journey northward, stopping only for a short
in November 2020 to allow a newly-born calf and its mother to (55)
recuperate.
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leaving the reserve, the elephants have walked over 500
kilometres. Along the way, they have raided farms food and
(57)
water, walked through city streets, and even paid a to a (58)
supermarket and a retirement home. Thanks to the vigilant eye of the government
officials, no animals or people have been or killed. However, the (59)
elephants have destroyed more than \$1 million of crops.
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Researchers are unsure ofthe elephants decided to leave (61)
or where they are headed. While elephants are known to leave their habitats in
of food, this is the longest migration of wild elephants in the
history of China. Due to the extreme distance by the elephants, (63)
some speculate that they may be lost. Elephant expert, Chen Mingyong, shared that
the herd's leader possibly "lacks experience and has the whole
group astray". However, other scientists think the elephnats were
to move due to deforestation. The wandering herd's quest for a suitable home is eagerly
followed by millions on social media.
Adapted from: https://www.dogonews.com
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Score:

For each of the questions 66 to 70, rewrite the given sentence(s) using the word(s) provided. Your answer must be in **one** sentence. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning in the given sentence(s). (10 marks)

Gail was	s happy. It was e	evident to her	classmates.		
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"What g	ift did you choos	e?" Mrs Bala	asked her dau	ghter.	
Mrs Bal	a asked her dau	ghter			

"The first day of band camp has been a blast!" Laura exclaimed excitedly. Earlier that day, Laura and forty of her bandmates had reported to school for their annual band camp. Laura had been looking forward to the camp. To her, it would be extremely fun to spend extended time with her close friends, Aisha, Gopal and Jobe four of them were affectionately known as 'The Quadruplets' by their bandmates as they would often hang out with one another even outside of band practice.

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Before retiring for the night, the four friends had made a pact to meet for a quick **night snack** together at the canteen. "Where's Aisha?" Joe questioned. Laura shared that Aisha was feeling under the weather. Hence, she had decided to turn in earlier that night. Over some hot drinks and biscuits, the three friends chatted animatedly with one another.

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"The first day of band camp has been a blast! What was the highlight of the day for you guys?" Laura asked. Without hesitation, Gopal, the band's student leader, shared, "Perfecting that difficult piece we have been practising for the whole month!" Joe nodded in agreement. Seconds later, Laura added, "I also liked the campfire rehearsal! It was so much fun!" Soon, the three friends decided to make their way back to the classrooms for a much needed rest. It had been a tiring but rewarding day.

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While walking along the corridor, the three of them saw someone crouching in the distance. Was that person in trouble? Concerned, they quickened their pace. "Aisha, is that you?" Laura asked hesitantly. Realising that it was indeed Aisha, the three friends rushed towards her. Aisha's face was drained of colour. Immediately, Laura, together with Gopal and Joe, helped Aisha onto her feet and assisted her back to the classroom. Then, Aisha shared that her stomach was in knots and she was suffering from diarrhoea, having gone to the toilet five times in the last hour.

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To make matters worse, Aisha mentioned that there were several bandmates who were also in the toilet. They seemed to be showing similar symptoms as her Learning that raised the alarm bells for Gopal. Decisively, he instructed Laura and Joe to go around and check on the well-being of their bandmates while he looked for their teacher-in-charge, Ms Teo. Gopal also asked a junior to look after Aisha in their absence. Instantly, the three friends set off to fulfil their respective tasks.

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Despite the stressful episode, Gopal calmly recounted the situation to Ms Teo when he had located her. Moments later, they headed to the classrooms to determine the severity of the situation. As time ticked by, at least half of the band members had started to exhibit signs of stomach discomfort or diarrhoea. "Seems like a case of mass food poisoning," Ms Teo uttered. As Ms Teo busily arranged for the unwell band members to be taken home by their parents, Gopal got the rest to tend to their peers who were ill. In unrehearsed unison, everyone did what they could to make the situation better.

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The next morning, the band camp had to be called off prematurely. Gopal, Laura and Joe hoped that Aisha and the afflicted band members would recover soon. Ms Teo assured everyone that **the school would get to the root of the problem**. Before the rest of the members were dismissed, **Ms Teo shared how proud she was of everyone**. That very affirmation warmed the hearts of the band members.

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Written by: Casey Low

71	Why was Laura looking.forward to attending the camp? [1m]	in this space.
72	From lines 7-11, which four-word phrase tells us that Aisha might be ill? [1m]	
73	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. [3m]	<u> </u>
	Word(s) from the passage What the word(s) refer(s) to	
	a) night snack (line 8)	
	b) It (line 16)	
	c) that (line 27)	
74	Gopal spoke about a 'difficult piece' (line 14). What made Gopal think that the piece was difficult? [2m]	
75	Write 1, 2 and 3 in the blanks below to indicate the order in which the events occurred in the story. [1m]	
,	Aisha was absent from the gathering at the canteen that night.	
	Laura thought the first day of band camp was extremely fun.	
	The bandmates had given the four friends a nickname.	
76	Why Aisha's face was pale as she crouched in pain along the corridor	
	a) b) [2m]	

	True/False	Reason	
a) Gopal, Laura and Joe were frightened when they saw someone crouching in the distance.			
a) Aisha was left to take care of herself in the classroom.			
c) Laura and Joe agreed with what Gopal had instructed them to do.			
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panic when dealing with the a) Explain what Ms Teo mean	t when she me	ation? [2m]	
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LEVEL: Primary 6 SUBJECT: English TERM: 2021 Prelim

Booklet A

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
1	3	1	4	1	2	3	2	3	3
Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15	Q16	Q17	Q18	Q19	Q20
1	4	3	4	4	1	4	4	1	2
Q21	Q22	Q23	Q24	Q25	Q26	Q27	Q28		
3	4	3	4	1	2	2	1		

Booklet B

Q29	Q30	Q31	Q32	Q33	Q34	Q35	Q36	Q37	Q38
P	G	С	М	В	A	К	J	N	D
Q39	i	n	Q43	enthu	siastic	Q47		explaining	
Q40	histo	orical	Q44	ext	nibit	Q48		recreational	
Q41	insp	oired	Q45	Q45 participate Q49		Q49		popularity	
Q42	repre	esents	Q46	pref	erred	Q50		into	

Q51	attention	Q56	After	Q61	why
Q52	consisted	Q57	for	Q62	search
Q53	leave	Q58	visit	Q63	travelled
Q54	continued	Q59	hurt	Q64	led
Q55	while	Q60	worth	Q65	forced

Q66	On seeing the commotion, Joe separated the two boys quickly. On seeing the commotion, Joe quickly separated the two boys.
Q67	Gail's happiness was evident to her classmates.
Q68	Approach the teacher over there should you need help.
Q69	The judges were turned off by the contestant's arrogance.

Q70	Mrs Bala asked her daughter what gift she had chosen.
Q71	Laura thought would be extremely fun to spend extended time with her close friends, Gopal and Joe.
Q72	feeling under the weather
Q73	a) some hot drinks and biscuitsb) the campfire rehearsalc)Aisha and several other bandmates having a stomach ache and suffering from diarrhoea.
Q74	The band perfected tha difficult piece after practising for a month.
Q75	2, 3, 1
Q76	a)Her stomach was in knots. b)She was suffering from diarrhoea.
Q77	 a)False / Gopal,Laura and Joe were concerned and they quickened their pace when they saw some one crouching in the distance. b) False / A junior was asked to take care of Aisha by Gopal in tha absence of Gopal, Laura and Joe. C) True / Laura and Joe set off instantly to fulfil their tasks after Gopal and told them to do so.
Q78	a) decisively b)calmly
Q79	She meant that tha school would figure out what had caused the case of mass food poisoning.
Q80	a)Every band member did everything they could to help in unrehearsed unison. b)i) teamwork ii) care