# MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, SINGAPORE PRIMARY SCHOOL LEAVING EXAMINATION

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PSLE SPECIMEN PAPER

# **ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

PAPER 1 (WRITING)

Effective from 2025

Additional Materials: Answer Booklet Total Time: 1 hour 10 minutes

**Total Marks: 50 marks** 

# **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- 1. Do not turn over this page until you are told to do so.
- 2. Answer all questions.
- 3. Write your answers in the Answer Booklet provided.

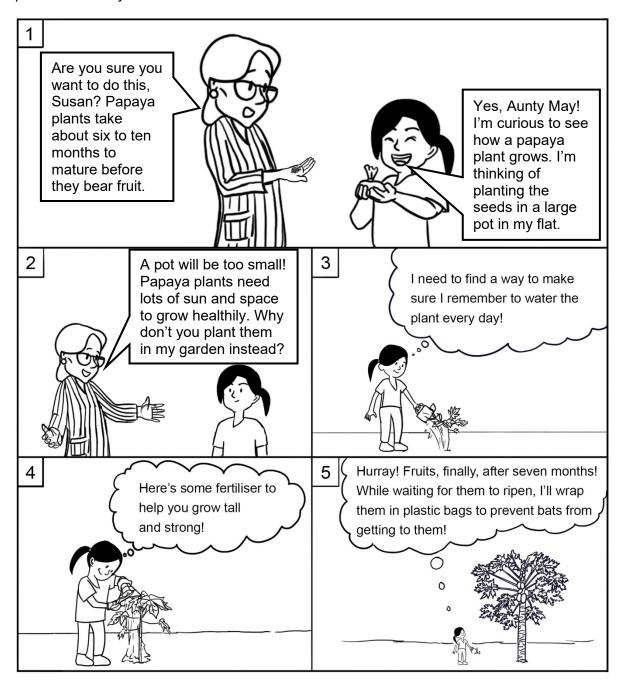
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#### Part 1: Situational Writing (14 marks)

**1** The pictures below show how Susan grew a papaya tree in her aunt's garden. Study the pictures carefully.



#### Your Task

Imagine you are Susan.

Write an article for your school's science magazine to share your experience growing your own papaya plant.

You are to refer to the pictures and information on page 2 for your article. The bullet point underlined below requires you to come up with your own information.

In your writing, include the following key information:

- why you wanted to grow a papaya plant
- how you decided on where to plant the seeds
- how you made sure you remembered to water the plant daily
- other than watering the plant, give two ways how you cared for it
- how long it took for your papaya plant to bear fruit

You may reorder the points. Remember to write in complete sentences.

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# Part 2: Continuous Writing (36 marks)

2 Write a composition of <u>at least 150 words</u> about a **celebration**.

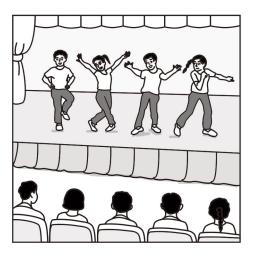
The pictures are provided to help you think about this topic.

Your composition must be based on at least one of these pictures.

Consider the following points when you plan your composition:

- What was the reason for the celebration?
- How was the occasion celebrated?

You may use the points in any order and include other relevant points as well.







# **End of Paper**

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