

SMARTWIZ

GRADE 4 ENGLISH EXAM

MARKS: 50

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TIME: 1 hour

SCHOOL _____

CLASS (e.g. 4A) _____

SURNAME _____

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Instructions for Students:

- > Read all instructions carefully before beginning the exam.
- > Write your name and student ID clearly on the answer sheet/booklet.
- > Answer all questions unless otherwise stated.
- > Show all your work/calculations where applicable.
- > Write clearly and legibly.
- > Use blue or black ink only. * Do not use correction fluid/tape.
- > No electronic devices (calculators, phones, etc.) are allowed unless explicitly permitted.
- > Raise your hand if you have any questions.
- > Do not talk to other students during the exam.
- > Any form of cheating will result in disqualification.

This test consists of 6 pages, including the cover page.

Read the comprehension below and answer the following questions
A School Recycling Project

Mrs Jacobs, a Grade 4 teacher, went to a workshop about recycling and looking after the environment. When she came back to school, she told her class about what she had learned. The learners were excited when she suggested they start a recycling project at school. They planned to collect plastic, glass, paper, and cans. The items would be sorted into special bins and sold to a local recycling centre. The money they made would help buy books for the school library.

Mrs Jacobs showed the learners how to sort and clean the recycling. They created colourful posters and placed them around the school to remind everyone to recycle. Each group had a different job: collecting, sorting, cleaning, and recording how much was collected. Even during breaks, the learners stayed busy working on the project.

After three months, the school had collected many bags of recycling. The learners were amazed at how much waste they had saved from being thrown away. They felt proud and invited their families to a “Recycling Day” where they showed what they had learned. Everyone clapped and cheered when the school received an award for being eco-friendly.

1. Who is the Grade 4 teacher in the story? (1)

Answer : Mrs Jacobs

2. Draw a circle around the letter with the correct answer:

What is the best title for this story? (1)

- A. Cleaning the School
- B. A Visit to the Library
- C. A School Recycling Project
- D. Planting Trees at Home

Answer : C. A School Recycling Project

3. Why did the learners sort the recycling into bins? (1)

- A. To make art projects



- B. To throw it away
- C. To keep the bins full
- D. To sell it to the recycling centre

Answer : D. To sell it to the recycling centre

4. Why do you think the learners felt proud? (1)

Answer : Because they helped the school and environment, collected a lot of recycling, and received an award.

5. Complete the sentences using the words below:
soon, before, quickly, last, earlier

5.1 Another word for fast is _____. (1)

Answer : quickly

5.2 The opposite of first is _____. (1)

Answer : last

6. Rewrite the sentence in the present tense: (1)

Mrs Jacobs showed them how to recycle.

Answer : Mrs Jacobs shows them how to recycle.

7. Rewrite the sentence in the future tense: (1)

The learners made colourful posters.

Answer : The learners will make colourful posters.

8. Draw a circle around the correct past tense form of the verb in brackets:

The learners (make) posters about recycling. (1)

- A. maked
- B. made
- C. makes
- D. make

Answer : B

9. What two things did the learners do with the recycling they collected?

9.1 _____ (1)

Answer : Sold it to the recycling centre

9.2 _____ (1)

Answer : Used the money to buy books for the school

10. Number the steps of the recycling project in the correct order (1 to 4): (2)

Learners collected recycling.

Learners invited their families to Recycling Day.

Mrs Jacobs showed learners how to clean items.

Learners sold recycling to the centre.

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

Answer :

a) 3 – Mrs Jacobs showed learners how to clean items.

b) 1 – Learners collected recycling.

c) 4 – Learners sold recycling to the centre.

d) 2 – Learners invited their families to Recycling Day.

11. Two words are spelt incorrectly in the paragraph below. Find and correct them. (2)

The learners made postars and worked together to clean the school. They were proud of their work.

_____, _____

Answer : postars → posters

together → together

12. Fill in the missing prepositions: (2)

12.1 They got help _____ the recycling centre.

Answer : from

12.2 The learners worked hard _____ the week and weekends.

Answer : on

13. Write 5 sentences about how you help take care of the environment. (5)
Use correct punctuation and capital letters.

Answer :

1. I throw my rubbish in the bin every day.
2. I save water by turning off the tap.
3. I recycle plastic bottles and paper at home.
4. I help clean up litter in the park.
5. I plant trees and take care of the garden.

Train Timetable: Monday – Sunday (From Johannesburg Station)

Departure Time	Destination	Arrival Time
06:00	Pretoria	07:15
07:30	Polokwane	11:30
08:00	Cape Town	20:00
09:45	Durban	17:45
10:30	Bloemfontein	14:30
11:00	Cape Town	22:30

14. The train arrives in _____ at 20:00. (1)

Answer : Cape Town

15. Draw a circle around the correct answer: (1)
How many trains leave for Cape Town every day?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Four

Answer : 2

16. Complete the following table by writing the correct arrival times: (3)

Destination	Arrival Time
Train to Bloemfontein	16.1 _____
Second train to Cape Town	16.2 _____
Train to Polokwane	16.3 _____

Answer :

16.1 14:30

16.2 22:30

16.3 11:30

17. Write the plural form of the underlined word in each sentence: (3)

17.1 The child waited at the station.

Answer : child → children

17.2 He stepped on a foot near the train door.


Answer : foot → feet


17.3 The train left the platform quickly.

Answer : train → trains

18. Create a fun invitation card for a party you're planning. (5)
Your invitation must include the following:

 What kind of party it is (birthday, picnic, movie night, etc.)

 The place where the party will happen

 The date of the party

 The time it will start

 Who is invited (e.g., "All my friends" or a specific name)

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