

SMARTWIZ

GRADE 6 ENGLISH EXAM

MARKS: 35

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TIME: 1 hour 30 Minutes

SCHOOL _____

CLASS (e.g. 4A) _____

SURNAME _____

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Instructions for Learners:

- >Read all instructions carefully before beginning the exam.
- >Write your name and student number clearly on the answer sheet or booklet.
- >Answer all questions unless otherwise indicated.
- >Show all workings/calculations where applicable.
- >Write clearly and legibly.
- >Use only blue or black ink. * Do not use correction fluid or tape.
- >No electronic devices (such as calculators, cellphones, etc.) are allowed unless specifically permitted.
- >Raise your hand if you have a question.
- >Do not talk to other learners during the exam.
- >Any form of dishonesty will result in disqualification.

This exam consists of 4 pages, including the cover page.

SECTION A: COMPREHENSION (15 MARKS)

Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow:

"The sun was rising behind the mountains as Sarah stepped out of the small cottage. She breathed in the crisp morning air and smiled. Today was her birthday, and her family had planned a picnic by the river. Sarah loved birthdays, not just for the gifts, but for the fun and laughter they always brought."

What time of day is it in the passage? (1)

Where was Sarah going for her birthday? (1)

How did Sarah feel? Give a reason for your answer. (2)

List two things Sarah liked about birthdays. (2)

Write one sentence to describe the setting in the passage. (2)

Choose the correct answer: What word describes the air?

- a) Hot b) Crisp c) Humid d) Dry (1)

Why do you think the author mentioned the mountains? (2)

Give the main idea of the passage in one sentence. (2)

SECTION B: LANGUAGE (20 MARKS)

Rewrite the sentence in the past tense:

"Sarah wakes up early." (2)

Write the plural of the following words:

child (1) _____

knife (1) _____

Complete the simile: "As fast as a _____" (1)

Underline the adjective:

"The colourful balloons floated into the sky." (1)

Identify the verb in the sentence:

"She ran quickly across the field." (1)

Change the following sentence to a question:

"He is playing outside." (2)

Fill in the correct punctuation:

"wheres your book" (2)

Join the sentences using 'because':

"She stayed home. She was sick." (2)

Choose the correct homophone:

"They went to the _____ to buy bread." (1)

a) store b) sore c) soar

Write a sentence using the word "excited". (2)

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SECTION A: COMPREHENSION (15 MARKS)

Morning / Sunrise (1)

To the river for a picnic (1)

She felt happy / excited – because she smiled or because it was her birthday. (2)

Gifts and fun/laughter (2)

The sun was rising behind the mountains / peaceful morning by the cottage (2)

b) Crisp (1)

To describe the natural setting and show it's morning (2)

It's about Sarah's birthday morning and her excitement about the picnic. (2)

SECTION B: LANGUAGE (20 MARKS)

Sarah woke up early. (2)

Children, Knives (2)

As fast as a cheetah (1)

colourful (1)

ran (1)

Is he playing outside? (2)

Where's your book? (2)

She stayed home because she was sick. (2)

a) store (1)

Example: I was so excited to go to the party. (2)

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