

# HONG KONG ATTAINMENT TEST

# English

## Primary 5

### Value-added Mock Paper

### Question Booklet

#### For Teacher's Reference

Testing Area	Section	Marks
Listening	A (Part 1)	/ 10
	A (Part 2)	/ 10
	A (Part 3)	/ 12
Reading	B-1	/ 12
	B-2	/ 12
	B-3	/ 14
Writing	C	/ 30
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>/ 100</b>

**Section A Listening**

**(32 marks)**

There are three parts in this section. In Part 1, you will hear an introduction. In Part 2 and Part 3, you will hear a conversation. **Write all your answers in the answer booklet.** For each part, you will have 30 seconds to study the questions in the answer booklet. The recordings will be played ONCE only.

**Section B Reading**

**(B-1)**

**(12 marks)**

**Adam is reading a leaflet about a Halloween carnival. Read it carefully, choose the best answers for Questions 17-21 and complete Question 22.**

<p><b>Amazing Learning Centre</b> <b>Halloween Carnival</b></p> <p style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">Come and join our Halloween celebration with games, arts and fun!</p>		
<b>Date:</b> 31 October 20XX (Sun)	<b>Time:</b> 3 pm - 11 pm	<b>Venue:</b> Amazing Hall
<p><b>Game booths</b></p> <p>There are game booths set up on the ground floor. You can play classic games like balloon and dart, bean bag toss, bingo and much more! You can get a coin when you win a game. You can exchange for a giant doll when you collect four coins! Come and show off your skills!</p>		
<p><b>Halloween-themed workshops</b></p> <p>Halloween-themed workshops are offered to people of different ages. The pumpkin carving workshop is hosted by some university students. You will learn how to carve a pumpkin and make your own Jack-o'-lantern. If you are not interested in carving pumpkins, the mask making workshop is another option for you. Our professional artists will show you how to create a scary mask using arts and crafts materials.</p> <p>*As pumpkin carving requires the use of knives, children below the age of ten are not allowed to join this workshop due to safety reasons.</p>		
<p><b>Dress-up Party</b></p> <p>It starts at 7 pm on the fourth floor. You must dress up as scary characters to join this party. Our DJ will play some spooky pop music and you can move your body to the beat on the dancefloor. Free snacks and drinks are provided at the party.</p>		
<p><b>Directions</b></p> <p>There is no parking space in our centre, so we suggest you take the MTR or minibus. You can get out of Tsim Sha Tsui MTR Station. Take Exit A and walk straight ahead. Turn right at Great Street and walk along it for about five minutes. You will see Happy Day Care. Our centre is opposite to the day care. You can also take the minibus at Dragon Centre at Sham Shui Po and get off at Kowloon Park. Cross the road and walk along Watson Street for about eight minutes. You will see London Restaurant. Our centre is next to the restaurant.</p>		
<p><b>A ticket costs \$30 and will only be available for purchase online from 20<sup>th</sup> October to 30<sup>th</sup> October. For more details, visit our website or contact Mr Jimmy Lam at 4003 2121.</b></p>		

**(B-1)**

17. Who will be responsible for the pumpkin carving workshop?
- A. Jimmy Lam
  - B. Teenage volunteers
  - C. Staff members of Amazing Learning Centre
  - D. A group of university students
18. Adam's sister is a Primary Three student. Which activity is **NOT** suitable for her?
- A. Bean bag toss
  - B. Pumpkin carving
  - C. Balloon and dart
  - D. Mask making
19. Which is **NOT** true about the Halloween carnival?
- A. Visitors can use their own coins to buy a giant doll.
  - B. The dress-up party starts at night.
  - C. Visitors need to wear scary costumes in the dress-up party.
  - D. There will be two Halloween-themed workshops.
20. Which of the following places is nearest to Amazing Learning Centre?
- A. Kowloon Park
  - B. Happy Day Care
  - C. Dragon Centre
  - D. London Restaurant
21. To join the Halloween carnival, visitors should \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. buy tickets online in advance
  - B. sign up on the centre's website
  - C. buy tickets at the centre
  - D. pay \$30 to Jimmy Lam
22. Adam is texting his friend, Holly. Read the leaflet on P.2 and help him complete the sentences. Use only **ONE** word for each blank. Make sure your answers are grammatically correct.

Let's go to the Halloween Carnival! Since we both love making arts and crafts, we can join the Halloween-themed workshops. We can learn how to carve a pumpkin with a (i) \_\_\_\_\_. Besides, some professional artists of the mask making workshop will show us how to make scary masks with different (ii) \_\_\_\_\_.

(B-2)

(12 marks)

Adam is reading a text about a serious job. Read it carefully, choose the best answers for Questions 23-27 and complete Question 28.

### The Life of a Firefighter

Have you ever witnessed a fire accident on the spot or on television? The brave firefighters are responsible for putting out fires and rescue people from danger.

Welsh Dupont is the station officer of Wan Chai Fire Station. 'I'm actually French, but I'm now working in Hong Kong. I have been a firefighter since I was eighteen. Of course, the main part of my job is to put out fires and rescue people from fire scenes. Besides, I need to deal with other emergencies as well. For example, I may have to give medical treatments to injured people when it is needed. In addition, I need to give talks at different schools and community centres regularly to promote the importance of fire safety,' said Welsh.

To be a great firefighter, you need to be physically fit. You should train up your bones and muscles as you need the strength to rescue injured people and carry heavy objects. Although you don't have to exercise in a gym, you need to find a way to keep up the daily training routine. Other than that, you have to be able to stay calm in difficult situations. 'Firefighters have to respond to problems quickly. It's not easy for most people to do! Teamwork is especially important as you need to work with other firefighters in firefighting operations. Therefore, you must learn to trust your teammates. It is the most challenging thing to do,' said Welsh.

Being a firefighter is not as simple as you think. It is a tough yet meaningful job. It requires a wide range of skills, which cannot be obtained from our daily lives. Although I'm glad that I can help others, I don't like the fact that I need to work shifts as I don't have much personal time to do other things I want. However, I think it's the sacrifice that I need to make if I have to be a firefighter,' said Welsh.

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23. Where does Welsh Dupont come from?  
A. Australia      B. The UK      C. Hong Kong      D. France
24. Paragraph 2 mainly talks about \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. how to become a fire station officer  
B. what a firefighter does  
C. the emergencies a firefighter has to deal with  
D. why a firefighter needs to promote fire safety
25. In paragraph 2 line 8, what does 'it' refer to?  
A. Rescuing people from fire scenes  
B. Dealing with other emergencies  
C. Putting out fires  
D. Giving medical treatments to injured people
26. In paragraph 3, what is the 'most challenging thing'?  
A. Keeping up the daily training routine  
B. Working with other firefighters in firefighting operations  
C. Learning to trust one's teammates  
D. Responding to problems quickly
27. To become a great firefighter, you do **NOT** need to \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. be strong  
B. carry heavy things  
C. exercise at a gym  
D. train up your body
28. Adam is writing a note to his friend, Jennifer. Read the text on P.4 and help him complete the sentences. Use only **ONE** word for each blank. Make sure your answers are grammatically correct.

Hi Jennifer,  
I just read an article about being a firefighter. I was surprised to find out that it is also part of their job to handle other (i) \_\_\_\_\_ besides firefighting. I hope I can do this (ii) \_\_\_\_\_ job to help others when I grow up!

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(14 marks)

Adam is writing an e-mail to his friend, Kelly. Read it carefully, choose the best answers for Questions 29-34 and complete Question 35.

**From:** Adam Kwan <adamkwan@happymail.com>

**To:** Kelly Chan <kellychan@joymail.com>

**Subject:** Let's meet up soon!

Hi Kelly,

It has been a long time since I last wrote to you. How have you been these days?

I have been busy preparing for the dance competition in early July. I actually started attending dance classes three months before the competition. That's why it took me a long time to reply to you. I have dance practice for two hours after school every day. Besides, I still need to do homework and revision after the dance practice. Although I am used to **this arrangement**, I have to admit that it is quite tiring. Hopefully, I can perform well and win in the competition!

Do you remember Jeffrey, my cousin's baby boy? I saw him last week at the family party. He doesn't look like a baby any more. He is now three years old. He used to be hairless and toothless. His nose and mouth were much smaller too. He is now taller and has a lot of hair. He also has chubby cheeks! I could see his teeth when he smiled. He is absolutely the cutest boy that I have ever seen! Since he is growing up so fast, I just wish that I could spend more time with him.

What's more, a new travel agency has opened nearby. Mum and I are going on a trip to France in August. I can't wait to go up to the Eiffel Tower and admire the fantastic views of the city. I also want to go to the famous museums and art galleries there. I think the best part of the trip is that I can go to the local restaurants and try their traditional food.

How is your family? Have you moved into your new house yet?

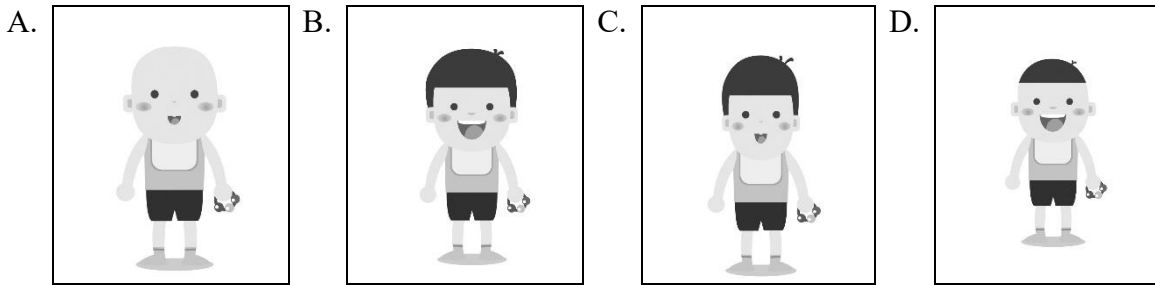
Write back soon.

Best,  
Adam

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29. When did Adam start taking dance classes?  
A. Early April      B. Mid-May      C. Early June      D. Late June
30. In paragraph 2, what does 'this arrangement' refer to?  
A. Having dance practice, doing homework and revision  
B. Taking part in the dance competition  
C. Replying to Kelly's e-mail  
D. Having dance practice after school every day
31. Who is Jeffery?  
A. Adam's cousin    B. Adam's uncle    C. Adam's nephew    D. Adam's friend

32. Which picture shows how Jeffrey looks like now?



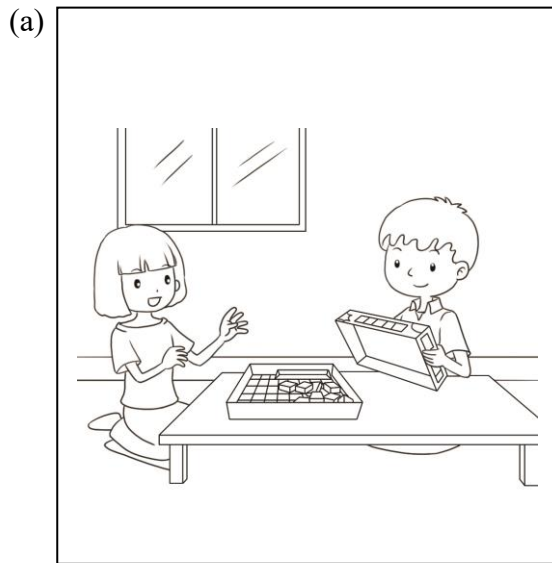
33. What may Adam **NOT** do in France?  
A. Visit the Eiffel Tower                      B. Look at famous paintings  
C. Taste French food                              D. Visit his relatives
34. What is the main reason Adam wrote this e-mail to Kelly?  
A. To tell her what he has done lately  
B. To ask her to travel to France together  
C. To tell her about Jeffrey's changes  
D. To tell her about the dance competition
35. Kelly is replying to Adam's e-mail. Read the e-mail on P.6 and help her complete the sentences. Use only **ONE** word for each blank. Make sure your answers are grammatically correct.

Of course, I remember Jeffrey. He must look so (i) \_\_\_\_\_ with his chubby cheeks. It is good to hear that you will visit France soon! I have been there and the scenic spots there are (ii) \_\_\_\_\_!

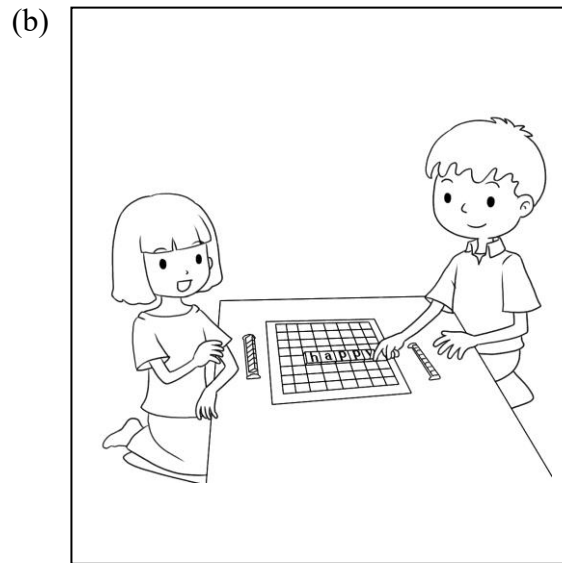
**Section C Writing**

**(30 marks)**

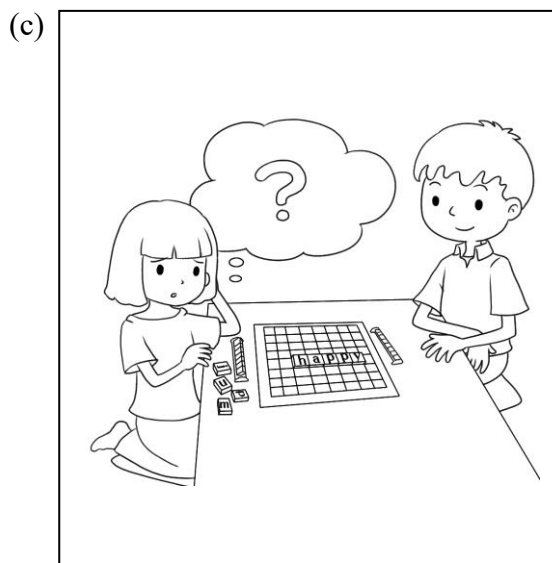
36. You are Adam. You and your younger sister, Jane, played a word game at home yesterday. Based on the pictures below, write an e-mail to your friend, Ken, about what happened. Write at least 80 words.



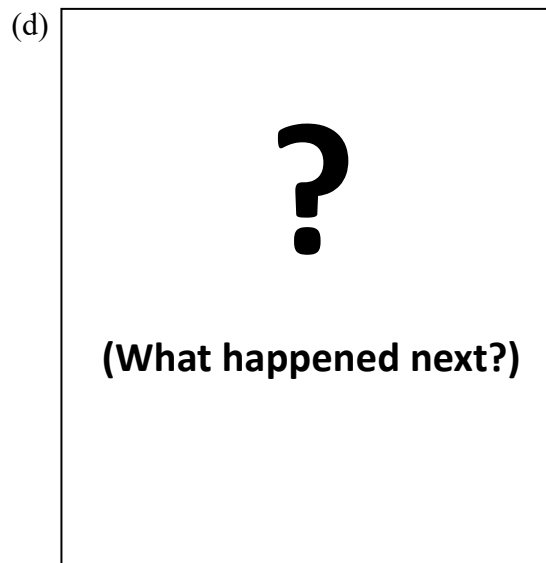
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