

# HONG KONG ATTAINMENT TEST

# English

## Primary 6

### Mock Paper of the Latest Question Types

### Answer 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>

## Tapescripts for Section A

### Part 1

**Narrator:** Ryan is listening to an introduction given by a garment factory owner called Emily. Listen carefully and choose the best answers for Questions 1-5. You have 30 seconds to study the questions. You may start now. Listen carefully. The introduction will begin now.

**Emily:** Good morning, everyone. I am Emily and I am delighted to see you all here today. I will share with you my family business. I will first talk about the background of our factory. After that, you will have a chance to try on some of our clothes and buy them if you like. Before leaving, everyone can get a free fridge magnet as a souvenir.

I lived in a very cold place when I was little. In winter, I always stayed in bed and did not want to wake up to attend classes in the morning. In order to make me feel warmer, my mum, who runs a garment business, used to make me thick clothes herself. She is an excellent knitter and she would knit long scarfs and wooly jumpers for me in the cold days. At that time, I seldom buy clothes from department stores. Later I became interested in making clothes so I asked my mum to teach me how to knit. Five years ago, I started to help with my family's factory and I learnt a lot about how to run a business. Now, my goal is to produce high quality garments that are light and comfortable to give our customers the best experience. For instance, we use very fine and pure British wool as the only material for our products. Well, I hope you have learnt something from my sharing. Now my colleague will bring you to the next floor.

**Narrator:** Check your answers now.

Number One. At the end of the visit, Ryan can \_\_\_\_\_.

Number Two. When Emily was young, her mum used to knit her \_\_\_\_\_.

Number Three. Which of the following is TRUE about Emily' childhood?

Number Four. Why did Emily help with her family's factory?

Number Five. Emily's factory is so special because \_\_\_\_\_.

This is the end of Part 1. Please go on to Part 2.

### Part 2

**Narrator:** Ryan is talking with his mum about planning a family trip on the Christmas holiday. Listen carefully and choose the best answers for Questions 6-10. You have 30 seconds to study the questions. You may start now.

Listen carefully. The conversation will begin now.

- Ryan: Mum, Christmas is coming. Shall we go on a family trip?
- Mum: Yes! I would love to visit London. We can visit some famous tourist attractions like Big Ben and the British Museum.
- Ryan: But the price of air tickets and hotel rooms for Britain would be very high at Christmas.
- Mum: Hmm...What about New York? Your school finishes on 18<sup>th</sup> December so we can enjoy a long holiday.
- Ryan: I'd love to see the Statue of Liberty but our class is going to have a party at our class teacher's home on 22<sup>nd</sup> December. I can only go after that and school will start again on 2<sup>nd</sup> January. Sorry Mum, I don't think we have enough time for such a long trip.
- Mum: We cannot travel too far then! What about Thailand?
- Ryan: I know that there are many beautiful beaches in Bangkok. They are famous for surfing and diving. But the problem is we all could not speak the language. It might be difficult for us to communicate with the locals.
- Mum: Well, what about Taiwan? We can enjoy dad's favourite Taiwan snacks and also visit Uncle Philip. I haven't seen him since he has been working in Taiwan.
- Ryan: Oh, Uncle Philip! I still remember he liked telling me stories when I was small. The stories are always creative and funny. Also, he used to treat me chocolate after dinner. I would love to meet him soon!
- Mum: I can't believe you still remember Uncle Philip! I am sure you two will have a lot to share with each other when you meet. Now can you call your dad to tell him about our decision?
- Ryan: Of course! Then we can find a travel agency for our trip arrangements.
- Narrator: Check your answers now.

Number Six. Why does Ryan NOT want to visit London?

Number Seven. When will Ryan and his family go to their trip?

Number Eight. What does Ryan know about Thailand?

Number Nine. From the conversation, we know that Uncle Phillip

\_\_\_\_\_.

Number Ten. After the conversation, Ryan and his mum will first

\_\_\_\_\_.

This is the end of Part 2. Please go on to Part 3.

### Part 3

Narrator: Ryan is calling a boutique to order some T-shirts. Listen carefully and

complete the order form for the shopkeeper. You have 30 seconds to study the form. You may start now.

Listen carefully. The conversation will begin now.

- Shopkeeper: This is Stylish T-shirt. How can I help you?
- Ryan: Good morning. I'd like to order some T-shirts for a summer camp of my school.
- Shopkeeper: Sure. I need some information from you to fill in an order form. Can I have your name and phone number, please?
- Ryan: My name is Ryan Chan. 3-3-2-1 5-1-7-4.
- Shopkeeper: OK. What colour of T-shirt would you like to order? How about purple? It's the most popular colour.
- Ryan: Purple is not bad, but we prefer a lighter colour to match the theme of our camp. Do you have any lighter colours?
- Shopkeeper: We have white and light blue.
- Ryan: I love white but I am afraid some students may think that it's too dull. I believe light blue would look better.
- Shopkeeper: Then I'll tick this box for you. Done. How many T-shirts do you want?
- Ryan: There are currently 15 participants for the activity, so I think I would order 15 T-shirts, please.
- Shopkeeper: We are now doing a promotion. You can enjoy free shipping if you order 20 T-shirts. Would you like to order 5 more?
- Ryan: Oh! That's great. We can save the other 5 T-shirts for spare in case there are more participants.
- Shopkeeper: Sure. Any messages you would like to be printed on the T-shirts?
- Ryan: Yes please! Can you print 'Live Green' on it? The theme of the camp is environmental protection.
- Shopkeeper: No problem. Let me write it down. Live... Green... Do you have any other request?
- Ryan: Can I request for printing the message right in the middle on the front side please? Also, we want the words to be as large as possible so that it would be eye-catching enough.
- Shopkeeper: OK. I'll write down 'large words in the middle on front'. The T-shirts cost \$650 in total. Since we're having a promotion, any order over \$500 enjoys a \$50 discount.
- Ryan: Wonderful! When can I pick up the T-shirts?
- Shopkeeper: Your orders will be ready in two weeks so you can pick them up on 17<sup>th</sup> June.
- Ryan: I will go on a picnic that day so I won't be able to come. Can I come

the next day?

Shopkeeper: Sure. I will mark it down. Thanks for ordering. Goodbye.

Narrator: This is the end of Session A. Please go on to Session B.

**Section A      Listening**

**(32 marks)**

**Part 1**

(10 marks @ 2 marks)

Write your answers (A, B, C or D) in the  below.

*Ryan is listening to an introduction given by a garment factory owner called Emily. Listen carefully and choose the best answers for Questions 1-5. You have 30 seconds to study the questions. You may start now.*

1. At the end of the visit, Ryan can \_\_\_\_\_ .  C
  - A. learn how to run a family business
  - B. try to knit some clothes
  - C. get a free magnet
  - D. get a discount in buying clothes
  
2. When Emily was young, her mum used to knit her \_\_\_\_\_ .  C
  - A. trousers
  - B. pyjamas
  - C. jumpers
  - D. dresses
  
3. Which of the following is **TRUE** about Emily's childhood?  A
  - A. It was hard for her to get up early in winter.
  - B. She used to buy clothes from shops near home.
  - C. She did not like the clothes her mum made her.
  - D. She hates winter.
  
4. Why did Emily help with her family's factory?  B
  - A. Her parents asked her to do so
  - B. She is interested in making clothes
  - C. She could not find a job after graduation
  - D. She wanted to make more money
  
5. Emily's factory is so special because \_\_\_\_\_ .  D
  - A. Emily has invested to the business
  - B. a wide range of products are manufactured
  - C. Emily uses special materials that others do not use
  - D. only one type of material is used for the products

**Go on to the next page**

**Part 2**

(10 marks @ 2 marks)

Write your answers (A, B, C or D) in the  below.

*Ryan is talking with his mum about planning a family trip on the Christmas holiday. Listen carefully and choose the best answers for Questions 6-10. You have 30 seconds to study the questions. You may start now.*

6. Why does Ryan **NOT** want to visit London?  C
- A. He is not good at English.
  - B. He hates long hour flights.
  - C. He thinks the trip would be too expensive.
  - D. He is afraid that it is difficult to book air tickets for Christmas.
7. When will Ryan and his family go to their trip?  D
- A. 18<sup>th</sup> December to 22<sup>nd</sup> December
  - B. 18<sup>th</sup> December to 1<sup>st</sup> January
  - C. 22<sup>nd</sup> December to 2<sup>nd</sup> January
  - D. 23<sup>rd</sup> December to 1<sup>st</sup> January
8. What does Ryan know about Thailand?  A
- A. It is well-known for water sports.
  - B. There are not many beaches outside Bangkok.
  - C. People there speak English.
  - D. There are only spicy food in Thailand.
9. From the conversation, we know that Uncle Phillip \_\_\_\_\_ .  C
- A. write storybooks
  - B. is now working in Thailand
  - C. is good at telling jokes
  - D. likes chocolates very much
10. After the conversation, Ryan and his mum will first \_\_\_\_\_ .  A
- A. talk to Ryan's dad
  - B. visit a travel agency
  - C. book a hotel room online
  - D. call Uncle Phillip

**Go on to the next page**





**Section B Reading**

(38 marks)

**(B-1)** (12 marks @ 2 marks)

For Questions 17-21, write A, B, C or D in the .

17.  D      18.  C      19.  A      20.  A      21.  C

For Question 22, write only **ONE** word for each blank.

Remark for Q22:  
- 1 mark for each correct answer  
- Do not deduct marks for capitalisation  
- No marks for spelling or grammatical mistakes

22. (i)                     speed                          22. (ii)                     aircrafts

**(B-2)** (12 marks @ 2 marks)

For Questions 23-28, write A, B, C or D in the .

23.  C      24.  C      25.  C      26.  B      27.  D

28. (i)  B      28. (ii)  A      28. (iii)  C      28. (iv)  D

Remark for Q28:  
- 1 mark for any 2 correct answers

**(B-3)** (14 marks @ 2 marks)

For Questions 29-34, write A, B, C or D in the .

29.  B      30.  A      31.  C      32.  B      33.  C      34.  A

For Question 35, write only **ONE** word for each blank.

35. (i)                     quietly                          35. (ii)                     leaving

Remark for Q35:  
- 1 mark for each correct answer  
- Do not deduct marks for capitalisation  
- No marks for spelling or grammatical mistakes

**Go on to the next page**

**Section C Writing**

(30 marks)

(suggested answer)

36.	<p>From: Ryan &lt;ryanchan@coolmail.com&gt; To: Dora &lt;dorajoy@coolmail.com&gt; Date: 10 June 20XX Subject: <u>Theft at the Airport</u></p> <hr/> <p>Hi Dora,</p> <p>Last week, Mum and I were at the airport waiting to depart. <b>We were sitting next to the departure gate. A man nearby was reading a novel.</b></p> <p><b>I was chatting with my mum so we didn't keep an eye on our luggage. Later, the man reached his hand for our luggage. When he stood up, we finally realised that he took our belongings. We yelled, 'Oh no! There is a thief!' A policeman heard us and ran towards the thief immediately. The thief was then arrested and sent to the police station.</b></p> <p><b>It is so lucky that our belongings were not stolen. Next time, I should take better care of my personal belongings by keeping them in sight at all times.</b></p> <p><b>Best,</b></p> <p><b>Ryan</b></p>
-----	--

**End of Test**