



ASIAN GRAMMAR SCHOOL

1st Term Assessment – 2019 English Language Grade 8(Special)

Marks

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Grade:

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1. Underline the word with the correct spelling.

(10 Marks)

1. beautiful / beautifull
2. school / skool
3. holydays / holidays
4. tempal / temple
5. firend / friend
6. grammer / grammar
7. address / adress
8. techer / teacher
9. writing / writting
10. favourite / favaratie

2. Rewrite the sentence with correct Punctuations.

(10 Marks)

1. Wow what a beautiful day
2. Oh no this isn t happening
3. Nova said Ill go
4. How did you survive there
5. Please buy eggs milk bread and cake

6. kate said oh its great

7. theres a big dog in the garden yelled Ann

8. We studied Mathematics History Civic and English

9. that is petes dog

10. this isn t my poetry book

3. Complete the conversations with a, an and the (10 marks)

Anne:I've got headache.

Peter:Why don't you consult doctor?

Ron:Mom ,I want to go to Theater at Majestic city.Can you tell me where are my shoes?

Mom: They are under.....bed.

Jane:I'm going to the book shop to buy book.

Laura:Give mehour perhaps I can join you.

Harry: Did you see amount of food there??I'll just have egg omelet.

Ron:Well ,I'm starving.I can finish dozen of eggs andplate full of magic pie.

4. Re-write the sentence changing the words underline into plural.

(10 Marks)

1. The shop is open today.
2. I bought a loaf of bread .
3. We have a teacher in our classroom.
4. Keep your pencil box on the table.
5. The cook bought a new knife.

5. Underline the common noun and circle the proper noun.

(05 Marks)

1. Sri Lanka is a beautiful country
2. Ann studies at Cambridge university
3. It's a hospital
4. Asian Grammar school is the best school
5. She is a professor at Harvard university

6. Filling the blanks with suitable verb

(05 marks)

draws , listens ,talk , feed , drives, warn , park , pluck ,
learn

Theythe
cattle with plenty of
grass

Ann..... her
car fast

Peter..... a painting.

There! We can
..... our car at
that car park.

The police office
..... the
vandals about their
behaviour.

We can see many
women tea
leaves at the tea estate.

Sophie to
the songs of Allan
walker.

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Students
English lessons.

07. Read the passage and answer the questions.

(15 Marks)

Killer Quakes

Earthquakes happen all the time. In fact, there are up to 9,000 earthquakes around the world everyday. Fortunately, most of them are so small that we do not even notice them. But at 5:46, on the morning of January 17, 1995, Japan was struck by its biggest earthquake in seventy-two years. It happened about 20 km below the earth's surface, not far from the city of Kobe and killed more than 5,000 people.

Every country in the world sits on top of a large sheet of rock. Earthquakes are caused by the movement of these sheets of rock and are measured on the Richter scale. Most earthquakes are just tremors which measure 3 or less on the Richter Scale. But each year there are about eighteen earthquakes which measure between 7 and 7.9. These are the major earthquakes. The earthquake that destroyed Kobe measured 7.2 on the Richter Scale. After the earthquake, geologists discovered a 60 km fault line, where two sheets of rock had moved over 2m in opposite directions against each other.

The amount of damage caused by an earthquake depends on many things. A major earthquake can cause very little damage if it occurs far away from towns and cities. In Kobe there were many buildings in a small place. Many of the buildings in Kobe were very old. They collapsed during the earthquake, or were destroyed in the fires afterward. Although there are often earthquakes in Japan, Kobe was a frightening reminder of how much damage they can cause.

1. What is the main purpose of the passage? Underline a,b or c.
 - a. to describe the causes of earthquakes
 - b. to discuss the number of earthquakes that happen every day
 - c. to explain how an earthquake destroyed Kobe.

2. Number the paragraph according to the heading

1. Why there was so much damage Paragraph _____
2. An earthquake hits Kobe Paragraph _____
3. What is an earthquake Paragraph _____

3. How many earthquakes are there each day?

4. When was Kobe struck by an earthquake?

5. How are earthquakes measured?

6. How strong was the earthquake in Kobe?

7. Why was there so much damage in Kobe?

8. Circle True / False

1. Earthquakes are very common. True / False

2. Major earthquakes are very common. True / False

3. Earthquakes do not always cause a lot of damage. True / False

4. Many old buildings in Kobe were destroyed by the earthquake. True / False

9. Find suitable words from the passage :

1. Somebody who studies the earth and how it works - _____

2. Fell down - _____

3. Lucky - _____

4. Something very big - _____

8. Use the subject and verb given and make a meaningful sentence in simple present tense.

(5 marks)

Eg: Mother, cook

Mother cooks rice /Mother does cook rice.

1. Ann , wash

2. we ,clean

3. Father ,drives

4. Ron ,eat

5. Harry ,sings

9. Write an agenda for the school sports meet

(10 marks)

10. Select one title from the following and write an interesting essay.

(15 Marks)

1. My school trip
2. Trees are our friends

11.Book Maintenance

(5 Marks)