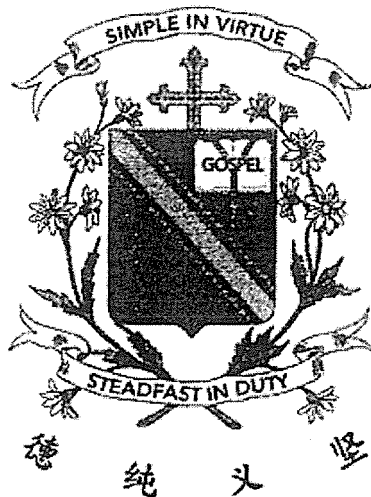


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## CHIJ ST NICHOLAS GIRLS' SCHOOL (PRIMARY)



Primary 5

Termly Assessment 2

English Language

Paper 2 Booklet A

Duration of Paper (Booklets A & B): 1 h

28 questions

28 marks

**Instructions to Candidates:**

Do not open this booklet until you are told to do so.

Follow all instructions carefully.

Answer all questions.

*This booklet consists of 10 printed pages and 1 blank page.*

For each question from 1 to 10, shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet.  
(10 marks)

- 1 Mr Tan told the monitor, "Inform the class that every girl must bring \_\_\_\_\_ own lunchbox."
- (1) his
  - (2) our
  - (3) her
  - (4) your
- 2 As there is stiff competition, Joshua needs to put in \_\_\_\_\_ effort into his project so that it can be selected to represent the class.
- (1) little
  - (2) much
  - (3) many
  - (4) several
- 3 "The classroom furniture \_\_\_\_\_ rearranged last week," said Mr Sng.
- (1) is
  - (2) are
  - (3) was
  - (4) were
- 4 My neighbour, \_\_\_\_\_ has just moved in, has two children.
- (1) who
  - (2) which
  - (3) whom
  - (4) whose
- 5 While washing the dishes, Ali heard someone \_\_\_\_\_ loudly.
- (1) shout
  - (2) shouts
  - (3) shouted
  - (4) had shouted

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- 6 At the swimming complex, I put my valuables in a locker \_\_\_\_\_ safekeeping.
- (1) in
  - (2) on
  - (3) by
  - (4) for
- 7 To take part in the sports carnival, pupils \_\_\_\_\_ sign up before the deadline. Late registration will not be considered.
- (1) will
  - (2) can
  - (3) shall
  - (4) must
- 8 You should not go to the playground \_\_\_\_\_ you complete your homework.
- (1) if
  - (2) since
  - (3) unless
  - (4) although
- 9 The residents donated some old clothes to a charity, \_\_\_\_\_ they?
- (1) do
  - (2) did
  - (3) don't
  - (4) didn't
- 10 "If I were a bird, I \_\_\_\_\_ all over the world," said John dreamily.
- (1) flew
  - (2) will fly
  - (3) would fly
  - (4) will have flown

For each question from 11 to 15, shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet.  
(5 marks)

- 11 After \_\_\_\_\_ through the books in the bookstore for an hour, Mary decided not to buy any.
- (1) finding
  - (2) browsing
  - (3) checking
  - (4) searching
- 12 Michael was caught in a \_\_\_\_\_. He wondered if he should report the bullying incident or keep quiet about it.
- (1) decision
  - (2) dilemma
  - (3) confusion
  - (4) commotion
- 13 The worker decided to quit his job as he could not \_\_\_\_\_ with his boss about his salary.
- (1) see eye to eye
  - (2) sit on the fence
  - (3) cast pearls before swine
  - (4) make a mountain out of a molehill
- 14 Samy was so \_\_\_\_\_ in watching an exciting movie that she did not hear the doorbell ring.
- (1) included
  - (2) confined
  - (3) engrossed
  - (4) entrenched
- 15 When the expressway is completed, more places will be \_\_\_\_\_.
- (1) attached
  - (2) attainable
  - (3) accessible
  - (4) achievable

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For each question from 16 to 20, choose the word closest in meaning to the underlined word. Shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

Wildlife Reserves Singapore (WRS) shared some good news recently. They made known (16) that a pair of tiger cubs were born last year. This is the first successful birth of the near-extinct (17) animal at WRS since 1988. It calls for a celebration as it was not an easy feat to achieve.

A total of 400 babies across 107 species were born or hatched in wildlife parks managed by WRS last year. Among these, 29 species are labelled (18) as "threatened" under an international conservation organisation.

The birth of the twin tiger cubs is an outstanding result in conservation breeding. This was possible (19) because the animal care team placed an emphasis (20) on providing the best possible care for the animals. Currently, their mother, Intan, is caring for the twin cubs in an off-exhibit area.

Adapted from various sources

- 16 (1) verified  
(2) clarified  
(3) showed  
(4) revealed

- 17 (1) fragile  
(2) menacing  
(3) hazardous  
(4) endangered

- 18 (1) shared  
(2) named  
(3) chosen  
(4) blacklisted

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- 19 (1) believable  
(2) achievable  
(3) acceptable  
(4) imaginable

- 20 (1) a focus  
(2) a strength  
(3) an enforcement  
(4) an empowerment

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Study this poster carefully and then answer questions 21 to 28. For each of the questions from 21 to 28, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (8 marks)



# Singapore Health and Fitness Carnival!

Bishan Park  
19 June 2021



<sup>28</sup> Learn a sport, get active and learn to stay healthy at the carnival.

Here are some activities that you can take part in...

Catch the 2020 Cheerleading Champion Team (DanceManiac) live from <sup>25</sup> 8.30 a.m. to 8.45 a.m. at the Exercise Foyer.



## 3-km Family Walk/Run

Involve the whole family, both young and old, to get fit!

Venue : Bishan Park, East Entrance

Time : <sup>25</sup> 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.

<sup>22</sup> Register online at our website to receive free <sup>25</sup> goodie bags (while stocks last) (Latecomers will not be allowed to join in)

## Health Check

Have your health check at the Exercise Foyer! From 9 a.m. to <sup>23</sup> 4 p.m. at a subsidised rate of \$10 (only for Singaporeans)!

- Fast 12 hours before your health check
- Drink plain water during fasting
- Wear comfortable clothing for your health check
- Bring your identity card and water bottle
- Free for citizens who are 55 years old and above



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### **Healthy Food Galore**

**Be spoilt for choice** and eat to your heart's content with no guilt! A wide variety of healthy food and supplements awaits you. Free samples are available.

Venue: Bishan Park, The Canopy

Time: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

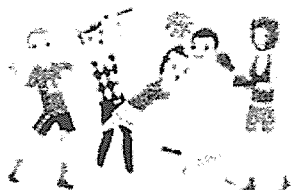
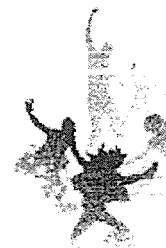
### **Get your feet moving with Zumba!**

Join in the fun and move to the beat led by a professional Zumba trainer from Zoom Zumba Dance.

Venue: Bishan Park, The Fitness Zone

Time: 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

(suitable for individuals from aged 10 to 55)



### **Sports Apparel and Equipment Sale by Sporting Goods Pte Ltd**

A wide range of sports gear is available! **Not to be missed** - discounts on selected sports equipment. Gifts to be given away with \$100 and above worth of purchases.

Venue: Bishan Park, The Arena

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

### **Health and Fitness Talk Sessions at The Pavilion**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Programme</b>
10.00 a.m.	Healthy Diet Talk by Mrs Pranthi, Senior Dietician, Temasek Hospital
11.00 a.m.	Stay Lean and Fit Talk by Mr Felix Ferguson, Personal Trainer, SLF Gym
2.00 p.m.	Vitamins and Health Supplements Talk by Dr Joy Tan, Alpha Medical Centre
3.00 p.m.	Traditional Medicine by Physician Shen Yisheng, Zhonghua Medical Hall

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For more information about the Singapore Health and Fitness Carnival, please visit our website at [www.sqHFcarnival.sg](http://www.sqHFcarnival.sg)

You may also visit our roadshow at Bishan Hub from 1-7 June 2021,  
11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

This event is brought to you by  
**National Sports Council**

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- 21 Jasmine would like to find out more information about the carnival. According to the poster, she should get the information from \_\_\_\_\_.
- (1) Temasek Hospital
  - (2) Bishan Park East Entrance
  - (3) National Sports Council website
  - (4) the Singapore Health and Fitness Carnival website
- 22 Free goodie bags will be given away to \_\_\_\_\_.
- (1) everyone who visits the carnival
  - (2) visitors at the Healthy Food Galore
  - (3) those who purchase above \$100 worth of sports gear
  - (4) all Family Walk/Run participants while they are still available
- 23 Who qualifies for a complimentary health check?
- (1) all Singaporeans aged 55 and older
  - (2) all visitors aged 55 and older
  - (3) all Singaporeans
  - (4) all visitors
- 24 What does the word 'spoilt for choice' in Healthy Food Galore mean?
- (1) have many food options to choose from
  - (2) learn to spot good supplements
  - (3) find out how to eat healthily
  - (4) be eligible for free samples
- 25 What activities will you miss if you arrive at the carnival at 9.30 a.m.?
- (1) Zumba and Healthy Food Galore
  - (2) Family Walk/Run and Healthy Diet Talk
  - (3) Family Walk/Run and the cheerleading performance
  - (4) Sports Apparel and Equipment Sale and Stay Lean and Fit Talk
- 26 How does the vendor persuade buyers to spend a minimum sum at the Sports Apparel and Equipment Sale?
- (1) entice buyers with discounts
  - (2) use the word 'Sale' to attract customers
  - (3) provide a great variety of sports equipment
  - (4) give away gifts with purchases worth \$100 and above

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27 The organiser of the event is \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) Sporting Goods Pte. Ltd.
- (2) National Sports Council
- (3) Alpha Medical Centre
- (4) SLF Gym

28 The main purpose of the event is to \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) share health and fitness tips
- (2) attract foodies and shoppers
- (3) teach people how to do Zumba and cheerleading
- (4) encourage people to keep fit and learn how to stay healthy

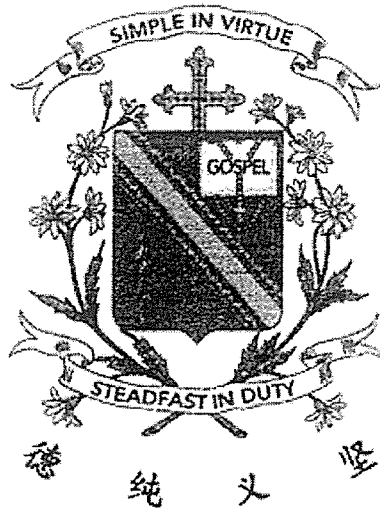
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Class : Primary 5 \_\_\_\_\_

## CHIJ ST NICHOLAS GIRLS' SCHOOL (PRIMARY)



Primary 5

Termly Assessment 2

English Language

Paper 2 Booklet B

Duration of Paper (Booklets A & B): 1 h

42 questions

47 marks

**Instructions to Candidates:**

Do not open this booklet until you are told to do so.

Follow all instructions carefully.

Answer all questions.

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Booklet A	28
Booklet B	47
Total	75

*This booklet consists of 5 printed pages.*

There are 10 blanks, numbered 29 to 38, in the passage below. From the list of words given, choose the most suitable word for each blank. Write its letter (A to Q) in the blank. The letters (I) and (O) have been omitted to avoid confusion during marking. (10 marks)

**EACH WORD CAN BE USED ONLY ONCE**

- |         |            |          |           |            |
|---------|------------|----------|-----------|------------|
| (A) and | (D) can    | (G) in   | (K) than  | (N) to     |
| (B) are | (E) cannot | (H) its  | (L) then  | (P) unless |
| (C) as  | (F) for    | (J) like | (M) their | (Q) why    |

Sloths are adorable, slow-moving animals that live in treetops. They can be found \_\_\_\_\_ the rainforests of Central America and South America. Although their shaggy fur (29) and long arms make them look \_\_\_\_\_ monkeys, they are actually related to anteaters. (30)

The two main species of sloths are the two-toed sloth \_\_\_\_\_ the three-toed sloth. Both species \_\_\_\_\_ similar in appearance. They have big tummies. The reason \_\_\_\_\_ sloths look so pudgy is that their stomachs, which are always full, make up over two-thirds of \_\_\_\_\_ body weight. Sloths have billions of bacteria in their stomachs to digest the tough leaves they eat. However, even with help from the bacteria, it \_\_\_\_\_ take up to one month for the food to be digested. (31) (32) (33) (34) (35)

Because of the sloths' slow digestion process and low calorie diet, they need \_\_\_\_\_ save as much energy as they can. To do so, they have a body temperature that is two to seven degrees lower \_\_\_\_\_ humans. They also hardly move \_\_\_\_\_ they have to. They move at a top speed of one mile an hour when trying to escape from trouble. (36) (37) (38)

*Adapted from Animal Planet*



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Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes. (12 marks)

(39)

On a cold winter's night, Mrs Yeh sitting alone at home waiting for Mr Yeh to return. He had

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been go for almost a year for work. All the money he had left her was now spent and Chinese New

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Year's Eve was aproching. Chinese New Year was a special and axpansiv celebration.

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Chinese New Year's Eve dinner was the more significant meal of the year, even more

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significant than Chinese New Year's Day. The Chinese beelived that a Chinese New Year's Eve

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dinner with plenty of delicious and healthy food would start the year well and bring us happiness

and wealth.

The Chinese New Year's holiday lasted for fifteen days. If people could afford it, they

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would cook enuff food for the whole two weeks. Not having to worry about cooking, they could relax

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and visit relatives and friends. More importantli, it showed others that they had money to buy

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all that food. So, everyone took pride in prepare a sumptuous Chinese New Year's Eve dinner.

(49)

Mrs Yeh began to worry but she had expected her husband home hours ago. She tried not

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to think about possible deezasters that could happen on a winter's night like this, with the terrible

snow and ice. At last, she heard footsteps trudging along the path.

Adapted from 'World Folktales' by Penguin Readers



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Fill in each blank with a suitable word.

(15 marks)

Halimah Yacob is Singapore's first female president. She came \_\_\_\_\_ a humble  
(51)  
background. When she was eight years \_\_\_\_\_, her father passed away. Her mother  
(52)  
had a \_\_\_\_\_ time raising her and her four siblings as they were very poor. However,  
(53)  
Halimah Yacob persevered and did well in school. She studied law \_\_\_\_\_ a university  
(54)  
on a scholarship. In 1978, she \_\_\_\_\_ from university with an honours degree.  
(55)  
\_\_\_\_\_ graduation, she worked for some years before she joined parliament.  
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While Halimah Yacob \_\_\_\_\_ a Member of Parliament, she spoke about issues  
(57)  
relating to working women. As one herself, she understood the challenges \_\_\_\_\_ by  
(58)  
them. She \_\_\_\_\_ hard for the interests of working women. She also succeeded in  
(59)  
fighting for better medical benefits for women \_\_\_\_\_ in the government.  
(60)

In 2011, Halimah Yacob served as Minister of State in the Ministry of Community  
Development, Youth and Sports. She voiced her support on topics \_\_\_\_\_ as providing  
(61)  
training for less skilled workers and caring for the elderly and mentally ill. She also strongly  
supported flexible working hours and family care leave to improve the balance \_\_\_\_\_  
(62)  
work and family.

In 2017, Halimah Yacob gave \_\_\_\_\_ her position as Member of Parliament. She  
(63)  
informed the Prime Minister she had decided to step down so she could take \_\_\_\_\_ in  
(64)  
the presidential election. She was elected and sworn in as Singapore's eighth \_\_\_\_\_.  
(65)  
Currently, Halimah Yacob proudly continues to serve as Singapore's Head of State.

*Adapted from swhf.sg 'Singapore Women's Hall of Fame'*



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For each of the questions 66 to 70, rewrite the given sentence(s) using the word(s) provided. Your answer must be in one sentence. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning of the given sentence(s). (10 marks)

66 We have to stay indoors. There is bad weather \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ because of  
\_\_\_\_\_

67 I was famished and ate all the food on the table.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
therefore, \_\_\_\_\_

68 Siti took this amazing photograph.  
This amazing photograph \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

69 I finished my homework. I took my dog for a walk at the park.  
Having \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

70 Mrs Tan said, "I am at the school to give a speech today."  
Mrs Tan said that \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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 LEVEL : PRIMARY 5  
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 TERM : TERM 1 ASSESSMENT 2

Booklet A

Q 1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
3	2	3	1	1	4	4	3	4	3
Q 11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15	Q16	Q17	Q18	Q19	Q20
2	2	1	3	3	4	4	2	2	1
Q 21	Q22	Q23	Q24	Q25	Q26	Q27	Q28		
4	4	1	1	3	4	2	4		

Booklet B

Q 29	Q30	Q31	Q32	Q33	Q34	Q35	Q36	Q37	Q38
G	J	A	B	Q	M	D	N	K	P
Q39)	sat		Q43)	most		Q47)	importantly		
Q40)	gone		Q44)	believed		Q48)	preparing		
Q41)	approaching		Q45)	them		Q49)	as		
Q42)	expensive		Q46)	enough		Q50)	disasters		

Q51)	from	Q56)	after	Q61)	such
Q52)	old	Q57)	was	Q62)	between
Q53)	hard	Q58)	faced	Q63)	up
Q54)	at	Q59)	worked	Q64)	part
Q55)	graduated	Q60)	working	Q65)	president
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Q67)	I was famished; therefore, I ate all the food on the table.				
Q68)	This amazing photograph was taken by Siti.				
Q69)	Having finished my homework, I took my dog for a walk at the park.				
Q70)	Mrs Tan said that she was at the school to give a speech that day.				

