

NAN HUA PRIMARY SCHOOL 2025 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION PRIMARY 6 ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 1 - WRITING

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Class:	Primary 6	E		

Part 1	Total: 15
Part 2	Total: 40
Parts 1 & 2	Total: 55

Duration: 1 hour 10 minutes

Date: 19 August 2025

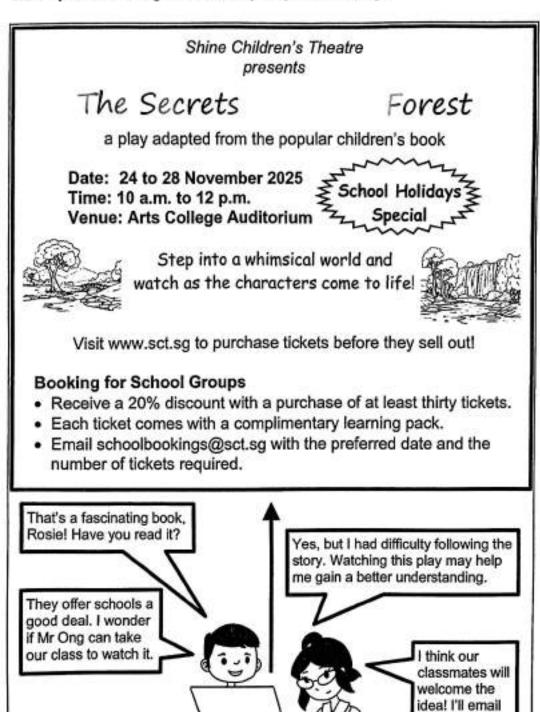
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This question paper consists of 4 printed pages.

Part 1: Situational Writing (14 marks)

The picture below shows two classmates, Rosie and Brian, discussing an online post that they saw on 18 August 2025. Study the picture carefully.



Mr Ong now!

Your Task

Imagine you are Rosie.

Write an email to your English teacher, Mr Ong, asking him to consider taking your class to the play.

You are to refer to the picture and information on page 1 for your email. The bullet point underlined below requires you to come up with your own information.

In your writing, include the following key information:

- why you are keen to watch the play
- the dates of the performance
- two details to persuade him to take your class to the play
- why you think your classmates will welcome the idea
- what he needs to do if he decides to take your class to the play

You may reorder the points. Remember to write in complete sentences.

Part 2: Continuous Writing (36 marks)

Write a composition of <u>at least 150 words</u> about a project.

The pictures are provided to help you think about this topic.

Your composition should be based on one or more of these pictures.

Consider the following points when you plan your composition:

- What was the aim of the project?
- What happened in the end?

You may use the points in any order and include other relevant points as well.









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ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2 – LANGUAGE USE AND COMPREHENSION BOOKLET A

Booklet A	/ 25
Booklet B	/ 65
TOTAL	/ 90

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Date: 19 August 2025	
Total Time for Booklets A and B: 1 hour 50 minutes	

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- Use a 2B pencil to shade your answers on the Optical Answer Sheet (OAS) provided.

This booklet consists of 10 printed pages.

For each question from 1 to 10, choose the answer that best fits in the sentence(s). Shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (10 marks) Jasmine _____ a mystery novel when the lights suddenly went out. 1. (1) read (2) has read (3) had read was reading Amanda, together with her friends, ______ excited about the surprise 2. party for their teacher next week. (1) is (2)are (3)was (4) were They hardly spoke to each other during the camp, ______ they? 3. do (1) (2) did (3)don't (4) didn't 4. Tim was feeling unwell, but he showed up for the group presentation his illness. (1)due to (2) instead of (3) apart from

regardless of

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(1)

(2) (3) (4)

The coach made the players _______ before starting the match.

6.	After	showing improvement in their English test, the studen confidence in their ability to do well in their final exa	ts gained mination.
	(1)	few	
	(2)	little	
	(3)	much	
	(4)	many	
7.	I need	pair of trousers from the wardrobe across the	e room.
	(1)	this	
	(2)	that	
	(3)	those	
	(4)	these	
8.	"It was	Jenny, and not David, who solved the puzzle all by	
	(1)	herself	
	(2)	himself	
	(3)	ourselves	
	(4)	themselves	
9.	By the	end of this year, my sister Primary Six.	
	(1)	completes	
	(2)	is completing	
	(3)	has completed	
	(4)	will have completed	
10.	Fiftee	minutes the examination had started, a stude	ent raised
	his ha		
	(1)	into	
	(2)	after	
	(3)	within	
	(4)	during	

For each question from 11 to 15, choose the answer that best fits in the sentence(s). Shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

11.		eam showed true es to solve the problem		try even after many
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	aspiration motivation cooperation determination		
12.	The y	oung painter f details and shades to	worked on his watero	olour piece, adding
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	hastily deliberately instinctively meticulously		
13.		pianist's _ one in with every note.	_ performance thrilled the	audience, drawing
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	striking imposing captivating overwhelming		
14.		e going on a school to sure she packed every		_ her backpack to
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	look up look over look after look upon		
15.	Hund	reds of firefighters are v	working round the clock to	the wildfire.
	(1) (2) (3) (4)	detain contain restrain constrain		

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

When we first brought Marley home, he was a tiny puppy with oversized paws and endless energy. He fitted into our hearts in the blink of an eye, becoming a part of our daily routines.

(16)

Every morning, Marley would wait by the door, his tail wagging back and forth, eager for his walk.

"Marley, you always know how to cheer me up," I said one morning as I put on his leash.

He looked up at me with his big eyes, as if he <u>comprehended</u> every word. Despite his mischievous (17)

nature, Marley had a knack for finding the most comfortable spot in the house, usually our favourite couch. His playful antics and <u>boundless</u> enthusiasm brought both chaos and joy to our lives.

(18)

Marley was <u>undeniably</u> clumsy, often knocking over vases and scattering newspapers around the house.

Yet, in the evenings, he would curl up beside us, breathing quietly, offering a sense of lasting companionship that words couldn't describe. Through all the ups and downs, Marley (20) remained by our side, teaching us about loyalty and love.

Adapted from Marley & Me by John Grogen

- (1) instantly
 - (2) regularly
 - (3) gradually
 - (4) eventually
- 17. (1) felt
 - (2) anticipated
 - (3) recognised
 - (4) understood
- 18. (1) intense
 - (2) excessive
 - (3) unbearable
 - (4) inexhaustible
- 19. (1) certainly
 - (2) extremely
 - (3) apparently
 - (4) supposedly
- 20. (1) warmth
 - (2) rapport
 - (3) empathy
 - (4) friendship

Text 1

The text below shows a poster for a chocolate product.

Chocolate: The Delicious Superfood

Did you know chocolate is packed with antioxidants and essential nutrients?

Studies suggest it can boost heart health, support brain function and even improve mood!



Treat yourself without guilt!

Enjoy the benefits of a superfood and the taste of a popular snack!

Among ChocoHealth's products, our premium dark chocolate made with 100% natural ingredients is our bestseller!

Best Taste

Maximum Benefits

PROMOTION

Spend a minimum amount of \$60 at any Chocohealth store to get \$20 off your next purchase!

Text 2

The extract below is taken from an article on chocolate in a health magazine.

Chocolate is increasingly being promoted as a health-boosting superfood. While dark chocolate does contain compounds linked to health benefits, the overall effect of chocolate depends on various factors, including cocoa content, added ingredients and portion size. The truth is that most chocolate products contain high levels of sugar and fats, which reduce or even cancel out any potential health benefits.

Claims about the health benefits of chocolate often lead consumers to believe they should eat chocolate regularly. Unfortunately, those claims largely result from studies on pure cocoa, not the processed and sweetened forms of chocolate commonly found in retail stores. Marketing tactics also influence consumer perception. Some promotions sell the idea that consuming more chocolate leads to greater health benefits. These messages can mislead consumers. For each question from 21 to 25, choose the best answer. Shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

21.	Acco	rding to the poster in Text 1, which of the following is true?
	(1)	ChocoHealth only produces premium dark chocolate.
		Chocolate offers both physical and emotional benefits.
	(2)	
	(3)	Only natural ingredients are used to make chocolate.
	(4)	The promotion allows customers to get \$20 off on the spot.
22.	The v	writer made the statement, "Chocolate: The Delicious Superfood", in Text
	1 to _	
	(1)	draw attention to chocolate
	(2)	spark interest in superfoods
	(3)	give an example of a superfood
	(4)	make chocolate more appealing
23.	Rase	d on the poster in Text 1, which of the following best fits the chocolate
۵٠.		expect to eat?
	(1)	raw
	(2)	sweet
	(3)	nutritious
	(4)	overpriced
24.		t yourself without guilt!" The pictures support this by giving the impression ChocoHealth's chocolate
	(1)	has a pleasant taste everyone likes
	(2)	should only be eaten after a workout
	(3)	is a treat health-conscious people should choose
	(4)	does not contain any unhealthy ingredients
25.	We o	cannot trust the way Text 1 portrays chocolate because Text 2 says
	(1)	consumers should eat chocolate regularly
	(2)	consuming more chocolate leads to greater health benefits
	(3)	most chocolate products contain high levels of sugar and fats
	(4)	chocolate is increasingly being promoted as a health-boosting superfood

Please note that the passage for Comprehension questions 66 to 75 in Booklet B is on page 8-9. You may now go on to Booklet B.

Refer to the passage below when you answer questions 66 to 75 in Booklet B.

Charlotte Wong, Victoria Primary School's chess 'grandmaster', had won so many competitions her trophies filled a cabinet in the school hall. However, she preferred playing chess online, where she could play without the pressure of her reputation, going by the nickname 'Chess Queen'. In particular, she relished the opportunities to spar with her online partner, 'Dragon Master', whose unique strategies always intrigued her.

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That afternoon at the Chess Club, Mrs Lau, their teacher, introduced a new member. "Everyone, this is Rachel Chen. Charlotte, would you be her buddy?"

Charlotte nodded distractedly; her thoughts were on her unfinished online game with Dragon Master. However, as Rachel walked towards her, a pin on her school bag caught Charlotte's attention. It was gifted to all participants at the National Chess Championship last | 10 year. This new member seemed to have competition experience, unlike the regular new members. "Hi, buddy! Up for a game?" Charlotte asked, expecting to see the usual nervous hesitation of unskilled players. Instead, Rachel's eyes sparkled as she replied calmly, "That would be great." Charlotte thought she might have found a worthy opponent in Rachel.

Rachel's initial moves felt strangely familiar. As their game progressed, Rachel | 15 maintained a focused gaze on the chessboard and a relaxed posture, while Charlotte grew increasingly restless. She studied the board and planned her moves, knowing that one wrong move could prove fatal. She was biting her lip and tapping her foot under the table as she tightened her fingers around her queen. She made a decision and shifted her queen.

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Without warning, Rachel whispered, "Checkmate in five moves." Charlotte's heart skipped a beat. It was the exact forewarning Dragon Master would type in their online chats. And Dragon Master was usually right.

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Rachel then made an unexpected attack. Seeing the tricky move, Charlotte gave her opponent a small, genuine smile, then refocused on her game. Fortunately, she was able to counter it with a clever move of her own. Rachel locked eyes with the other and nodded approvingly. By the time they finished their game, Charlotte's mind was buzzing with questions about her mysterious new club member.

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That night, Charlotte continued her online game with Dragon Master. However, her mind kept returning to Rachel's playstyle. She typed, "Made a new friend at the Chess Club today." Dragon Master replied, "That is what I love most about chess. The best wins in life don't just happen on the chessboard." Charlotte stared at those words. At her winning speech during last year's National Chess Championship, she had told all the participants that friendship mattered more than winning with that exact phrase. Suddenly, all the pieces fell into place.

At the next chess club session, Charlotte made it a point to observe Rachel's games at different tables. As suspected, Rachel started the game by moving her knights. It was Dragon Master's favourite opening move-the special knight move they had talked about so many times online. Charlotte was ready to confirm her suspicion.

"Would you like another game?" Charlotte asked.

"Of course! I see you have been busy and haven't played a single game," Rachel replied with a knowing smile.

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Queen and knights are chess pieces used in the game of chess. Checkmate is a term players may say when they are about to win the game. As they began to play, Rachel moved her pieces in that familiar pattern again. Charlotte felt her pulse jump with certainty. "Nice move, 'Dragon Master'," she said softly, just for Rachel to hear. Rachel's hand froze mid-move.

"Thank you, Charlotte... or should I say, 'Chess Queen'?" she chuckled. Charlotte widened her eyes in recognition before breaking into a beaming smile.

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Source: Adapted from "You Go First" by Erin Entrada Kelly



NAN HUA PRIMARY SCHOOL 2025 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION PRIMARY 6 ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2 – LANGUAGE USE AND COMPREHENSION BOOKLET B

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Class: Primary 6 _____ E ____

Date: 19 August 2025

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- 3. Answer all questions carefully.
- Use a dark blue or black ballpoint pen to write your answers in the space provided for each question.
- 5. Do not use correction fluid/tape or highlighters.

This booklet consists of 8 printed pages.

There are 10 blanks, numbered 26 to 35, in the passage below. From the list of words give, 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.

(A) as	(D) each	(G) his	(K) their	(N) were
(B) both	(E) from	(H) on	(L) up	(P) which
(C) by	(F) had	(J) so	(M) was	(Q) whom

EACH WORD CAN BE USED ONLY ONCE.

The night was cold and wet. In th	ne house, the curtains were drawn and	the fire burned
brightly the outside,	, only a faint glow could be seen. An o	ld man and his
(26)		
son unmoved by the	e incoming storm. Just then, the gate	banged loudly,
and heavy footsteps came(28)	to the door. The old man rose	slowly from his
seat and opened the door. It was a gues	stthey had been ex	pecting, a man
	(29)	Dec 200 (200) Dec 200 (200)
called Frank.		
The old man motioned Frank to the	he extra chair. The trio sat	
and chatted heartily. As(31)	conversation veered towards	recent strange
happenings, the visitor dug into his poci		
believed that a spell had been ca	ast upon it so that three differen	t men would
receive three wishes	s from it.	
(32)		
Curious, the old man asked wha	t the previous owner(33)	wished for.
Frank replied that he did not know	(34) the man had died. For I	nis part, Frank
said the paw had brought him nothing-	but trouble. His tone was	grave
that a silence fell upon the group. Every		
for a while.		

Score:

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

By 8 a.m., we were at the foot of the hill, ready to begin our c	limb. My younger
(20)	
(36) brother, Ben, was impatient and sprinted ahead of us despite our pare	ents had told him
to wait. We had to call out for him to slow down and stay within sign	ht. The trail was
(37)	
steep and rocky, so we walked slowly to avoid slip.	
(20)	
As we climbed higher, we were rewarded for a breathtaking vi	ew of the forest
(39) canopy. Birds were heard chirping merily and monkeys could be seen sw	uinaina from tree
canopy. Birds were near a chirping merny and monkeys could be seen sh	mging from a cc
(40)	NICHUS SESSE CONTRACTOR
to tree. However, the <u>peace</u> atmosphere was soon ruined by a group of	nikers who were
playing loud music while walking.	
We stopped in our tracks to let the group walk past us, and my	father took the
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trankweeiity of nature. The group of hikers seemed to have overheard	what my father
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had said as the disturb from the blowing music was conlessed by contle	at time
had said as the <u>disturb</u> from the blaring music was replaced by gentle	cnirps.
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After about an hour of hiking, we reached the summit and too	k a snack break.
(44)	
Just as we were laughing and chatting anematedly about unimportant th	ings, the sudden
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apearence of dark clouds with strong winds signalled to us that a storm	was brewing. So,
we quickly gathered our belongings and began our descent.	
Score:	

Fill in each blank with a suitable word.	(15 marks)
Many people underestimate the value of a good night's sleep	hectic
	(46)
schedules and constant screen time, both children and adults often g	et too little rest. Sleep
not helps the body to heal but also allows the	brain to process new
information. This is based on that have shown	that students who are
(46)	of close
well-rested tend to learn better in school than those who are(48)	of sleep.
Despite these benefits, many children still go to bed late	A Company of the Comp
before bedtime can be especially to our sleep.	The blue-light emitted
from access one with the hody's shility to n	roduce meletonin a
from screens can with the body's ability to p	roduce melatonin—a
chemical that helps our bodies to asleep.	
To sleep well, it's important to have a regular bedtime routing	e. This could include
off devices at least an hour before had reading a h	ook ortakina a warm
off devices at least an hour before bed, reading a b (53)	ook, or taking a warm
	age, Experts
shower. Parents can encourage good habits from an	
recommend school-aged children get 9 to 11 hours of sleep every nig	
cause irritability, trouble focusing, and long-term health	
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In some countries, schools start later in the morning to	neip students get
rest. This change has led to better academic resul	ts and improved well-
(56)	
being. Sleep also the immune system, so childre	en who sleep well are
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ess likely to fall ill. Doctors often advise patients to sleep more w	then recovering from
sickness.	
However, the of sleep is as important as its q	uantity. A person may
(58)	danity. A person may
*****	s sleep is frequently
disrupted by noise, stress or discomfort. Having a calm sleeping envi	ronment helps. While
many try to sleep more on weekends to make up	ost rest, this does not
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indo the negative impact of ongoing sleep loss. Consistency is key	to developing healthy
leep habits.	
Sco	ore:
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For each of the questions 61 to 65, 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)

The teacher told Peter that	
Both my parents were absent from my performance yesterda	ay.
Neither of	
I like reading novels during my free time.	
John took part in the competition. His mother agreed to it.	
Renee ruined Devi's drawings. Renee was envious.	
Out of	
T-	core:

What made Charlotte think that Rachel could be a 'worthy opponent' (line 14)? [Refer to lines 15-19. The following statements describe how Charlotte and Rachel felt during their gan Support each statement with evidence from the text. [3m] Character's feelings	From paragraph 1, what or grandmaster'? [1m]	evidence shows that Charlotte was her school's ches
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	tte		Rachel
Look at the table below	v. What do the w	ords in the	left column refer to in the pa
Write your answers in t			the word refers to
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it (line 25)			
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70. Based on lines 23-27, how can you tell that Charlotte and Rachel considered each

other to be good chess players? [2m]

	True/False	Reason
(a) Charlotte watched Rachel play chess with others to learn how to beat her.		
(b) Rachel knew Charlotte was watching her chess games with others.		
(c) Rachel did not realise that Charlotte was her online chess partner.		
What does Charlotte's fac	cial expressio	n tell us about how she felt in lines 45-4
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Booklet A

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Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15	Q16	Q17	Q18	Q19	Q20
4	4	3	2	2	1	4	4	1	4
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Q26	Q27	Q28	Q 29	Q30	Q31	Q32	Q33	Q34	Q35
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Q37)	slipping	l	Q41)	opportur	nity	Q45)	appear	ance	
Q38)	with		Q42)	tranquillity					
Q39)	merrily		Q43)	disturbar	nce				

Q46)	with	Q51)	interfere	Q56)	more	
Q47)	only	Q52)	fall	Q57)	strengthens	
Q48)	studies	Q53)	turning	Q58)	quality	
Q49)	deprived	Q54)	early	Q59)	but	
Q50)	detrimental	Q55)	problem	Q60)	for	
Q61)	Her teacher told Peter that he should revise that topic regularly.					
Q62)	Neither of my parents was present at my performance yesterday.					
Q63)	Reading novels is what I like to do during my free time.					
Q64)	John took part in the competition with his mother's agreement.					
Q65)	Out of envy, Renee ru	ined De	vi's drawings.			

Q66)	Charlo	otte had won so many competitions that. Her trophies filled a cabinet in						
	the so	hool hall.						
Q67)	a)	a) intrigued						
	b) relished							
Q68)	There	was a pin on Rachel's school bag which was gifted to all participants						
	at the	National Chess Championship last year. So, Rachel had competition						
	exper	ence. She was calm when she spoke and did not have the usual						
	nervo	us hesitation of an unskilled player.						
Q69)	a)							
	i)	Charlotte was biting her lips and tapping her foot under the table.						
	ii)	She tightened her fingers around her queen.						
	b) Rad	chel maintained a focused gaze on the dashboard and a relaxed						
	postu	e.						
Q70)	Charlo	otte gave Rachel a small, genuine small. Rachel locked eyes with						
	Charlo	otte and nodded approvingly.						
Q71)	i)	Rachel warning Charlotte that it was checkmate in five moves.						
	ii)	The unexpected attack Rachel made.						
	iii)	Making a new friend at the Chess Club						
Q72)	Thoug	ghtful						
Q73)	a)	Dragon master was Rachel.						
	b)	Dragon Master had typed the exact phrase that Rachel said at the						
		National Chess Championship which Rachel had also attended as she						
		had a pin that all participants of the championship were given.						
Q74)	i)	False. Charlotte was watching Rachel's game to confirm whether						
		she was Dragon Master.						
	ii)	True. During the next chess club session, Rachel saw Charlotte						
		busy observing her chess games with others at different tables.						
	iii)	False. Rachel called Charlotte by her online game name 'Chess						
		Queen'.						
Q75)	Charlo	otte was shocked but happy after that.						