Education Bureau
Territory-wide System Assessment 2010
Primary 3 English Language
Reading & Writing

Instructions:
學生須知

1. Stick barcode labels on pages 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9 in the spaces provided.
在第 1、3、5、7 及 9 頁的適當位置貼上電腦條碼。

2. There are 19 pages in this Question-Answer Booklet.
Answer all questions.
本卷共有 19 頁，全部題目均須作答。

3. Do not write in the margins.
請勿在框線以外書寫。

4. Time allowed is 25 minutes.
評估時限為 25 分鐘。

5. Write your School Code, Class and Class Number in the boxes below.
在下面的方格內填寫學校編號、班別及班號。

Instructions for answering questions:
作答說明:

Multiple Choice Questions – Blacken the circle next to the correct answer with an HB pencil. For example:
選擇題 – 選出正確的答案，並用 HB 鉛筆把該選項的圓圈塗黑和塗滿，如：
● A.
○ B. or ● A. ○ B.
○ C. or ○ C. ○ D.
○ D.

Other Questions – Write your answers in the spaces provided.
其他題目 – 在適當的位置內填寫答案
Part 1

Alice is reading the back cover of a book.

Read the back cover.

Naughty Bunny loves to play tricks on the lions and snakes. She also likes singing and dancing with the wolf. But no one knows that she is afraid of spiders and ants. One day, the turtle finds out naughty Bunny’s secret…

Young readers will love Read Me books. Each of the books has colourful pictures, big words and interesting stories. They will want to read these books again and again!

Other Read Me Books by Andy Smith

Pam’s Friends  The Magic Plane
My First Pet  Emma’s Kitchen
Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. What is Bunny’s secret?

○ A. 

○ B. 

○ C. 

○ D. 

2. What will young readers like about Read Me books?

○ A. interesting stories

○ B. long sentences

○ C. small pictures

○ D. difficult words

Please do not write in the margin. 請勿在此書寫。
3. Read lines 8 – 9: They will want to read these books again and again!
   What does ‘They’ refer to?
   ○ A. Bunny and the lions
   ○ B. Spiders and ants
   ○ C. Young readers
   ○ D. Pam’s friends

4. How many *Read Me* books has Andy Smith written?
   ○ A. 2
   ○ B. 3
   ○ C. 4
   ○ D. 5
Part 2

Alice is reading a story about a lady who writes books for children.
Read the story.

A Famous Lady

Judy Wong writes books for primary students. She was born in Beijing. Now Judy lives in New York. She has written more than 30 books. She is often on television. Judy is famous.

Judy loved reading alone when she was a child. She did not talk much to her friends and family. But Judy had many dreams. She dreamed of being an actress, a swimmer or even a car racer! In primary school, a teacher asked Judy to write about her dreams. She wrote her first story about a princess in a castle. She has never stopped writing since then.

Today Judy tells stories to her two children. Then she writes the stories down. Her stories become books. Children in Hong Kong and Japan love her stories and they find her books full of love. They also write to Judy to share their feelings about her stories!
Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. Judy Wong is a famous _____________.
   - A. swimmer
   - B. actress
   - C. car racer
   - D. writer

2. Where does Judy live now?
   - A. in New York
   - B. in Beijing
   - C. in Hong Kong
   - D. in Japan

3. Many people know Judy because she _________________.
   - A. is on television
   - B. likes to swim
   - C. has two children
   - D. loves reading
4. Judy was _____________ when she was a child.
   ○ A. lazy
   ○ B. quiet
   ○ C. naughty
   ○ D. famous

5. Which picture shows Judy as a child?

   ○ A. 
   ○ B. 
   ○ C. 
   ○ D. 

Please stick the barcode label in the box.
6. Judy’s first book is about her _______________.
   ○ A. students
   ○ B. friends
   ○ C. dreams
   ○ D. parents

7. Judy started writing _________________.
   ○ A. at home
   ○ B. at school
   ○ C. with her parents
   ○ D. with her friends

8. Readers love Judy’s books because _________________.
   ○ A. the stories are about a princess
   ○ B. the stories show love
   ○ C. Judy keeps on writing
   ○ D. they want to know about Judy’s children
9. Read lines 14 – 15: They also write to Judy to share their feelings about her stories!

The word ‘They’ refers to Judy’s _____________.

- A. primary school teachers
- B. friends
- C. children
- D. readers
Part 3
"Alice is reading a story."
Read the story.

The Talking Bear

It is late at night. Billy is hiding under the blanket. Next to him is his teddy bear. Billy is reading his comic book with a long torch.

Suddenly, Billy feels something moving under the blanket! He is afraid. He does not move. He closes his eyes. Then, he feels something very soft and warm touching his hand. He opens his eyes. His teddy bear is moving! Billy is surprised. His teddy bear starts to talk to him. "Hello, Billy. It's late. Why don't you go to sleep? Your mum will be angry if she finds you reading a comic book and not going to sleep."

"Wow! You can talk! You're an amazing bear! Can you play with me and my friend Jack tomorrow?" says Billy.

"Sure," says his teddy.

"Okay, I'll turn off the torch now. Good night!" says Billy.
Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. **Where is Billy hiding?**
   - A.
   - B.
   - C.
   - D.

2. **What does Billy use to help him read?**
   - A.
   - B.
   - C.
   - D.
3. Read lines 5 – 6. Why doesn’t Billy move?
   O A. He is frightened.
   O B. He closes his eyes.
   O C. He is reading a story.
   O D. He feels warm.

4. Billy opens his eyes when ________________.
   O A. his mum calls him
   O B. he wants to read the comic book
   O C. he feels something soft touching him
   O D. his hand is warm

5. Read line 8. Why is Billy surprised?
   The teddy bear can ________________.
   O A. hide
   O B. read
   O C. sleep
   O D. move

6. Read lines 9 – 10: Why don’t you go to sleep?
   The word ‘you’ refers to ____________.
   O A. Jack
   O B. Billy
   O C. Billy’s teddy bear
   O D. Billy’s mum
7. How will Mum feel if she finds Billy reading late at night?

A. 

B. 

C. 

D. 

8. Why does Billy think his teddy is amazing?

A. It can read.

B. It is sleepy.

C. It is polite.

D. It can talk.

9. What does Billy do at the end?

A. He goes to sleep.

B. He does his homework.

C. He plays with his teddy bear.

D. He reads a comic book.
Alice is writing about her day.
Read her diary.

Wednesday 24th June  cloudy

What an exciting day! Today was the school singing competition. I joined the competition because my friend, Jane, said I had a great voice. She said I could sing well. I was afraid when I stood in front of my classmates and teachers in the hall. My heart was beating very fast. But when I started singing, I really had fun. I won the competition. I was the champion! I got a trophy. But I was a little sad because Jane didn’t see me sing. She went home because she was sick.

Mum smiled when I showed her the trophy. She said, “Well done, Alice! Let’s have a party.” I will ask Jane and Mary to come to the party. They are my good friends and we always share our happy and sad times together. I hope Jane gets better so she can join us.
Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. What was the weather like?

   ![Cloudy Sky]
   ![Rainy Sky]
   ![Sunny Sky]
   ![Wind and Leaves]

   ○ A.  
   ○ B.  
   ○ C.  
   ○ D.  

2. Read lines 3 – 4: “… my friend, Jane, said I had a great voice.”

   What does ‘I had a great voice’ mean?

   ○ A. Alice had a big voice.  
   ○ B. Alice was a loud singer.  
   ○ C. Alice was a good singer.  
   ○ D. Alice had a soft voice.
3. How did Alice feel when she stood in front of her classmates?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.

4. Why was Alice sad?

- A. She was the winner.
- B. Her friend Jane missed her singing.
- C. Her friend Mary was sick.
- D. She went home early.
5. Alice won the ____________ prize in the singing competition.
   O A. first
   O B. second
   O C. third
   O D. fourth

6. How did Mum feel when Alice showed her the trophy?
   O A. 
   O B. 
   O C. 
   O D. 

7. What do Alice, Jane and Mary always do together?
   O A. join a singing competition
   O B. write a diary
   O C. have a party
   O D. share feelings
Part 5

*Alice is writing a story about Tom.*

You are Alice. Look at the pictures and write the story in about 30 words.
- You may use the words in the boxes to help you.
- What happens in the end? Finish the story.

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wear
walk past
look at
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Tom and his mum