

Section A

[15 marks]

[Time suggested: 25 minutes]

Questions 1 to 8 are based on the given stimuli. Study the information carefully and choose the **best** answer.

A leading manufacturing company invites suitable candidates to apply for the following position:

MARKETING & SALES EXECUTIVE

- Experienced in sales of architectural building products
- Minimum 3 years of relevant working experience
- Experience in hardware sales is a must
- Self-motivated and a team player
- Bilingual
- Owns a car

Interested applicants, please email resume to: egoh368179@gmail.com

1. This advertisement is targeted at those
- A. who likes to work alone.
 - B. with less than three years of experience.
 - C. who are able to communicate in two languages.
 - D. interested in working for an architectural company.



2. What is the **main** purpose of this advertisement?
- A. To know how much dads can eat.
 - B. To inform the public about the competition.
 - C. To urge dads to claim their pizza at Pizza Place.
 - D. To encourage customers to enter the competition in all branches.

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Yasmin Tuition Centre had organised an intensive revision workshop for Form Five students from May 26 to 28 from 8.30am to 11.00am. The workshop was held at its new branch in Taipan USJ. The workshop covered all core subjects. The session targeted fifty participants.

3. From the report above, we know that the workshop was
- held for two whole days.
 - organised for Fifth Formers.
 - attended by fifty participants.
 - aimed at only Science students.

**WANTED TEACHERS
for Sri Subang Jaya Private School**

Sri Subang Jaya Private School invites applications from qualified and experienced academics for the position of Teachers for the following subjects for SPM:

>>Accounts >>Biology >>Economics >>Mathematics >>English >>Additional Mathematics

Applicants must hold a Master's degree in the relevant subject with at least five years experience of working in a reputed English-medium educational institution.

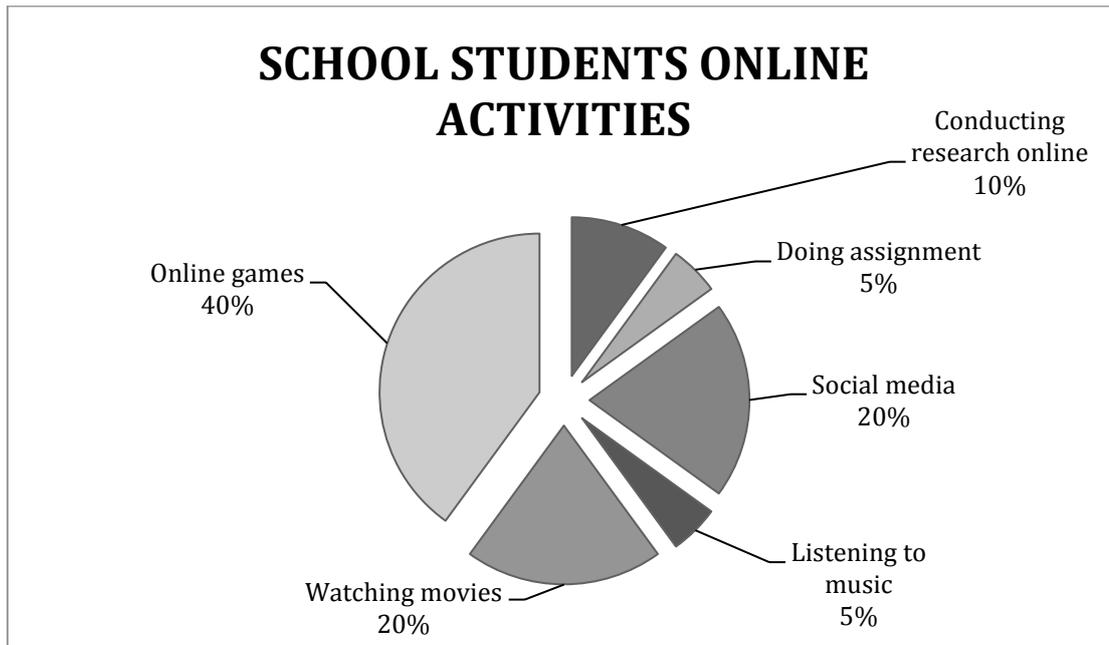
In addition to the salary, free furnished accommodation and medical care for self and family will be provided.

Interested candidates may forward their applications along with their CVs, testimonials and experience certificates to the Chairman Board of Sri Subang Jaya Private School at the following email by the 20th of October 2019 together with a one page self-assessment note giving reasons for joining.

Please mention the post being applied for in the subject of your letter/email.

**Chairman Board Sri Subang Jaya Private School
E-mail: applications.sspj@gmail.com**

4. From the job advertisement above, we know that applicants must
- possess a Master's degree in all the subjects mentioned.
 - send a self assessment page of intentions for joining the school.
 - submit their application with references and related documents via post.
 - have a minimum of five years experience in an English-medium institution

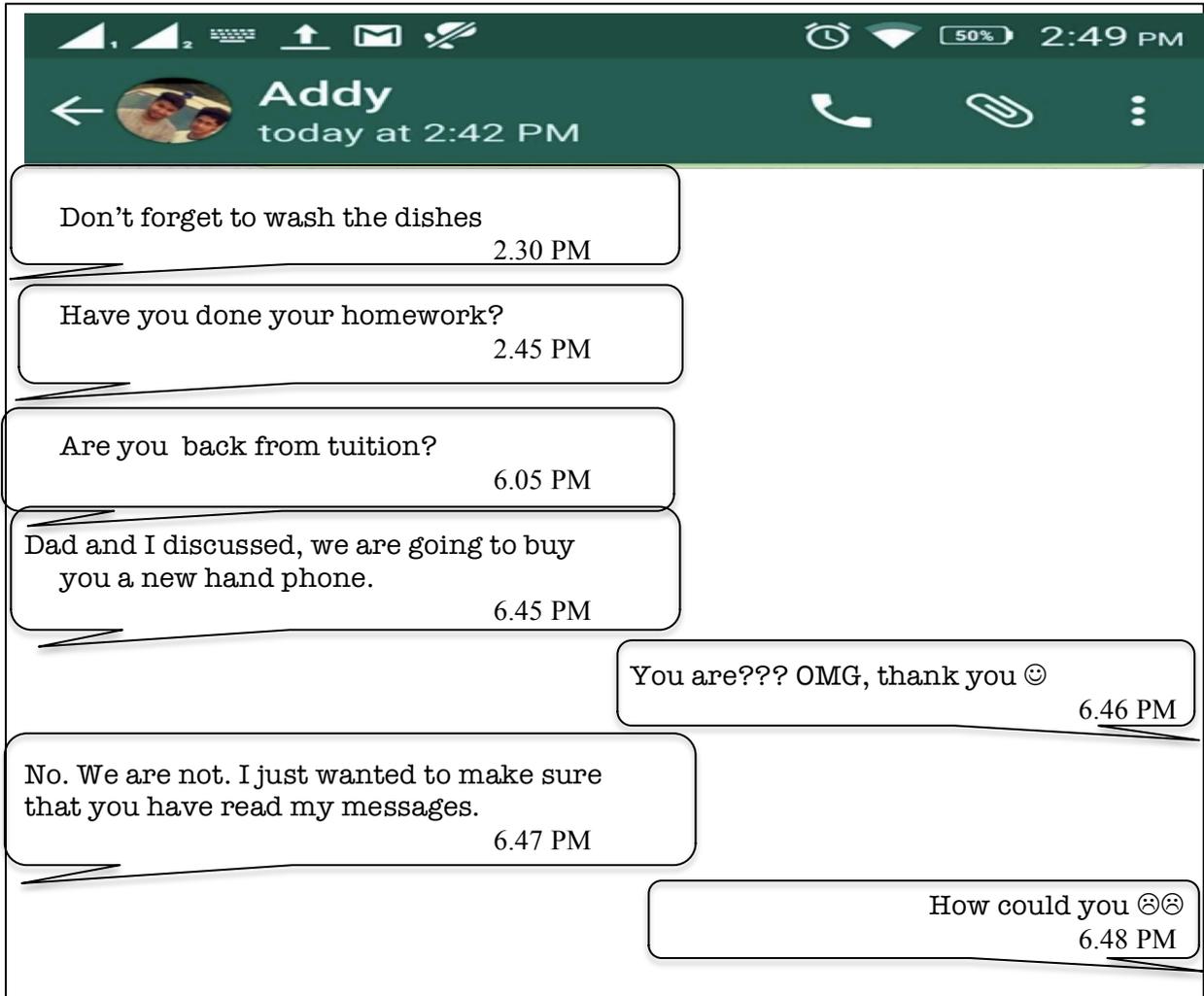


5. From the pie chart above, which statement is true?
- A. Students only do research online.
 - B. Students mostly watch movies online.
 - C. Students spend most of their time playing online games.
 - D. Students listen to music more than being on social media

SEMENYIH, Tuesday – More street lights in public parks will be installed. RM13.4 million has been allocated for infrastructure projects and RM4.6 million for maintenance. About RM1.9 million will also be spent on landscaping and beautifying the city. City folks should also expect billboards to be posted in the city, listing the activities that will be held throughout the year.

6. From the news report above, we know that
- A. traffic lights will be installed.
 - B. there will be boards to paste bills.
 - C. new public parks will be opened with more street lights
 - D. most of the budget will be spent on infrastructure projects.

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7. From the above text message, the son is upset because he
- A. has to complete his school work.
 - B. has to do the house chores.
 - C. is forced to go for tuition.
 - D. is tricked by the mother.

Puteri,

I am sorry I cannot stay back for our group discussion. I have an urgent matter at home. Please let me know if there is something I can do later. Please convey my apology to the others as I really have to rush. My mom is already here to pick me up.

Tara

8. In the above message, we understand that
- A. Puteri has an emergency.
 - B. Tara is joining the group discussion.
 - C. Puteri's mother is picking her up.
 - D. Tara wants Puteri to apologise on her behalf.

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Questions 9 – 15 are based on the following passage

Alternative acne treatment

Apply a drop of tea-tree oil to blemishes three times a day to discourage infection and speed up healing. Research 9 found that 5 percent tea-tree oil is as effective against acne as a 5 percent benzoyl peroxide solution.

Apply vinegar or lemon juice 10 pimples using a cotton wool ball. The acids present in lemon juice and all vinegars can help to flush out pores. Toothpaste 11 on an outbreak is also reputed to work well - try applying it before you go to bed.

A folk remedy for 12 pimples is to use a mixture of spice and honey. Mix 1 teaspoon of powdered nutmeg 13 1 teaspoon of honey and apply it to the pimple. Leave it on for 20 minutes, 14 rinse off. There's no scientific proof that this helps, but honey does have antiseptic properties.

Apply aloe vera. One 15 found that 90 percent of skin sores were completely healed with aloe vera within five days. Buy a product containing aloe vera, or squeeze the gel from the middle of a freshly cut leaf and apply it to the skin.

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| 9. A. has | 13. A. with |
| B. was | B. over |
| C. have | C. on |
| D. were | D. at |
| 10. A. in | 14. A. that |
| B. to | B. then |
| C. of | C. than |
| D. for | D. them |
| 11. A. smear | 15. A. study |
| B. smears | B. lesson |
| C. smeared | C. solution |
| D. smearing | D. problem |
| 12. A. heal | |
| B. heals | |
| C. healed | |
| D. healing | |

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Section B

Questions 16-25

Read the following text and answer the questions that follow.

HAZE

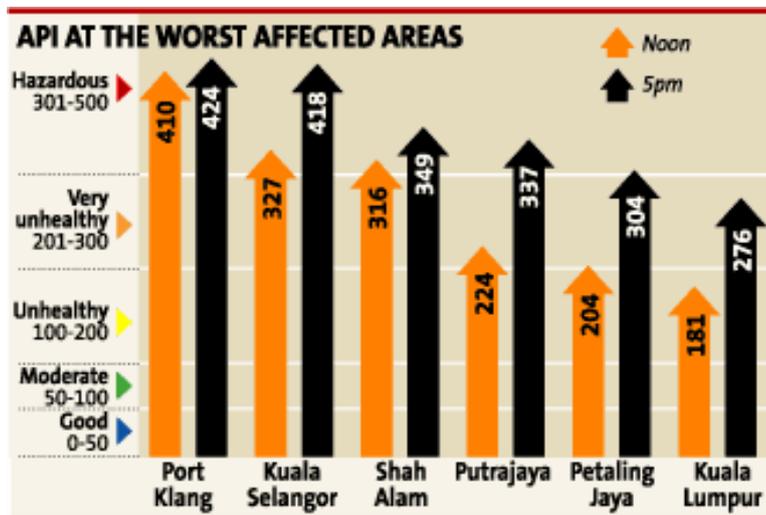
Haze is harmful smog that limits visibility. Haze can cause eye, nose and throat irritation. It also causes respiratory and heart conditions to worsen.

Here are some things we can do to protect ourselves:

- Shut the windows
- Check the Air Pollutant Index daily. Any number higher than 200 is very unhealthy.
- Use a N95 respirator when you go out and wear it correctly. Surgical masks do not form a proper seal on the face to prevent inhaling unfiltered air.
- Use of air-conditioner helps filter the air. Consider replacing your air-conditioner filters, that removes fine particles from the air.
- Have a bottle of eyedrops handy for those who suffer from eye irritation.
- Keep hydrated by drinking plenty of water.

What are the effects of haze?

Haze not only impacts visibility, but some haze-causing pollutants have been linked to serious health problems and environmental damage as well. Exposure to very small particles in the air can contribute to increased respiratory illness, decreased lung function, and even premature death.



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Questions 16-20

Using the information from the text, fill in the blanks with the correct answer.

Statement	Answer
16. A dangerous smog that makes us difficult to see.
17. The town which has the highest API reading throughout the day.
18. Make your body has enough liquid.
19. An unhealthy API number.
20. How clearly objects can be seen.

Questions 21-25

You are writing an e-mail to your friend about the hazy situation in your area. Fill in the blanks with not more than two words.

To	Anita
From	Daniel
Subject	Hazy days!

Dear Anita,

Hope you are doing fine. I'm okay here.

It has been hazy at my area for quite some time that we have to keep our **21** _____ closed all the time. As I am staying in Petaling Jaya, imagine in the afternoon the API is **22** _____ ! My father had to change our **23** _____ recently in order to keep the air clean all the time. We have to wear **24** _____ to properly seal ourselves when going outside in order to prevent ourselves from inhaling the polluted air. I also bring a bottle of eyedrops to avoid **25** _____. I do hope that your area is not as badly affected as mine.

Take care Anita! Hope to hear from you soon.

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Section C

[25 marks]

[Time suggested : 50 minutes]

Questions 26 – 31 are based on the following passage.

- 1 The smell of coffee wafts through the air as Adam serves his first customers of the day. For them, this is just their morning cup of coffee, but for Adam this cup of coffee is a chance for a new beginning.
- 2 Adam has a soft voice but his voice had a certainty to it. He occasionally giggles as he tells his story and it's hard to imagine that this 18-year-old has served a two-year jail sentence. It was in a youth prison in Tanjung Batu where Adam met Diana Sasmita, who planted the seeds of his fresh start. 5
- 3 Diana started The Purple Flower in 2009 to ensure that youth serving jail terms have a safe place to talk and to express their feelings, after realising there were no counselling options available to them. Having gone through her own share of trouble as a teenager, she understood the circumstances and situations that could lead youths into a life of crime and its resulting consequences. 10
- 4 Diana expressed that everybody has a bad past. According to her, she herself had had a bad past, but her parents and friends supported her throughout her transition to become a better person. Everyone deserves a second chance. 15
- 5 Adam and his friends are less fortunate teenagers. They don't have parental affection and because of the bad influence in their environment, they got carried away and did some uneventful things that ended with a prison sentence.
- 6 The importance of family guidance and acceptance during and after a prison term is essential. The Purple Flower has been focusing on the juveniles that are placed in the prison. Many of the youths serve their whole sentence without seeing their parents even once, leading to psychological problems and depression. 20
- 7 Their struggles continue even after their release. Ex-offenders face discrimination when seeking employment and a lack of opportunities can drive some to turn back to crime, and back in jail. This situation is made worse when these youths are rejected by their families. 25
- 8 Realising that many of the youth are at a loss after their release, The Purple Flower started Wonder Coffee Wagon Programme. Adam and two other youths were their first students.
- 9 The first stage of the programme provides juveniles with professional barista training and an internship in a coffee shop. Partnering The Purple Flower is FineBrew, which shared their knowledge of everything related to coffee - from how different coffee beans taste, how to brew the perfect cup, to the ins and outs of managing a coffee business. 30
- 10 After a three-month internship, students move on to the programme's second stage, where they are provided with a cycle wagon to be used as a mobile coffee shop, allowing them to sell coffee at different events.
- 11 Through these new skills, Diana hopes to help ex-offenders become financially independent and able to stand on their own feet, with or without the support of their families. "The only hope that this programme has, is that these teenagers won't be confused anymore when they are freed, or about what they're going to do when they're out," she says. 35

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12 The impact on Adam’s life goes far beyond financial impact: “I think, the thing that can help me feel confident is the duty that was given to me. It makes me believe in myself more. I have become more motivated in living my life and not making it worse.” 40

26. From paragraph 2, where did Adam first meet Diana Sasmita? [1 mark]

27. (a) From paragraph 3, what was the objective of The Purple Flower? [1 mark]

(b) From paragraph 4, which word means “the process of changing from one state to another”? [1 mark]

28. From paragraph 7, what are the struggles of the juveniles after their release from prison? [1 mark]
i. _____

ii. _____ [1 mark]

29. (a) From paragraph 9, the first stage of the Wonder Coffee Wagon programme includes [1 mark]
i. _____

ii. _____ [1 mark]

(b) From paragraph 10, how is Adam able to sell coffee at different events? [1 mark]

30. “I have become more motivated in living my life and not making it worse.”
Based on the statement above, describe Adam’s feelings. Give a reason for your answer. [1 mark]
Feeling: _____

Reason : _____ [1 mark]

31. Based on the passage given, write a summary on
- The problems faced by Adam and his friends before and after prison
 - The role of The Purple Flower in helping these teens

Credit will be given for use of own words but care must be taken not to change the original meaning.
Your summary must:

- be in continuous writing form (not in note form)
- use material from **line 16 to line 40**
- not be longer than **130 words, including the 10 words** given below

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SECTION D

[20 marks]

[Time suggested: 35minutes]

32. Read the poem **What Has Happened To Lulu** by *Charles Causley* and answer the questions that follow.

What Has Happened to Lulu?

What has happened to Lulu , mother ?
What has happened to Lu?
There's nothing in her bed but an old rag-doll
And by its side a shoe.

Why is her window wide, mother,
The curtain flapping free,
And only a circle on the dusty shelf
Where her money-box used to be ?

Why do you turn your head, mother,
And why do the tear- drops fall?
And why do you crumple that note on the fire
And say it is nothing at all ?

I woke to voices late last night,
I heard an engine roar.
Why do you tell me the things I heard
Were a dream and nothing more ?

I heard somebody cry, mother,
In anger or in pain,
But now I ask you why, mother,
You say it was a gust of rain.

Why do you wander about as though
You don't know what to do ?
What has happened to Lulu, mother?
What has happened to Lulu?

Charles Causley

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(a) In Stanza 2,

(i) Why do you think the curtain was flapping?

_____ [1 mark]

(ii) Why do you think *there was a circle on the dusty shelf*?

_____ [1 mark]

(b) In Stanza 3, which **line** tells the mother was sad and in pain?

_____ [1 mark]

(c) What advice would you give to the persona ? Give your reason to support.

Advice: _____ [1 mark]

Reason: _____ [1 mark]

[5 marks]

33. The following are the novels studied in the literature component in English Language.

- Captain Nobody - Dean Pitchford
- Dear Mr. Kilmer - Anne Schraff
- Sing To The Dawn - Mingfong Ho

Choose any **one** of the novels above and answer the question below.

Do what you believe is right and be firm with your decision.

Using the details from the novel you have studied, choose a character who shows determination in an incident and how it helped to solve his/her problem. Support your answer with close with reference to the text.

[15 marks]

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FOR SECTION A

Blacken only one space for each question. If you wish to change your answer, erase the blackened mark that you have made. Then blacken the space for the new answer.

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