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ENTRANCE ASSESSMENT

Practice Paper 14

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English - Main Test

In this exercise there are some mistakes with **punctuation** or use of **capital letters**. On each numbered line there is either **one** mistake or **no** mistake. Find the group of words with the mistake in it and **mark its letter on your answer sheet**. If there is no mistake, mark **N**.

Punctuation Exercise

- 1 The girl fell outside and the First aider applied an ice pack to her head in an attempt to bring down the swelling. **B**
- 2 "They're a danger to themselves," claimed Gunther. "I refuse to take them on a real hunt," he added. **D**
- 3 The house on the hill has a dark forbidding appearance. The children that live nearby all believe it to be haunted. **B**
- 4 The weather man used an instrument to measure impurity of the air. Poor air quality can have lasting implications for your health. **N**
- 5 The pundits said the game was a must win for both teams and that's why tensions were running high. **C**

In this exercise you have to choose the **best** word, or **group of words**, to complete each numbered line so that the passage makes sense and is written in correct English. Choose the best answer and **mark its letter on your answer sheet**.

Grammar Exercise

6

The coach told the team that everyone must pull together in order to **A**

B C D E

7

A movie has been released. It

involves a 6-year-old girl who travels to space with her pup, Pootchy.

8

The job application asked for two important skills: patience and **A**

B C D E

9

Those in the room **A B C D E**

to voices outside as they tried ascertain who was coming.

10

She seemed to have **A B C D E**

powers and knew exactly what would happen next.

In this exercise there are some **spelling** mistakes. On each numbered line there is either **one** mistake or **no** mistake. Find the group of words with the mistake in it and **mark its letter on your answer sheet**. If there is no mistake, mark **N**.

Spelling Exercise

11 The questions I was asked in my interview were ^{ant}relevent to the role.
A B C D N

12 The pupils were ⁱrepremanded as a result of their bad behaviour.
A B C D N

13 In a stampede it is common for young elephants to get trampled on.
A B C D N

14 They were ^{reluctant}relucant to give way because it might create a precedent.
A B C D N

15 The farmer was not ^{im}inpressed as his field had become saturated with stagnant water.
A B C
D N

Read the **whole** passage carefully, then answer the questions that follow.

August 1917

1. A slim ray of sunshine slanted through the slight gap in James' bedroom
2. curtains catching tiny dust motes that sparkled in the light.
3. The clock in the parlour chimed, announcing to the Gunning household
4. that it was half past eight.
5. James barely noticed it. He sat by his dresser, still in his pyjamas, despite
6. having been up and awake for at least an hour.

7. The butterflies that crowded his belly left him unable to do anything,
8. never mind sleep.
9. He glanced at the cedar chest at the foot of his bed.
10. His school clothes lay on top of it, pressed, folded and lain out for him
11. during the night. He sighed and turned back to the photograph
12. he had been staring at.

13. His parents gazed out from their gold-edged frame. His father looked so
14. young: serious-faced, dressed in an immaculate, kilted uniform, the
15. photograph having been taken the day he joined the Black Watch army.

16. James' mother stood by him: pretty, a little shy, almost smiling.
17. It was the only photo James had of her. He sighed and wished for the
18. millionth time that she hadn't died.
19. A light tapping sounded from his bedroom door. It opened just a crack.

20. 'Are ye up, Master James?' A familiar voice asked an equally familiar
21. question.
22. 'Yes, Toosh I am,'
23. The housemaid bustled into the room and flung the curtains wide,
24. bright sunlight flooded in.

25. 'Mmmm.. Too bright,' James grumbled. He wasn't keen on early
26. mornings, and as much as he enjoyed going to school, he still wished
27. the holidays had lasted a little longer.

28. He and his father had actually managed to spend three days together
29. during the holiday fortnight.
30. 'Aye... well, come and have yer breakfast. Busy day today, remember?
31. The Captain's almost ready to go.'

32. 'What! James cried, his early-morning grumps forgotten. 'Already?'
33. He jumped up, knocking over the chair in his haste, and
34. dashed downstairs to the sitting room.
35. His father stood by the front door, wearing his full uniform, topped
36. with a heavy overcoat. A large, brown valise and duncoloured kit
37. bag sat at his feet.
38. James ran to him, 'Don't go Daddy!'

An extract from

The God of all Small Boys by Joseph Lamb

Please answer these questions. (Look at the passage again if you need to.)
You should choose the **best** answer and mark its letter on your answer sheet.

16 What appeared through the gap in the curtains in James' bedroom?

- A dark clouds
- B moonlight
- C rain drops
- D a slim ray of sunshine**
- E wind

17 (Look at lines 1-6)
What did James not notice?

- A the sound of the rain.
- B a ray of sunshine.
- C his name being called.
- D the sound of the clock.**
- E the dust motes.

18 Why had James been unable to sleep?

- A He was nervous about an upcoming event.**
- B His bedroom was flooded with sunlight.
- C His parents were watching him from a gold frame.
- D The clock in his room ticked annoyingly.
- E Butterflies flew around his room.

19 What did James' dad's job and rank?

- A He is a Colonel in the army.
- B He is an Officer in the army.
- C He is a Captain in the army.**
- D He is a Teacher in the army.
- E He is a Master in the army.

- 20 "...bustled" (Line 23)
Which word is similar in meaning to 'bustled'?
- A scurry
 - B amble
 - C inactive
 - D question
 - E excited

- 21 What type of word is 'gazed'? (Line13)
- A Verb
 - B Noun
 - C Adjective
 - D Adverb
 - E Pronoun

- 22 Line 36 mentions 'A large brown valise'. Using clues from the passage, what is a 'valise'?
- A A type of dog
 - B A vase of flowers
 - C An umbrella
 - D A suitcase
 - E A weapon

For these questions you have to **write your answers**, neatly, in the boxes provided on your answer sheet.

- 23 What does James refer to the housemaid as?
- Toosh

- 24 Why was James in such a hurry in lines 33-34?

He didn't think his dad would leave so soon.
He didn't want to miss him before he left.

25 What did James knock down when he was in a hurry?

a chair

26 Which word below was spoken in the passage?

bright (line 25), flung (line 23), grumps (line 32), noticed (line 5)

bright.

27 Look at lines 7-11.
Which word describes a type of wood?

Cedar.

28 What had James wished for in regards to his mother? (lines 13-23)

That she hadn't died.

Maths - Main Test

29 What percentage of £10 is £2?

- A 12%
- B 2%
- C 20%**
- D 5%
- E 50%

$$10\% = £1.$$

30

Complete the sum.

$$90 \div \square = 6$$

$$6 \overline{) 90} \begin{array}{r} 15 \\ \underline{60} \\ 30 \\ \underline{30} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

A 9

B 15

C 13

D 17

E 18

31

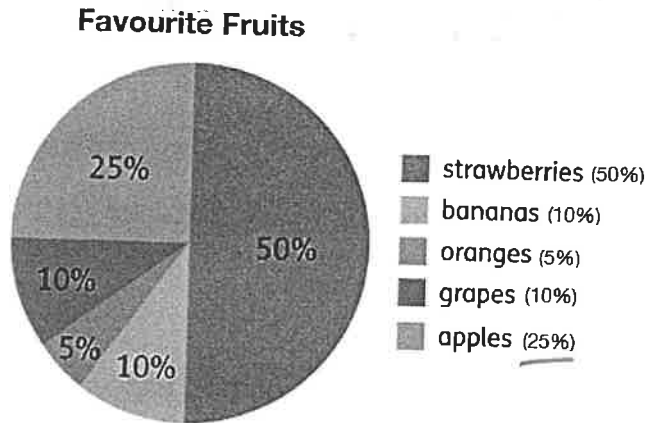
This table shows how long it took Sam to run to work each day.

Day	Time Taken
Monday	16 minutes
Tuesday	13 minutes
Wednesday	14 minutes
Thursday	13 minutes
Friday	10 minutes

What was the total time taken, in minutes?

- A 63 mins**
- B 13 mins
- C 6 mins
- D 61 mins
- E 40 mins

32 A pie chart of Mrs Thornby's class.



$32 \div 4 = 8$

A class of 32 was asked to decide which fruit was their favourite.

How many pupils chose apples?

- A 18 B 7 C 9 **D 8** E 5

33 A bag had 81 marbles in it.
John took out $\frac{1}{9}$ of the marbles.

How many marbles were left in the bag?

- A 9 B 71 **C 72** D 18 E 102

34 A plane travels 742 km in a day.

How many km does the plane fly in 11 days?

- A 1230km
B 3600km
C 2130km
D 8162km
E 9234km

$\times 10 \quad 11$

$$\begin{array}{r} 7420 \\ + 742 \\ \hline 8162 \end{array}$$

35

Larry's height was 142cm in January 2022.

A year later he has grown by 12cm.

$$\begin{array}{r} 142 \\ + 12 \\ \hline 154 \end{array}$$

What height is he now measuring? Give your answer in metres.

- A 154cm B 154m **C 1.54m** D 1.45m E 145m

36

Charlotte had 5 cartons of milk. Each carton contained 375ml.

How many litres does she have altogether?

- A 3.75 litres
B 187 litres
C 18.75 litres
D 1875 litres
E 1.875 litres

$$\begin{array}{r} 375 \\ \times 5 \\ \hline 1875 \text{ ml} \end{array}$$

37

Look at the numbers below.

1, \checkmark 3, \checkmark 6, \checkmark 9, 10, \checkmark 12, \checkmark 15, \checkmark 21, \checkmark 36, \checkmark 49 10.

Which statement is true?

- A 10% of the numbers are square numbers ×
B 90% of the numbers are whole numbers ×
C 25% of the numbers are prime numbers 1, 3, ×
D 70% of the numbers are multiples of three $7/10 = 70\%$
E 50% of the numbers are cubed numbers

$7/10$

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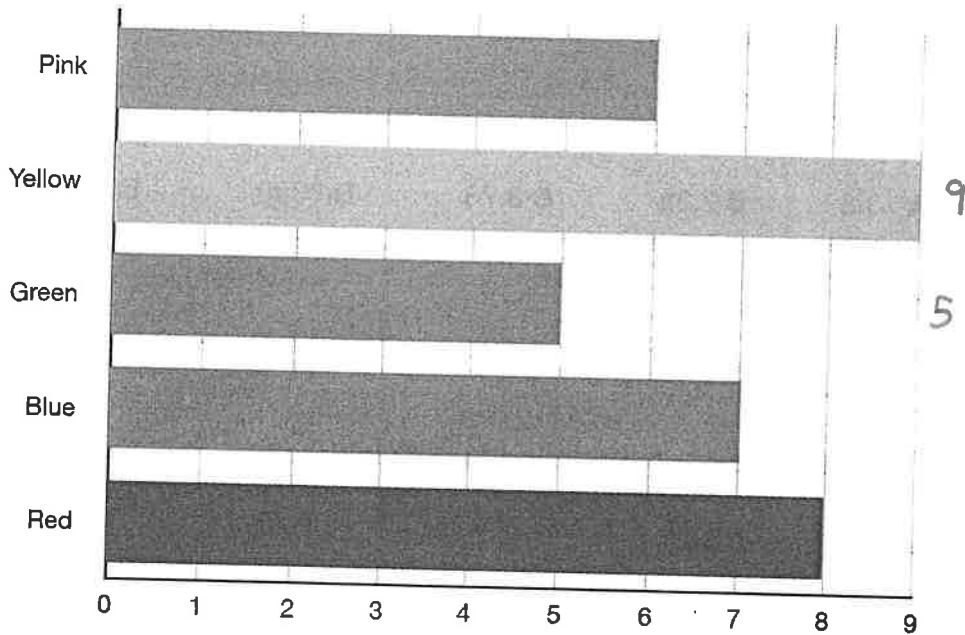
What is 7^3 ?

$$\begin{array}{r} 49 \\ \times 7 \\ \hline 343 \end{array}$$

- A 523 B 311 C 21 **D 343** E 14

39

A car dealership created a graph of all the new cars they sold throughout September.



How many people preferred yellow than green cars?

- A 4 B 5 C 10 D 9 E 5

40

There were 24 footballs in a bag. There were three times as many spotted footballs as striped.

$$24 \div 4 = 6$$

$$\times 3 = 18$$

How many spotted footballs were in the bag?

- A 18 B 6 C 12 D 17 E 12

41

What is 70% of 340?

$$34 = 10\%$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 34 \\ \times 27 \\ \hline 238 \end{array}$$

- A 238 B 230 C 333 D 34 E 35

42 What is the correct number that should fit into the box?

$$123 \times 6 = 738$$

$$12.3 \times 0.6 = \square$$

$\div 100$

A 73.8

B 7.38

C 8.73

D 7380

E 73

43 A box holds 32 folders.

$$32 \times 10 = 320$$

$$320 + 32 = \underline{672}$$

How many boxes are needed for 672 folders?

A 26

B 21

C 27

D 16

E 20

44 There were 36 golf tees in Lesley's golf bag. They are different sizes but all wooden.

- 6 long tees
- 15 short tees
- 9 medium tees
- 6 castle tees

What is the probability that when picked at random, Lesley will pick a wooden tee from her bag?

A Unlikely

B Impossible

C Certain

D Even chance

E Likely

45 There are 50 pages in Jane's book. She has read 50% of her book. ²⁵
There are 360 pages in Emily's book. She has read 30% of her book. ¹⁰⁸
There are 400 pages in Peter's book. He has read 25% of his book. ¹⁰⁰

Who has read the most pages?

A They've all read the same.

B Peter

C Can't tell.

D Jane

E Emily

$$\begin{array}{r} 36 \\ \times 3 \\ \hline 108 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 4 \overline{) 400} \end{array}$$

46 Put these numbers in order from the biggest to the smallest.

0.45, 0.37, 0.6, 0.22, 0.51

A 0.6, 0.51, 0.45, 0.37, 0.22

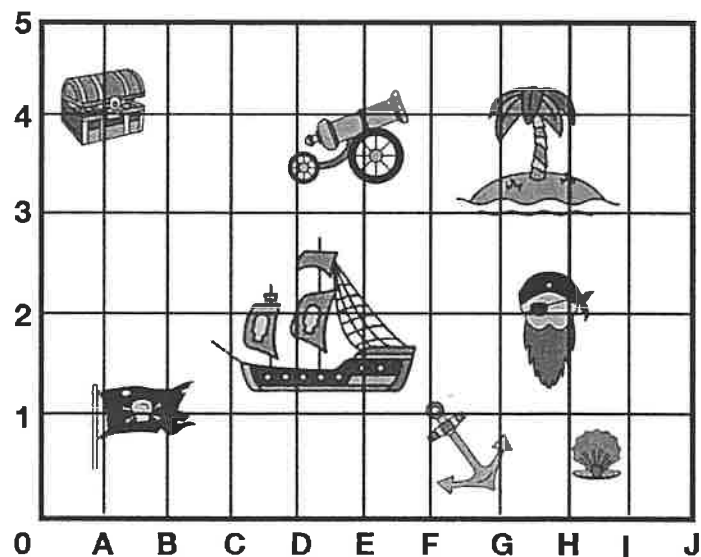
B 0.37, 0.6, 0.22, 0.51, 0.45

C 0.22, 0.51, 0.45, 0.37, 0.6

D 0.6, 0.45, 0.51, 0.37, 0.22

E 0.22, 0.6, 0.45, 0.51, 0.37

47



What are the coordinates of the treasure chest on the map?

A (4,A)

B (A,4)

C (D,2)

D (A,5)

E (B,2)

48 Five athletes run the 100m. Which sprinter is slowest?
The times are shown below.

ATHLETE	TIME
Athlete A	11:01 Sec
Athlete B	11:92 Sec
Athlete C	11:10 Sec
Athlete D	11:14 Sec
Athlete E	11:98 Sec

A Athlete E

B Athlete D

C Athlete C

D Athlete B

E Athlete A

49

Which number is 100 less than 2033?

A 1903

B 2730

C 1933

D 2133

E 2000

50

Finn saved £1.23 a week.

$\times 10 = 12.30$

How many weeks did it take him to save £27? $\times 10 = 24.60$

A 22

B 21

C 20

D 19

E 18

For questions 51-56, you have to write your answers in the boxes provided on your answer sheet.

51

A train left at 13:32.

The train arrived at 16:21.

2h 28.

21

2h 49 mins

How long did the journey take? Give your answer in hours and minutes.

52

A youth club trip is being planned to the Crazy Golf Adventure Centre.

The normal cost is £6.30 per child and £17 per adult.

30 children and 3 adults will attend.

However, a group booking reduces the normal cost by 20%.

How much money would be saved by making a group booking?

$$\begin{array}{r}
 63.00 \\
 \times 3 \\
 \hline
 189.00 \\
 1951.00 \\
 \hline
 240.00 \\
 17 \\
 \times 23 \\
 \hline
 51
 \end{array}$$

£48.00.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 £240.00 \\
 \div 10 = 24.00 \\
 48.00.
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1.20 \\ 1.20 \\ \hline 3.00 \end{array}$$

53 Ethan is saving for his holidays. To help he takes on a part time job delivering newspapers for his local shop.

He is paid £1.20 for every 100 papers he delivers.



How much will he be paid for delivering 250 papers?

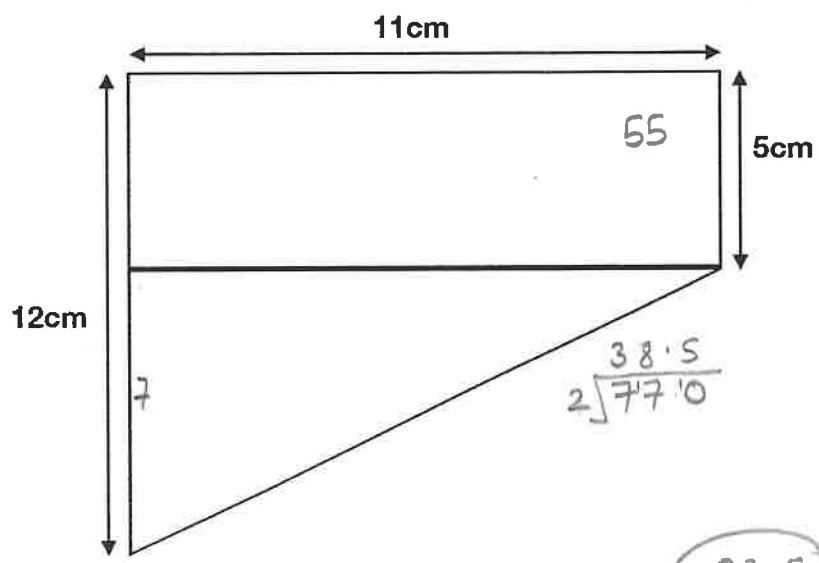
£3.00

54 $23 \times 99 = 1256 + \square$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2300 \\ - 23 \\ \hline 2277 \\ - 1256 \\ \hline 1021 \end{array}$$

1021

55 The shape below is made up of a rectangle and a triangle.



$$\begin{array}{r} 38.5 \\ 2 \overline{) 77.0} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 55 \\ 38.5 \\ \hline 93.5 \end{array}$$

93.5

Calculate the area of the shape.

56 Niamh is conducting an experiment with her new bouncy ball in controlled conditions. She notes that when she bounces it, on each bounce after hitting the ground it returns to exactly half its previous height.

If she initially drops the ball from a height of 2 meters how high will the ball bounce after it hits the ground for the fourth time?

(Give your answer in centimetres)

	1	2	3	4
2m	1m	50	25	12.5

12.5cm.

