

## **Gr 6 English**

Here is the test we told you about last week. Try to answer the comprehension questions the way you were taught. Remember to use full sentences and where you are asked to motivate your answer, motivate properly.

**You have 1 hour to complete the test.**

This test is for revision of the work we did during term 1. It does not count for marks.

Go through all the language before you start your test.

The memo will be uploaded next week.





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Total [50]

### First Additional Language

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**Moderator:** Ms E van der Merwe

- Answer all the questions **on the question paper**.
- Write neatly.

#### Section A

**Skill: Reading and viewing**

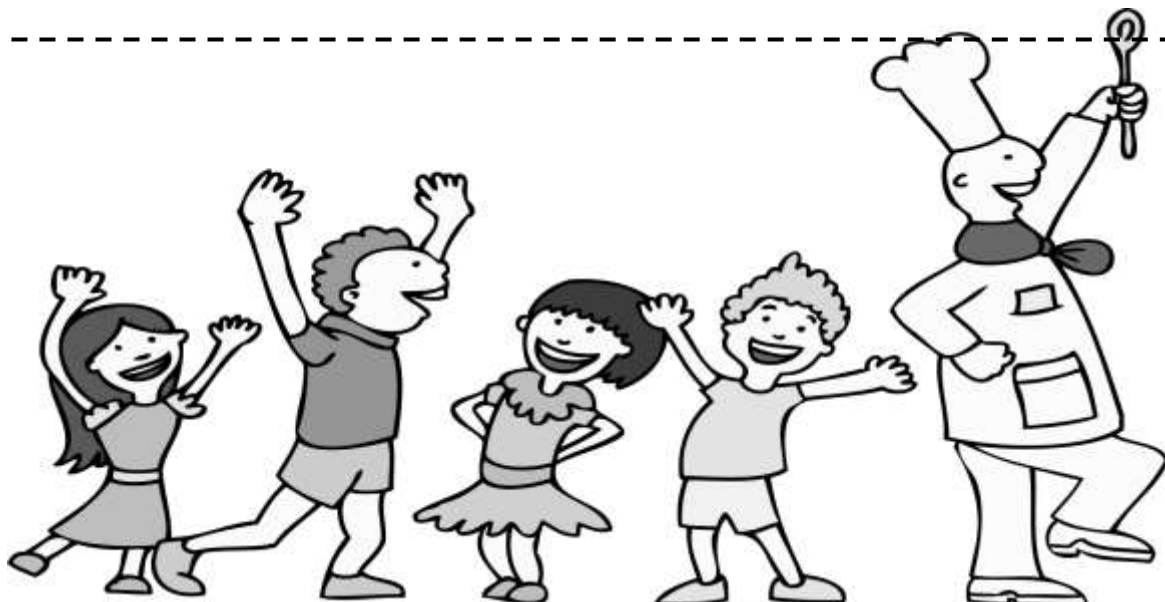
#### Question 1



#### Cooking Adventure

By Emily Opie, Grade 6

As an eleven-year-old student, I love cooking. Not only do I like cooking the food, but I also love to eat it. My mom is a famous chef and is one of the best in the world. I live in London where there is lots of cooking classes. There are about seven of them. I go to the one that my mom owns its name is Mama's Sizzling Cooking School. When I go to cooking class, we start at 11am and finish at 1am. Every week we have cooking class on a Thursday. When we're there we work on a table and we cook what my mom suggests. There are about ten ovens so everyone can cook their meals in them. About twenty children take the cooking class. This week we started off cooking Chicken Parmigiana. Everyone cooked two pieces of chicken. Luckily no one burnt themselves with the ovens. The second recipe we made was a watermelon, feta and olive salad. That is my favourite salad in the whole wide world.



Are

the following questions true or false? If false, give a reason from the text. (4)

1.1.1 They have cooking class every Tuesday.

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1.1.2 Their cooking class starts at 11 am and ends at 1 pm.

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1.1.3 This week they started cooking Macaroni and Cheese.

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1.1.4 They can always choose what they want to cook.

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Answer the following questions by underlining the correct answer. Choose A, B or C. (4)

1.2.1 Emily is \_\_\_\_\_ years old.

A 12

B 13

C 11

1.2.2 The cooking class she attends is \_\_\_\_\_.

A Mom's Sizzling Cooking School

B Emily's Sizzling Cooking Class

C Mama's Sizzling Cooking School

1.2.3 There are about \_\_\_\_\_ children who attend the cooking class.

A 20

B 14

C 10

1.2.4 Their \_\_\_\_\_ recipe was a watermelon, feta and olive salad.

A First

B Second

C Third

1.3.1 Where does Emily live? (1)

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1.3.2 Who owns the cooking class she attends? (1)

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1.3.3 How many cooking classes are there in London? (1)

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1.3.4 What is Emily's favourite salad? (1)

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1.3.5 Is Emily's mom a famous chef? Motivate you answer by quoting from the text. (2)

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1.3.6 How many ovens are at the cooking class? (1)

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1.3.7 Would you like to attend cooking classes? Motivate your answer. (2)

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Dear diary

Friday, 17 February 2017

Today was the first day Mom let me cook alone! I loved it! I made the Chicken Parmigiana she taught us at the cooking class.

Jen's mom said cooking is not for kids and that Jen would just waste the food. She was very upset, so my mom said she could come over and cook at our house.

I look forward to her coming over!

Tomorrow I will tell you all about how it went!

1.4.1 What type of text is this?

(1)

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1.4.2 When was the text written?

(2)

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1.4.3 Who do you think is the author of this text? Motivate your answer.

(2)

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1.4.4 Why is Jen going to visit the author?

(1)

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1.4.5 Do you enjoy baking or cooking? Motivate your answer.

(2)

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1.4.6 According to the text, Jen will come 'tomorrow', what will the date be?

(2)

1.4.7 According to the text, what dish did the author make?

(1)

1.4.8 Jen's mom said cooking is not for kids. Do you agree with her? Give a reason for your answer.

(2)

**Total: 30**

**Section B – Answer the following language questions based on the story.**

**Skill – Language structures and conventions.**

*Easy pancake by Sharon Goble*

*Ingredients*

*1 cup plain flour*

*2 tablespoons white sugar*

*2 tablespoons baking powder*

*1 teaspoon salt*

*1 egg, beaten*

*1 cup milk*

*2 tablespoons vegetable oil*

*Instructions*

*1. In a large bowl, mix the flour, sugar, baking powder and salt. Make a well in the centre and pour in the milk, egg and oil. Mix until smooth.*

*2. Heat a lightly oiled frying pan over medium high heat. Pour or scoop the batter into the pan, using approximately  $\frac{1}{4}$  cup for each pancake. Bake until it is brown on both sides.*

*Serve hot.*



2.1 Complete the following by providing the correct form of the verb in brackets.

2.1.1 Pancakes (be) \_\_\_\_\_ John's favourite food. (1)

2.1.2 Sharon (be) \_\_\_\_\_ a very good cook. (1)

2.1.3 My mother (be) \_\_\_\_\_ always baking. (1)

2.2 Fill in 'a' or 'an' or 'the'.

2.2.1 She added \_\_\_\_\_ egg to \_\_\_\_\_ mixture. (2)

2.2.2 You have to mix it in \_\_\_\_\_ bowl. (1)

2.3 Change the following sentences into the present progressive tense. (2)

2.3.1 Mother makes breakfast pancakes on Saturdays.

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2.3.2 We eat as a family every day.

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2.4 Rewrite the following sentence in the simple past tense.

2.4.1 He scoops the batter into a pan. (1)

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2.5 Choose the correct word to complete the sentence. (2x½)(1)

2.5.1 We use (plain / plane) (flower / flour) in our recipes.

2.6. Write the following words in alphabetical order. (1)

pan	oil	heat	flour	eggs	bake
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2.7 Complete the sentences by using a suitable preposition.

(3)



2.7.1 She is standing \_\_\_\_\_ the counter.

2.7.2 The pots are \_\_\_\_\_ a shelf.

2.7.3 The plates are \_\_\_\_\_ the cupboard.

2.8 Read the following paragraph. Underline the adjectives in orange.

(2)

These pancakes are easy and quick to make. It saved my dinner as I had run out of ideas. I love it when recipes use basic ingredients so I don't have to rush to the store. It makes about five pancakes.

2.9 Complete the following sentences by adding 'may' or 'can'.

(2)

2.9.1 Mom \_\_\_\_\_ I bake some pancakes?

2.9.2 \_\_\_\_\_ you bring home some syrup please?

2.10 Complete the following sentences by using degrees of comparison.

(2)

2.10.1 Jen is (tall) \_\_\_\_\_ than Emily.

2.10.2 Jake is the (short) \_\_\_\_\_ of all the kids.

**Total: 20**

