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1. This question paper consists of TWO (2) sections:
SECTION A (30 Marks)
SECTION B (50 Marks)

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SECTION A

Answer ALL questions in Question Paper.

PART 1

This part consists of SIX (6) questions.

Find the **same** meaning for the word in bold below.

1. Today, there are still people who die of **starvation**.
 - A illness
 - B hunger
 - C fatigue
 - D disease

(1 mark)

Find the **opposite** meaning of the word in bold below.

2. They always quarrel over **trifling** matters.
 - A futile
 - B trading
 - C domestic
 - D important

(1 mark)

Identify and correct the spelling errors in the following text.

3. The polar Arctic scenery is always changing because see water moving under the ice, making it crack and split.
4. A world stamp collector does not concentrate on any particular countri or any particular theme.
5. Reading can develop your language, vocabelary, and all round comprehension skills.
6. Good communication skills need to be learned to effectively become a good leader or manger.

No.	Errors	Corrections
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(4marks)

PART 2

This part consists of ELEVEN (11) questions.

Choose the correct tenses based on the following sentences.

1. The man _____ a special gift for his mother on Mother's Day and _____ it at a fine dining restaurant next week.
A buys – celebrates
B bought – celebrated
C will buy – will celebrate
D has bought – has celebrated

2. When I _____ in my homework, I _____ to give the teacher the last page.
A hand - forget
B handed - forgot
C was handed – was forgotten
D have handed – have forgotten

3. Jim _____ the doctor's advice seriously. He _____ regularly to the gym.
A takes – goes
B is taking – is going
C was taking – was going
D has taking – has going

4. Everyday she _____ up early in the morning as she _____ to start her duty as early as at 7.00 a.m.
A wake - have
B wakes - has
C is waking – is having
D was waking – was having

5. They never _____ to school, they always _____ class.
A go - skip
B went - skip
C went - skipped
D went – have skipped

6. During this coming holidays, my family and I _____ at a resort for a few days. We our holidays .
A stay - enjoy
B stays - enjoys
C will stay – will enjoy
D are staying – are enjoying

(10 marks)

Identify the meaning of words in bold and circle the correct answers.

7. There is no denying that modern **gadgets** make short work of house duties and simplify everyday task such as dishwashers, microwave, robot vacuum cleaners, and etc.

A robots
B utensils
C devices
D servants

(1 mark)

8. Surgeons always maintain hand hygiene to improve staff and patient safety, therefore all surgical instruments in hospital must be **sterilized** before use.

A distilled
B sanitized
C preserved
D. contaminated

(1 mark)

9. Young boys are very happy when they allowed to wallow in **puddles** because it was enjoyable for them.

A mud
B mist
C splash
D monsoon

(1 mark)

10. The hall was captivated by the beautiful, natural scenery, jaw-dropping ball gowns and the lively atmosphere created by the pianist who **interpreted** the music in a very unusual way.

A fixed
B tangled
C mended
D decoded

(1 mark)

11. Identify the error of tenses in the following sentences and rewrite the sentence without the mistake.

a) This string of pearls were lying on the floor.

(2 marks)

b) Did you added flour, pour in the milk and then add the eggs?

(2 marks)

c) She works at the fast food restaurant after school when she was 15.

(2 marks)

d) Bacteria accumulates on the lens and causes infection in the eye.

(2 marks)

e) Diana informs her mother about her exam results as soon as possible.

(2 marks)

[30 MARKS]

SECTION B

Answer ALL questions in Question Paper.

PART 1

This part consists of TWELVE (12) questions.

Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow.

Vitamin C plays a crucial role in our health. It helps to build and maintain our tissues and fortify our immune systems. Vitamin C is water-soluble, which means it is excreted from the body everyday and cannot be stored for later use. Therefore, we should aim to get Vitamin C in our daily diet. A study showed that taking vitamin C can reduce health rates by as much as 42 per cent for men and 10 per cent for women who have taken it in high doses.

The study was conducted by the UCLA School of Public Health and published in the Journal of Epidemiology. Its findings showed that there is a co-relationship between the increasing intake of vitamin C and a decline in cardiovascular diseases. The researchers spoke to a sampling of 11, 348 American adults in the 10-year follow-up study. The researchers found that men who took a relatively high intake of vitamin C were 45 per cent less likely to die of heart disease than those who ingested small amounts of vitamin C.

The researchers also noted that the claims that Vitamin C improves health are not new. Potatoes, leafy vegetables and citrus fruits such as oranges and pineapples are well-known sources of natural vitamin C. Fish and milk also contain small amounts of vitamin C. Many people who believe that natural food sources do not contain enough vitamin C take it supplementary form, either as tablets or capsules especially when warding off colds and flu. However, data and findings on long-term health effects of high doses of vitamin C have been *sparse* and inconclusive.

Researchers claimed that there is no other study to date which is as comprehensive as the one conducted by UCLA. This is because it involved factors such as age and gender of the subjects and other variables such as smoking and medical history. The researchers concluded that their findings support earlier indications that a high intake of vitamin C and other antioxidant vitamins such as A and E can reduce the risk of hardening arteries.

The new research also supports the previously documented trends showing the correlation between higher consumption of vitamin C and significantly reduced age-adjusted death rates that are only partly explained by declines in 30 cholesterol levels. Surveys have shown that about a quarter of all US adults
5 take vitamin supplements daily and about half use them less regularly. The most common supplement is vitamin C. It is also nutrient most likely consumed in great quantities, exceeding the Recommended Dietary Allowance of 60 mg per day 35

The UCLA researchers looked back at examination records of adults aged between 25 and 74 years from 1971 to 1974 when conducting the study. They also followed up mortality rates through 1984. Data showed that 1,809 people
6 in the sampling died during that time. The group in the study that had the highest intake of daily supplements of vitamin C took it primarily in the form of 40 multivitamin pills. A majority of them consumed several hundred milligrams a day of vitamin C

1. What is the main purpose of the article?
A To reveal the benefits of vitamin C
B To encourage people to consume vitamin C
C To warn readers of the side effects of vitamin C
D To urge researchers to conduct more tests on vitamin C
(1 mark)
2. Which one is the rationale of claiming the UCLA research to be the most complete and all-inclusive?
A It was carried out over a decade
B It involved hard work and dedication
C It reported new and useful findings of vitamin C
D It examined various subjects and other health-related factors
(1 mark)
3. Which of the following statements is **true** about vitamin C?
A If taken in high doses, it can harden the arteries.
B If consumption of vitamin C is too high, it can be fatal.
C It can be taken in the form of pills and from natural sources
D It is not recommended for those who have cholesterol problems.
(1 mark)
4. Which group of people are involved in the research?
A Non-smoking adults of all ages
B Both children and adults of both genders
C Adults of both genders and of different ages
D Senior citizens of both genders with differing health issues
(1 mark)
5. Which best defines the word **sparse** as it is used in the **third (3)** paragraph?
A insufficient
B informative
C incomplete
D incomparable
(1 mark)
6. Which statement would the author conclude with?
A Women consume more vitamin C than men.
B People tend to take vitamin C but more than the recommended dosage.
C There will be increased research on other vitamin supplements in future.
D More than 50 per cent of US citizens take vitamin supplements occasionally.
(1 mark)

7. List **four (4)** sources of vitamin C intake.

(4 marks)

8. a) What are the **three (3)** reasons we should aim to get Vitamin C in our daily diet ?

(6 marks)

b) Compare and contrast the new and old studies from 1971 to 1974 related to the consumption of vitamin C and the death rates described in the **fifth (5)** and **sixth (6)** passage. How are they similar? How are they different? Refer to the text in your answer and explain your arguments completely.

(6 marks)

State the number of paragraph for the main ideas given.

- 9. Consuming vitamins A, C and E helps reduce hardening of the arteries.
Paragraph : _____

- 10. Vitamins C helps to maintain our tissue and fortify our immune systems.
Paragraph : _____

- 11. Natural food sources in our dietary intake provide vitamin C to our body.
Paragraph : _____

- 12. The consumption of vitamin C is related to the rate of cardiovascular diseases
Paragraph : _____

(8 marks)

PART 2

This part consists of TWO (2) questions.

Read the following text. Then, answer questions (a) – (j)

Car theft is a constant problem, but if you own a newer model of car, there is more difficult of it being stolen. Modern cars have security systems that help prevent theft. However, thieves often steal car keys to access newer vehicles so it is a good policy to know where your keys are at all times. Never leave them in your car, even if it is parked in your garage at home. You make life easy for the burglar if you leave keys in a receptacle just inside the door or hanging from a hook. Think of a less obvious place, hidden from view. Once a thief has access to your keys, your personal safety would be threaten.

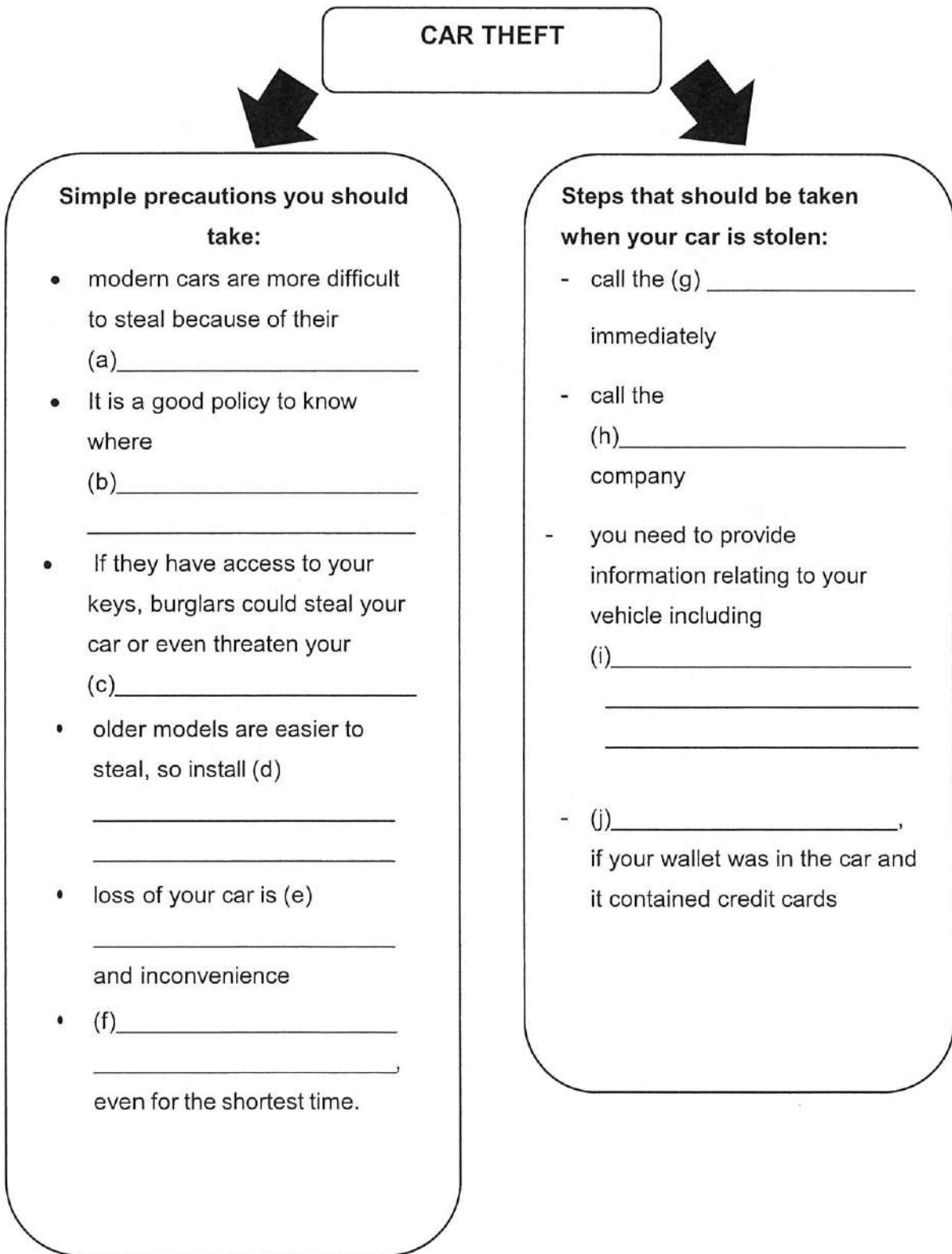
While older cars are a potential target, there are some simple precautions you should take. Definitely, lock your car before you leave it, even for the shortest time, even in the driveway of your house. Think of installing an alarm or a steering lock or consider a mechanical immobilizer that fits across the steering wheel. This is a relatively inexpensive item but it is a good deterrent for thieves. They generally go for the easiest and fastest option.

Obviously, it is in your own interest to make your vehicle as difficult to steal as possible – not only to avoid stress and inconvenience, but also because your insurance premiums will soar if you make a claim. If you are unfortunate enough to have your vehicle stolen, call the police immediately. You will need to provide information relating to your vehicle including make, model, year, colour, registration number and VIN (vehicle identification number). You need all of this when you file a stolen vehicle report. Police will also log any personal items that were in the vehicle. If these items include identifying documents such as a registration certificate, this will make the illegal resale of the vehicle simpler for the thieves, so keep these documents in a separate place.

Next, contact your insurance company. If your wallet was in the car and it contained credit cards, you will need to notify your bank. If your house keys were in the car, call a locksmith and have your locks changed, and if you are still making payments on the car, you will need to inform the finance company. Both your insurance company and the finance company will ask you for copies of the police report so it is best to obtain one in the first instance.

Question 1

Using the information from the text, complete the following graphic organizer.



(10 marks)

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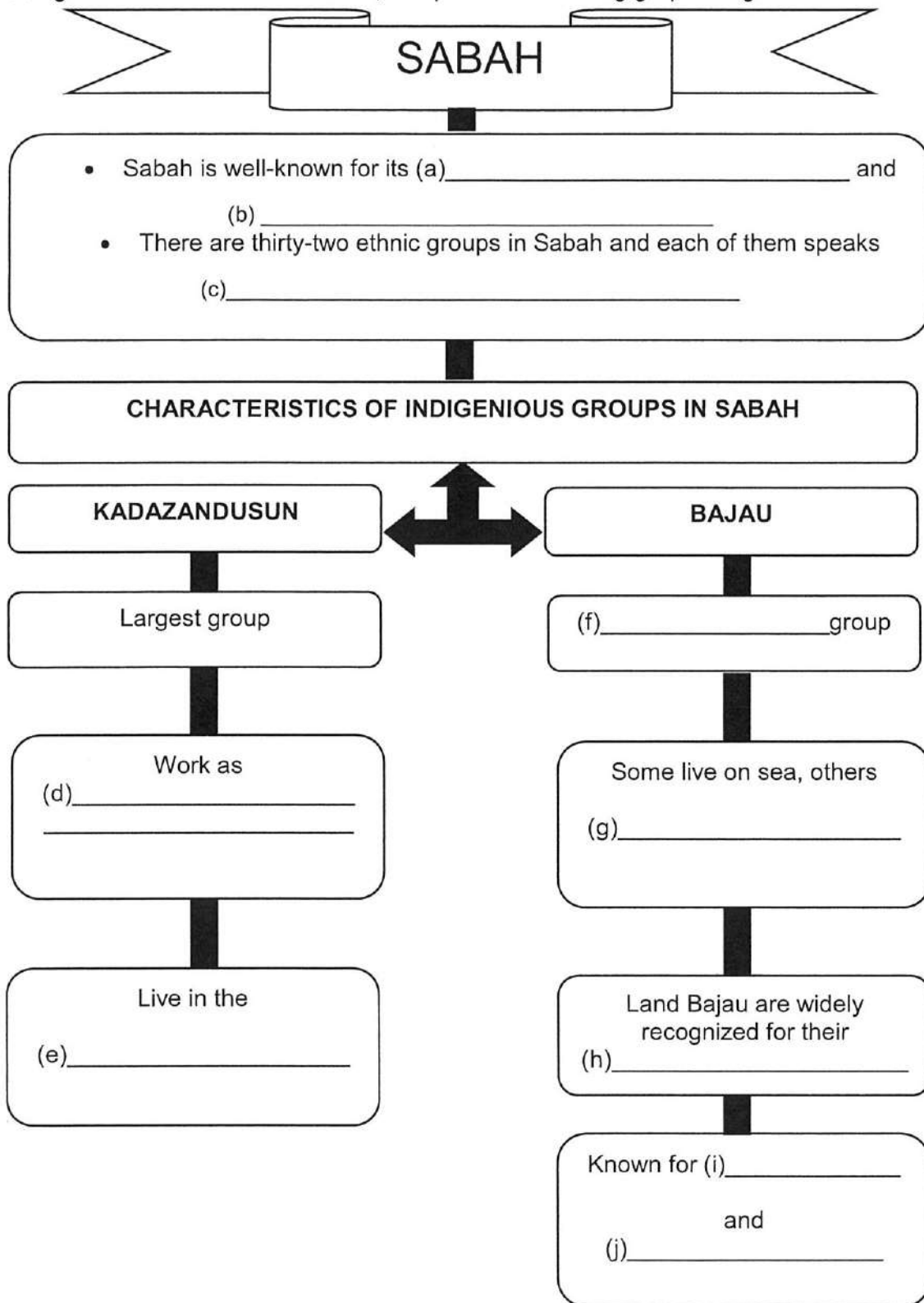
Sabah is famous not just for its spectacular natural beauty but also its diverse culture. There are thirty-two different ethnic groups and each of them speaks a different language. The rich cultural heritage of the people of Sabah is sure to dazzle and amaze you as you visit the “Land Below the Wind”.

The Kadazandusun, being the largest indigenous group in Sabah, make up 30 per cent of the population. They traditionally work as paddy and vegetable planters. The Kadazandusun ancestral heartland lies in the hill and upland valley areas of Sabah. Hence, they live a secluded life largely free outside influences. Their society is defined by close kinship, with family being the most important unit, followed by the village. In the past, headhunting was practised as a form of self-defence. One notable feature of the Kadazandusun culture is the unique Harvest Festival or Kaamatan where the Kadazandusun community would give thanks to the Rice Spirit for a bountiful harvest.

The second largest group of Sabah people is the Bajau people, who were once known as the sea-gypsies as they were originally seafaring nomads. They lived their whole lives on boats, the ‘lipa-lipa’ and they were very skilful at navigating the sea in their small boats even though they had no compasses. Then, the Bajau only came to land to collect firewood, get water and bury their dead. Consequently, over the past few hundred years, some Bajau have settled on the mainland, particularly along the east coast of Sabah. The land Bajau’s expertise in horseback riding is legendary throughout Sabah. They are well known as Sabah’s own cowboy horsemen. One interesting feature about this unique group is that their horses have their own costumes and are even better dressed than the riders. These people are also famous for their beautiful needlework and woven handicrafts.

Question 2

Using the information from the text, complete the following graphic organizer.



(10 marks)

[50 MARKS]

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