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**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES**

1. This question paper consists of **TWO (2)** sections : SECTION A (30 Marks)  
SECTION B (50 Marks)
2. Candidates are not allowed to bring any material to examination room except with the permission from the invigilator.
3. Please check to make sure that this examination pack consist of:
  - i. The Question Paper
  - ii. An Answering Booklet

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## SECTION A

## PART 1

This part consist of **SIX (6)** questions.

Answer ALL in Answering Booklet.

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

1. For Taylor's birthday party, her parents threw her a **lavish** party with a live band and ice skating.
  - A. beautiful
  - B. fun
  - C. luxurious
  - D. economical

(1 mark)

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

2. Since bills totaled RM560 and we had RM220 in our account, our treasurer reported a **deficit** of RM340.
  - A. amount
  - B. shortage
  - C. surplus
  - D. total

(1 mark)

Identify and correct the spelling errors in the following text.

3. Some nations eksploited their colonies, using up as much of the colonies' wealth and resources as possible
4. My brother is on the brink of success like a muzician who has just released his first single.
5. Adam confessed that he stole the car, but he later recanted his confesion.
6. If you are rude and inconsederate to people, they will shun you..

No.	Errors	Corrections
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6.		

(4 marks)

**PART 2**

This part consists of **ELEVEN (11)** questions.

Answer ALL in Answering Booklet.

1. Please be quiet, I \_\_\_\_\_ to read my book now.

- A. am trying
- B. tries
- C. is trying
- D. try

(1 mark)

2. Jae Hyun cannot \_\_\_\_\_ to school because his arm is in plaster.

- A. goes
- B. going
- C. go
- D. gone

(1 mark)

3. 'Why has he \_\_\_\_\_ the TV on?'. I \_\_\_\_\_ the news.

- A. puts – am going to watch
- B. put – will watch
- C. put – am going to watch
- D. puts – will watch

(2 marks)

4. When we \_\_\_\_\_ at the cinema, the film \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. arrive – already started
- B. arrive – had already started
- C. arrived – has already started
- D. arrived – had already started

(2 marks)

5. They \_\_\_\_\_ here since they \_\_\_\_\_ children.

- A. have lived – were
- B. has lived – was
- C. live – are
- D. lives – is

(2 marks)

6. Minnie \_\_\_\_\_ want to leave Seoul, but she felt she \_\_\_\_\_ turn it down.

- A. does not – cannot
- B. does not – can't
- C. do not – could not
- D. did not – could not

(2 marks)

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

7. The tranquilized bear was **lethargic** enough for the scientists to safely examine his teeth and tattoo his ears.
- A. energetic
  - B. tamed
  - C. sluggish
  - D. active
- (1 mark)
8. Ms. Karina commented that I needed to be more specific in the body of my essay because my ideas were too **vague**.
- A. detailed
  - B. creative
  - C. unclear
  - D. descriptive
- (1 mark)
9. Rose loves the **tranquillity**, the peace and quiet, after her children have left for school.
- A. chaos
  - B. atmosphere
  - C. freedom
  - D. serenity
- (1 mark)
10. HTL solution should be kept out of reach of children because its fuses are **noxious**.
- A. smelly
  - B. harmful
  - C. fragrant
  - D. strong

(1 mark)

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

a) She think weekends is nicer than weekdays.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2 marks)

b) I have not buy any souvenirs yet and I feel like we are run out of time.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2 marks)

c) Mr. Nor thinks it was exactly what he wanted, but he needs to think about it very carefully.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2 marks)

d) After studying for hours, Jimin's eyes was tired and he decide to take short break and stretch.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2 marks)

e) Point to him and Marty, Frederick select the co-managers.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2 marks)

[30 MARKS]

**SECTION B****PART 1**

This part consists of **THIRTEEN (13)** questions.

Read the following passage and answer ALL questions in Answering Booklet.

**DIAMOND**

Diamond is the hardest material on Earth. Yet, gem cutters shape them. If diamonds are so hard, how do they cut them into shape? They use other  
1 diamonds of course! Not all diamonds are the same. Some are harder than others. The hardness of a diamond depends on two things: its purity and its structure. Let's discuss purity first.

Diamonds come in many colours: grey, white, yellow, blue, pink, purple, orange  
2 and black. Red diamonds are the rarest of all. This makes them worth a lot of money. Yet, pure diamonds are colourless. They are all carbon. They are transparent like glass.

Colours found in diamonds come from impurities. They have another element  
3 besides carbon. They have a carbon defect. For example, yellow diamonds have nitrogen in them. The nitrogen is yellow. Blue diamonds have boron trapped in their crystal structure. The boron is blue. The purity or colour of a diamond is important to its hardness. Pure diamonds are harder than impure diamonds. But purity isn't the only thing that matters. Structure also affects hardness.

4 The carbon atoms in a diamond are arranged in a crystal structure. Some crystal structures are perfect. A diamond with a perfect crystal structure is harder than one with flaws. So pure, colourless crystal diamonds are the hardest of all. Good gemstones should be hard. This is what makes diamonds so great for jewellery.

5 Some gems, such as azurite, are soft and easy to scratch. Azurite looks pretty, but it will scratch if worn daily. Diamonds do not scratch easily. Only a diamond can scratch another diamond. That's why you can wear a diamond ring while doing chores, if you want. The gem will not need polishing. Just do not go fist bumping other people with fancy engagement rings. It will end badly.

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1. According to the text, how do gem makers shape diamonds?

- A. They use metal saws
- B. They use other diamonds
- C. They use sand paper
- D. They use large knives

(1 mark)

2. What are the two factors that determine a diamond's hardness according to the text?

- A. Structure and shape
- B. Colour and carbon
- C. Purity and structure
- D. Purity and colour

(1 mark)

3. Which types of diamond **DOES NOT** have a carbon defect?

- A. Clear diamond
- B. Blue diamond
- C. Red diamond
- D. Yellow diamond

(1 mark)



4. The author of the article would most likely **AGREE** with which statement?

- A. Azurite is much harder than diamond
- B. Diamond is much prettier than azurite
- C. Azurite is much prettier than diamond
- D. Diamond is much harder than azurite

(1 mark)

5. What causes a diamond to turn yellow?

- A. Nitrogen
- B. Carbon
- C. Azurite
- D. Boron

(1 mark)

6. A pure diamond is made entirely from which?

- A. Nitrogen
- B. Carbon
- C. Azurite
- D. Boron

(1 mark)

7. Why are red diamonds worth so much money?

- A. They have the highest purity of all diamonds
- B. They are soft and easy to shape
- C. They are the hardest diamond of all
- D. They are the rarest of all diamonds

(1 mark)

8. The author of the article would most likely **DISAGREE** with which statement?

- A. Purity affects the hardness of a diamond
- B. Blue diamonds are the most pure
- C. Pure diamonds are made entirely from carbon
- D. Trapped boron causes diamonds to turn bluish

(1 mark)

9. Which one of the statements below is a **FACT**?

- A. Diamonds are beautiful
- B. Diamonds have their atoms arranged in a crystal structure
- C. Red diamonds look even prettier than clear diamonds
- D. Azurite jewellery is prettier than diamond jewellery

(1 mark)

10. What lesson can readers learn from this text?

- A. He is describing how diamonds are mined
- B. He is persuading readers to purchase diamonds
- C. He is explaining properties of diamonds
- D. He is arguing that diamonds cost too much money

(1 mark)

11. a) Based on the text, from where do diamonds get their colour?

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b) What is the difference between a clear diamond and a coloured diamond?

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12. a) Why is diamond more suitable for jewellery than azurite?

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b) In your opinion, which colour diamond would you like to have and provide your reason for that.

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c) What makes diamonds special to us?

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(6 marks)

13. State the number of paragraphs for the main ideas given.
- i) Diamonds have different colours due to impurities, such as nitrogen and boron. Pure diamonds are harder than impure diamonds, due to their structure and purity.  
**Paragraph : \_\_\_\_\_**
- ii) There are many colours for diamonds but red diamonds are unique and expensive. Meanwhile, pure diamonds are colourless and transparent.  
**Paragraph : \_\_\_\_\_**
- iii) Diamond hardness is determined by purity and structure, which affects how it is cut.  
**Paragraph : \_\_\_\_\_**
- iv) Diamonds are resistant to scratches, and wearing a diamond ring while doing chores would not require polishing. Avoid fist bumping others if you are wearing expensive engagement rings since it will not end well.  
**Paragraph : \_\_\_\_\_**
- v) Pure, colourless crystal diamonds are the rarest of all gemstones due to their perfect crystal structure, making them ideal for jewellery.  
**Paragraph : \_\_\_\_\_**

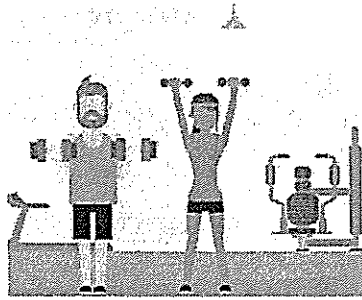
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**PART 2**

This part consists of **TWO (2)** questions.

**Question 1**

Read the following advertisement and answer ALL questions in Answering Booklet.



**Life Fitness Centre**  
**Opening on New Year's Eve**

*Are you having weight and health problems?*

*Why don't you take first step to achieve your health and fitness goals?*

*Come to Life Fitness Centre and get a 7-day trial.*

*Get a friend to join you and an exclusive sports bottle is yours!!!*

At our center, you can enjoy a wide range of fitness programs such as aerobics, line dance, body attack and yoga. There are also various gym equipment to help boost your health. Members will be given a complimentary soft drink, tea or coffee at the members' lounge. Other family members and friends will be offered complimentary passes to enjoy the privileges during weekends.

**Workout Times**

Weekdays: 6.00a.m. – 10.00p.m.

Weekends: 9.00a.m. – 11.00p.m.

Public holidays: 10.0a.m. – 8.00p.m.

**For enquiries:**

Call: 03-8033 0800 (Cheras)

03-2-54 9900 (Setia Alam)

Visit: [www.lifefitness.com.my](http://www.lifefitness.com.my)

Name of fitness center	1.
Two privileges of membership	2.  3.
Locations	4. a)  b)
Website	5.

(5 marks)

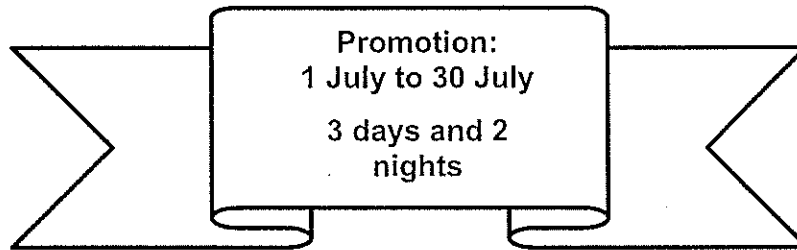
Based on the advertisement given, complete the sentences below.

6. People who are interested to join the program are entitled to a \_\_\_\_\_
7. If you introduce a friend, you will get \_\_\_\_\_
8. You can have varieties of fitness programs here such as \_\_\_\_\_
9. To enjoy the privileges of membership, complimentary passes can be given to \_\_\_\_\_
10. You can go for your workouts early from \_\_\_\_\_ on Saturdays.

(5 marks)

**Question 2**

Read the following brochure and answer ALL questions in Answering Booklet.

**HOLIDAY GETAWAY SPECIAL****MELISSA ISLAND**

An amazing island on the west coast of Malaysia, surrounded by turquoise sea and picturesque beach scenery. This popular west coast beach destination is definitely a haven to relax and enjoy.

**How much does it cost?**

- Adults: RM250 per person only
- Children under 12 years old: RM125 only

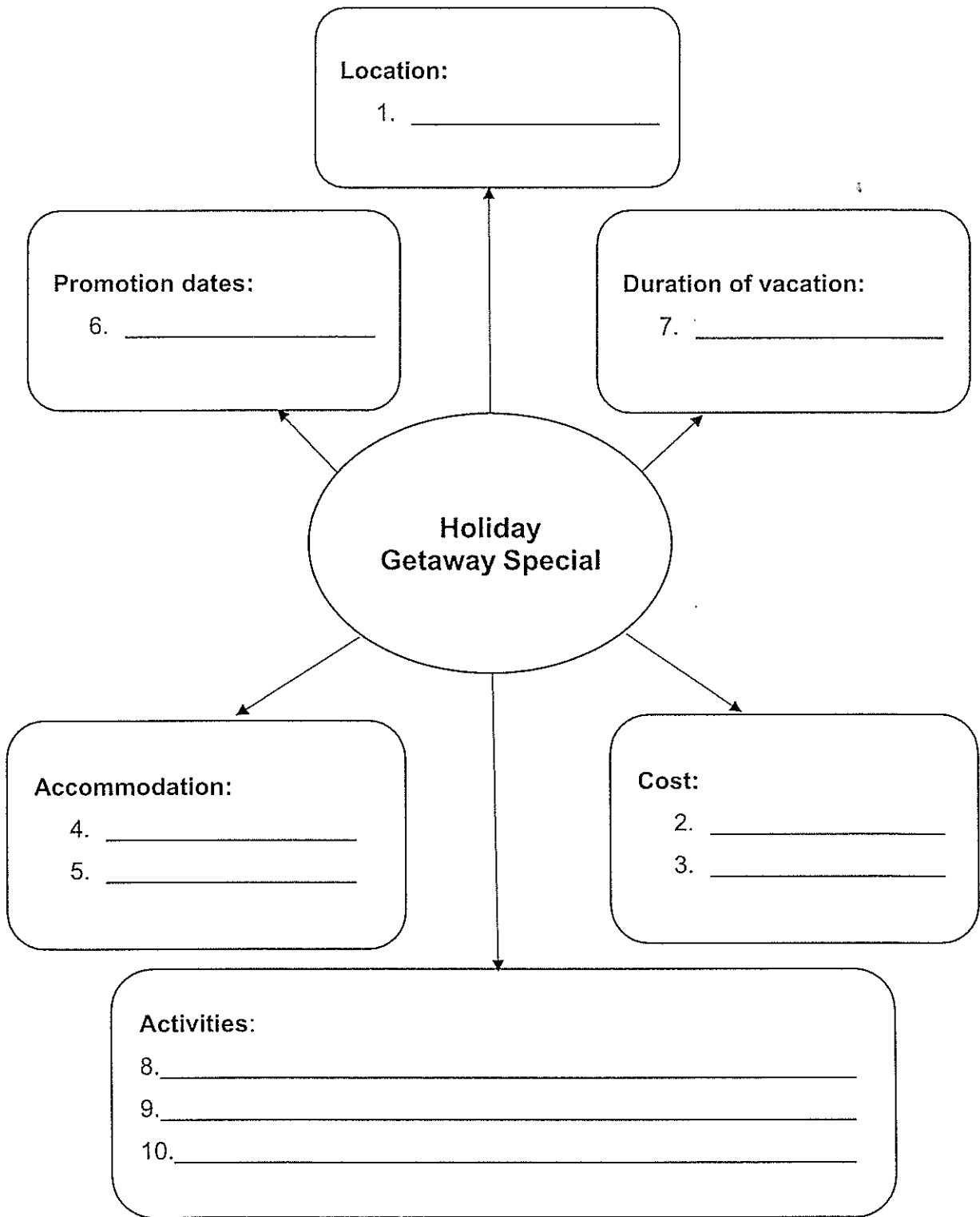
**Where to stay?**

- The Rose Resort: A five-star hotel set within lush tropical jungle
- The Orchids Chalet: A wonderful retreat with spa on site

**What can you do?**

- Enjoy the cable car ride to the top of the hill and experience a 20-minute spectacular view of the lush surroundings.
- Visit the Melissa Bird Paradise and Wildlife Park, a tropical garden which is a home to 150 species of exotic birds.
- Go jungle trekking along the trails at the foothills and enjoy the view at the waterfalls.
- Capture the views of the island as you relax on the boat ride around the island.

*Interested, call 012-3335555 or visit [www.wondertravel.com.my](http://www.wondertravel.com.my)*



(10 marks)  
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