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GRAMMAR BASIC

EXERCISE 1

/10 marks

Read the passage carefully. From the list of words given, choose the suitable word for each blank. Write the letter (A to Q) in the blank. The letters (I) and (O) have been omitted to avoid confusion during marking. (10 x 1 = 10 marks)

EACH WORD CAN BE USED ONLY ONCE.

(A) despite	(E) most	(J) as	(N) midst
(B) more	(F) hence	(K) but	(P) of
(C) besides	(G) because	(L) and	(Q) among
(D) for	(H) either	(M) across	

The total population of Singapore is approximately 4.99 million. Its population is made up 1 _____ Chinese, Malays, Indians and Eurasians. Although Singapore is a multiracial country, the English language is most widely used 2 _____ her people. It is the main language used 3 _____ communication in schools and businesses. Singapore is the only country in the Asian region that has adopted English 4 _____ the first language despite the fact that it is a foreign language.

Most Singaporeans, however, are bilingual 5 _____ bilingualism is one of the government's educational policies. 6 _____ having English as the first language, schools teach Malay, Mandarin 7 _____ Tamil as

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second languages. In fact, some Singaporeans can even speak 8 _____ than two languages fluently.

Singapore is not only a land of many languages, 9 _____ also a country of many religions and customs. 10 _____ these differences, the people of Singapore live peacefully and harmoniously.

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EXERCISE 2

/10 marks

Read the passage carefully. From the list of words given, choose the suitable word for each blank. Write the letter (A to Q) in the blank. The letters (I) and (O) have been omitted to avoid confusion during marking. (10 x 1 = 10 marks)

EACH WORD CAN BE USED ONLY ONCE.

(A) then	(E) over	(J) finally	(N) before
(B) what	(F) during	(K) therefore	(P) to
(C) by	(G) would	(L) if	(Q) off
(D) which	(H) could	(M) after	

One day, a nest of mice called for an urgent meeting to decide the best method 1 _____ get rid of a cat that had killed many of their family members and relatives.

Various plans were brought up, discussed and rejected. 2 _____, a young mouse raised its paw to speak. It suggested that a bell 3 _____ be hung around the cat's neck. In this way, they 4 _____ hear its movements and, 5 _____, have time to escape.

The suggestion was accepted joyfully 6 _____ everyone except an old mouse which sat silently in a corner, listening to the discussion. Finally, he rose and said, "I agree that the plan is clever and I am sure that it will prove to

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be successful 7 _____ it is carried out. However, I would like to know 8 _____ brave mouse is going to put the bell on the cat."

All the mice at the meeting looked at one another in dismay. They had not thought of that at all. 9 _____ a brief silence, the plan was called 10 _____.

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EXERCISE 3

/10 marks

Read the passage carefully. From the list of words given, choose the suitable word for each blank. Write the letter (A to Q) in the blank. The letters (I) and (O) have been omitted to avoid confusion during marking. (10 x 1 = 10 marks)

EACH WORD CAN BE USED ONLY ONCE.

(A) most	(E) back	(J) by	(N) will
(B) from	(F) should	(K) none	(P) forth
(C) often	(G) unlike	(L) either	(Q) if
(D) hence	(H) which	(M) neither	

Water is of vital importance to all living things. Without it, all living things 1 _____ surely die. We also use a great amount of water daily in our homes, in factories and in power stations. 2 _____ of this water is fresh water and it comes to us 3 _____ reservoirs, rivers and lakes.

The Earth's surface is covered 4 _____ large areas of water which we call oceans and seas. 5 _____ you have tasted the water from the sea, you will know that, 6 _____ fresh water, seawater tastes salty. This is due to the presence of sodium chloride which comes from the land. Rivers carry it to the sea.

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Although 7 _____ salt nor fresh water has any colour, the sea 8 _____ looks blue in the sunlight. The reason is that sunlight is made up of many colours. Some colours disappear quickly in the sea but blue light bounces 9 _____, or is reflected, to the surface. This makes the sea look blue. 10 _____, a stormy sky will make the sea look grey.

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EXERCISE 1

1. (P)
2. (Q)
3. (D)
4. (J)
5. (G)
6. (C)
7. (L)
8. (B)
9. (K)
10. (A)

EXERCISE 2

1. (P)
2. (J)
3. (H)
4. (G)
5. (K)
6. (C)
7. (L)
8. (D)
9. (M)
10. (Q)

EXERCISE 3

1. (N)
2. (A)
3. (B)
4. (J)
5. (Q)
6. (G)
7. (M)
8. (C)
9. (E)
10. (D)

EXERCISE 4

1. (H)
2. (M)
3. (A)
4. (C)
5. (Q)
6. (L)
7. (J)
8. (G)
9. (K)
10. (B)

EXERCISE 5

1. (K)
2. (M)
3. (J)
4. (Q)
5. (H)
6. (N)
7. (F)
8. (D)
9. (A)
10. (L)

EXERCISE 6

1. (E)
2. (N)
3. (P)
4. (L)
5. (B)
6. (Q)
7. (J)
8. (F)
9. (C)
10. (G)

EXERCISE 7

1. (L)
2. (E)
3. (F)
4. (P)
5. (G)
6. (C)
7. (K)
8. (Q)
9. (M)
10. (J)

EXERCISE 8

1. (F)
2. (N)
3. (D)
4. (A)
5. (L)
6. (G)
7. (E)
8. (H)
9. (M)
10. (C)

EXERCISE 9

1. (A)
2. (D)
3. (F)
4. (E)
5. (K)
6. (G)
7. (J)
8. (C)
9. (B)
10. (L)

EXERCISE 10

1. (Q)
2. (N)
3. (M)
4. (J)
5. (G)
6. (A)
7. (H)
8. (K)
9. (E)
10. (D)

EXERCISE 11

1. (H)
2. (G)
3. (B)
4. (D)
5. (C)
6. (E)
7. (A)
8. (N)
9. (Q)
10. (K)

EXERCISE 12

1. (B)
2. (D)
3. (H)
4. (J)
5. (E)
6. (M)
7. (Q)
8. (G)
9. (N)
10. (L)

EXERCISE 13

1. (Q)
2. (J)
3. (D)
4. (F)
5. (C)
6. (N)
7. (H)
8. (B)
9. (M)
10. (K)

EXERCISE 14

1. (F)
2. (D)
3. (A)
4. (K)
5. (P)
6. (C)
7. (G)
8. (B)
9. (L)
10. (H)

EXERCISE 15

1. (M)
2. (A)
3. (P)
4. (Q)
5. (B)
6. (E)
7. (L)
8. (J)
9. (D)
10. (N)

EXERCISE 16

1. (M)
2. (F)
3. (P)
4. (B)
5. (J)
6. (D)
7. (A)
8. (L)
9. (N)
10. (H)

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