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SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN KUHARA

**PEPERIKSAAN PERCUBAAN SPM 2021
1119/1**

**Tingkatan 5
Bahasa Inggeris
Kertas 1
1 1/2 jam**

Satu jam tiga puluh minit

JANGAN BUKA KERTAS SOALAN INI SEHINGGA DIBERITAHU

Arahan

1. *Tulis nama dan kelas pada ruang yang disediakan.*
2. *Kertas soalan ini mengandungi **lima** bahagian ; **40** soalan.*
3. *Jawab **semua** bahagian dalam kertas soalan ini.*
4. *Baca arahan bagi setiap bahagian dengan teliti.*
5. *Tulis jawapan anda pada ruang jawapan yang disediakan di dalam kertas soalan ini.*

Parts	Marks	
1	8	
2	10	
3	8	
4	6	
5	8	
TOTAL	40	

Instructions

1. *Write your **name** and **class** in the space provided.*
2. *This question paper consists of **five** parts: **40** questions.*
3. *Answer **all** parts in this question paper.*
4. *Read the instructions for each part carefully.*
5. *Write your answer on the answer sheet.*

Kertas peperiksaan ini mengandungi 13 halaman bercetak

Part 1

Questions 1 to 8

Read the text carefully in each questions. Choose the best answer **A**, **B** or **C**. For each questions, mark the correct answer **A**, **B** or **C** on your answer sheet.

Storms, flood in Malaysia – climate change

KUALA LUMPUR : Climate change experts have warned Malaysians to brace for even heavier rain as well as more severe storms and floods. They said the recent floods which crippled parts of Kuala Lumpur were connected to climate change.

“During this monsoon season, we must now collectively recognise that the storms are now stronger and the rains are heavier than ever. The damages that these daily storms are causing, are now costlier than ever. This is the future the scientist have long warned about. Welcome to the climate crisis. Welcome to the future,” Dr Albert Tan said in a statement.

1. The purpose of the newspaper report is
 - A. to explain about causes of climate change.
 - B. to advise readers to be careful because of climate change.
 - C. to inform about dire effects of climate change.

HAPPY MART COSTUMER

- Nothing would bring us more joy than to put a smile on your face when we deliver your groceries.
- Here is a gesture of appreciation for you because we cherish your support.
- Use the code and receive your groceries, packed and delivered safely plus money saved.

SHOP NOW
RM28 off

NOTICE

PROMO CODE : HPPYMRT20



2. Which of the following is **true** about the notice?
 - A. Customers will receive RM28 when they order groceries.
 - B. Customers will get a discount of RM28 when they shop at Happy Mart.
 - C. Customers will only qualify for discount if they use the given promo code.

To : linda@yipee.com
From : adrian@speedymail.com
Subject : A Camp in Manila
<p>Dear Mum,</p> <p>Greetings from Manila. The director of the camp had organized a special reception for us when we met the other participants from Southeast Asia. We had a great time meeting them and breaking the ice. We will be placed in various parts of Manila in two days' time. I can't wait to work with the other team members during the camp.</p> <p>Love, <i>Adrian</i></p>

3. From the email, we know that
 - A. the director of the camp is from Manila
 - B. Adrian met the other participants at the airport.
 - C. Adrian is delighted to be working on the project.

My dad used to work as a diplomat. At the end of every two years, he would remind me to pack my belongings. I realised that the time had come again for me to say goodbye and start again in my new home. From Australia to Japan, from India to France, from Canada to Brazil, I had followed my dad since I finished my primary school education in Malaysia. I had always wondered when the travelling would finally end.

Well, my wish came true when my dad retired. We finally returned to the place where I spent my childhood. The familiar environment made me feel at home. One day, on my way to run some errands, I stopped by a café which I patronized when I was child. Nothing had changed. I glanced through the menu to place an order. Then, a hot cup of coffee and a *kaya* toast were placed in front of me. The café staff still remembered my favourite order even after all these years! It was truly unbelievable!

4. From the text above, we know that the writer
 - A. had friends working in a café.
 - B. used to study in Malaysia.
 - C. had never been to Brazil.

RAISE YOUR VOICE TO SAVE ANIMALS

Malaysia is one of the most bio-diverse countries in the world with 2,199 endemic species. However, about one fifth of these are listed as threatened. The top five endangered mammals are: black shrew, Sumatran rhinoceros, Malaysian tapir, mouse deer and Orangutan. Where wildlife has been pushed to the brink, the establishment of sanctuaries has been invaluable. The key to saving Malaysia's endangered wildlife lies in educating the local communities as to the value of their wildlife, both in the forests and in the seas. People should also be encouraged to inform against wildlife crime.

5. Which of the following statements is **true**?
- A. There are about 2,199 endangered species in Malaysia.
 - B. Sanctuaries are established to save threatened animals.
 - C. People can report about wildlife crime to the sanctuaries.

Did you read the news
this morning?

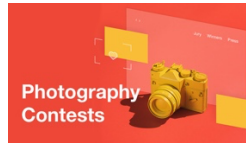
Is it about the burglary in
our housing area? The
robbers were caught red-
handed right?

6. Which of the following is **true**?
- A. The burglars were handed over to the police by the residents.
 - B. The burglars were caught by the police that morning.
 - C. The burglars were caught during the break-in.

Have you been bullied before? If you have, then you will know how helpless and small someone who is being bullied feels. However, most times, bullies are people who themselves feel small. They actually have a very low opinion of themselves. So, they resort to bullying to feel big and powerful. One of the best ways to deal with bullies is to stand up firmly to them. If you can show a bully that you are not scared of him, he will no longer feel big and will eventually stop bullying you.

7. Which of the following statements is **true**?
- A. Victims of bullies should report their problem.
 - B. Hurting bullies is good suggestions.
 - C. Bullies lack of self-confidence

CLICK! MAGAZINE PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST



Rules and Regulations

1. This competition is open to everyone.
2. Participants can send in as many entries as they like.
3. The theme of the competition is: Nature.
4. All entries must be submitted on or before 20 August. Late entries will not be entertained.
5. Download the entry form from our official websites and submit your entries to clickm@publish.org (one email per entry)

8. Which of the following statements is **true**?
- A. Submissions received on 20 August onwards will not be entertained.
 - B. Participants can submit their photo and entry forms via email.
 - C. Participants can submit as many photos as they like on any theme.

Part 2
Questions 9 to 18

Read the text below and choose the best word for each space. For each question, mark the correct letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet.

Forest Therapy

The Centre for Environment, Health and Field Science (0) in Japan's Chiba University carried out various experiments on forest bathing. One of the experiments conducted was to measure the physiological effects of forest bathing on two hundred and eighty participants in their early twenties. The (9) _____ salivary cortisol (something that increase with stress), blood pressure, pulse rate and heart rate was measured. The result showed that (10) _____ in the forest environments promote lower concentration of cortisol. Lower blood pressure and pulse rate. This study showed that being in (11) _____ made the participants much more relaxed. The participants were more rested and less (12) _____ to stress after a forest bath.

Researchers mainly from Japan and South Korea have established a strong body of scientific literature on the health benefits of spending time (13) _____ the canopy of a living forest. (14) _____, Shinrin Yoku forest therapy are being established throughout the world. It is rather a simple idea. It is said that if we simply visit a natural are and walk I a relaxed way, then there will rejuvenating, calming and restorative benefits. The approach to Shinrin Yoku therapy includes (15) _____ walks on gentle paths under the forest canopy with guided activities and meditations to assist you open your senses and experience the forest as you never have (16) _____. There are also group discussions at several points along the walk. These discussions help participants learn from and teach each other about what they are (17) _____.

These are studies that demonstrates the mechanism behind the healing effects of being in natural areas of the wild. As for example, there are many trees that give (18) _____ organic compounds that support our natural killer cells that are part of our immune system's way to fight cancer.

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|-----|----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|
| 9. | A. participant | B. participants | C. participant's | D. participants' |
| 10. | A. living | B. being | C. presence | D. life |
| 11. | A. far | B. jungle | C. natural | D. nature |
| 12. | A. near | B. incline | C. inclined | D. willing |
| 13. | A. by | B. under | C. among | D. between |
| 14. | A. Then | B. Usually | C. Next | D. Now |
| 15. | A. leisure | B. leisurely | C. faster | D. slow |
| 16. | A. before | B. prior | C. now | D. then |
| 17. | A. experience | B. experiencing | C. finding | D looking |
| 18. | A. up | B. of | C. off | D. in |

Part 3

You are going to read an extract from an article. For questions **19 to 26**, choose the correct answer (**A, B, C or D**) and mark the correct letter **A, B, C or D** on your answer sheet.

Facebook was launched on 4 February 2004 and only students at Harvard University had access to it initially. However, due to overwhelming response, it expanded to colleges around Boston and then to various Ivy League colleges. Founded by undergraduate Mark Zuckerberg in 2003, Facebook is one of the most popular social networking in today's times. Today, Facebook has over 2.5 billion users worldwide. If it was a country, Facebook would be the world's largest country by population, around twice the size of China. Out of 4 people, at least 1 person who browses the Internet not only has a Facebook account but has returned to the site within the next hour.

This networking giant is the third most used website in the world after Google and YouTube and has an online traffic of about 25.5 billion across the world. This website not only a platform for networking but is also useful in bettering education, making news more accessible, advertising and promoting businesses. Because of the variety of applications provided by this network, it has almost become *ubiquitous*. It is said that of all the Web's great superpowers – YouTube that keeps us entertained, Google which helps us search for data and information while Microsoft has made it easy for everyone to use computers – one huge advantage of that Facebook has over those other sites is the emotional connections of its user.

It is undeniable that there are so many of us who are comfortable living so much of our life on Facebook. This represents tremendous cultural shift, 72.8% of Facebook users are within the 18-44 years old range. They are Facebook's fastest growing demographic. Facebook makes it all possible – we are more accustomed to openness, our lifestyle is changing. However, this social network platform is a contradiction at times. Facebook is filled with the cherished memories of its users. You can celebrate your loved one's birthday, your child's first steps or mourn and grieve the passing of a friend – however the network makes money because you posting those important moments online. The feelings you experience on Facebook are heartfelt and personal; the data you are providing however makes money for the platform.

Besides being a medium to interact and communicate, Facebook has become a marketing platform for many popular brands. Today, one can easily access all the famous global brands on Facebook. Several small business have become successful on Facebook. People who do not have the capital to open a store have launched their products on Facebook, gaining financial success and recognition. One can buy practically anything on Facebook from shoes, bags, accessories, clothes, phones, laptops, electronic etc. Many of these online stores offer the facility to make online payments and deliver goods to the buyer's home.

Facebook's tagline is '... helps to connect and share with people in your life.' This is the primary mission of the network – to make the world more accessible and connected. Expanding Facebook's function from enabling us to interact with people we like on the network, to interacting with stuff our friends like on other network is a 'natural extension' of what the company has been doing.

Facebook has become a kind of virtual pacemaker, setting the rhythms of our online lives, either by socializing or the serious career networking. Zuckenberg's next goal is even more ambitious: to make Facebook a kind of second nervous system that is rapid-firing more of our thoughts and feelings over the web.

19. In paragraph 1, what does the writer mean by the phrase 'If it was a country, Facebook would be the world's largest country by population....'?

- A. Facebook is a country with a large population.
- B. Facebook is a country founded by Mark Zuckenberg.
- C. Facebook users are very popular and large in number.
- D. Facebook has an extremely large number of users worldwide.

20. In paragraph 2, which of the following is **true** about Facebook?

- A. Facebook has caused massive online traffic worldwide.
- B. Facebook is as famous as Google, YouTube and Microsoft.
- C. Facebook can only be used for networking and advertising.
- D. Facebook helps us search for data and information and keep us entertained.

21. In paragraph 2, which word can **best** replace the word ubiquitous?

- A. Rare
- B. Scarce
- C. Everywhere
- D. Omnipresent

22. In paragraph 3, what are the feelings one will not experience in Facebook?

- A. Fear
- B. Sadness
- C. Warmth
- D. Happiness

23. Why does the writer say that Facebook is a contradiction?

- A. Facebook users are mostly older than 44 years old.
- B. Facebook makes money when you upload photos online.
- C. Facebook users learn a lot about how to change their lifestyles.
- D. Facebook users love to broadcast their precious moments online.

24. In paragraph 4, what is **not true** about Facebook?

- A. Facebook has helped small businesses prosper.
- B. Facebook has limited categories of online stores.
- C. Facebook stores offer the convenience of home deliveries.
- D. Facebook enables one to easily access and purchase global brands.

25. It is stated that Zuckenberg's next goal is '... even more ambitious.' This shows that he is

- A. proud and aspiring
- B. brave and easy going
- C. smart and hardworking
- D. determined and motivated

26. The purpose of this article is to...

- A. encourage new users to open a Facebook account.
- B. inform the readers about the disadvantages of Facebook.
- C. discuss Facebook's style of connecting various social networks.
- D. arouse peoples' interest about the emotional connections on Facebook.

Part 4

Questions 27 to 32

*You are going to read an article about ocean pollution. Six sentences have been removed from the article. Choose from the sentences **A to H** the one which fits each gap (**27 to 32**). There are two extra sentences which you do not need to use.*

*Mark your answers on **the separate answer sheet**.*

Ocean Pollution

Every year, approximately 7 million tons of garbage is found in the ocean. They consist of cigarette filters, medical waste, plastic, fishing nets and many more. Those items of trash entangle or choke many species of marine life that eventually become extinct. **27**.

Of course, ocean pollution does not happen overnight. Some causes of this pollution are sewage, toxic chemicals, land run-off, oil spills, ocean mining, and the biggest cause of all is also the simplest action, which is littering. **28**. First, sewage flows through rivers and drains, directly to the ocean, and when irresponsible individuals dump toxic liquids into water, it infiltrates the soil. Then, excess water from the rain flows over the land and finally into the ocean.

Ocean pollution continues to escalate. The number of pollutants that floated in the sea in 2012 was estimated to weigh 288 million tons. **29**. This huge number continues to increase by 4% each year. That means an increase of 11,520,000 tons of trash each year. Imagine the future of your ocean. Will there be any room to swim?

Most of the trash ends up in a place known as the Great Pacific Garbage Patch. According to Charles Moore, the patch consists of 3.5 million tons of trash. 80% of them are plastic waste such as plastic bottles, plastic bags, plastic caps, and some plastic toys. **30**. The particles accumulate, which creates a high level of toxic chemicals in their tissues. When other fish eat the contaminated fish, the new fish now absorbs the toxic chemical.

31. Consumers should use paper bags or reusable fabric bags instead of plastic bags when they go shopping. This would reduce the plastic situation in the ocean. In addition, the authorities could also position landfills so that trash does not fall into the ocean. Lastly, higher fine should be imposed to individuals and companies to discourage littering

If the causes of ocean pollution are not addressed, water temperatures around the world will continue to rise. Marine life will become more endangered than ever and ultimately, this issue will pose a serious health risks to not only mankind but also animals and the surrounding habitats. **32**. If no efforts are made, perhaps there would be nothing left of the ocean for the next generations.

A	So, how can the issue of ocean pollution be resolved?	E	Therefore, all parties should band together to start working on this problem.
B	This much plastic means that when fish in the sea eat planktons, they are actually eating small plastic particles in the water.	F	Therefore, the public should be aware of how ocean pollution harms Earth and why it should be stopped.
C	How do these items end up in the ocean?	G	Some people argue that ocean pollution is not a big problem.
D	Be mindful because our actions hurt the environment.	H	That is one-third of the amount of food waste produced in the United States in a year.

Part 5

Questions 33 to 40

We interviewed six scientists about food that help people live longer. Read the texts below and answer the questions that follow.

Food Facts According to Scientists

A – David Nieman

Berries like blueberries and blackcurrants have high level of antioxidants that may lower your risk of heart disease, some types of cancer, diabetes and cognitive decline.

B – Justin Sonnenburg

Food like sauerkraut, kimchi, yogurt and kefir contain natural probiotics and help populate your gut with healthy bacteria that can protect you from colds and the flu.

C – Cynthia Sass

Dark chocolate has been shown to boost good cholesterol, lower bad cholesterol, reduce blood pressure, boost brain health and enhance mood. Research also shows it is able to curb cravings for both sweet and salty food.

D – Michael Gregger

Purple cabbage has the same eyesight and brain-protecting antioxidants as berries do, but a fraction of the cost. Slice off shreds to use as a healthy, colourful garnish.

E – Martha Morris

Research shows that having at least one fish meal a week could reduce the risk of developing Alzheimer's disease and slashes your chance of dying from heart disease by about 33 percent.

F – Dan Buettner

A cup of beans every day may add years to your life. They're cheap, and they provide way more protein than meat does. They also have complete carbohydrates and they're full of fibre which helps good bacteria in your gut to flourish.

(Adopted from reader's Digest UK, February 2017 issue)

Question 33 to 36

Which paragraph (A-F) describes the following food fact?

Mark your answers on **the separate answer sheet**.

	Statement	Paragraph
33	Reduce the risk of developing Alzheimer’s disease.	
34	Enhances mood.	
35	Protects from cold and flu.	
36	Lower the risk of a heart disease.	

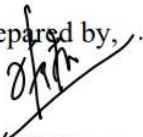
Question 37 to 40


Complete the notes below using information from the text. Choose **no more than one word** from the passage for each answer.

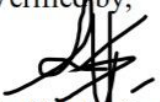
Mark your answers on **the separate answer sheet**.

Nutrition Boost!

- Those looking for a boost in antioxidants should eat (37)_____ or purple cabbage.
- You should opt for dark chocolate instead of milk chocolate (38)_____ your craving for sweets.
- Eating fish and berries regularly may help (39)_____ your chance of dying from a heart disease.
- If you feel like you have caught a cold, take food that contain natural (40)_____ such s kimchi and yogurt.

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