



MODUL PENINGKATAN PRESTASI TINGKATAN 5
TAHUN 2014
MAJLIS PENGETUA SEKOLAH MALAYSIA (KEDAH)

MODUL 1 (PERTENGAHAN TAHUN)

BAHASA INGGERIS
KERTAS 2

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JANGAN BUKA MODUL INI SEHINGGA DIBERITAHU

Arahan

1. Modul ini mengandungi **empat** bahagian.
2. Jawab **semua** bahagian.
3. Anda dinasihatkan supaya mengambil masa 25 minit untuk menjawab soalan **Bahagian A**, 25 minit untuk **Bahagian B**, 50 minit untuk **Bahagian C** dan 35 minit untuk **Bahagian D**.
4. Soalan-soalan yang dikemukakan dalam modul ini mempunyai **empat** pilihan jawapan.
5. Tandakan jawapan Bahagian A pada kertas jawapan yang disediakan di **muka surat 17**.

Instructions

1. This module consists of **four** sections.
2. Answer **all** sections.
3. You are advised to spend about 25 minutes on **Section A**, 25 minutes on **Section B**, 50 minutes on **Section C** and 35 minutes on **Section D**.
4. Questions in this module **have four** options.
5. Mark your answers for Section A on the answer sheet on **page 17**.

Examiner's Code		
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A	15	
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Modul ini mengandungi **17** halaman bercetak

Section A

[15 marks]

LITTLE COTTAGE

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

**Get your beautiful roses here!
For enquires and early
bookings: 707-6472711**



- 1 You may call Little Cottage to
- A surprise the florist.
 - B give beautiful roses.
 - C order flowers as a gift.
 - D enquire about Mother's Day.

7.00 p.m.	Spirit of Love
7.30 p.m.	Do You Dare (Game Show)
8.00 p.m.	Bulletin on 6
9.00 p.m.	Sunday Film: <i>The Odyssey</i> <i>Two young bloggers attempting to document their journey around the world experience a bizarre encounter that leaves one of them having extraordinary powers.</i>
11.30 p.m.	CSI Miami
12.30 a.m.	Close

- 2 In *The Odyssey*, the bloggers
- A try to record their trip.
 - B have phenomenal abilities.
 - C travel to get a bizarre experience.
 - D become excited about their power.



- 3 From the cartoon strip, we can conclude that the
- A son was rude to his father.
 - B father was unsympathetic.
 - C father wished his son to be a top scorer.
 - D son did not perform well in his examination.

When we receive instructions at our law office for making a will, we ask if the author wishes to make an organ donation.

“I wish I had known about that before,” he answered. “I gave my piano away a while ago.”

- 4 The text above is a clear case of
- A misconduct.
 - B misbehaviour.
 - C misjudgement.

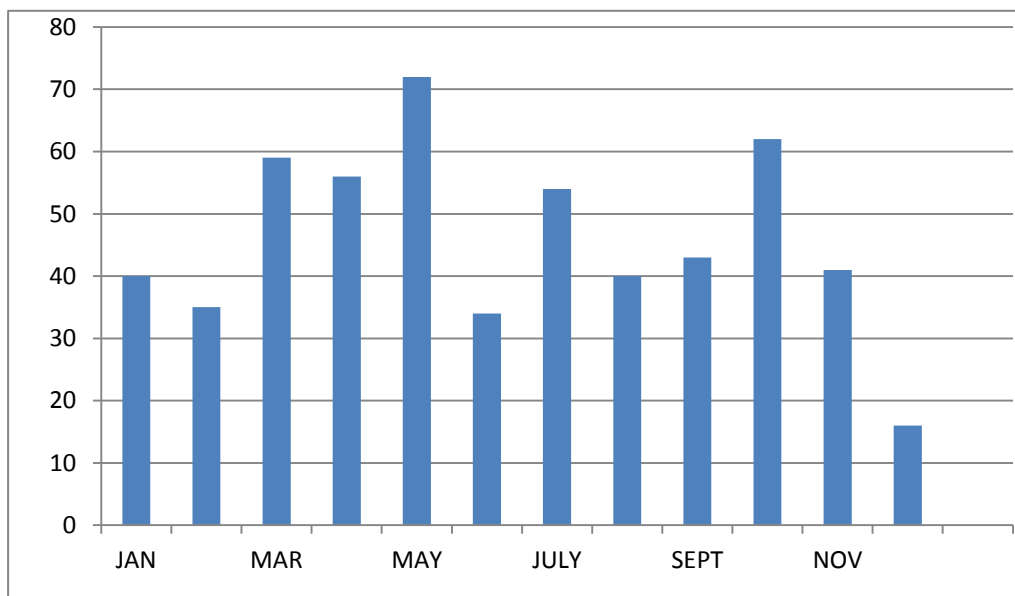
D misinterpretation.

When a waiter served Joe his chicken chop, Joe noticed the waiter's thumb clamped down on top of the meat. "Hey," said Joe. "I don't want your hands all over my food."

"Well," asked the waiter, "Would you be happier if I let it fall on the floor again?"

- 5 From the incident above, we know that the waiter
- A** cheated his customers.
 - B** denied his wrongdoing.
 - C** did not practise good hygiene.
 - D** did not accept the customer's complaint.

Candy sales in 2013



- 6 Based on the chart, which of the following statements is true?
- A** February recorded the worst sales.
 - B** The sales in January and August were alike.
 - C** Candy was more popular at the end of the year.

- D There was a meagre increase in sales in October.



- 7 Planet Express Sdn. Bhd. emphasizes on its customers’
- A reaction.
 - B contribution.
 - C satisfaction.
 - D recommendation.

Dear Editor,

Sadly, despite efforts by authorities to educate children on road safety, many adults seem to encourage children to break traffic rules. From young, they are given the impression that it is all right to break the law. It is common to see more than one child riding pillion on a motorcycle. On top of that, these children do not wear helmets.

Occasionally, we can see a child standing out of a car’s sunroof. The parents are oblivious to the dangers of a sudden brake or accident. Wearing rear seat belts is mandatory but we have yet to see most parents enforce this ruling seriously.

Parents must strictly enforce traffic laws. Otherwise, all the efforts put by the authorities to improve road safety education will not bear fruit.

Concerned Parents

- 8 The aim of the letter by *Concerned Parents* is to highlight
- A parents’ mindset about road safety education.
 - B authorities’ good efforts to enforce traffic laws.
 - C parents’ responsibility to teach their children to be law abiding.

D authorities' strict enforcement to educate parents on road safety.

Questions 9 – 15 are based on the following passage.

People from different countries have extremely different attitudes on gift giving. Americans are perhaps the most fond of giving ____ (9) ____ the Arabs give the most lavish gifts and they may expect lavish gifts in return. The Japanese ____ (10) ____ a mania for giving gifts. On the other hand, giving and receiving gifts in China ____ (11) ____ something of an art and the ritual can be as important as the gift itself.

If you give a Latin American woman a box of handkerchieves, she may think that you want to see her ____ (12) _____. Giving an Argentinean a chrysanthemum would be worse because it is the common flower for ____ (13) ____ in Argentina and suggests death. Never give a knife to anyone as it implies you want to cut off your relationship ____ (14) ____ the receiver.

When giving a gift, hand the gift to the person with both hands. The gift is considered an extension of the person and handing ____ (15) ____ over with both hands is a sign of respect.

When receiving a gift, also accept it with both hands and say thank you.

- 9** **A** but
 B since
 C because
 D therefore

- 13** **A** funerals
 B birthdays
 C weddings
 D anniversaries

- 10** **A** has
 B had
 C have
 D having

- 14** **A** to
 B of
 C for
 D with

- 11** **A** is
 B are
 C was
 D were

- 15** **A** it
 B it's
 C its
 D itself

- 12** **A** cry
 B cries
 C cried
 D crying

Section B

[10 marks]

Questions 16 – 25

Read the news report below and use the information given to answer the questions that follow.

PETALING JAYA: The Selangor state government will start water rationing from 1 June. The Director of the Water Supply Consortium said the focus would be on areas that have been facing water disruption. Last Friday, the Water Supply Consortium would activate its rationing plan.




In addition, the director had also asked the Multi Corp Sdn. Bhd., to supply drinking water to the affected areas. “We pledge that consumers will receive water for four days a week,” he told reporters at a press conference here.

The director said the water rationing would go on until such time that the state government felt the need to discontinue it with the advent of the rainy season, at the end of August. He said the water rationing would help to conserve water in the dams over the next two months should the drought prolong. He also said that Selangor would be divided into two zones for the purpose of water rationing.

The Water Supply Consortium would have discussions with other related authorities in the badly affected areas. The director advised the people to use water sparingly, store enough water for their needs and cut down on activities which used much water during the current drought.

Questions 16-19

Using the information from the news report, complete the table below.

WATER AUTHORITIES INVOLVED		WATER RATIONING		DURATION	
					
16	17			From 18	To 19
WAYS TO SAVE WATER 20 21					

Questions 20-25

Fill in the blanks with suitable words from the news report.

The Water Supply Consortium plans to start water rationing in the state. The Director of Water Supply Consortium pledges that consumers in Selangor will receive water for (22) _____ days weekly. He says the Water Supply Consortium will (23) _____ the water rationing if the rainy season comes earlier. Water rationing is important as it can save up water in the (24) _____. It is hoped that the rain will come at the end of August. The Water Supply Consortium will discuss with the other related authorities in the badly affected areas. During the (25) _____, the people are urged to save water. Cooperation from everyone is much needed.

Section C
[25 marks]

Questions 26 – 31 are based on the following passage.

- 1 “You’ve got to make it. The trip wouldn’t be any fun without you,” Marco insisted while boarding. Then, just as the flight was called, Daniele came running into the departure lounge. “Made it,” he said breathlessly.

- 2 On the Flight 1553 there were 27 passengers, five short of capacity. Marco took his seat next to his team coach, Joe. Daniele took seat 2A, at the front, close to Rossi, who was escorting the Cagliari team. Occupying the window seat in row four was Franco, who was an internationally known pianist. **5**

- 3 While preparing to take off, flight attendant Tina began her safety briefing. Most paid no attention, but Marco would later remember all her words. Flight 1553 lifted off the runway at 11.19 a.m., climbed steeply and banked right onto a northerly course. As the aircraft reached its cruising altitude of 25,000 feet, Marco turned to his coach to discuss his freestyle technique, something Marco knew he had to improve. He used to find his training regimen boring. But once he started winning medals, Marco was hooked. Now he trained two hours a day, five, often six days a week, enjoying the feeling that he was growing stronger, and faster, by the month. **10**
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- 4 Flight 1553 was a short one, and they had been in the air only an hour when Daniele glimpsed the coastline on the horizon. It was announced that the descent was beginning. Landing would be in approximately 20 minutes. The sky that day was crystalline blue, and visibility was perfect. Still, landing could be a challenge. Flanked by mountains to the north, the airport is often battered by strong winds. And with Flight 1553 just minutes from landing, the Genoa tower warned Captain Bono of wind shear on the final approach path. **20**

- 5 Wind shear, the erratic changes in wind speed and direction, is a serious hazard; and to make matters worse, the tower also reported a 20-knot crosswind from Flight 1553’s right that could blow them off the runway. Two minutes to touchdown, the plane rocked and shuddered as it hit strong winds. Marco remained calm. With a minute to land, Captain Bono roared in over the runway at over 260 kilometres per hour. The main landing gear hit the runway with a hard thud. **25**

- 6 Balanced unsteadily on two wheels, Flight 1553 careered down the runway at around 240 kilometres per hour until the nosewheel touched down. Some passengers started screaming hysterically. The plane briefly righted itself, then dipped sharply to the left. From his seat near the front of the cabin, Daniele glanced at Tina, now strapped into her seat. By that time, the aircraft had already eaten up half the landing strip. **30**

- 7 In the cockpit, Bono slammed the emergency brakes. But it was too late; within seconds the rubber had melted off the tyres and the metal wheels made a grinding sound against the runway. At that juncture, Tina urged the passengers to wear the life jackets placed under their seats. Skidding sideways, the plane smashed through a boundary wall. As luggage spewed from the overhead lockers, Daniele’s seat was half- **35**

ripped from the floor and he slumped forward in the aisle. The plane hurtled out into the sea at 110 kilometres an hour, splashing down 30 metres away. **40**

- 8** Unhurt, Daniele got up slowly but his feet were wet. He was in horror. Water was gushing into the cabin, rising past his ankles. He grabbed frantically at his seat belt. "Help! Let us out!" someone yelled. But the plea was unanswered.

- 9** The tonnes of water pouring into the plane pushed the nose deeper under the surface, increasing the tilt in the cabin. Finally, Daniele freed himself. Two rows away, Franco was dazed; it took the musician a moment before he remembered where he was. Climbing up onto his seat, Franco could see that the water was up to the chests of passengers who were seated in front of him. They were about to die, he thought, and his turn was next. Suddenly they all heard a shout from the back of the plane. "Quick, this way!" **50**

(Adapted from *The Reader's Digest*, May 2001)

- 26** From paragraph 1, why was Daniele out of breath?

..... [1 mark]

- 27** From paragraph 2,

- (a) what was the maximum number of passengers for Flight 1553?

..... [1 mark]

- (b) who trained the Cagliari team?

.....[1 mark]

- 28** (a) From paragraph 3, why do you think Marco initially found this training routine boring?

.....

.....[1 mark]

- (b) From paragraph 4, what made landing difficult at times?

.....[1 mark]

- 29** (a) From paragraph 5, which word means *unpredictable*?

.....[1 mark]

(b) From paragraph 6, in your opinion why did the passengers scream frantically?

.....
.....[2 marks]

30 From Paragraph 8, give two possible reasons why the plea was unanswered?

Reason 1:.....[1 mark]

Reason 2:.....[1 mark]

31 Based on the passage given, write a **summary** on:

- the problems the aircraft had to face before and after landing

Credit will be given for use of own words but care must be taken not to change the original meaning.

Your summary must

- be in continuous writing (not in note form)
- use materials from **lines 20 – 46**
- not be longer than **130 words, including the 10 words** given below

Begin your summary as follows:

Flight 1553 began descending and was ready for landing when ...

[15 marks]

Section D

[20 marks]

- 32** Read the two stanzas of the poem *In the Midst of Hardship* below and answer the questions that follow.

At dawn they returned home
their soaked clothes torn
and approached the stove
their limbs marked by scratches
their legs full of wounds
but on their brows
there was not a sign of despair

The whole day and night just passed
they had to brave the horrendous flood
in the water all the time
between bloated carcasses
and tiny chips of tree barks
desperately looking for their son's
albino buffalo that was never found

Latiff Mohidin

- (a) In stanza 1, who does the word 'they' refer to?

..... [1 mark]

- (b) In stanza 2,
(i) which line highlights perseverance?

.....
[1 mark]

- (ii) which word tells us that the animals have been dead for a long time?

..... [1 mark]

- (c) Give two suggestions on how to help flood victims?

Suggestion 1 :
.....

Suggestion 2 :
.....

[2 marks]

ANSWER SHEET FOR SECTION A

1 A B C D

2 A B C D

3 A B C D

4 A B C D

5 A B C D

6 A B C D

7 A B C D

8 A B C D

9 A B C D

10 A B C D

11 A B C D

12 A B C D

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