

**MODUL
PERKEMBANGAN PEMBELAJARAN
SPM 2019**

MPP 3

**BAHASA INGGERIS
KERTAS 2**

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BAHASA INGGERIS

Kertas 2

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Dua jam lima belas minit

JANGAN BUKA KERTAS SOALAN INI SEHINGGA DIBERITAHU**Arahan**

1. *Kertas soalan ini mengandungi empat bahagian. Bahagian A, Bahagian B, Bahagian C dan Bahagian D.*
2. *Jawab semua bahagian dalam kertas soalan ini.*
3. *Soalan-soalan dalam Bahagian A mempunyai empat pilihan. Jawab setiap soalan dengan menghitamkan ruang yang betul di halaman 20.*
4. *Anda dinasihati supaya mengambil masa 25 minit untuk Bahagian A, 25 minit untuk Bahagian B, 50 minit untuk Bahagian C dan 35 minit untuk Bahagian D.*

Instructions

1. *This question paper consists of four sections. Section A, Section B, Section C and Section D.*
2. *Answer all sections.*
3. *Questions in Section A have four options. Answer all the questions by blackening the correct space on page 20.*
4. *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.*

Kertas soalan ini mengandungi 19 halaman bercetak

Section A

[15 marks]

[Time suggested: 25 minutes]

hear.com in Malaysia

Studies prove that untreated hearing loss can cause stress and isolation, increasing the chances of dementia by 50%. Many people wait until their hearing loss is too severe before getting hearing aids. *hear.com*, the largest online hearing aid retailer in the world, is there to make sure that every person who needs it has access to the right solution for their hearing loss within budget.

- 1 From the advertisement, what could make *hear.com* a popular choice?
- A It is the largest online hearing aid retailer in the world.
 - B It offers an affordable solution to hearing loss.
 - C It can decrease the chances of dementia.
 - D It can prevent stress and isolation.

Jane	: Oh, the test was so hard. Quick, Maria.... Is the first question "True" or "False"?
Maria	: "True"
Jane	: How do you know?
Maria	: Because I did my homework and studied for the test...
Jane	: (Silent)... Wow!

- 2 From the dialogue above, we can conclude that
- A the test was difficult.
 - B last minute study helped.
 - C Jane did not work hard enough.
 - D Maria is unsure of her own answer.

Managing stress in its early stages can help maximize the college/university experience and opportunities for students. There are three kinds of common stress that triggers students' experience:

Social

Social stress puts serious peer pressure on students. Dealing with new relationships, balancing academic life with social life, living with or without family members, adjusting to the new environment, all trigger stress in students.

Academic

Strict schedules, deadlines, low grades, challenging classes, exams, responsibilities, and poor time management all lead to a build-up of academic stress.

Daily life

This stress is associated with issues that are not related to academic or social life. These can include daily commute, part-time jobs and financial burdens.

3 Based on the article, which is the most common cause of stress in students?

- A Financial problem
- B Strict everyday schedule
- C Issues related to self-management
- D Problems regarding personal relationships

A Cambridge-based English Literature syllabus will be introduced to secondary schools next year in a move to boost proficiency in the language.

Form Four students will study the syllabus in January and sit for the SPM exam with a new format in 2021, Examinations Syndicate director of examinations Adzman Talib said.

The 18-month curriculum of this elective subject is drawn from 10 poems, one novel or six short stories, and one drama, he said.

Adapted from: The Star, 23 June 2019


4 According to the article, all SPM 2021 candidates will be

- A given the option to learn English Literature.
- B tested on English Literature in 18 months.
- C taking English to improve their language.
- D answering English with the latest format.

Delete My Account

Your account has been deactivated from the site and will be permanently deleted within 14 days. If you log into your account within the next 14 days, you will have the option to cancel your request.

- 5 From this message, we know that the user
- A may cancel the deactivation within the time given.
 - B is not allowed to deactivate the account.
 - C has to close the account within 14 days.
 - D is unable to use the site after the request is cancelled.

Avoid Dengue Fever		
<p>What is Dengue Fever?</p> <p>Dengue fever is a disease caused by a family of viruses that are transmitted by mosquitoes.</p>	<p>What Are The Symptoms?</p> <p>They include severe joint and muscle pain, swollen lymph nodes, headache, fever, exhaustion and rash. The presence of fever, rash, and headache.</p> <p>Dengue haemorrhagic fever (DHF) is a specific syndrome that tends to affect children under 10 years of age. It causes abdominal pain, haemorrhage (bleeding), and circulatory collapse (shock).</p>	<p>What Can You Do To Prevent Dengue?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Avoid mosquito bites ➤ Reduce mosquito habitats 
<p>TAKE ACTION TODAY!</p>		

- 6 The purpose of the poster is to
- A explain that Malaysia is facing dengue outbreak.
 - B suggest the right treatment to the high-risk people.
 - C advise the public to take action to reduce the symptoms.
 - D encourage people to take the initiative in decreasing dengue risks.

Sardines are rich in both vitamin D and omega-3 fatty acids. Both of these nutrients are known to overcome one's minor depressive disorder. Low vitamin D levels have been linked to depression around the globe. Some studies have linked its deficiency to other mental health problems such as personality disorder and post-traumatic stress disorder. Therefore, eating food rich in vitamin D can make people happier.

- 7 What is the main idea of the above extract?
- A Depression is a global problem.
 - B Sardines have high nutritional values.
 - C Eating sardines can overcome depression.
 - D Lack of vitamin D can cause personality disorder.

Mid Valley City Charity Run 2019

The Mid Valley City Charity Run is a Corporate Social Responsibility initiative by Mid Valley City with the aim to support various NGOs and their efforts to build awareness of issues that affect Malaysians as a whole. The run is open to the public. However, parents' approval is a must for the participants under 18 years of age.

This year, participants will be running to end education inequity in Malaysia. Participants' registration fees will be channelled to Teach For Malaysia for the work they do in the lives of thousands of students in high-need schools across Malaysia.

- 8 In the text above, we can conclude that the Mid Valley City Charity Run
- A helps improve education in Malaysia.
 - B requires no parents' permission.
 - C gives support to all NGOs.
 - D is open to adults.

Questions 9 – 15 are based on the following passage.

Crab catching can be fun but it is only for those who do not mind the mud and the smell. The crab catcher must be immune to the stench of the swamp. And of course he must have stamina and a sense of adventure ____9____ struggling through the mud is just like a fly struggling in a pudding.

The tools of a crab catcher are simple. All he needs are some traps and baits. He needs a parang too to ____10____ his way through thick mangrove swamps. The trap itself is a simple affair, crude and primitive in nature. A bamboo of about ten centimetres thick is cut into two pieces, each measuring about 80 centimetres. They are bent slightly by heating them ____11____ a fire. A cross arch is formed by tying the mid section of the bamboo with a sturdy string. A bait is ____12____ from the cross-joint by a string. Then it is submerged into the water. All the crab catcher has to do now is to wait.

It all sounds so simple. ____13____ waiting in the mud is all but simple because it is actually an invitation for the mosquitoes to attack. Therefore, a crab catcher must keep moving just to keep the mosquitoes at bay. He must also keep brushing the ____14____ area of his body because the mosquitoes sting by the thousands. A few hours later, he checks the traps. He quickly ____15____ his catch by tying the mean-looking pincers with a length of string before putting it away.

- 9 A or
B as
C but
D and

- 13 A However
B Moreover
C Consequently
D Nevertheless

- 10 A cut
B saw
C slice
D hack

- 14 A opened
B sheltered
C unhidden
D exposed

- 11 A with
B over
C in
D by

- 15 A rope
B ropes
C roped
D roping

- 12 A suspend
B suspends
C suspended
D suspending

Section B

[10 marks]

[Time suggested : 25 minutes]

Questions 16 to 25

Read the following poster and answer the questions that follow.





Dear Nature Lover,

YOU are chosen to be a part of the upcoming September issue of the Think Green Magazine! The theme this time is on tigers and we would like to know why Malayan Tigers matter to you.

It's easy & it's fun! All you need to do is to write about the importance of tiger conservation by emailing us either a photo, drawing, message, poem, short story or a short video. Here's your chance to show that you care about these majestic tigers that we have in the wild.

Follow these 2 simple steps :

<p>1</p>  <p>SAVE US!</p>	<p>2</p> 
<p>Create your own tiger-inspired content: snap a picture with a caption or write a conservation message</p>	<p>Email to Atiqah / Naim at mytiger@thinkgreen.org.my</p>
	<p>Entries must include full name and contact number.</p>

So come on and let's get started! We can't wait to see your creative content!

Deadline : Entries must be received by 31st August 2019

Questions 16 to 20

Using the information from the poster, complete the table below.

Name of magazine	16
Last date of entry	17
Details to be included in the entry	18
	19
Theme	20

[5 marks]

Questions 21 to 25

You want to encourage your friend to send an entry to the magazine. Using words from the poster, complete the email below. Use **no more than three words**.

Dear Sherry,

You know how you are such a 21 _____, right? Have you seen the latest poster shared by our friends on Facebook? I do believe that you should send your entry. You are such a creative person – you can either write a 22 _____ or a 23 _____ or you can take photos or make videos. The choice is yours. And the subject matter is close to your heart too – the 24 _____. Just be sure that you have an 25 _____ account as that is the only way to send your entry. So what are you waiting for!!

[5 marks]

Section C

[25 marks]

[Time suggested: 50 minutes]

Questions 26 – 31 are based on the following passage.

- 1 I often think about my childhood friend, Ismail. Back in the early 60s, our families lived a stone's throw from each other on the outskirts of Kuala Lumpur, surrounded by a vast expanse of rubber and oil palm trees. Ismail's father was the plantation lorry driver and Ismail was the eldest of five children. No one was bothered that Ismail was a Malay Muslim and we were Indian Hindus. We just accepted our differences. 5
- 2 We must have been nine when we became friends. Ismail, my elder brother Jothi and I would watch with fascination as his father busied himself in his workshop. Ismail's father, a genial bear of a man, was a handyman of sorts. Once he converted a huge cylindrical glass container into an aquarium. We were thrilled whenever we had the chance to help him with his tools. 10
- 3 In time, the three of us built a den from discarded zinc sheets and old wooden planks not far from our homes. Here, we spent many a sultry afternoon, away from my younger sister Prema, a curious seven-year-old who constantly wondered what her secretive brothers were up to. We would enjoy the sugarcane and guavas that Ismail brought from his garden. We would provide the tapioca, kitchen utensils and salt, all surreptitiously taken from our home. Mom was suspicious at times but she never made a fuss over her 'missing' utensils. After washing the tapioca using water from a nearby stream, we then sliced it into thin half-moon discs, sprinkled on a little salt and deep fried them in the wok over an open fire. That was how we made our own tapioca chips. I have never tasted better ones. 15 20
- 4 During the school holidays, we would explore the countryside on our bicycles, hoping to come across the unexpected. Going zipping past the cliffs with a sheer ravine falling away on the other side of the path was exhilarating! Stopping to catch our breath, we would watch *the flash of colour* as a kingfisher flew by. These experiences filled us with a sense of adventure and awe. 25
- 5 Perhaps because he was the oldest child, Ismail acted responsibly and was seldom emotional. He had a steady hand and was quick to help. Once, he deftly removed a thorn that had pierced my foot while we were swimming in a stream.
- 6 Occasionally, during the weekends, Jothi and I would go to Ismail's house. His younger sisters minded baby Udin, as their mother, a petite woman in a sarong, smiled and busied herself in the small kitchen. I remember once she stewed some chicken while the children peered into the pot and murmured "delicious". Just like my family, they rarely had meat. At times Ismail would accompany our family as we made a rare shopping trip to town. We would be glad of his company. The shy smile on his face spoke a thousand words. 30 35
- 7 The years passed and memories of my childhood days grew hazy. One dismal afternoon in mid 1983, I stopped a taxi in Kuala Lumpur and got in just as the skies opened up. I stated my destination and prayed that I would not be late for my job

interview. There was a recession and jobs were scarce. The driver, a small, neatly dressed man, looked intently at me through his mirror. "Raddar?" he said, using my childhood nickname. I was astonished at being so familiarly addressed. There was no mistaking that shy smile – it was Ismail! 40

- 8 As I grasped his shoulder over the front seat, I felt a genuine affection, something hard to describe. He patted my hand and said "I haven't seen you in a while, friend." 45
We chatted as he drove. Ismail's parents were well. His sisters were married and so was he. His work as a taxi driver was temporary. He would soon be heading to Pahang to work. Someone once said: "Friendship – pure, unselfish friendship – nurtures, strengthens and lengthens a relationship."

(Adapted from Reader's Digest, 2011)

- 26 (a) From paragraph 1, what was Ismail's father's job?

..... [1 mark]

- (b) From paragraph 2, what did Ismail's father do that shows he was a handyman?

..... [1 mark]

- 27 (a) From paragraph 3, why was the writer's mother suspicious?

..... [1 mark]

- (b) From paragraph 4, what does the phrase 'the flash of colour' in line 25 refer to?

..... [1 mark]

- 28 (a) From paragraph 5, what had possibly made Ismail a responsible and unemotional boy?

..... [1 mark]

- (b) From paragraph 6, which word conveys the meaning of 'took care of'?

..... [1 mark]

- 29 (a) From paragraph 7, why do you think the writer did not want to be late for his job interview?

..... [1 mark]

(b) From paragraph 8, "As I grasped his shoulder over the front seat, I felt a genuine affection, something hard to describe." (Line 44 – 45)

In your own words, explain the writer's feeling.

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..... [1 mark]

30 Suggest **one** way to maintain friendships.
Give a reason why you think this would work.

(i) Way to maintain friendships:
..... [1 mark]

(ii) Reason:
..... [1 mark]

31 Based on the passage given, write a summary on **how the writer and Ismail spent their time together during their childhood.**

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 form (not in note form)
- **use materials from lines 6 – 36**
- not be longer than **130 words, including the 10 words** given below

Begin your summary as follows:

The writer and Ismail became friends at nine and they ...

[15 marks]

ANSWER SHEET FOR QUESTION 31

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Section D

[20 marks]

[Time suggested: 35 minutes]

32 Read the following stanzas of **The Living Photograph** and answer the questions that follow.

The Living Photograph

*My small grandmother is tall there,
 straight-back, white broderie anglaise shirt,
 pleated skirt, flat shoes, grey bun,
 a kind, old smile round her eyes.
 Her big hand holds mine,
 white hand in black hand.
 Her sharp blue eyes look her own death in the eye.*

*It was true after all; that look.
 My tall grandmother became small.
 Her back round and hunched.
 Her soup forgot to boil.
 She went to the awful place grandmothers go.
 Somewhere unknown, unthinkable.*

*But there she is still,
 in the photo with me at three,
 the crinkled smile is still living, breathing.*

Jackie Kay

- (a) In stanza 1, how do we know that the grandmother was loving towards the persona?
 [1 mark]
- (b) In stanza 2, "Her soup forgot to boil."
 What does this show about the grandmother?
 [1 mark]
- (c) Which phrase represents unpleasant condition?
 [1 mark]
- (d) What is the emotion felt by the persona in stanza 3?
 Why do you think so?
 Emotion: [1 mark]
 Reason:
 [1 mark]
 [5 marks]

33 The following are the novels studied in the literature component in English Language.

- Dear Mr Kilmer - Anne Schraff
- Sing to the Dawn - Minfong Ho
- Captain Nobody - Dean Pitchfore

Choose any *one* of the novels above and answer the question below.

“Family support is important in achieving one’s dream.”

How far is this true in the novel you have studied? Support your answer with close reference to the text.

[15 marks]

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ANSWER SHEET FOR QUESTION 31

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ANSWER SHEET FOR SECTION A

Blacken only one space for each question. If you wish to change your answer, erase the blackened mark that you have made. Then blacken the space for the new answer.

EXAMPLE :



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)

13 (A) (B) (C) (D)

14 (A) (B) (C) (D)

15 (A) (B) (C) (D)

Section	Mark	
A	15	
B	10	
C	25	
D	20	
Total	70	

END OF QUESTION PAPER