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Annual Examinations for Primary Schools 2022

Year 5	ENGLISH (Listening Comprehension)	Time: 30 min
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Name: _____

Class: _____

Total: 20 marks

A. Tick (✓) the correct word, phrase or sentence to answer the questions.

1. Who is the White Prince?

- a) A lion
- b) A boy
- c) A rabbit
- d) A deer

2. Why did the White Prince never kill animals?

- a) Animals scared him.
- b) He never learned when he was young.
- c) Bertie did not allow it.
- d) He lived in a cage.

3. How do we know that the White Prince lived a good life?

- a) He roamed free in the park.
- b) He had no interest in escaping.
- c) He was treated as one of the family.
- d) All of the above.

4. Where did the White Prince sleep?

- a) In a car
- b) On a sofa
- c) Near the front door
- d) By the stove

5. What does the phrase “you have to draw the line somewhere” mean?

- a) One should accept everything.
- b) One should draw a straight line.
- c) One should set a limit.
- d) One should go somewhere else.

6. Why did Bertie never sleep well?

- a) His leg hurt.
- b) He missed the White Prince.
- c) His bed was uncomfortable.
- d) He felt very cold.

7. What did Bertie do when his leg ached?

- a) He leaned on something or someone.
- b) He lay in bed all day.
- c) He put his leg up.
- d) He sat down near the stove.

8. What surrounded the park?

- a) Fields
- b) Hills
- c) Walls
- d) Houses

9. Where was the White Prince laid to rest?

- a) Outside the kitchen window
- b) Under a tree
- c) At the top of a hill
- d) At the foot of a hill

10. Who is telling the story?

- a) Bertie
- b) The White Prince
- c) Bertie's wife
- d) A child

(10 x 1 mark = 10 marks)

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B. Tick (✓) to show whether these sentences about the White Prince are TRUE or FALSE.

	True	False
1. He loved to chase kites.		
2. He never tried to escape.		
3. He liked to follow Bertie around.		
4. His eyes were black.		
5. He died very young.		
6. His eyesight improved over time.		

(6 X ½ mark = 3 marks)

C. Tick (✓) TWO activities that the family did on Sundays.

1. walk in the park		4. go for a drive	
2. chase rabbits		5. fly kites	
3. climb trees		6. have a picnic	

(2 x ½ mark = 1 mark)

D. Tick (✓) TWO activities the White Prince did when Bertie was not at home.

1. wait on the landing		4. listen for Bertie's car	
2. sit near the stove		5. sit on top of Wood Hill	
3. roam in the park		6. try to escape	

(2 x ½ mark = 1 mark)

E. Fill in the blanks with a suitable WORD.

- Bertie and his wife did not have _____ of their own.
- Bertie wanted the White Prince to sleep in the _____.
- Bertie's leg hurt when the weather was cold and _____.
- Bertie's wife flew kites at the _____ of the hill.
- Bertie's wife _____ planting a tree to remember the White Prince.

(5 x 1 mark = 5 marks)

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