

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE – PAPER 2
PRIMARY 6**

ANSWER KEY

BOOKLET A

Section A: Grammar MCQ	Section B: Vocabulary	Section C: Vocabulary Cloze	Section D: Visual Text MCQ
1. (3)	11. (3)	16. (1)	21. (2)
2. (1)	12. (2)	17. (1)	22. (1)
3. (3)	13. (1)	18. (1)	23. (4)
4. (3)	14. (3)	19. (1)	24. (1)
5. (4)	15. (4)	20. (2)	25. (4)
6. (2)			26. (2)
7. (1)			27. (3)
8. (3)			28. (4)
9. (4)			
10. (2)			

BOOKLET B

Section G: Grammar Cloze (10marks)	Section H: Editing (10marks)
29. (C) on	39. being
30. (Q) however	40. threatened
31. (H) much	41. in
32. (J) between	42. bigger
33. (F) have	43. chatters
34. (K) some	44. phase
35. (A) as	45. terrified
36. (M) over	46. stiffens
37. (P) off	47. Armed
38. (D) of	48. ammunition
	49. loose
	50. This

Section I: Comprehension CLOZE (15 marks)		
No.	1 mark	0 mark
51.	up	off
52.	soldier / whom / that	
53.	rest / others	
54.	down	
55.	enough	
56.	trenches	holes
57.	an	
58.	sun	
59.	until / till	
60.	tree	
61.	day	
62.	place	absence
63.	make	
64.	However / Unfortunately	
65.	understand	

Section J: Synthesis & Transformation (10 marks)	
66.	<u>This is the building</u> where <u>my father works.</u> (2m)
67.	The heavy rain <u>makes playing football impossible.</u> (2m) The heavy rain <u>means playing football is impossible.</u> (2m) The heavy rain <u>makes it impossible to play football.</u> (2m) The heavy rain <u>means it is impossible to play football.</u> (2m)
68.	She asked, " <u>Will you be going for the trip?</u> " (2m)
69.	<u>The suitcase that Mary bought was neither big</u> nor <u>light.</u> (2m) <u>The suitcase that Mary bought was neither light</u> nor <u>big.</u> (2m)
70.	<u>Ahmad was upset</u> by his <u>failure to do well in the examination.</u> (2m)

Section K: Comprehension OE (20 marks)

71.

Yes, she did.

No, she did not.

Reason 1:

She had to haggle with the grocer, vegetable man and butcher.

Reason 2:

She had to stop buying treats for herself.

72. caressing

73. It refers to Della selling her hair in order to get money to buy a nice Christmas present for Jim.

74. The shop proprietress was very experienced in her trade.

75.

(a) suddenly	abruptly
(b) euphoric	ecstatic
(c) embarrassed	ashamed

Section K: Comprehension OE (20 marks)

76. It refers to the gold watch that had belonged to Jim's father and grandfather.

77.

Sentence	True / False	Reason
(a) Jim was delighted at Della's new hairstyle.	False	He had an expression on his face that Della could not describe but which frightened her.
(b) Jim's gold watch was a family heirloom.	True	The watch had belonged to his father and grandfather.
(c) Della's gift was something that she had always wanted.	True	Della shouted in joy when she saw the combs and it was something that she had worshipped for a long time.

78.

___2___ Della sold her hair.

___1___ Jim replaced the gold chain strap with a leather one.

___3___ Della bought Jim a gold chain strap.

79. Della's gift needed Jim's watch in order to be functional, while Jim's gift needed Della's hair. Jim meant that since the parts of the gift were missing, they could not be used until he can buy back his watch and Della's hair grew back.

Jim had sold his watch to buy Della the combs. Hence, just as how his gift to her was useless without her hair, her gift to him was equally useless since he had no watch for the chain.

Section K: Comprehension OE (20 marks)

80. They both sacrificed something that they both loved and sold them in order to buy a nice Christmas gift for each other.