ENGLISH HL 2025 OLYMPIAD EXAMINATION:

GRADE ONE MEMO

QUESTION ONE:

Choose the correct picture to complete the sentences below. Put a tick on the right picture.

1.1 I put food in my _____

X

(1)

1.2 I call my friend on the _____

X

(1)

1.3 The girl sits on the _____

(1)

1.4 I pour tea out of the_____. Circle the right answer.

a) trunk
b) tail
c) teapot
d) tank

(1)

Marks: 4

QUESTION TWO:

Tick the correct answer:

2.1 It is nice to drink a

warm	cold

cup of tea.

2.2 I stir my tea with a

fork	spoon

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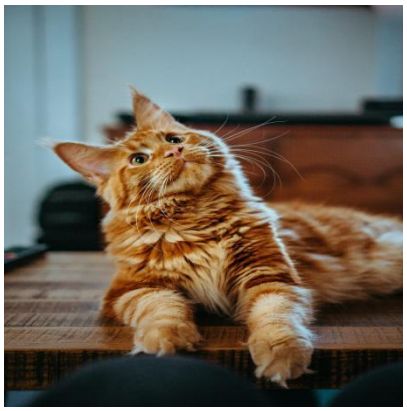
(2)

Marks: 2

QUESTION THREE:

Write the starting letter of these words:

3.1



C

_____

3.2

B

_____

(2)

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QUESTION FOUR:

Read the adapted story by Phyllis Root below and answer the questions that follow:

The Chase

Tabby Cat chases a mouse in the kitchen.

The mouse runs away quickly.

Tabby Cat chased a butterfly in the garden.

The butterfly flies away.

Tabby Cat chases a frog near the water pond.

The frog hops away.

Tabby Cat chases the flower in a flower pot.

Good catch, Tabby Cat!

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4.1 Place a cross next to the correct answer.

What is the title of the story? **(1)**

Taby Cat Goes to Town	
The Chase	X
Taby Cat in the Tree	

4.2 What does Tabby Cat chase first? **(1)**

The mouse	X
A butterfly	
The flower	

4.3 Where was the mouse? **(1)**

In the kitchen.	X
In the garden.	
Near the pond.	

4.4 What does the butterfly do when Tabby Cat chases it? **(1)**

Runs away.	
Hops away.	
Flies away.	X

4.5 How does the mouse run away? **(1)**

quickly	X
slowly	
steadily	

4.6 What is the plural of mouse?

MICE_____ **(1)**

Marks: (6)

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QUESTION FIVE:

5.1 In the garden you will find _____. Tick the correct answers below:

Buttons	
Flowers	✓
Grass	✓
Roses	✓
Saucepan	

(3)

Marks: 3

QUESTION SIX:

6. Rewrite the sentences below with capital letters, full stops and question marks.

6.1 tabby Cat feels happy

Tabby Cat feels happy.

(2)

6.2 where did that mouse go

Where did that mouse go?

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(2)

Marks: 4

QUESTION SEVEN:

7. Nouns are naming words.

7.1 Choose the correct common noun from the options below:

Tabby Cat wears a hat.

a) Tabby

b) Cat

c) wears

d) hat

(1)

7. Verbs are doing words or actions.

7.2 Choose the verb in the sentence below.

Tabby Cat chases everything.

a) Tabby
b) Cat
c) chases
d) everything

(1)

Marks: 2

QUESTION EIGHT:

8. Solve the riddles below:

(Hint: you will find all of these things in your home.)

8.1 What keeps going up but never moves?

A staircase/ staircase /stairs /steps

(1)

8.2 What has one head, one foot, and four legs.

A bed / bed

(1)

Marks: 2

TOTAL FOR PAPER: 25