11 Plus Examination

Paper 3

Verbal Reasoning

Total marks: [40]

Time allowed: 25 minutes

Instructions

- You have 25 minutes.
- Dictionaries are not allowed.
- There are 40 marks available. If you get stuck, go onto the next question and come back at the end.
- Each question is worth 1 mark.
- Use either pen or pencil and write your answers on the paper.

Full name _____

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Section One: Muddled up sentences

Rearrange the words to make a sentence

1. leftover we bread fed pigeons the some with

2. lovely it so a day went we was hiking sunny

3. was the difficult expecting was not as as I exam

4. some the them delicious friendly gave man chocolate

5. walk the his dog in forest the enjoyed

Section Two: Matching Meanings

Choose one word which links to both words in both sets of brackets.

1. (trouser, iron) (newspaper, media)

shirt	board	press	shop	phone

2. (admirer, supporter) (handheld, heater)

fan	journalist	wave	football	machine

3. (reduce, decrease) (illuminate, irradiate)

lessen	lighten	slow	add	lose

4. (stop, attack) (gear, equipment)

halt	kit	tackle	win	camping

5. (persuade, coerce) (assemble, erect)

build	construct	impress	make	object

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Section Three: Making new words

Choose one word from the left and one from the right set of brackets to make a new word

1. (gas, light, fire) (fighter, energy, hold)

2. (in, under, through) (beneath, side, cart)

3. (bowl, cup, spoon) (cake, cereal, sugar)

4. (face, nose, eye) (noise, sight, fingers)

5. (spill, drop, throw) (age, pent, end)

Section Four: Word Connections

Follow the pattern to make a new word in the brackets.

1. kind (mind) mop	fate (	) drip
2. told (doll) left	pink (	) deft
3. braw (wren) send	mast (	) milk
4. camp (part) rate	hart (	) keen
5. move (core) rice	push (	) came

Section Five: Find the Missing Letter

Find one letter which goes at the end and start of each of these pairs.

1. plan ( ) go

2. star ( ) his

3. star ( ) in

4. was ( ) ear

5. cur ( ) ring

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Section Six: Logic Problems

1. Ed's birthday is on 17th February. Mike's birthday is three weeks after Ed's. Barbara's birthday is two days before Mike's.

a. When is Mike's birthday?

b. When is Barbara's birthday?

2. Bilal was born in 1975 and his dad was 35 when he was born.

a. When was Bilal's dad born?

b. How old is Bilal in 2024?

3. The bus to school leaves at 0802 and takes 17 minutes. I live four minutes away from the bus stop.

a. What time do I get to school?

b. What time do I need to leave my house to catch the bus?

4. Five people take part in a competition. Sandy won. Ranjit didn't come last. Erisha was placed in front of Ranjit. Martha didn't do as well as Ranjit. Gok came second.

a. Who came last?

b. Who came third?

5. My mum is 45 today. If I am twice as old as my brother, and my dad is four times as old as him, and my mum is one year older than my dad, how old:

a. Is my brother?

b Am I?

Section Seven: Sequences

Find the missing numbers in these sequences

1.	5	1	5	3	_____	7	5	9
2.	____	8	16	32	64			
3.	6	9	____	18	24	31		
4.	1	2	3	5	8	_____		
5.	100	90	____	40	0			

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ANSWERS

Section One

1. We fed the pigeons with some leftover bread
2. It was a lovely sunny day so we went hiking
3. The exam was not as difficult as I was expecting
4. The friendly man gave them some delicious chocolate
5. The dog enjoyed his walk in the forest

Section Two

1. press 2. fan 3. lighten 4.tackle 5. make

Section Three

1. firefighter 2. inside 3. cupcake 4. eyesight 5. spillage

Section Four

1. date 2. kind 3. tail 4. take 5. much

Section Five

1. e 2. t 2. k 4. h 5. b

Section Six

1. a. 9th March b. 7th March

2. a. 1940 b. 49

3. 0819 c. 0758

4.a. Martha b. Erisha

5. a. 11 b. 22

Section Seven

1. 5 2. 4 3.13 4.13 5.70

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