



## **11 Plus Examination**

### **Paper 2**

### **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** \_\_\_\_\_

**Section One: Odd Ones Out**

Choose two words which don't belong in these groups:

1. cat          puppy          chicken          kitten          foal
2. sonnet      novel          play          haiku          ballad
3. table      desk          chair          stool          sofa
4. carefully   cautious      slowly          quickly      active
5. adult      child          teenager      pensioner   adolescent

### Section Two: Codes

Use the alphabet to help you solve these questions

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

1. If the code for GRADE is HSBEF, what is the code for RESULTS?
2. If the code for KITTEN is IGRRCL, what is the code for PUPPY?
3. NYNVMR is the code for LAPTOP. What is the code for COMPUTER?
4. FPJPNYO is the code for ENGLISH. What is the code for MATHS?
5. If the code for TEACHER is GVZXSVI, what is the code for PUPIL?

### Section Three: Find the missing word

The word in capitals has four letters missing, which make another four-letter word.

1. Richard enjoyed PY of food at the party.
2. The fox lived in a burrow BEH the tree.
3. Anya SPED her knee playing hockey.
4. PIC is easily recyclable to make new items.
5. Ethan liked to swim in the SOW end of the pool.

### Section Four: Numbers

If  $a = 14$ ,  $b = 4$ ,  $c = 8$  and  $d = 10$ , find the value of:

1. ad
2. b (a-d)
3. bc – d
4. c ÷ b
5. d (a + b)

### Section Five: Anagrams

Rearrange the letter in capitals to make a word.

1. My MBRODEO has got pink wallpaper.
2. The children DJEYONE their dance lessons.
3. The EHWATRE is sunny today.
4. Ranjit plays LBTFOAOL at the weekend.
5. My WSDHCIAN contains ham and cheese.

### Section Six: Missing Letters

Use the alphabet to help you solve these questions

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

1. AB is to ZY as EF is to
2. FH is to IL as MP is to
3. YT is to ZS as PN is to
4. AD is to EH as JL is to
5. FG is to EH as LM is to

### Section Seven: Hidden Words

Find the hidden four letter words in these sentences

1. Most of the rooms in my house are small.

2. Paula woke very early because of the sun.
3. The apples were delicious straight from the tree.
4. Angel did rip the paper before he put it in the bin.
5. Steve tripped over the cat.

### Section Eight: Make new words

Move one letter from the first word to the second to make two new words

1. blows      sips
2. heart      tip
3. drain      rip
4. spilt      ride
5. plain      bran



## ANSWERS

### Section One: Odd Ones Out

1. chicken    kitten

2. novel    play

3. table    desk

4. cautious    active

5. pensioner    adult

### Section Two: Codes

1. SFTVMUT

2. NSNNW

3. EMONWRGP

4. NCWLX

5. KFKRO

### Section Three: Find the missing word

1. LENT    2. NEAT    3. RAIN    4. LAST    5. HALL

### Section Four: Numbers

1. 140    2. 16    3. 22    4. 2    5. 180

### Section Five: Anagrams

1. bedroom    2. enjoyed    3. weather    4. football    5. sandwich

### Section Six: Missing Letters

1. VU    2. PT    3. QM    4. OP    5. KN

### Section Seven: Hidden Words

1. hero    2. ever    3. heap    4. drip    5. dove

### Section Eight: Make new words

1. l    2. r    3. d    4. p    5. i