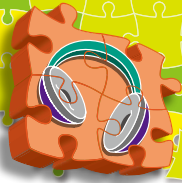


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# Listening 4

BASIC

## Part 1

Ken and his mum are planning a trip to Moony Farm. Listen carefully and choose the best answers for Questions 1–5.

S3 1. What time will Ken's family leave home for the farm?

- A. 7:00 a.m.
- B. 7:45 a.m.
- C. 8:15 a.m.
- D. 8:45 a.m.

**HINT:**

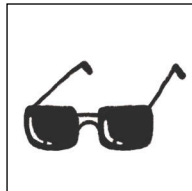
What time does Ken get home from jogging?

2. What will Ken have for breakfast?

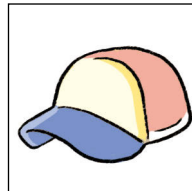
- A. chicken and lettuce salad
- B. noodles with beef
- C. toast and fruit salad
- D. pork chop with fried eggs

S4 3. Ken will **NOT** bring \_\_\_\_\_ on the trip.

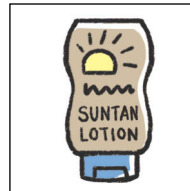
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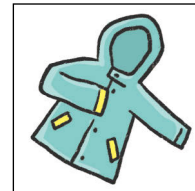
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C.



D.




**HINT:**

Pay attention to the weather forecast.

4. Which is **TRUE** about the trip?

- A. Ken's mum does not like feeding animals.
- B. Ken rode a water bike last year.
- C. Ken plays ball games every morning.
- D. Ken is going on this trip in late August.

5. How does Ken feel about this trip?

- A. bored
- B. excited
- C. upset
- D. worried



# Reading 5

BASIC

sample

Chloe went to Africa last week. Read one of her diary entries carefully. Choose the best answers for Questions 1–6 and complete Question 7.

Sunny

31 July 20XX (Fri)

The school gave us a chance to do voluntary work in another country! I wanted to go to a farm in New Zealand but it was already full. A few hours later, there was only one choice left. It was a kindergarten in Kenya, and I signed up for it.

We arrived in Kenya three days ago. A teacher showed us around the kindergarten. The children there welcomed us with a traditional African dance. There were about fifty children in a class. We helped the teacher teach in small groups. 5

Yesterday, I did something different with the children. I taught them to make sock puppets. I used a pair of scissors and cut some circles and strips from a piece of paper. They were the eyes and ears of my sock rabbit. Then, I stuck them onto a sock. A boy called Omari was very good at this. He made a sock elephant that looked incredible! 10

The kindergarten held a running race this morning. I was very clumsy and I fell during the race. My leg was hurt and I wanted to give up. However, Omari helped me to get up and we continued the race. We were the last to finish but we were happy. After the race, we had an African drink, Baobab fruit juice. Although the taste was a bit strange, I enjoyed it. 15

We have a party tomorrow and we are preparing the party food today. Then, we will go home two days later. I hope I can keep in touch with the children here. 20

### Mini Dictionary

**traditional** – following the ideas and methods that have existed for a very long time

**sock puppet** – a toy made by decorating a sock

**clumsy** – moving in a careless way

1. The main reason Chloe chose to go to Kenya was \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. she wanted to work on a farm      B. it was the only choice left
- C. her friends all chose it              D. she could teach children



# English Assorted Practices and Mock Papers for HKAT

# English

## Primary 4

### Mock Paper 1

**Instructions:**

1. There are 8 pages in this test booklet.
2. The test has Sections A to C.
3. On the cover of the answer booklet, write your Name, Class and Class Number.
4. Write all your answers in the answer booklet.
5. For multiple choice questions, choose only ONE answer for each question. Write your answers (A, B, C or D) in the boxes in the answer booklet. Two or more answers will score NO MARKS.

**Time Allowed for the Test:**

Section A (Listening) : 15 minutes

Sections B – C (Reading and Writing) : 35 minutes

**Section B Reading****(B-1)**

(12 marks)

**Diana is reading an article introducing some unusual jobs. Read it carefully. Choose the best answers for Questions 17–21 and complete Question 22.**

## *Unusual Jobs*

### **Worm Picker**

If you prefer an outdoor job, you may want to become a Worm Picker. A Worm Picker hunts and collects worms. You may be surprised that many people buy worms. Fishermen use them as bait and gardeners use them to create fertilisers. However, this is not an easy job. You will be kneeling all day long to dig for worms.

### **Snake Milker**

We all know a snake bite can be very dangerous because of the venom. Your main duty is to take out the venom from different snakes by getting very close to their fangs. Then, doctors will use the venom to create medicine for people with snake bites. This is a dangerous job. To do it well, you need to have experience in handling snakes.

### **Beekeeper**

Keeping bees is difficult but a lot of fun! All you need is a beekeeper's suit. As a beekeeper, you can sell honey and also organise beekeeping classes for tourists. Being a beekeeper can be risky. Bees will sting you even if you wear a beekeeper's suit. If you are allergic to bee stings, this job is not for you.

### **Pet Sitter**

When pet owners need to work or travel overseas, they need a pet sitter to take care of their animals. Most of the time, you will need to take care of dogs or cats. Sometimes, it might be birds or even lizards. Your duties are to feed the pets, bathe them, keep their living area clean, but most of all play with them.

**Part 3**


(12 marks @2 marks)

Diana is talking with her dad about applying for a city tour in Hong Kong. Listen carefully and complete the application form for Diana. You have 30 seconds to study the form. You may start now.

## Star Activity Centre

### Hong Kong City Tour Application Form

Name: Katie HoMobile: 4963 2307(11) Tour Date: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / 20XX  
(Day) (Month)(12) No. of Participants: \_\_\_\_\_ Children: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Age: 12 or above) (Age: 3-11)

 (13) Choice of Activities: (Put '1' for your first choice and '2' for your second choice in the  below.)

 Kenny's Farm → Book Fair → The Peak Hiking Trail Kenny's Farm → Ocean Park → Science Museum Central Library → Science Museum → The Peak Hiking Trail Central Library → The Peak Hiking Trail → Smart Farm

(14) Special Request(s):

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(15) Location of Pick-up and Drop-off:

Pick-up: \_\_\_\_\_ Hotel

Drop-off: \_\_\_\_\_

(16) Pick-up Time: (Put a '✓' in the appropriate .)\_\_\_\_\_  a.m. /  p.m.

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