CSSE-style Practice Paper 5

English · Comprehension

Name _____ **Date** _____

How long you have

Part	Time
Reading time: read the passage before you answer anything	10 minutes
Comprehension, in this booklet (40 marks)	about 40 minutes
Continuous writing, in the writing booklet (20 marks)	about 20 minutes
Total, including reading time	**1 hour 10 minutes**

Instructions

- The reading passage is at the back of this booklet, on its own sheet. You may pull it out so you can see it while you answer.
- Read the passage carefully during the reading time. Do not start writing answers until the reading time is over.
- Write your answers in this booklet, on the lines or in the boxes. The marks for each question are shown on the right.
- When a question asks you to tick, tick only the number of boxes it asks for.
- Spell, punctuate and write in sentences carefully.
- You have 60 minutes after the reading time for the comprehension and the writing. Leave about 20 minutes for the writing.

Do not turn over until you are told to do so

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Comprehension

About 40 minutes · 40 marks

Answer the questions about **The Pup on the Tide Line**. Look back at the passage as often as you like.

1 Read line 4. How long had the narrator been a junior volunteer? — 1 mark

Answer: _____

2 Read lines 9 to 10. What did the narrator first think the pale shape was? — 1 mark

Answer: _____

3 Write one quotation from lines 1 to 3 that makes the beach seem gloomy and empty. Explain how it does this. — 2 marks

Quotation: _____

_____

Explanation: _____

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4 **(a)** Read lines 6 to 8. Which word best describes Mrs Pereira? Tick one. — 1 mark

- calm ☐
- anxious ☐
- bossy ☐
- careless ☐

(b) Give one detail from the paragraph that helps to show this. — 1 mark

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5 **(a)** Read lines 18 to 22. How far away must people stay from the pup? — 1 mark

Answer: _____

(b) Why does Mrs Pereira say people must keep away? — 1 mark

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Mathematics

60 minutes | 60 marks

Question, with space for your working	Answer	Marks

1 Calculate.

(a) 4157 + 86 =

1 mark

(b) 7302 − 367 =

1 mark

(c) 954 ÷ 6 =

1 mark

(d) 36 × 24 =

1 mark

2 **(a)** What is 59 × 1000?

1 mark

(b) What is 116 rounded to the nearest 10?

1 mark

(c) What is the value of the digit 2 in 2587?

1 mark

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