



INTERNATIONAL CATS CONTESTS

COMPETENCE & APTITUDE TESTING SERVICES

**GRADE 1 & 2
TODDLERS**



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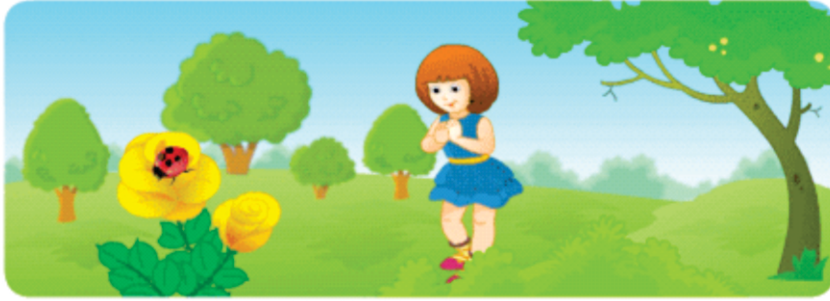
TODDLERS (GRADE 1 & 2)

TIME ALLOWED : 75 MINUTES, MAXIMUM MARKS : 60
TOTAL QUESTIONS : 20 MCQS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. DON'T START ATTEMPTING THE PAPER UNTIL INSTRUCTED BY THE INVIGILATORS.
2. INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE EXAMINATION INVIGILATORS MUST BE CARRIED OUT PROMPTLY.
3. CAREFULLY RECHECK YOUR NAME, FATHER NAME, SCHOOL NAME, ADDRESS ETC AT THE BUBBLE SHEET / ANSWER SHEET.
4. RECORD ALL ANSWERS ON THE BUBBLE SHEET ONLY. SELECT BEST ANSWER FROM THE FOUR GIVEN OPTIONS AND MARK ONLY ONE OPTION IN EACH QUESTION.
5. USE BLUE / BLACK INK TO FILL UP THE CIRCLES FOR YOUR ANSWERS ON THE BUBBLE SHEET. USE OF LEAD PENCIL IS NOT ALLOWED.
6. USE OF ANY HELPING MATERIAL INCLUDING CELL PHONES AND ELECTRONIC DEVICES IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED.
7. EVERY CORRECT ANSWER EARNS THREE POINTS. THERE WOULD BE NEGATIVE MARKING. ONE POINT WOULD BE DEDUCTED FOR EVERY INCORRECT ANSWER.
8. CANDIDATES MAY NOT LEAVE THE EXAMINATION ROOM UNESCORTED FOR ANY REASON, AND THIS INCLUDES USING THE WASHROOM.
9. NO MATERIALS OR ELECTRONIC DEVICES SHALL BE BROUGHT INTO THE ROOM.
10. THERE ARE FIVE CATEGORIES OF THE CONTEST AS UNDER:
 - A. TODDLERS (GRADE 1 & 2)
 - B. KIDS (GRADE 3 & 4)
 - C. JUNIORS (GRADE 5 & 6)
 - D. JUVENILES (GRADE 7 & 8)
 - E. ADOLESCENTS (GRADE 9 & 10 / O-LEVELS)
11. ONLY REGISTERED STUDENTS CAN PARTICIPATE IN THE CONTEST.
12. NO CANDIDATE SHALL TAKE OUT OF THE HALL ANY ANSWER BOOK(S) OR PART OF AN ANSWER BOOK, WHETHER USED OR UNUSED, OR OTHER SUPPLIED MATERIAL.
13. IF A PARTICIPANT DOES NOT UNDERSTAND A WORD OR PHRASE ON THE EXAM PAPER, NEITHER EXAMINER NOR INVIGILATOR IS PERMITTED TO ANSWER.
14. FOR INFORMATION ABOUT UPCOMING CONTESTS OR PROVIDING VALUABLE FEEDBACK, PLEASE VISIT WWW.CATSCONTESTS.ORG
15. ANY ACADEMIC MISCONDUCT OR MALPRACTICE MUST BE REPORTED TO INTERNATIONAL CATS CONTESTS AT INFO@CATSCONTESTS.ORG

Read the comprehension and answer the questions 1 through 4.



A red and black spotted ladybird flew around Ria's garden. Ria saw the ladybird fly to the rose bed. The ladybird flew into a yellow rose. Ria liked to pick up the ladybird and put it on her hand. She liked to see it spread out its tiny wings and fly from her hand. W-r-r-r-r-r.

Q1. Where was the ladybird flying?

- A** Around Ria **B** Around Ria's garden **C** Around Ria's home **D** Around Ria's bed
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Q2. Into what flower did the ladybird fly?

- A** Sunflower **B** Rose bed **C** Rose **D** Lilly
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Q3. On what part of the body did Ria like to put the ladybird?

- A** Her head **B** Her hand **C** Her finger **D** Her foot
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Q4. The wings of the ladybird were

- A** Big **B** Small **C** Tiny **D** Large

Read the poetry and answer the questions 5 and 6.

*Something smells good in the kitchen,
Sugary, spicy and sweet.
A pudding? A pie? What can it be?
Mom's making a special treat.
So I peep into the kitchen
And as you all can see,
That sugary, spicy, sweet surprise
Is a Birthday cake for me!*

Q5. What is mom making in the kitchen?

A A pudding

B Sugar

C A Birthday cake

D Ice Cream

Q6. What kind of a surprise is it?

A Shocking

B Sweet

C Good

D Tasty

Q7. Complete the poem with a word that rhymes.

The apple trees all started small,
but now it's fall, and they're so _____

A Tall

B Old

C Big

D New



Q8. Which sentence matches the picture?

- A** Girl and boy clean with soap.
- B** Girl and boy beat on drums.
- C** Girl and boy meet at the beach.
- D** Girl and boy playing in the ground.



Q9. How should the underlined word be written in the below sentence?

My freind is coming over after playing cricket.

- A** Frend
- B** Friend
- C** Freand
- D** correct as is

Q10. Which word has the same beginning sound as the underlined word?

After three days, I checked on the bean seeds.

- A** There
- B** Trees
- C** Teeth
- D** threw

Q11. When you are upset about something, you are...

- A** happy
- B** unhappy
- C** happiest
- D** unangry

Q12. Which word in this sentence is the VERB?

Mom sang along to the pretty music.

A music

B sang

C Mom

D Pretty

Q13. Katie and Josephine were waiting on the sidewalk. They looked up at the sky. Katie put on her raincoat. Josephine pulled up her hood. The bus came. They got in fast.

What were the girls doing?

A playing football

B waiting for the bus

C waiting for the train

D standing in the rain

Q14. Nuts and peanuts are healthy for you. Nuts grow on trees whereas peanuts are grown in underground pods just like potatoes. Peanuts are legumes (peas and beans). People make peanut butter, and peanut oil from peanuts. Both are good for snacking.

How are nuts and peanuts alike?

A Peanut butter is made from both of them.

B Nuts grow on trees.

C Peanuts grow underground.

D Both are good for snacking.

Q15. Choose the word that is different.

A doctor

B lawyer

C teacher

D summer

Q16. Which word matches the picture?

- A** line
- B** time
- C** wipe
- D** lime



Q17. See the picture. Which letter does spellings of the toy end with?

- A** P
- B** O
- C** T
- D** N



Q18. Put the words in order to make a complete sentence.

I **to** **store.** **the** **went**

- A** The I went store to.
- C** The store I went to.

- B** I the went to store.
- D** I went to the store.

Q19. Is the noun a person, animal, place, or thing?



A person

B animal

C place

D thing

Q20. Which sentence matches the picture?



A Gus and Scout growl at the owl.

B Gus and Scout howl at the clown.

C Gus and Scout frown at the boys.

D Gus and Scout howl at the owl.

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if you are
the best