### **English Reading**

Mark Scheme for Paper 1

### **Content Domain Coverage**

Table 1: Content domain coverage for Paper 1

	1a	1b	1c	1d	1e
	Draw on knowledge of vocabulary to understand texts.	Identify/explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.	Identify and explain the sequence of events intexts.	Make inferences from the text.	Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far.
Qu.	Section 1: Meet	the Vet			
1	1				
2		1			
3				1	
4	1				
5a		1			
5b		1			
6				2	
	Section 2: My Li	ittle Town			
7		2			
8		1			
9		1			
10		1			
11				1	
	Section 3: Biggle	es Gets Stuck			
12a		1			
12b		1			
13				1	
14	1				
15					1
16			1		
Total	3	10	1	5	1

20 marks

# Paper 1: Meet the Vet

Qu.	Answer	Mark	Notes	
1	A microchip is a tiny card that we put underneath the dog's skin.			
	Find and copy the word which shows the size of a microchip.			
	tiny	1	Content Domain: 1a To draw on knowledge	
			of vocabulary to understand texts.	
			Award one mark only for: tiny	
2	Draw three lines to show what each animal	needs:		
		1	Content Domain: 1b To identify/explain key	
	Snowball needs a microchip.		aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such	
	Ralph needs to get his teeth cleaned.		as characters, events, titles and information.	
	Oscar needs to get her nails clipped.		Award one mark for all three correctly drawn	
	W		lines.	
3	Why did Sue become a vet? Tick one.			
	She wanted to play with animals.	1	Content Domain: 1d To make inferences from the text.	
	She loves animals and science. $\checkmark$			
	She enjoys talking to people.		Award one mark for: she loves animals and	
			science.	
	She was good at looking after animals.  I get to help people and heal their pers.			
4	What does the word heal mean? Tick one.			
	to pay lots of money for	1	Content Domain: 1a To draw on knowledge	
	to look at theirfoot		of vocabulary to understand texts.	
	to take for a walk		Award one mark for: to make better.	
	,			
	to make better √			
5a	What is Sue's favourite animal?			
	cheetah	1	Content Domain: 1b To identify/explain key	
			aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.	
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			Award one mark for: cheetah	
			Also accept: cheetahs	
			Do not accept: leopards	

5b	Give one reason why Sue likes this animal.		
	Award one mark for reference to any of the following acceptable points:  They are the fastest animal on Earth.  They are incredibly strong.  They are clever.	1	Content Domain: 1b To identify/explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.  Award one mark for any acceptable point.
	They are very beautiful.		
6	How might being a vet make Sue feel? Give	e a reas	son why.
	Award 2 marks for an answer which uses a suitable adjective to state how Sue might feel and gives a reason why, e.g.  • Sue might feel happy being a vet because she loves working with animals.  • Sue might feel tired because her working days are long and busy.  • Sue might feel sad being a vet because some animals are too poorly to be helped.  • Sue might feel pleased with herself because she helps animals to go back home to their families.  Award 1 mark for an answer which uses a suitable adjective to state how Sue might feel, e.g.  • happy  • sad  • tired  • pleased  • fulfilled	2	Content Domain: 1d To make inferences from the text.  Secondary content domain: 1b To identify/ explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.  Award two marks for any relevant adjective accompanied by an appropriate explanation.
	Do not accept references to Sue's intelligence.		

# Paper 1: My Little Town

Qu.	Answer		Notes		
7	Put ticks in the table to show which sentend		true and which are false.		
	Award one mark for 3 boxes correctly ticked and award two marks for all 4 boxes correctly ticked.	Up to 2 marks	Content Domain: 1b To identify/explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.		
	Sentence True FALSE  Sven teaches judo.   ✓		Secondary content domain: 1d To make inferences from the text.		
	Jenny teaches football tricks.  Kamil runs the Cub group.  Mrs Polly is a teacher at school.		Award two marks for all four boxes ticked correctly.		
	Mis Folly is a teacher at school.		Award one mark for three boxes ticked correctly.		
8	What does Chris do?				
	Award one mark for reference to any of the following acceptable points:  He cuts hair He cuts the poet's hair He cuts people's hair He is a hairdresser	1	Content Domain: 1b To identify/explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.  Secondary content domain: 1d To make inferences from the text.  Award one mark for any acceptable point.		
9	Find and copy the name of the poet's teacher.				
	Mr Topper	1	Content Domain: 1b To identify/explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.		
			Award one mark for: Mr Topper.		
10	Who did the nurse help? Circle one answer.				
	the poet's friend the poet's father the poet's teacher	1	Content Domain: 1b To identify/explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.  Award one mark only for: the poet's father.		

11	Living here makes me feel safe  Explain why the poet might feel safe living in his little town.		
	Award one markfor reference to any of the following acceptable points:	1	Content Domain: 1d To make inferences from the text.
	There are lots of people in his town who help him.		Award one mark for any acceptable point.
	The people in his little town always care.		
	The adults in his town all look after him.		
	The people in his town care about him.		
	Do not accept references to liking his town.		

# Paper 1: Biggles Gets Stuck

Qu.	Answer	Mark	Notes	
12	a. The story shows that Biggles likes Tick one.			
	climbing trees	1	Content Domain: 1b To identify/explain key	
	chasing squirrels √ eating acorns		aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.  Award one mark only for: chasing squirrels	
	being told off by Maddy		Award one mark only for. chasing squires	
	b. The story shows that Biggles does not like Tick one.			
	getting stuck in trees √ having a fluffy tail	1	Content Domain: 1b To identify/explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.	
	catching squirrels nibbling acorns		Award one mark only for: getting stuck in trees	

13	How do you think Biggles is feeling at this point in the story? Why does he feel like that?		
	Award one mark for both a plausible text-based emotion and a relevant explanation.	1	Content Domain: 1d To make inferences from the text.
	Plausible emotions:		Award one mark for any emotion
	<ul> <li>worried/nervous/anxious</li> </ul>		accompanied by a relevant explanation.
	• scared		
	<ul><li>unhappy</li></ul>		
	<ul> <li>disappointed</li> </ul>		
	Plausible explanations:		
	<ul> <li>He feels scared because he is really high up the tree.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>He is worried because he does not know how he is going to get down.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>He feels unhappy because he is not enjoying being stuck up the tree.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>He feels disappointed because he has let Maddy down.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>He feels disappointed because Mad- dy will not help him.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>He feels anxious because he is scared of heights.</li> </ul>		
	N.B. To be awarded the mark, the explanation given must link with the emotion given.		
14	Dad whimpered The word whimpered means Tick one.		
	cried ✓	1	Content Domain: 1a To draw on knowledge of vocabulary to understand texts.
	screamed		Award one mark only for: cried
	clapped		Award one mark only for. oned
	jumped		
15	Which of these do you think Maddy is most		
	I want to meet the firefighters!	1	Content Domain: 1e To predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read
	There is a squirrel eating an acorn in the tree.		so far.
	My dad and my cat are stuck up a tree! ✓ I'd		Award one mark only for: My dad and cat are
	like to tell you about a fire.		stuck up a tree!

16	Number the following events from 1 to 5 to show the order that they happened in the story. The first one has been done for you.			
	Maddy phoned for the fire brigade.	5	1	Content Domain: 1c To identify and explain
	Biggles became stuck up a tree.	1		the sequence of events in texts.
	Dad stopped and his face went white.	4		Award one mark only for all boxes numbered correctly.
	Dad got his ladder and began climbing up.	. 3		
	Biggles began to feel funny in his paws.	2		