PAPER ONE ANSWERS

LANGUAGE CONVENTIONS

| | ANSWER | GENERAL LEARNING STATEMENT A student can: |
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| 1 | children | spell a word correctly with two syllables ending in —en. |
| 2 | blue | spell a word correctly with one syllable in the presence of a competing homophone. |
| 3 | young | spell a word correctly with one syllable ending in –ng. |
| 4 | peach | spell a word correctly with one syllable ending in –ch. |
| 5 | through | spell a word correctly with one syllable in the presence of a competing homophone. |
| 6 | fence | spell a word correctly with one syllable ending in –ce. |
| 7 | wiping | spell a word correctly with two syllables ending in —ing. |
| 8 | machine | spell a word correctly with two syllables ending in –ine. |
| 9 | different | spell a word correctly with three syllables ending in -ent. |
| 10 | caught | spell a word correctly with one syllable in the presence of a competing homophone. |
| 11 | funny | spell a word correctly with two syllables and a double middle consonant. |
| 12 | minute | spell a word correctly with two syllables ending in –e. |
| 13 | wonderful | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with three syllables ending in –ful. |
| 14 | there | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with one syllable in the presence of a competing homophone. |
| 15 | tried | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with one syllable ending in –ed. |

| 16 | knead | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with one syllable and a silent beginning letter. |
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| 17 | receive | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with two syllables and follow the i before e spelling rule. |
| 18 | trophy | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with two syllables that contains the letter pair 'ph'. |
| 19 | caravan | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with three syllables ending in –an. |
| 20 | Suddenly | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with three syllables ending in –ly. |
| 21 | complete | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with two syllables ending in -te. |
| 22 | licking | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with two syllables and a 'ck' blend. |
| 23 | middle | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with two syllables ending in –le. |
| 24 | loosely | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with two syllables ending in –ly. |
| 25 | whisper | identify a mistake and spell a word correctly with two syllables and a silent letter. |
| 26 | angry | choose the correct tense to complete a sentence. |
| 27 | them | choose the correct pronoun to complete a sentence. |
| 28 | called | identify an adjunct in a sentence. |
| 29 | brought | choose the correct past tense verb to complete a sentence. |
| 30 | took | choose the correct past tense verb to complete a sentence. |
| 31 | The family's car was wrecked in the accident. | identify correct punctuation in a sentence using apostrophes. |
| 32 | anyone | choose the correct pronoun spelling to complete a sentence. |
| 33 | My kitten Dora is very small and has a fluffy white tail. | insert correct punctuation in a sentence. |
| 34 | between | choose the correct preposition in a sentence. |
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| 35 | has written | choose the correct past tense verb to complete a sentence. |
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| 36 | My hair is longer than yours. | choose the correct comparing adjective to complete a sentence. |
| 37 | On Friday, Polly is visiting her friend. She does this every week. | insert correct punctuation in a sentence. |
| 38 | Maria and Danny live in South Australia. | identify correct punctuation in a sentence using capital letters. |
| 39 | For this week only, shoes are half-price! | identify correct punctuation in a sentence. |
| 40 | knife. | identify the correct comparative adjective in a sentence. |
| 41 | have never been | identify the correct tense to use in a sentence. |
| 42 | When I play outside, I like to run and skip. | insert correct punctuation in a sentence using a comma. |
| 43 | "Here are some flowers for you," said Julia. "Thank you very much," the teacher replied. | insert correct punctuation in a sentence using direct speech. |
| 44 | "My new skateboard is so cool!" | identify correct punctuation and tone in a sentence. |
| 45 | Each student in the class is writing. | identify the sentence with the correct subject/verb agreement. |
| 46 | "I will walk the dog tomorrow afternoon," said Bree. | identify correct punctuation in a sentence. |
| 47 | so and | choose the correct conjunctions to complete a sentence. |
| 48 | I am going on a holiday. | identify a sentence that contains a main clause. |
| 49 | Jack went to a fantastic party. | identify the sentence with the correct indefinite article. |
| 50 | didn't | insert correct punctuation in a sentence using an apostrophe. |

READING

| | ANSWER | GENERAL LEARNING STATEMENT A student can: | | |
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| | Chinese New Year Celebrations | | | |
| 1 | fifteen days | locate information directly stated in a descriptive text. | | |
| 2 | it is believed to drive away bad luck | locate information directly stated in a descriptive text. | | |
| 3 | have a large meal with their family | locate information directly stated in a descriptive text. | | |
| 4 | south | locate information directly stated in a descriptive text. | | |
| 5 | lanterns are the main decoration everywhere | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a descriptive text. | | |
| 6 | silk, paper and bamboo. | locate information directly stated in a descriptive text. | | |
| | How to Build an Erupting Volcano | | | |
| 7 | Step 1 | locate the section in a procedure that describes when an object is first used. | | |
| 8 | it can help in cutting a hole the right size for the bottle to fit. | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a procedural text. | | |
| 9 | ingredients can be easily put into the bottle. | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a procedural text. | | |
| 10 | so the ingredients can be put inside | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a procedural text. | | |
| 11 | Cut out the hole, making sure that the box fits over the bottle. Mould the play dough carefully around the bottle. Paint your volcano to make it look realistic. Squeeze the drops of red food colouring into the funnel. | place events in chronological order in a procedural text. | | |

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| | King of the Birds | | | |
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| 12 | the Raven | locate information directly stated in a short narrative. | | |
| 13 | he knew he could fly the highest | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a short narrative. | | |
| 14 | they felt too tired to continue. | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a short narrative. | | |
| 15 | by flying higher than the Eagle | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a short narrative. | | |
| 16 | he was too proud. | locate information directly stated in a short narrative. | | |
| 17 | smart and brave | infer the nature of a character in a short narrative. | | |
| | Should children be given pocket money? | | | |
| 18 | allow students to give their opinions on the topic. | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a persuasive text. | | |
| 19 | children will not nag them for money. | locate information directly stated in a persuasive text. | | |
| 20 | some children waste their money. | locate information directly stated in a persuasive text. | | |
| 21 | an opinion. | identify a language feature in a persuasive text. | | |
| 22 | he believes that it is an important skill | locate information directly stated in a persuasive text. | | |
| 23 | they develop a better attitude towards money. | locate information directly stated in a persuasive text. | | |
| | George Bass: Australian Explorer | | | |
| 24 | a doctor | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a factual recount. | | |

| 25 | they shared the same interest in exploring. | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a factual recount. |
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| 26 | prove that Tasmania was separate from the mainland of Australia. | locate information directly stated in a factual recount. |
| 27 | city of Hobart | locate information directly stated in a factual recount. |
| 28 | Botany Bay and the Georges River Port Hacking and Lake Illawarra Tasmania's northern coast 4. Mount Wellington | sequence events in chronological order in a factual recount. |
| 29 | to honour the man who first discovered it | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a factual recount. |
| The Athletics Carnival | | |
| 30 | worried | infer emotions of a character in a narrative. |
| 31 | there is nothing that would stop her from eating it. | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a narrative. |
| 32 | appreciating. | interpret the meaning of a word in context in a short narrative. |
| 33 | to find a pair of special shoes to help her win | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a narrative. |
| 34 | Allison asked a funny question | identify the purpose of a character's actions in a narrative. |
| 35 | she had never seen them before. | identify the purpose of a character's actions in a narrative. |
| 36 | they were just what she needed | synthesise ideas to interpret information in a narrative. |