Comprehension 1—Animal Heroes…Past and Present

Vocabulary A (p.2)

2. master 3. icy 4. slipped and fell 5. neighbours
6. graveyard 7a. statue 7b. drugs 7c. trains

B.
one elephant two zebras one giraffe four lizards
one panda one kangaroo two crocodiles

C. (p.3)
1b. police station 2a. office 2b. businessman 3a. chef 3b. restaurant 4a. shop 4b. salesman
5a. housewife 5b. home 5c. pilot 6a. clerk 6b. bank 6c. security guard

Comprehension A (p.4)


B.
2. kind, gentle, loyal 3. in Greyfriars Cemetery 4. Bobby died
5. they built a statue (of him/Bobby) 6. he helps the police to find frugs 7. Officer Wong 8. hard-working, brave, easy to train, smart

Unit One—Pronouns (p.5)

2. Their 3. his 4. your 5. They
6. our 7. its 8. My

1. Their 2. us 3. ours 4. his
5. me 6. its 7. his 8. Mine 9. We

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1 → III 2 → IV 3 → V 4 → II 5 → I

The teacher said, ‘Give me your book.’
The dog barked at Alice and ran after her.
My brother and I visited the museum. We saw many beautiful pictures.
Where are my shoes? I can’t find mine.

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Unit Two—Adjectives (P.8)

1. boring 2. dirty 3. angry 4. heavy 5. valuable
6. brave 7. exciting 8. dangerous 9. rich 10. fierce

1. good better the best
2. interesting more interesting the most interesting
3. easy easier easiest
4. hot hotter hottest
5. wealthy wealthier wealthiest

Comparative and superlative (P.9)
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<td>The smallest</td>
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<td>3.</td>
<td>smaller than</td>
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<td>4.</td>
<td>busier/more crowded (than Lamma Island)</td>
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<td>5.</td>
<td>the busiest/most crowded</td>
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<td>6.</td>
<td>faster/quicker than</td>
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<td>7.</td>
<td>more expensive than</td>
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<td>more interesting than</td>
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<td>9.</td>
<td>quieter than</td>
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<td>more beautiful than</td>
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| 1.     | thinner |
| 2.     | the biggest |
| 3.     | the easiest |
| 4.     | faster |
| 5.     | heavier |
| b.     | tall |
| c.     | deep |
| d.     | thick |
| e.     | heavy |
| f.     | wide |
| g.     | long |
| h.     | heavy |

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<th>Question</th>
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<td>b. How deep is Lake Bailkal?</td>
<td>It’s 1,637 metres deep.</td>
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<td>c. How long is the River Nile?</td>
<td>It’s 6,671 kilometres long.</td>
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<td>d. How wide is Knone Falls?</td>
<td>It’s 10.8 kilometres wide.</td>
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<td>e. How thick is Wilkes Land ice shelf?</td>
<td>It’s 4.78 kilometres thick.</td>
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<td>f. How tall is the living woman, Sandy Allen?</td>
<td>She’s 235 centimetres tall.</td>
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<td>g. How short is the living man, Lin Yih-Chih?</td>
<td>He’s 67.5 centimetres tall.</td>
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<td>h. How heavy is the living man, Jon b. Minnoch?</td>
<td>He weighs 635 kilograms.</td>
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<td>i. How old is the living woman, Eva Morris?</td>
<td>She was born on 18th November 1885.</td>
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Unit Three—Prepositions (P.12)

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<th>3. on</th>
<th>4. beside</th>
<th>5. between</th>
<th>6. under</th>
<th>7. behind</th>
<th>8. in front of</th>
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<td>2. The lamp is on the table.</td>
<td>3. The first-aid cupboard is above the light switches.</td>
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<td>4. The light switches is under the first-aid box.</td>
<td>4. The mooncakes are in the tray.</td>
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2. The one in the middle. 
3. The one with strips on it. 
4. The one on the right. 
5. The one beside the jeans. 
6. The one next to the sun-hats. 
7. The ones between the sun-hats and the umbrella. 

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Comprehension 2—A Hall of Fame

Vocabulary (P.16)

1. a 2. b 3. b 4. b 5. b 6. a 7. a 8. b
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**Puzzle**

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<td>3. including</td>
<td>4. gym</td>
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<td>5. youngsters</td>
<td>6. relaxed</td>
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<td>7. whole</td>
<td>8. miss</td>
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<td>9. ideas</td>
<td>10. wise</td>
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<td>11. spent</td>
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**Comprehension questions (P.17)**
1. he spends two hours a day lifting weights/her lifts weights and plays tennis a lot
2. he is playing tennis/he plays tennis
3. the white people in South Africa/the government/the police
4. he was released from prison
5. was very poor/was very hardworking
6. Yes…in Mrs. Wong’s family…grandchild

**Unit Four—Tense (P.18)**

| 2. works | 3. does | 4. doesn’t | 5. take |
| 6. walks | 7. daydreams | 8. doesn’t | 9. talk |
| 10. has | 11. goes | 12. enjoys | 13. doesn’t |
| 14. like | 15. gets | 16. like | 17. likes |
| 18. don’t | 19. like | 20. practises | 21. play |
| 22. achieves | 23. wins |

**(P.19)**

| 2. do…practise…practise | 3. do…start…start | 4. Does…start…start…starts | 5. do…finish…finish…finishes |
| 6. do…have…have…have | 7. do…eat…eat | 8. does…eat…eats | 9. do…weigh…weighs…weigh |

**(P.20)**

| buy | bought | put | put |
| deal | dealt | reply | replied |
| dial | dialled | report | reported |
| end | ended | speak | spoke |
| give | gave | stare | stared |
| go | went | steal | stole |
| leave | left | take | took |
| pay | paid | teach | taught |

**(P.21)**

| 2. did…start | 3. Did…shout | 4. Did…run | 5. did…see |

**(P.22)**

2. Did you return the library books yesterday?
3. Did you leave home early this morning?
4. What time did you come home?
5. When did you have lunch?
6. Did you go to bed late last night?
1. passed  
2. won  
3. taught  
4. Did…borrow

1. bought  
2. went  
3. attracted  
4. entered  
5. tried  
6. looked  
7. found

8. asked  
9. opened  
10. stood  
11. stared  
12. were  
13. walked  
14. said

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1. will be  
2. won’t work…will work  
3. won’t have…will have  
4. won’t travel…will travel

6. won’t use…will use  
7. won’t be…will be

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2. Mr. and Mrs. Patel are using cloth bags for shopping.  
3. Jane and Laura are putting the litter in the bin.  
4. Henry is writing on both sides of his writing paper.  
5. Mrs. Lo is sending some old magazines to the recycling centre.  
6. Mr Yuen is planting a tree in his garden.

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2. are doing  
3. are…doing  
4. are…doing  
5. Is…drinking  
6. are…doing

am cooking  
are drinking  
are writing  
is reading  
am talking

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2. learning  
3. reading  
4. cooking  
5. play  
6. working

understand  
contains  
smells  
enjoying  
knows

belongs  
tastes  
almonds  
believing  
believe

(P.27)

1. am  
2. are  
3. was  
4. is  
5. were

1. to pick  
2. live  
3. do not like  
4. Did…lose  
5. will not go

1. A  
2. C  
3. D  
4. B  
5. D

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1. We did not danced together last year.  
2. Sandy did not make this kite last Monday.  
3. These hawkers did not sell apples.  
4. I do not find a rubber under my chair.  
5. Jack is not holding a cup in his hand.

1. Does Tommy brush his teeth every night?  
2. Do we go to the picnic today?  
3. Did Johnny break his legs last Sunday?  
4. Did my grandparents live here last year?  
5. Is Tom writing with his fountain pen?

Unit Five—Modal Verbs (P.29)

3. Can/May I have some chocolates?  
4. Can/May I use the phone?  
5. Can/May we play the piano?  
6. Can/May I borrow your bicycles?
2. can 3. can 4. can’t 5. can’t 6. can 7. can’t 8. can

2. must 3. mustn’t

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3. must 4. must 5. must 6. must 7. must 8. mustn’t 9. mustn’t 10. must 11. mustn’t

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Comprehension 3—Do you want to know what your dreams mean? Ask the Dream Doctor…

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<td>represents power</td>
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<td>3. falling</td>
<td>you feel insecure about something</td>
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<td>4. being chased by monsters</td>
<td>you feel insecure about something</td>
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| 5. being stark naked | you are hiding something  
 | | you feel unprepared for something |

2. because the dream doesn’t mean that Mary/she has bad teeth.
3. because Mary/she is only nine years old/very young.
4. that you don’t/do not feel very confident /aren’t/are not very confident/aren’t/are not a very confident person.
5. falling dreams
6. sitting in class with my friends.
7. that you felt unprepared for Sports Day/a sports event

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2. cable car 3. mobile food cart 4. food kiosk 5. vending machine 6. escalator

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2. collecting stamps 3. doing jigsaw puzzles 4. December
5. playing badminton 6. read comics 7. February
8. bought…souvenirs 9. August 10. taking the bullet train
11. watching sumo wrestling 12. take…photos

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2. That is 3. This is 4. Are these 5. Is this
6. are those 7. These are 8. Those are

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2. was 3. did 4. saw 5. photos 6. did 7. that 8. this
9. the 10. Can 11. these 12. Those 13. the 14. these 15. more
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| 1. dishes  | 2. factories  | 3. housewives  | 4. a secretary  | 5. mice  | 6. a restaurant |
| 7. time    | 8. cola      | 9. work       | 10. a doctor    | 11. sleeves | 12. teeth       |

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| 1. a letter  | 2. a friend  | 3. pals      | 4. time       | 5. radios  | 6. things      |
| 7. a call    | 8. hospital  | 9. ankles    | 10. a day     | 11. time   | 12. work       |

3. vegetables 4. envelopes 5. languages 6. flowers 7. matches 8. ties

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| 1. Thanks | 2. √ | 3. a ride |
| 4. show   | 5. a snack kiosk | 6. lunch |
| 7. a fish burger | 8. √ | 9. a good view |
| 10. a long time | 11. a covered escalator | 12. a clear day |
| 13. wishes |

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2. His father is a pilot, and his mother is a nurse. Peter wants to be a pilot.
3. Then she wants to be an engineer.
4. Ann Lee is a girl from Taipei, Taiwan. Her ambition is to be an architect. She’d like to study at a European university.
5. Siu Fong wants to buy an animal to have as a pet. She would like a dog or a cat.
6. Vincent’s sister is a nurse. She works in a hospital in Kowloon. At work, she wears a uniform.

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| 10. are | 11. was | 12. How | 13. the | 14. you | 15. me | 16. a |

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| 2. principal | 3. general office | 4. art room | 5. music room | 6. science laboratory | 7. librarian |

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| 2. raises the blinds | 3. picks up rubbish | 4. empties the rubbish bin | 5. turns off the microphone | 6. turn on the air conditioner | 7. lowered the blinds |
| a. 5 | b. 11 | c. 8 | d. 10 | e. 2 | f. 3 | g. 7 | h. 9 | i. 6 | j. 4 |

2. look after sheep
3. because Carl shouted ‘Wolf!’ when there was no wolf/tricked them.
4. furious
5. because they thought Carl was trying to trick them again/didn’t believe him.
6. the villagers
7. an old man
### Grammar Exercises

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<th>2. to become</th>
<th>3. writing</th>
<th>4. to deal</th>
<th>5. watching</th>
<th>6. guessing</th>
<th>7. reporting</th>
<th>8. to study</th>
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<td>10. spending</td>
<td>11. to find</td>
<td>12. to do</td>
<td>13. being</td>
<td>14. starting</td>
<td>15. to be</td>
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c. wants to study  
d. like going  
e. seems to have  
f. refused to help  
g. pretending to be  
h. promise to visit  
i. offered to take  
j. need to finish

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<th>3. attempted to unlock</th>
<th>4. decide to do</th>
<th>5. started using</th>
<th>6. managed to open</th>
<th>7. finished breaking</th>
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<td>8. deny stealing</td>
<td>9. admitted making</td>
<td>10. failed to check</td>
<td>11. intend to take</td>
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2. kangaroo/reindeer steak  
3. reindeer/kangaroo steak  
4. more customers order kangaroo steak  
5. baby bees  
6. fewer customers order baby bees  
7. more time is needed to cook the kangaroo steak  
8. less time is needed to cook the baby bees  
9. more customers visit the restaurant at/on weekends  
10. visit the restaurant on Sunday(s) than on Saturday(s)