



St Margaret College  
Half Yearly Examinations 2015

Year 5

English Listening

Time: 1hr 15min

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Instructions

1.	- I am going to read a story called 'The Dragon on the Roof' and you are to listen carefully. Do not answer the questions or write anything while I am reading.
2.	- Open the exam paper and look at the questions. - I will read the questions to you once.
3.	- Close the exam paper and listen carefully. - I will read the story a second time. - Do not write anything while I am reading.
4.	- You have five minutes to answer questions 1 to 12. - In questions 1 to 11 put a tick in the correct box. - In question 12 fill in with a suitable word.
5.	- I will read the passage a third time. - You may complete any unanswered questions as I read.
6.	- You now have five minutes to check your answers and complete any unanswered questions.

Questions 1 to 10 (1 mark each) = 10 marks

Question 11 (2 marks each) = 10 marks

Tick (✓) the correct answer

1. Where did the story take place?

a)	Japan	
b)	China	
c)	Belgium	
d)	France	

2. Where did the dragon come from?

a)	From the sea.	
b)	From under the ground.	
c)	From the mountains.	
d)	From a volcano.	

3. How was the merchant described?

a)	Young and poor.	
b)	Poor and old.	
c)	Rich and old.	
d)	Young and rich.	

4. The merchant and his family

a)	were happy to see the dragon.	
b)	were surprised to see the dragon.	
c)	were scared of the dragon.	
d)	fought the dragon.	

5. The dragon had

a)	great red claws	
b)	great orange claws	
c)	great yellow claws	
d)	great brown claws	

6. When night came

a)	the merchant and his family fell asleep.	
b)	the merchant and his family stayed awake.	
c)	the merchant and his family talked with the dragon.	
d)	the merchant and his family spoke to the king.	

7. The next day

a)	the dragon warmed its tail on the chimney-pot.	
b)	the merchant warmed his hands on the chimney-pot.	
c)	the dragon puffed fire through the chimney-pot.	
d)	the merchant had breakfast on the chimney-pot.	

8. Dragons stay in one place for

a)	a whole day.	
b)	a hundred days.	
c)	a hundred years.	
d)	a thousand years.	

9. On the second night, the merchant and his family

a)	crept out of the house all the way.	
b)	crept out of the house half-way.	
c)	ran out of the house all the way.	
d)	walked out of the house all the way.	

10. The merchant and his family

a)	ran until they reached the dragon.	
b)	ran until they reached the king.	
c)	ran until they reached the prince.	
d)	ran until they got tired.	

11. Tick (✓) the right answer:

		True	False
a)	The dragon settled on a roof.		
b)	No one could see the dragon's wings shadows.		
c)	The dragon made a cheerful sound.		
d)	The dragon slept for a thousand years.		
e)	The king lived in the merchant's house.		

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