

Answers: 58 marks

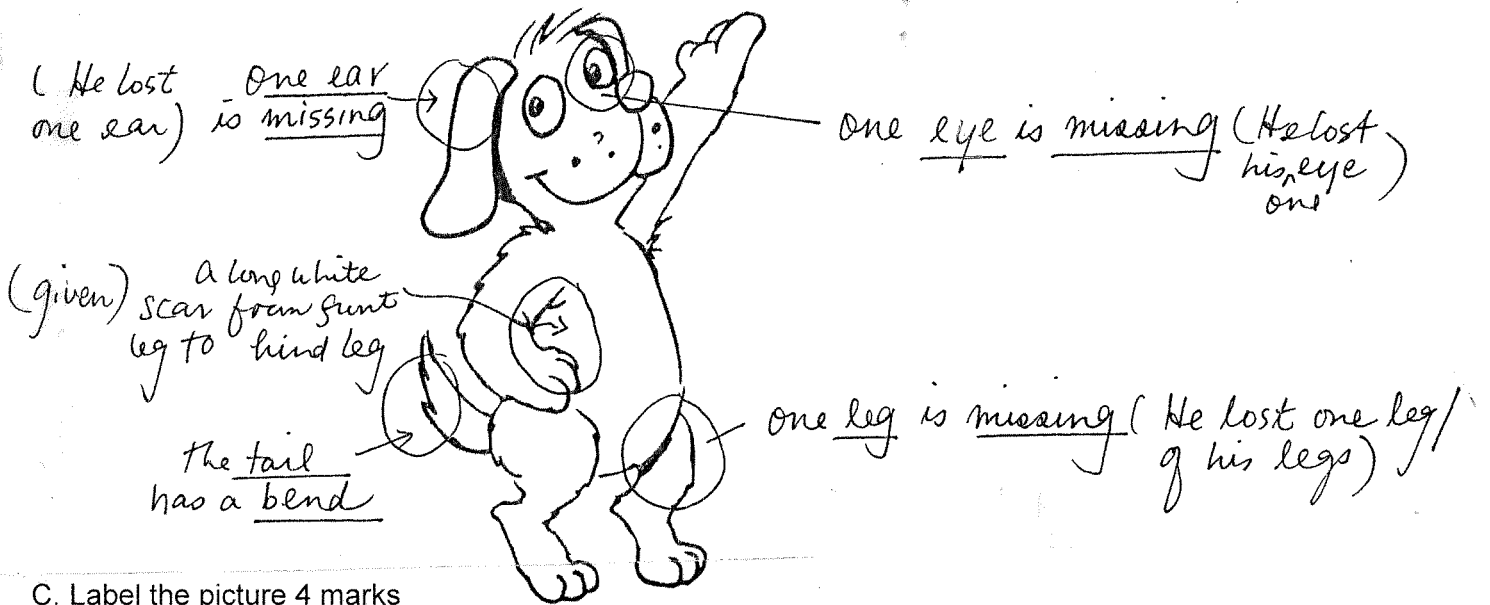
SI Eng. Reading Comprehension 2010/11 First Exam

A. Referencing: 8 marks 1 mark @, no 0.5 mark

1. two farmers/Bill & Jack	2. Bill's	3. Blue/Bill's dog
4. Jack's	5. Jack's dog/Lucky	6. the dog's leg/Lucky's leg
7. the dog's tail/Lucky's tail	8. snake	

B. Vocabulary 8 marks 1 mark @, no 0.5 mark

1. whistled	2. crawled	3. missing	4. scar
5. limped	6. flopped	7. slammed	8. nearly



C. Label the picture 4 marks

1 mark @ no penalty for grammar mistake

D. Short Questions. 6 marks - 1 mark @ no penalty for grammar mistake

- They are farmers
- they are both sheepdogs
- He is the best little sheepdog around
- He could not see him(0.5 m) anywhere around (0.5m)
- He whistled (0.5 m) and called out to him(0.5 m)
- He was quite shocked.

E. Long Questions 8 marks Deduct 0.5 mark for each grammar mistake, maximum 2 marks
Deduct 0.5 mark – 1 mark for not writing in complete sentences

- It got caught in a rabbit trap (1 mark) when he was a puppy. (1 mark)
- Student's own answer. They should mention the unluckiest thing happened to Lucky and why they think so (2 marks).
- Student's own answer. Students should explain why 'lucky' is a suitable/unsuitable name (2 marks for good answers, 1 mark for acceptable answer. Suggest another name with proper reasons (2 marks for good answer, 1 mark for acceptable answer

Passage 2

A. T or F: 5 marks 1 mark @, no 0.5 mark

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
T	T	T	F	F

B. Vocabulary : 7 marks 1 mark @, no 0.5 mark

1. simpler	2. planet	3. describe	4. stationery
5. imagine	6. breathe	7. habitat	

C. Choose the correct answer: 3 marks 1 mark @, no 0.5 mark

1. d	2. c	3. c	
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D. Long questions: 9 marks **Deduct 0.5 mark for each grammar mistake, maximum 2 marks**
Deduct 0.5 mark – 1 mark for not writing in complete sentences

1. <sup>parents, children
maid, pets,</sup> family members and house with furniture, gas & water supply ^{0.5} (~~1~~ mark for 1 thing mentioned)
2. People have cut down too many trees. (Cut down (1 mark) too many trees (1 mark))
3. If we don't look after the world environment, we may die (1 mark) without food and home (1 mark)
4. Students' own answer (1 mark for 1 suggestion) Suggested answers: save paper to save trees, save electricity to use less fuels etc