



Year 3 Mid-year Reading answer booklet

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Questions 1 - 13 are about *Making a Treasure Map* (pages 2 - 6)

Look at page 2

1. What do you need to use to make a treasure map?

Name **two** things.

1. _____

2. _____

1 mark

2. Why is squared paper useful for making a treasure map?

1 mark

3. **Find** and **copy** the words that mean the same as 'helpful hint'.

1 mark

Look at page 3

4. Give **two** different ways of making your paper look old.

1. _____

2. _____

2 marks

5. **Crumple** the paper to make it look old and worn (page 3)

Which word most closely matches the meaning of the word *crumple*?

Tick **one**.

cut

scrunch

dirty

smudge

1 mark

6. Why is it a good idea to make your paper look old **before** you begin to draw your map?

1 mark

Look at page 4

7. Why should you put details such as trees or houses on your map?

Tick **one**.

to make it more difficult

to make it look old

to show where to look

to show who it is for

1 mark

8. How can you make sure the treasure-hunt gets off to a good start?

1 mark

9. You don't want to **confuse** the treasure-hunters before they have even started!

Which word most closely matches the meaning of the word *confuse*?

Tick **one**.

upset

frighten

annoy

puzzle

1 mark

Look at page 5

10. What do you need to do when you write directions?

Tick **one**.

tear the edges of the paper

think about the places and objects on your map

make the paper look old

decide what your treasure will be

1 mark

11. Look at the example directions.

Where do you have to go after you have got to the shed?

1 mark

Look at page 6

12. Why should you try out your directions?

1 mark

Look at pages 3 – 6

13. Below are the steps for making a treasure map.

Number them 1 - 4 to show the correct order

The first one has been done for you.

drawing your map

checking your map

making your paper look old

writing directions

1 mark

Questions 14 - 29 are about *Sanji and the Baker* (pages 7 – 10).

14. Circle the correct option to complete each sentence below.

(a) Sanji travelled a great deal when he was

an old man.

a young boy.

a young man.

a baby.

1 mark

(b) One day, he arrived in Fratsia and found a

large house.

cosy room.

simple flat.

small shop.

1 mark

(c) Each morning, Sanji arose to the smell of

strong coffee.

sweet
oranges.

fresh toast.

hot bread.

1 mark

(d) He bought the

sweetest

only

smallest

last

cake in the shop.

1 mark

(e) The owner of the shop was very

poor.

kind.

lonely.

greedy.

1 mark

(f) He wanted Sanji to

enjoy

pay for

have

give back

the smells.

1 mark

(g) In court, the Judge told Sanji to bring

a bag of gold.

some silver
coins.

a large bowl.

some
cinnamon.

1 mark

(h) The Judge told the Baker to

smell the
money.

feel the
money.

take the
money.

listen to
the money.

1 mark

(i) Then, the Judge

kept the coins
for himself.

gave the coins
to the Baker.

threw the
coins away.

let Sanji take
the coins.

1 mark

15. ...he arrived in the fabled city of Fratsia, a **dazzling** place... (page 7)

Which word most closely matches the meaning of the word *dazzling*?

Tick **one**.

odd

tidy

crowded

amazing

1 mark

16. What **three** things did the merchants of Fratsia sell?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

1 mark

17. **Find** and **copy one** word on page 7 which means the same as 'a smell'.

1 mark

18. Sanji tells the Baker:

I've been on my balcony enjoying the wonderful smells from your oven.
(page 8)

(a) How did the Baker feel when he heard this?

1 mark

(b) How can you tell what the Baker was feeling?

1 mark

19. "Oh, you have, have you?" **growled** the Baker.

In this line, the word *growled* is closest in meaning to ...

Tick **one**.

yelled

gasped

snarled

muttered

1 mark

20. Sanji was astonished when the Baker banged on his door and called him a thief.

Why was Sanji surprised?

1 mark

21. **Find** and **copy** a group of words that tell you that the Judge did not make a quick decision.

1 mark

22. How many coins did the judge tell Sanji to bring?

1 mark

23. Who did Sanji get the coins from?

1 mark

24. Why do you think the Baker was

grinning and rubbing his greedy hands together?

1 mark

25. What did Sanji think the Judge was going to do with the coins?

1 mark

26. What was the Baker's payment in the end?

1 mark

27. How do you think Sanji felt at the end of the story?

Give a reason for your answer.

2 marks

Look at page 10

28. Find **two** words which describe the sound the coins made when they were put into the bowl.

1. _____

2. _____

1 mark

Look at pages 7 – 10

29. What is the main message of this story?

You can pay for food with sound.

You shouldn't steal smells.

Travel as much as you can.

Being greedy gets you nowhere.

Bakers should give away their food.

1 mark