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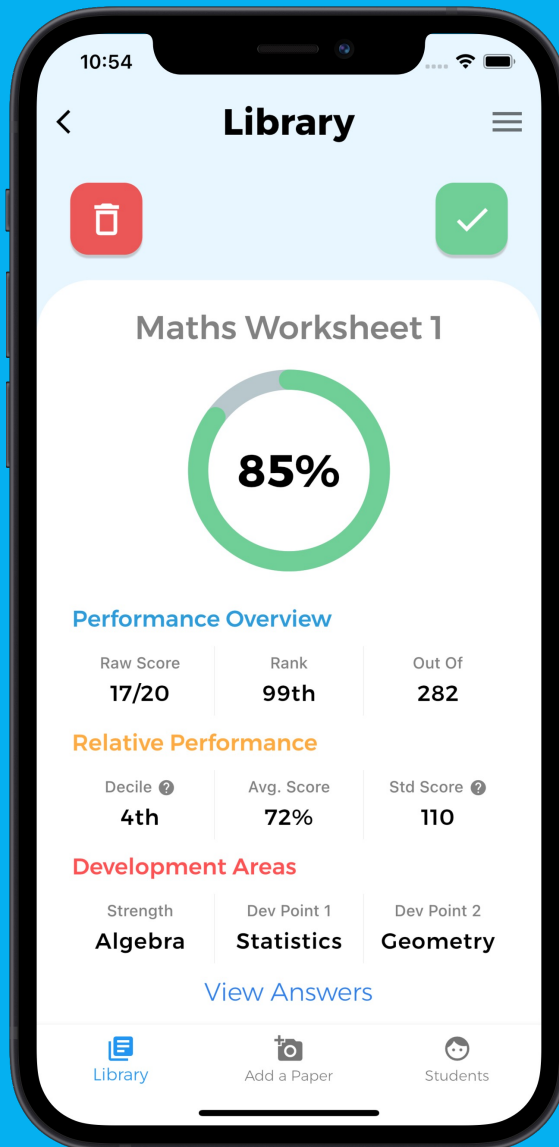


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C



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E

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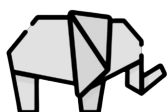
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Instructions

1. You have 20 minutes to complete this test
2. This is a multiple-choice test and each question carries one mark
3. Mark your answers clearly on the answer sheet using a HB pencil
4. Ensure that the rectangle on the answer sheet is fully shaded in like this 
5. If you mark the wrong answer, ensure that you erase it and mark your new answer clearly
6. Any rough workings should be done on a separate sheet of paper
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11+ Vocab Sheet #1

Task: Learn the following fifteen common 11+ words using the definitions provided. Once ready, test your skills using the review sheet on the next page!

SACRIFICE	To give up something valuable
PURPOSE	Reason (why you do something)
DIGEST	To change food in your stomach into substances your body can use
POULTRY	Chicken meat or bird meat
COMRADE	A friend, especially someone who fights with you in war
ENDEAVOUR	To try really hard
WHOLLY	Entirely
ORIGIN	Where something comes from
MORAL	The right thing to do
SERMON	A religious speech given by a priest in a church
IDLE	Not working/staying still
IDOL	Someone that you respect very much
STOOP	To bend down
GRATE	To break food (such as cheese) into small, thin pieces
LINGER	To stay somewhere for a long time

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Read this poem carefully, then answer the questions that follow.

Salamanders

1. Resembling small lizards, salamanders are a group of tailed amphibians that are related to frogs. Of more than 6,500 existing species of amphibians, salamanders and newts total more than 400 living species. They represent some of the most fantastic and diverse forms of life on Earth. Although they
5. may look like lizards, salamanders are actually quite different from these reptiles. For instance, the skin of salamanders does not have scales, and their feet lack claws. Typical of amphibians, salamanders have very smooth, moist skin, which has the ability to absorb oxygen and water.

- Although their range extends throughout many parts of the world,
10. salamanders are most common in cool, temperate regions of the Northern Hemisphere, such as North America and Europe. Some species may also be found in tropical Central and South America, and in Asia, but they mostly inhabit the cooler mountain woodlands of these regions. Aquatic salamanders inhabit freshwater ponds, cool mountain streams, marshes, swamps, rivers,
 15. and underground caves. Land-dwelling species inhabit damp forests and may be found under moss, rocks, piles of leaves, fallen logs, in trees, or buried beneath the soil.

- Most salamanders are generally similar in appearance — short, lizard-like bodies, four tiny legs, and long tails. Average salamanders are usually
20. between 10 to 15 centimetres in length, but they can vary a great deal depending upon species. Among the smallest is the pygmy salamander (*Desmognathus wrighti*), with a length of only 3.8 to 5.1 centimetres. The largest species of salamander in the world, the Chinese giant salamander (*Andrias davidianus*), grows to a length of 5.9 feet.
25. The physical characteristics of some salamanders are quite unique and sometimes bizarre. The sirens of southern North America resemble eels. Having lost their back legs entirely, sirens have only two reduced front limbs, and instead of tiny teeth they have a horny beak. The aquatic mud puppies have external gills that look like huge red or purple feathers.

30. Other aquatic salamanders have very loose skin that lies wrinkled and folded over their flattened bodies. Three types of lungless salamanders in eastern North America have a distinct way of opening their mouths—the lower jaw is stationary, so a lungless salamander must lift its upper jaw and skull. Some cave-dwelling species have severely reduced eyes and are white in colour.
35. Others, such as the Georgia Blind Salamander (*Haideotriton wallacei*), lack eyes altogether. The axolotl salamander (*Ambystoma mexicanum*) of Mexico features a large sail-like fin that runs along its entire back to the tip of its tail. Another fin runs along the underside of that animal's tail.

- Some species of salamanders exhibit fantastic, bold colours of all shades and patterns. Although attractive to the eye, this colouration actually serves as a warning to potential predators. The skin of members of the *Salamandridae* family, which includes the newts, contains poisonous glands that can secrete potent toxins. The most brightly-coloured individuals often secrete the most toxic poisons from their skin. Bright yellows, oranges, and reds often
40. compliment a dark brown or black background. Other colours include green, blue, pink, and gray. Salamanders may be spotted, striped or have a marbled pattern. Some salamanders have a dull-colored back and boldly coloured underbelly, which is armed with toxic skin glands. Some species of mole salamanders, such as the striking tiger and spotted salamanders, also display
45. vivid yellow or orange markings on a dark background. Harmless species may also mimic the poisonous ones in order to evade predators.
- 50.

*Answer the following questions based only on the information in the passage.
You should look back in the passage and select the best answer by marking it on
your answer sheet.*

1

Which of the following best describes Salamanders?

- A Lizards
- B Frogs
- C Amphibians
- D Extinct
- E Tailless

2

What does a salamander have that is common to many amphibians?

- A Scales on its skin
- B Claws on their feet
- C Skin that isn't rough and is moist
- D Moist, rough skin
- E Dry, smooth skin

3

In what type of climate are you most likely to find salamanders inhabiting?

- A Cooler regions that don't have extreme temperatures
- B Cooler regions that can have extreme temperatures
- C Warmer regions that don't have extreme temperatures
- D Warmer regions that can have extreme temperatures
- E Any – they are spread equally amongst all climates

4

Where would aquatic salamanders most likely be found?

- A Above caves
- B In the air
- C In the tropics
- D In water
- E It is impossible to tell

5

Which one of these statements is not true about most salamanders?

- A Their bodies are like lizards
- B Their bodies are not long
- C They have lengthy tails
- D They have more than two legs
- E They have docked tails

6

Where are the gills on aquatic mud puppies?

- A They don't have any
- B Outside their bodies
- C Inside their bodies
- D Inside their feathers
- E Outside their feathers

7

What is the main function of some salamanders' amazing colours?

- A To warn off potential attackers
- B To attract other salamanders for breeding
- C To be attractive for humans, so they will keep them as pets
- D To disguise themselves when hunting for prey
- E They have no function

8 Why would harmless species of salamanders mimic other species?

- A To attract others for breeding
- B To try and make the same sounds
- C So it looks like they are well defended
- D So they can more easily attack prey
- E We are not told

9 What type of word is “individuals” as it used in line 43?

- A Verb
- B Preposition
- C Adverb
- D Adjective
- E Noun

10 Which word is most similar in meaning to “exhibit” as it is used in line 39?

- A Deter
- B Replay
- C Exhale
- D Display
- E Fake

The following questions test correct use of **capital letters** or **punctuation**. There is either **one mistake or no mistake in each question**. Mark the letter which contains the mistake in the question. **If there is no mistake, mark option E.**

Punctuation Exercise

11

I motioned, for all of my friends to follow me as closely as they possibly could.

A

B

C

D

12

It was rather dubious how, such a slow runner had managed to win the race.

A

B

C

D

13

Even the birds' in the trees had stopped singing; the enormous storm was here.

A

B

C

D

14

Wouldn't it be advisable to take a break, especially having worked all of the night?

A

B

C

D

15

The arrangements had been made and the various pupils filed towards the exit.

A

B

C

D

Choose the **best word or phrase** to ensure that each question makes **grammatical sense** and mark its letter on your answer sheet.

A New Term

16

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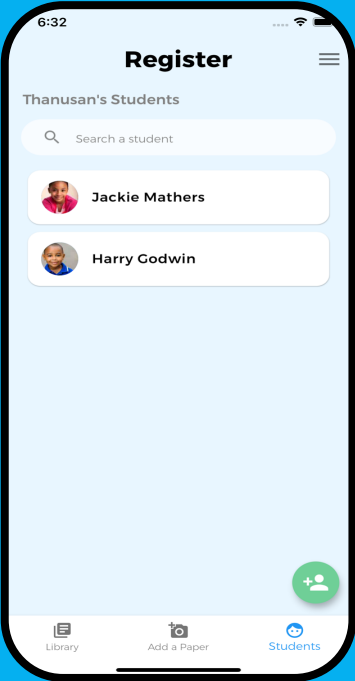
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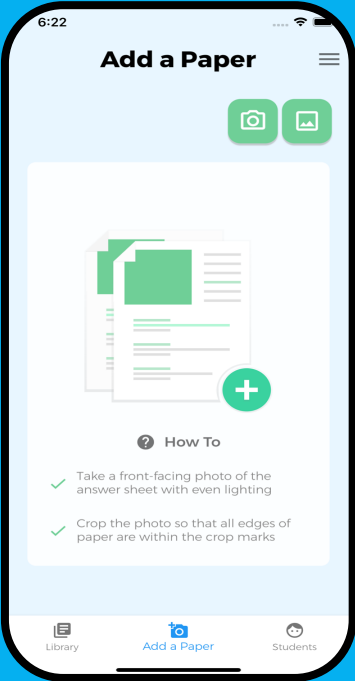
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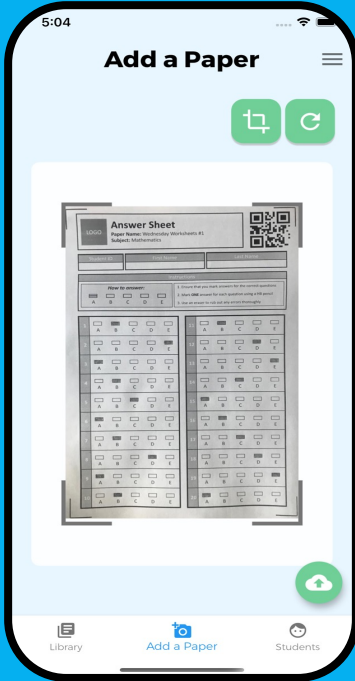
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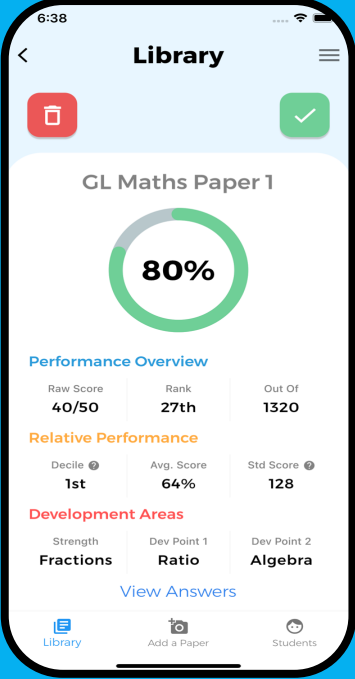


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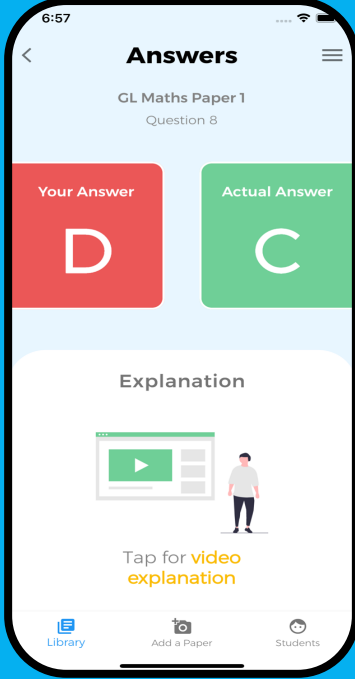
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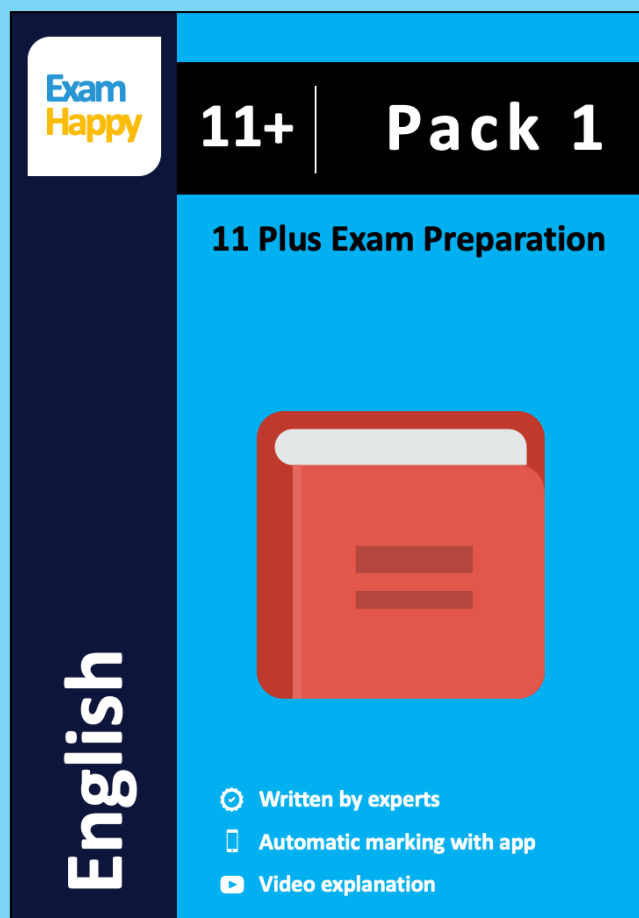


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