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Grade 6 English HL · Language Practice · Paper 2 — Marking Memorandum

MARKING GUIDELINES · NOT FOR DISTRIBUTION TO LEARNERS

Total Marks: 25

Grade: 6 Subject: english · Language Practice

These marking guidelines are for teacher use only.

Award marks for correct meaning. Half marks (½) may be awarded for partial answers.

Q	Answer / Marking Points	Marks
1	✓ Swimming	
2	✓ to dive	
3	✓ beside	
4	✓ Priya enjoys practising her strokes every afternoon.	
5	✓ Preposition: through; Object: the lane. (Also accept: through the lane. / Preposition: between; Object: the two ropes.)	
6	✓ B	
7	✓ in	
8	✓ Chloe is learning to improve her technique. (Accept: Any sentence that keeps the infinitive "to improve" as the main learning action.)	
9	✓ Gerund: running; Infinitive: to help	
10	✓ beside	

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11	✓ Accept any sentence where a named learner performs an activity as a gerund. Example: Nokwanda enjoys splashing in the deep end at the township pool. / Dylan is improving his swimming technique at the Soweto community pool. / Sameera's favourite activity is floating on her back.
12	✓ Preposition: under; Object: the water. (Also accept: under the water / from; Object: the bottom / from the bottom.)
13	✓ Gerund version: The children enjoy splashing in the pool. / Infinitive version: The children enjoy to splash in the pool. (Accept: The children want to splash in the pool. / The children like to splash in the pool.)
14	✓ Accept any 4-5 sentence paragraph with: (i) a clear topic sentence about learning to swim, (ii) at least two prepositions from the lesson (in, on, under, beside, through, between), (iii) at least one gerund, (iv) a named South African character. Example: Learning to swim at our local pool in Chatsworth is one of the most important skills we gain. Every day after school, Rohan goes through the gates and changes in the rooms beside the building. He spends his time swimming in the lanes and practising his strokes under the coach's watch. Diving under the water is still difficult for him, but he keeps trying. By the end of this term, he hopes to be a confident swimmer.

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