STAGE 1 READING & WRITING

HIPPO SAMPLE

⏰ Time allowed: **30 minutes**

There are **5** tasks. Answer **all** the questions.
Use pen or pencil.

**My name is** ............................

Candidate Name:  

Candidate Number:  

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**Marker use only**

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Look at the pictures and put a tick ✓ or a cross ✗ in the box.

**EXAMPLE**
- This is a t-shirt.
- This is a shoe.

1. This is a train.

2. This is a dragon.

3. This is a crayon.

4. This is a spoon.

5. These are lemons.

6. This is a guitar.
Look at the pictures and write the correct words.

**EXAMPLE**

This is a ............ lion ...................

lion   tiger   elephant.

1

This is a .................................

snake   spider   fish

2

This is a ............................... .

window   door   picture

3

This is a ............................... .

pirate   princess   robot

4

This is a ............................... .

shirt   jumper   skirt

5

This is a ............................... .

sandwich   sausage   potato

6

These are ............................... .

pineapples   bananas   carrots
**TASK 3**  
Look at the pictures and write the correct words.

**EXAMPLES**

The boy is ……… **painting** ………

- painting  
- reading  
- writing

He is wearing a red …**hat**….

- trousers  
- t-shirt  
- hat

1. There are ………………… children.

- two  
- three  
- four

2. The children are ……………….

- walking  
- running  
- swimming

3. The boy is ………………… ice cream.

- eating  
- drinking  
- standing

4. He is wearing an orange ……………….

- t-shirt  
- jacket  
- shoes

5. The family are in the ……………….

- garden  
- park  
- shop

6. They have ………………..

- kites  
- balloons  
- bikes
There are …four… people in the picture. They are having a 1 ……………………. .
The weather is 2 ………………. . There are white 3 ………………. in the sky.
The parents are 4 ………………. on a blanket. The children are 5 ………………. .
The girl is wearing a 6 ………………. dress.
Where are the children? in a **classroom**

1. How many children are there?  

2. What colour is the wall? 

3. Are the children standing? 

4. Where is the clock? on the map 

5. What is the teacher wearing? a blue 

6. What animal can you see? a 

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**Example**

- Where are the children? in a classroom
- How many children are there? 
- What colour is the wall? 
- Are the children standing? 
- Where is the clock? on the map 
- What is the teacher wearing? a blue 
- What animal can you see? a
1. Choose a, b or c to complete the sentences.

31. Can I have something to eat? I am really _____________.
   a) hungry     b) thirsty     c) angry

32. A monster has got four _____________.
   a) eye         b) eyes        c) eys

33. It is ____________ octopus.
   a) a           b) the         c) an

34. The baby has a lot of _____________.
   a) toy         b) toyes        c) toys

35. Mark and I ____________ best friends.
   a) am          b) is          c) are

36. See you ____________ Monday!
   a) in          b) on          c) at

37. The boy ____________ football every day.
   a) plays       b) play        c) plaies

38. How old ____________? I am ten.
   a) you are     b) are you     c) have you

39. He ____________ broccoli.
   a) doesn't like b) don't like c) isn't like
40. Are you happy? Yes, I ____________.
   a) do  b) am  c) can

41. Marilyn ____________ brown eyes.
   a) have got  b) have  c) has got

42. ____________ is your favourite sport?
   a) Who  b) Witch  c) What

43. This person puts out fires. He is a ____________.
   a) firefighter  b) firemen  c) firer

44. My brother hates ____________.
   a) to sing  b) sings  c) singing

45. The children ____________ at 7 o'clock.
   a) gets up  b) get up  c) getting up

46. ____________ is a yellow fruit.
   a) Strawberry  b) Lemon  c) Watermelon

47. A room where you cook is a ____________.
   a) kitchen  b) chicken  c) bathroom

48. My grandmother is ____________ years old.
   a) eighty  b) eighteen  c) eight

49. ____________ are my new shoes.
   a) This  b) These  c) That

50. Mum's gloves ____________ pink.
   a) is  b) does  c) are