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Classroom Quizzes

Book 4

For 11 years plus

*** Graduated quizzes in key learning areas to help lift students' classroom performances.**

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Classroom Quizzes - An Overview

This book is designed to stimulate and motivate children in the areas of English, Maths, HSIE/S & E, Science and General Knowledge through a challenging and exciting quiz format.

Each quiz sheet consists of 5 levels, with each level becoming progressively more difficult. On each level the children are required to complete 4 questions, one from each of the above mentioned areas.

The children must begin at Level 1 and work up the page through each level.

Most of the questions are in multiple choice format.

There are two possible scoring options:

1) Points are scored as indicated - 1 point for Level 1 and up to 5 points for Level 5 questions. Scores are recorded at the top of the page.

2) This option adds a risk element in that children have to score 2 questions right to be eligible to move to the next level. They still have a go at answering the whole sheet but when correcting they can only score from a level if they have at least 2 answers right from the previous level.

For example Child A might score as follows:

Level 1: 3 questions right (3 points)

Level 2: 4 questions right (8 points)

Level 3: 2 questions right (6 points)

Level 4: 1 question right (4 points)

Level 5: 2 questions right (0 points) because he/she did not get the minimum 2 questions right in Level 4.

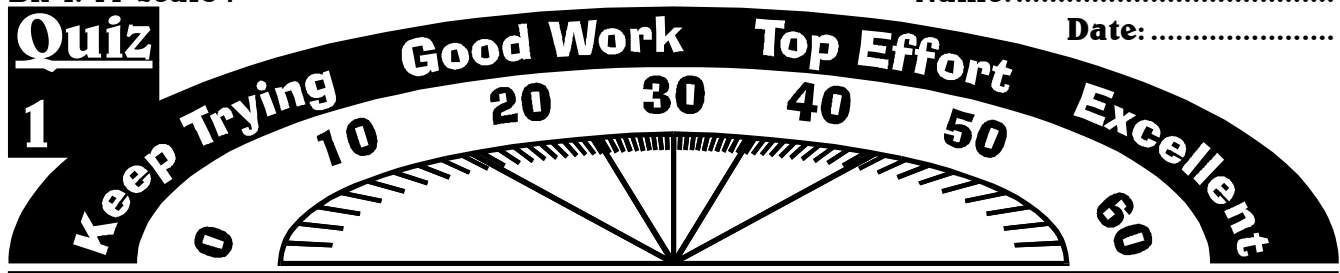
Whilst this option may appear a bit harder it appeals greatly to the children because there is some added pressure and risk-taking involved. It can be likened somewhat to TV shows like "Who Wants To Be A Millionaire?" where players have to take risks to go further ahead.

Whilst most of the content fits in with the four Key Learning Areas of Maths, English, Science and HSIE/S & E, every sixth quiz is on General Knowledge to add variety and maintain a broad spectrum of questions.

We hope that children will enjoy the challenge of "**Classroom Quizzes**"

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Quiz**1**

English

Maths

HSIE/S & E

Science

Level 5

5 points each

Circle the correct spelling: a) catastrophe b) catasrophe c) catastrophy d) catastroy	8.75 kg at \$16 per kilogram:	India shares its border with: a) Pakistan b) Greece c) Italy d) France	A cold, dense mass in space that gives off no light is a: a) star b) planet c) black dwarf
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Level 4

4 points each

Choose the right conjunction: Chris had a sore leg he still won the race: a) but b) whether	$\frac{1}{2} = 5\%$. a) true b) false	A 'gorge' is: a) a narrow, deep river valley b) an area of high, flat land	Antibodies rid the body of: a) waste b) carbon dioxide c) disease
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Level 3

3 points each

The plural of cherry is:	6) $\overline{1596}$ a) 293 b) 266 c) 314	In America they call a tap a: a) drip b) faucet	Rainwater that contains dissolved acid is: a) distilled water b) acid rain c) tank water
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Level 2

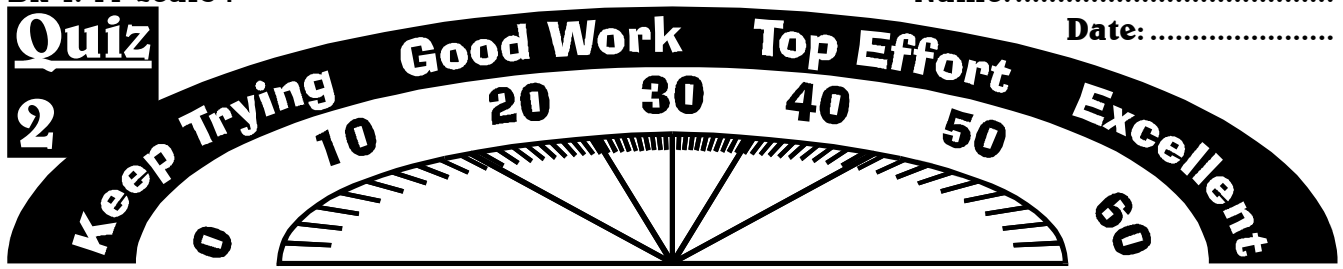
2 points each

Use the correct homonym. A ferret (preys/ praise) on rodents.	Difference between 46 and 27:	An 'Aussie' word for sad is: a) blue b) upset	A scientist who studies the universe is a: a) astronaut b) astronomer c) carpenter
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Level 1

1 point each

Write the proper noun correctly: a) elephant b) salad c) july	Share \$64 among 8:	Valencias and navels are what type of fruit? a) pears b) oranges	The female reproduction system where eggs are produced is the uterus. a) true b) false
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Quiz**2**

English

Maths

HSIE/S & E

Science

➞ Level 5**5 points each**

Complete the proverb: A stitch in time 	Joe travelled 630 km in 9 hours. What was his average speed? 	In what year did Australia win the America's Cup? a) 1980 b) 1985 c) 1983 d) 1990	A massive star that has burned itself out is a: a) sun b) supernova c) black hole
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➞ Level 4**4 points each**

Change one letter in STREAM to mean 'to yell loudly': 	How many cm in 27m? 	When people vote they have to go to a: a) polling booth b) library 	A mirror or lens that is curved inward is: a) concave b) convex
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➞ Level 3**3 points each**

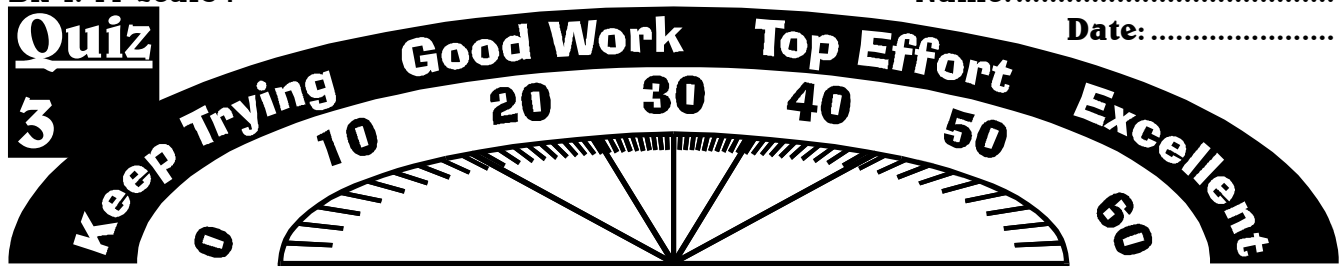
An anniversary is a j u b _ _ _ _	4 $\overline{)5688}$ a) 1224 b) 1242 c) 1422 	One negative effect of removing trees is: a) more furniture can be made b) species are lost	An instrument used to measure air pressure is a: a) barometer b) anemometer c) thermometer
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➞ Level 2**2 points each**

Punctuate: you're so clever how did you do that	$(3 \times 7) + (3 \times 3) =$ a) 30 b) 36 c) 24 	What world famous event happened in July, 1969? 	The brainstem is the part of the brain that joins the spinal cord. a) true b) false
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➞ Level 1**1 point each**

Choose the best adjective. The noise was a) silly b) lovely c) deafening	17 is a prime number. a) true b) false 	The term for returning land to the Aboriginal people is called: a) Uluru b) Land rights	The small opening through which light passes into the eye is called: a) iris b) retina c) pupil
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Quiz**3**

English

Maths

HSIE/S & E

Science

➔ Level 5**5 points each**

Choose the correct preposition: Australia should have good relations (with/towards) all its neighbours.	Area of a square with a 15cm base:	In what country was paper first developed? a) Portugal b) Sth America c) Egypt d) Russia	Sugar and starch are: a) proteins b) carbohydrates c) fibre
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➔ Level 4**4 points each**

The opposite of superior is:	Body temperature is about: a) 37°C b) 100°C c) 20°C	To flavour food is to: a) season b) simmer	Coal was formed from plants which lived and died millions of years ago. a) true b) false
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➔ Level 3**3 points each**

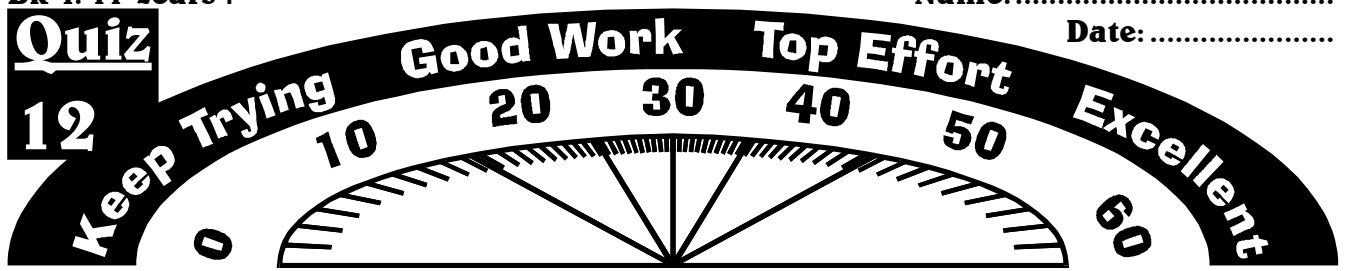
A synonym for jeer is: a) shout b) mock	$0.8 + 0.8 + 0.8 + 0.8$ = a) 32.0 b) .32 c) 3.2	What South Australian town is known for its opal mining? a) Coober Pedy b) Adelaide	A red object only looks red under white light and red light. a) true b) false
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➔ Level 2**2 points each**

An anagram for WARDER meaning 'part of a cupboard' is:	$4 \times \dots = 448$ a) 226 b) 112 c) 102	One who studies rocks is a: a) prospector b) geologist	What colour is found in practically all plants?
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➔ Level 1**1 point each**

Use the correct tense: Ed is a lot of time. (waste)	$10 \overline{) \$200}$ a) \$2 b) \$20 c) \$20.20	Complete the name of this famous Australian eye specialist: _ _ _ _ Hollows	A disease which affects many people at the same time is an epidemic. a) true b) false
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Quiz**12****General Knowledge**

A

B

C

D

➔ Level 5**5 points each**

Who was the male lead in the Australian classic 'Crocodile Dundee'?	What is the name of the awards for best Australian T.V. performances?	What is the name of the US awards for the best movies and acting?	What Australian film about a pig won world acclaim?
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➔ Level 4**4 points each**

What is the name given to the room below a house?	By what four letter word is molten rock known?	What name is given to a religious song?	What is the name for the bony structure of your body?
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➔ Level 3**3 points each**

A quadrilateral has sides.	The Mounties of Canada are famous: a) footballers b) police	A person who lives in isolation is called a h _ _ _ _	A place where birds are kept is called an a _ _ _ _
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➔ Level 2**2 points each**

Which planet is furthest from the sun?	A place where fish are kept is an	A container for paper money is called a	Ben Hall was a famous
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➔ Level 1**1 point each**

Another name for a moving staircase is an: a) elevator b) escalator	Flock is to sheep as cattle is to	Absent from school without permission is a: t _ _ _ _	One who looks on the bright side is an o p _ _ _ _
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