## PREFACE

A Complete Guide (With Practice) to English is a series of 6 books for Primary 1 to Primary 6 students. These books can be used both as a basic course and as a supplementary material to support classroom teaching. The books have been designed to help students learn independently. However, they would be able to their language skills with encouragement and assistance from teachers and parents.
This book provides a comprehensive coverage of in core areas, namely:

## (a) Grammar

Brief explanatory notes are provided to help children master the basic rules. They are intended to guide and encourage learning rather than to forcibly instil grammatical discipline. There are 20 tests based on grammar which pupils can do and refer to the answers provided on their own.
(b) Vocabulary

Comprehensive coverage of words pertaining to tools, occupations, etc. There are 20 tests given to enhance pupils' vocabulary.

## (c) Cloze Passage

A variety of Cloze passages, starting with shorter ones and progressively introducing passages of a higher standard.
(d) Comprehension

There are Visual Text questions and Open-ended questions.

## (e) Composition

There are pictures to encourage thinking and writing. The helping words will guide pupils in forming sentences. A few Model compositions are provided.

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Exercise 2: Underline the nouns in the following sentences.

1. A spider is not an insect.
2. I bought these cakes from the bakery across the road.
3. My father drives a lorry to work every day.
4. We threw some peanuts to the monkeys.
5. It is dangerous to swim in this river.
6. The birds were chirping just now.
7. A burglar broke into my house last night.
8. The children are playing in the field.
9. You need to brush your teeth regularly.
10. Please tidy your room.

Exercise 1: Look at the words below. Group them into countable and uncountable nouns.

| salt | sugar | milk | egg | jam | bone | fish |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| finger | bed | ink | mud | honey | goat | flower |

Countable Nouns
Uncountable Nouns

