INSTRUCTIONS

Here are some exercises in finding the two words which are most nearly the SAME in meaning or OPPOSITE in meaning.

Look at exercise 1.

1. a. big  b. large  c. dry  d. slow

Big and large have the SAME meaning. The letter for big is a and the letter for large is b. Now look at the Part 4 Practice section. Notice that in the row for practice exercise 1, the space under letters a-b has been tick (√) marked.

Now look at exercise 2.

2. a. dreary  b. loyal  c. ancient  d. disloyal

Loyal and disloyal have OPPOSITE meanings. The letter for loyal is b, and the letter for disloyal is d. Therefore, on the answer sheet, in the row for practice exercise 2 the space under letters b-d has been tick (√) marked.

Below are some practice exercises. In each exercise find the two words which are most nearly the SAME in meaning, or OPPOSITE in meaning—put a tick (√) mark under the correct letter combination in the Practice part of the answer sheet. Make no marks in this booklet. Make heavy tick (√) marks in the answer spaces.

3. a. mild  b. correct  c. wrong  d. similar
4. a. open  b. fall  c. start  d. finish
5. a. amusing  b. tiny  c. awkward  d. funny

Do not turn this page until you are told to do so.

On the following pages are more exercises like these. For each exercise, put a tick (√) mark under the correct letter combination on the answer sheet. Make no marks in this booklet. Make heavy tick (√) marks on the answer sheet. Work as fast as you can without making mistakes. You will be allowed 6 minutes.