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CHAPTER – 1 SENTENCES

Exercises

- A. **SUBJECT** **PREDICATE**
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|----------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. India | leader in the software industry |
| 2. Courtesy | costs nothing |
| 3. Your cousin | how brave |
| 4. Backbiting | don't indulge |
- B. 1. India 2. Horses 3. The fruit seller 4. My father
 5. Mosquitoes 6. your result 7. AIDS 8. Courtesy
 9. Children 10. My parents
- C. 1. New life is threatened by a monster on earth.
 2. There cannot be a harvest without rain.
 3. We should take care of our elders.
 4. Trees play an important role in resisting erosion.
- D. 1. Does your father like to watch news on TV?
 2. Can you speak Hindi and English?
 3. What is your favourite pastime?
 4. What is the staple diet of many Indians?
- E. 1. India is a multi-cultural society, isn't it?
 2. Japan is called the land of the rising Sun, isn't it?
 3. Your computer doesn't have an internet connection, does it?
 4. People speak different languages in different parts of Europe, don't they ?
 5. Nitin has learnt to Swim, hasn't he?

CHAPTER – 2 PHRASES AND CLAUSES

Exercises

- A. 1. a graceful, animal 2. looks 3. hilariously 4. quite important
 5. into, a tourist destination
- B. 1. I, She 2. I, you 3. I, you 4. you, who 5. one, one
- C. Adjective Noun
- | | |
|---|----------------|
| 1.new | I |
| 2.last | I, I |
| 3.that you sent yesterday | Ritu |
| 4.that nurtured me | me |
| 5.that was returning after dropping us home | the school bus |
- D. 1. before 2. when 3. when 4. if 5. after

CHAPTER – 3 NOUNS

Exercises

- A. 1. **Common Noun**– police;
 2. **Common Noun** – class;
 3. **Proper Noun**– Chandragupta Maurya;
 4. **Collective Noun**– jury;
 5. **Collective Noun**– crowd;
- Collective Noun**– mob
Material Noun– mob
Abstract Noun– just, wise
Abstract Noun– guilty
Common Noun– street

6. **Proper Noun**– Holland, Dutch

7. **Abstract Noun**– Happiness

8. **Material Noun**– cotton, wool, silk

- B. 1. Committee 2. crowd 3. regiment 4. flock 5. herd
6. swarm 7. crew 8. team 9. jury 10. fleet
- C. 1. innocence 2. honesty 3. protection 4. honesty
5. patience 6. knowledge 7. wisdom 8. beauty
9. cleanliness 10. dishonesty 11. dishonesty 12. arrival
13. Ignorance 14. childhood 15. Bravery
- D. shoal, flock, herd, grove, orchard, grapevine bunch

CHAPTER – 4 PRONOUNS

Exercises

- A. 1. This, that, Those 2. This, that
3. These, those 4. This, that
- B. 1. What 2. What 3. Who 4. Who 5. What 6. Which
- C. 1. he, him 2. her, it 3. they, they, they, others, they, everything
4. All, to do
- D. 1. What 2. What 3. which 4. which
5. who 6. whose 7. who 8. who
- E. 1. He saw an old man who was begging.
2. We met a lady who could stitch clothes.
3. The flight has arrived which goes to Mumbai.
4. The lady that crossed the road is my grandmother.
5. I caught the boy who made the mischief.
6. She visited the doctor who was very famous.
7. My father had an expensive watch that was stolen.
8. The boy is intelligent so introduced him with me.

CHAPTER– 5 ADJECTIVES

Exercises

- A. 1. better 2. hottest 3. more 4. heaviest
5. best 6. more dependable 7. more 8. enjoyable
- B. 1. tallest 2. as, as 3. as, as 4. fastest
5. smallest 6. more, than 7. so, as 8. most
- C. 1. any 2. much 3. a few 4. some
5. period of 6. allotted 7. little 8. her
9. Many 10. The
- D. 1. eldest 2. older 3. fewer 4. youngest
5. mightier 6. lucky 7. holiest 8. best
9. nearest 10. wisest 11. costlier 12. louder

CHAPTER – 6 VERBS

Exercises

- A. 1. food 2. it 3. are 4. sincerely 5. the cake
- B. 1. We will book a seat for you.
2. She called a taxi for me.
3. He made a delicious soup for his wife.

4. They sold their used car at a low price to me.
5. My aunt cooked an elaborate meal for us.
6. Show this exit pass to the security guard when you leave.
- C.
 1. My neighbour suggested a good doctor to me.
 2. The witness described crime the scene to the police.
 3. The actor donated a huge sum to the charity.
 4. She gave a box of chocolates to the boy.
 5. I sent some flowers to Lucy.

CHAPTER – 7 ADVERBS

Exercises

- A.

1. violently -adverb of manner	2. ago-adverb of time
3. at once-adverb of time	4. today-adverb of time
5. early-adverb of time	6. gracefully-adverb of manner
7. extremely- adverb of degree	8. How-Interrogative adverb
9. everywhere-adverb of place	
- B.

1. high	2. hardly	3. lately	4. nearly
5. directly	6. politely	7. fluently	8. louder
9. weekly			
- C.

1. hard	2. harder	3. hardest	4. nearer	5. nearest
6. most expensive	7. more expensive	8. most expensive	9. Fastest	
- D.

1. too	2. quite	3. very	4. much	5. very
6. quite	7. too	8. too	9. enough	

CHAPTER – 8 PREPOSITIONS

Exercises

- A.

1. on	2. under	3. beside	4. at	5. with
6. at	7. from	8. at	9. on	10. on
11. beside	12. behind	13. in	14. at	15. till
- B.

1. for	2. about	3. at	4. by	5. for
6. in	7. On, with	8. for	9. since	10. from
11. for	12. by	13. by	14. in, in	15. with
- C.

1. On	2. under	3. in	4. with	5. for
6. of	7. any	8. about	9. at	10. of
- D.

1. in	2. of	3. inside	4. out	5. up
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CHAPTER – 9 CONJUNCTIONS

Exercises

- A.
 1. Run fast or you will miss the train.
 2. We respect him because he is an honest man.
 3. We drove very fast and will soon overtake our friends.
 4. She will get the prize because she deserves it.
 5. You should speak politely or you offend somebody.
 6. He looks ordinary still he is very popular.
- B.
 1. While she was watching television, she fell asleep.
 2. When our neighbour was away on vacation someone broke into their house.
 3. As the comedian stood up to speak, the audience began to laugh.

4. While the presentation was being made, the audience were busy chatting with each other.
5. The power supply invariably fails when it rains.
6. My telephone always rings while I am having a bath.
- C.
 1. Can you make me some coffee please because I am dressing.
 2. We are packing the suitcase, please shut the window.
 3. I am changing the flat tyre, please tell your aunt Liza that we might be late
 4. Please make the bed as your sister is cleaning the room.
 5. As you are waiting for the doctor, would you like something to read.
- D.
 1. My Father watches me from the gallery when I practice football every evening.
 2. The crops went dry, When the summer heat intensified.
 3. A baby crawled into the arena while the circus show was going on.
 4. The chicks went running and hiding under the hen's wings as the eagle swooped down

CHAPTER – 10 VERBS: PRESENT TENSE

Exercises

- A.

1. give	2. taught	3. bring	4. wear
5. controls	6. Love begets you.	7. Do, believe	8. works
9. opens	10. makes	11. watches	12. brush
- B.

1. are celebrating	2. are joining	3. am helping	4. am going
5. is flying	6. starts	7. is preparing	8. are leaving
9. are getting	10. is ringing	11. raining	12. is walking
- C.

1. have come	2. have seen	3. have used
4. have not learned	5. will help you learn	
- D.
 1. Ramit is driving a car.
 2. My father is listening to the news.
 3. She is speaking english.
 4. The river is flowing through the mountains.
 5. The children are making noise.
 6. They are buying vegetables from the market.
 7. Children enjoying the rides.
 8. The Doctor is treating patients.
 9. The birds are flying high in the sky.
 10. Are they drinking tea?
 11. Rina washing her clothes herself.
 12. The train is leaving the station at a fixed time.

CHAPTER – 11 VERBS: PAST TENSE

Exercises

- A. reached, found, was sleeping, was ringing, did not hear, was snoring, found, called, switched, pulled, covered, woke up, wanted, was going
- B. 1. for 2. since 3. since 4. for 5. since
6. since 7. since 8. since 9. for 10. for
- C. made, were, already collected, arranged, collected, belonged, boarded, already arranged, started, reached, went, came, being, took, jumped, enjoyed, enjoyed, was
- D. 1. had done 2. had cooked 3. had carried 4. had waited
5. gave 6. walked 7. had driven 8. grew

CHAPTER – 12 VERBS: FUTURE TENSE

Exercises

- A. 1. Will my tutor come tomorrow?
2. He will not come again after two days.
3. Shall I remember what you did for me?
4. Shall we not be patient with each other?
5. Is the politics of violence will ruin our country?
6. Promise me that you will obey your father.
- B. 1. The Vermas are going to Mussoorie during the vacation.
2. We are going to shift our house next month.
3. The doctor is going to operate on his leg next week.
4. The MNC is going to open a shopping mall here.
5. Our principal is going to address the merit holder.
6. Our school is going to reopen on July 10.
7. The Election Commission is going to hold elections in four states.
8. The dispute is so serious that people are going to call police.
- C. 1. will not be going 2. is not going to open.
3. will you be going to pass 4. will be joining 5. will arrange
6. will be cleaning 7. will be raining 8. will be growing
9. will be dancing 10. will be studying

CHAPTER – 13 INFINITIVE AND GERUND

Exercises

- A. 1. to lift 2. to go 3. to cry 4. to write
5. to learn 6. to eat 7. to see 8. to wear
9. to do 10. to sing 11. to repair 12. to post
13. to work
- B. Self-Attempt
- C. 1. the route 2. to attend this function 3. that you helped us at
the difficult situation 4. to believe 5. to understand
6. to go in the safaris 7. to resist 8. to walk in the morning
9. to do that project 10. to solve
- D. a. v b. iii c. i d. vi e. ii f. iv

CHAPTER – 14 ARTICLES

Exercises

- A. 1. the, a, the 2. a, The, the 3. an, the 4. The, the the
 5. The, the, an 6. an, the 7. the, a 8. a, the, the
 9. a, The, the 10. an, the
- B. 1. a, the 2. the, a 3. The 4. The, the
 5. The 6. The, the 7. the 8. an, an
 9. The, the 10. an, the
- C. 1. The house was destroyed in the fire.
 2. I saw a girl taking a dog for a walk.
 3. Its an honour to meet a big personality.
 4. I saw an elephant. I saw an elephant at zoo.
 5. The Great Barrier Reef can be seen from the Moon.
 6. I am looking for a job.
 7. It is an eight-digit number.
 8. He shot an arrow in the air.
 9. A tiny bird lived on a tree.
 10. English is not an easy language.
 11. He reached an hour late.
 12. He gave a wise judgement.
 13. Sri Lanka is an island in the Indian Ocean.
 14. He is an honourable person.
 15. He goes for a walk in the morning.
- D. 1. award 2. ostrich 3. European 4. poor
 5. oak 6. idea 7. intelligent 8. umbrella
 9. Indian 10. expensive

CHAPTER – 15 MODALS

Exercises

- A. 1. should 2. would 3. will 4. would 5. Should
 6. should 7. shall 8. would 9. will 10. will
- B. 1. can 2. must 3. could 4. can 5. can
 6. must 7. need 8. must 9. can 10. can
- C. 1. dares to 2. used 3. must 4. dare 5. ought to
 6. used to 7. need 8. need to 9. ought to 10. must
- D. 1. Rupesh and his brother have to work hard for their living.
 2. If it rains, we have to stay indoor.
 3. We have to travel by car.
 4. The ladies of the village are compelled and will have to sell their ornaments.
 5. It is important that we have to leave right now.
- E. 1. must 2. must 3. Must 4. must 5. ought
 6. must 7. must 8. must 9. must 10. ought to

CHAPTER – 16 ACTIVE AND PASSIVE VOICE

Exercises

- A. 1. The village was flooded by a rainstorm.
 2. The accident was prevented by a timely warning.
 3. Twenty-four runs were scored in just four balls by Kapil.
 4. A set of story books were sent by her to me.

5. An interesting talk was given by Amit.
 6. A difficult question was asked by them to the speaker.
 7. The proposal was objected by most of the members.
 8. The car was repaired by the mechanic.
 9. The vase was broken by the girl.
 10. Some stones were being gathered by Ravi.
 11. Money will be borrowed by us from the bank.
 12. Other details will be given to you by Miss Verma.
 13. The truth told by you.
 14. The tickets will be arranged by whom?
 15. How many guests were invited by you?
 16. The trophy was won by our team.
 17. The cage was opened by her.
- B. being cut, spreaded on, cucumber, put salt and pepper, spread, cover this,
- C. was shaken, were destroyed, were killed, were trapped, were, were rescued, was supplies, the goat, helping, were, taken, was, controlled, government will, people.
- D.
1. The computer was invented by Charles Babbage.
 2. The train fares has been increased by the government.
 3. Pollution was controlled by unleaded petrol.
 4. The work will be finished by her in a fortnight.
 5. The hotel was being built by somebody last year.
 6. A story was told to me by my grandmother.
 7. A lift was offered by her to me.
 8. Ravi was elected as the captain by all the members.
 9. The electric bulb was invented by Thomas Edison.
 10. The Ganga was worshipped as a goddess by most Indians.

CHAPTER – 17 DIRECT AND INDIRECT SPEECH

Exercises

- A.
1. The Prime Minister said that Indian economy is developing very fast.
 2. The Infosys chief said that information technology has reduced the world to a global village.
 3. Everybody would say that Indian technicians were the best in the world.
 4. My aunt said that it was pity that the govt. has failed to control prices.
 5. The Indian captain said to the team that slow bowlers will not be effective on the bouncy Australian pitches.
- B.
1. Mrs.Rao advised the students to carefully read the question at least twice before writing the answer.
 2. Mrs Krishnan told me that if I kept on working hard, I would definitely succeed in realising my dreams.
 3. The man at the counter offered us an additional 5% discount if we purchased the books worth five hundred rupees.
 4. Sonam's mother said to her that if she had not detected that mistake in the accounts then her company would have suffered a heavy loss.
 5. My father told me that my performance had improved during the past

six months but I must improve it further.

6. Mrs. Ramachandran advised the children that if they could keep control over what they spoke, then they would be able to avoid many awkward situations.
- C. 1. I asked Raman if Vibhu had informed him that she would be late and he replied in the negative.
2. The teacher told Jagjit that he shouldn't complain that this rose branch.
had thorns, and that he should be thankful to God that this branch full of thorns had a rose.
3. While coming back home, Girish asked me how impressive the speaker's language was and whether I had understood what he wanted say.
4. The chairman addressed the members and asked if they computerised all their work, they could not show much progress.
- D. Where it was showing?, Majestic,
would you like to go for it, if anyone was going to see it.
her can I join you, who would get the tickets.

CHAPTER – 18 SENTENCES: SIMPLE, COMPOUND AND COMPLEX

Exercises

- A. 1. Compound 2. Complex 3. Simple 4. Compound
5. Complex
- B. 1. I was returning home when I saw a woman lying on the footpath.
2. We took four hours to reach the top.
3. Today is Sunday and the school will be closed.
4. I will not go on roller coaster because I am afraid of heights.
5. He told all his secrets to him because he trusted him.
6. She went to the market to buy some garments.
7. Mohan was too ill to attend his office.
8. The boy entered the room to collect all the books.

CHAPTER – 19 ONE WORD SUBSTITUTION

Exercises

- A. 1. catalogue 2. fastidious 3. transparent 4. waterproof
5. auctioneer 6. author 7. psychologist

CHAPTER – 20 SIMILES AND IDIOMS

Exercises

- A. 1. poles 2. snow 3. the pie 4. the dog 5. calf 6. fly
- B. 1. So who spilled the beans about her fight with the class?
2. His youngest daughter was the apple of his eye.
3. The woman cried crocodile tears at the news.
4. I thought she really liked me, but the next day she gave me the cold shoulder.

CHAPTER – 21 SYNONYMS AND ANTONYMS

- A. 1. consent - 1. He graciously acceded to our request.
 2. stranger - 2. She felt an alien culture when she moved to the city.
 3. huge - 3. He made an gigantic mistake when he quit his job.
 4. courageous - 4. He was a brave soldier.
 5. pair - 5. They were an odd couple
 6. stop - 6. They were detained by the police for questioning
 7. Joy - 7. There is nothing there to make anyone happy or jubilant.
 8. Humble - 8. She was enjoying modest success with her singing career.
- B. 1. deny - 1. She won't acknowledge responsibility for her actions.
 2. asleep - 2. Drinking coffee keeps him awake.
 3. doubt - 3. It's my belief that she is telling the truth.
 4. reveal - 4. She could barely conceal her anger.
 5. contract - 5. He has expanded his business to serve the entire state.
 6. pessimist - 6. She is an optimist and an idealist.

CHAPTER – 22 HOMOPHONES

Exercises

- | | |
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| 1. uncovered,
carry | 1. Don't walk around outside in your (bare) feet.
She couldn't (bear) the thought of losing him. |
| 2. small drops of water,
ought to be paid | 2. The flowers were sparkling with (dew).
My homework is (due) next week. |
| 3. female sheep,
evergreen tree | 3. One (ewe) has produced twins.
It had a beautiful alley of (yew) trees. |
| 4. dirty,
a bird | 4. The smell was quite (foul).
Chickens and ducks are two types of (fowl) |
| 5. to ask earnestly ,
to hunt for an animal | 5. I (pray) to the God everyday.
The seals are easy (prey) for sharks. |

CHAPTER – 23 COMPREHENSION PASSAGES

Exercises

1. A. 1. Because it offers security against the difficulties of life and is a source of great emotional satisfaction.
 2. The first basic principle is that if I went a friend I must be a friend.
 3. Because continuous sharing of feeling with friends increases under any circumstances.
 4. Values are supreme and ought not to be forsaken the depth of the relationship.
- B. 1. earth 2. applauded 3. intervals 4. supreme 5. forsaken
2. A. 1. A Spanish monk 2. 6th century B.C.
 3. Northern Andes in South America 4. 1800 metres
 5. and the statues 6. 500 statues
- B. 1. F 2. T 3. T 4. T 5. F
- C. 1. the date of origin 2. crudely, stern
 3. statues, God, Goddesses
- D. 1. altitude 2. densely 3. abundant 4. archaeology
 5. primitive

- E. 1. cite- please cite my gratitude to him.
site- I visited the construction site.
2. rite- I attended in the religious rites
right- he was right in his statement.

CHAPTER –24 PARAGRAPH WRITING

1. Laughter is the best medicine because it affects the human body and mind.
It gives positive vibes and hopes to new life. It increases immunity and improves the resistance power to fight against diseases. It improves blood circulation in the human body.

laughter works faster and more dependably than anything else to bring your mind and body back into balance. It can lighten your burdens, inspire hope, connect you to others, and keep you grounded, focused, and alert. It also helps you release anger and forgive sooner by seeking out more opportunities for humor and laughter, you can improve your emotional health, strengthen your relationships, find greater happiness—and even add years to your life.

2-10 Self attempt

CHAPTER – 25 ESSAY WRITING

Exercises

1,2,3,4,6 self attempt.

5. I visited the Zoo with my family members during the summer vacation. We all went to the national zoological park in Delhi. It was my first time in a zoo, and I learnt that zoo is a place full of different birds, animals and species. We saw animals like elephants, bears, deer and birds like peacocks, hornbills etc. We came to know about the houses they live in. We saw a lion hiding inside its den birds sitting on the nest and a bear roaming around the field. Proper monitoring of animal foods and health is done here. Animals and birds stay in safe places with proper shelter.

My parents pointed out all the herbivorous, carnivorous and omnivorous animals to us. We now believe that a zoo is a place to protect animals. We had a great time at the zoo.

CHAPTER – 26 NOTICE WRITING

Exercises

1-3 self attempt.

4. I extend my sincere thanks to my principal and teachers who inculcated such capabilities in me that I felt confident to be able to discharge my duties and responsibilities as the hockey captain of a prestigious school. Also I thank all the students who trusted me and have put their faith in me

CHAPTER – 27 EMAIL AND MESSAGE WRITING

Exercises

Message

1. Dear Suparna, I went to your home, but you were not at home. I need the notes that I had given you and I also returned two of your books that I had taken from you. Since you are not at home, I am giving this message to your mother.

2 & 3 self- attempt

4. To : teacher of secondary school @ gmail . com

Cc: -----

sub: English workshop

Greetings,

As the principal of our senior secondary school, I am pleased to announce that we will be conducting a workshop on spoken English on Sunday. The workshop will be held in the school premises and will be an excellent opportunity for all of us to improve our spoken English skills.

I would like to invite all of you to participate in this workshop. The workshop will be conducted by experienced trainers who will provide valuable insights and tips on how to improve your spoken English skills. The workshop will also include interactive sessions and group activities to help you practice your skills.

Please note that the workshop is mandatory for all teachers. It will start at 9:00 AM and end at 1:00 PM. Breakfast and lunch will be provided to all participants. For further details about the workshop, please contact the undersigned. I look forward to seeing you all at the workshop.

Best regards,

[Principal's Name]

CHAPTER – 28 WRITING BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES

Exercises

1. Viswanathan Anand was born in Chennai on December 11, 1969. Anand learned to play chess from his mother when he was 6 years old. At age 16 he became the youngest Indian to earn the title of first Grand Master of from India. In 1987, he became the World Junior Champion. He also won the world chess championship in 2000. He also earns title of 'lightning kid' also known as one man chess revolution. He had also been awarded Padma Shri ,1998 Padma Bhushan 2001 ,Rajiv Gandhi Khel Puruskar for 1991-92.
2. (self-attempt)

CHAPTER – 29 LETTER WRITING

Exercises

1. 38 B Anand Vihar

Delhi

16th January 2023

My dear Prachi

Thank you very much for your invitation to attend your birthday party on, 25th January, 2023. I wish you a very happy birthday on this occasion. I wish I could be with you but I am unable to do so. On 25 January, my aunt with her son is coming from USA. I have to go to the airport to receive them. They are coming after three years and I have to be with them.

I hope you will excuse my absence from your birthday party due to this reason. I shall definitely visit you soon to wish you health and happiness.

Thanking you again
Yours sincerely
Vishakha
2.,3., 4, & 5 (self-attempt)

CHAPTER – 30 STORY WRITING

Exercises

1. was, and, he, The, and, he, but, foolishly
2. Self attempt.

CHAPTER - 31 DIARY ENTRY

1.

Dear diary,

Today has been a rather challenging day. I can't help but feel deeply unsettled and disappointed by the behaviour of some of my friends. It's disheartening to witness how they've changed, and not for the better. We used to be so close, sharing laughter and supporting each other through thick and thin. But now, it seems like they're more interested in their own interests and don't care about others' feelings.

I'm not sure what to do about all of this. I don't want to lose my friends, but I also don't want to put up with their bad behaviour. Maybe I should talk to them and try to work things out. Or maybe it's time to move on and find some new friends who treat me better.

I guess I'll have to think about it some more. For now, I'm just going to take some time to myself and try to figure things out.

Until next time, [Your Name]

2.self – attempt

CHAPTER - 32. DIALOGUE – WRITING

1. Would you like to come?
 2. That's all right.
 3. Tell her that I asked about her too.
- 2.

Raghu: Hi Suresh!

Suresh: Hello Raghu!

Raghu: How are you doing?

Suresh: I am great! How are you?

Raghu: I am also great and excited.

Suresh: Excited about?

Raghu: The upcoming summer vacations.

Suresh: Ohh, yeah! What are you planning to do this vacation?

Raghu: I am going to Nanitaal for two weeks with my family.

Suresh: That is so great!

Raghu: Yes. What are you doing these vacations?

Raghu: Oh, I was planning on taking salsa classes. I have always wanted to learn it.

Suresh: That is great! Hope you have fun.

Raghu: You too.

3. self - attempt

CHAPTER - 33. POSTER-MAKING

1-4 Self -attempt

TEST PAPER -1

- A. 1. better 2. hottest 3. more 4. heaviest
5. best 6. more dependable
- B. 1. Committee 2. crowd 3. regiment 4. flock 5. herd
6. swarm 7. crew 8. team 9. jury 10. fleet
- C. 1. What 2. What 3. Who 4. Who 5. What
- D. 1. a, the 2. the, a 3. The 4. A, the
5. The
- E. 1. food 2. it 3. write 4. the cake
- F. 1. While 2. When 3. As 4. While 5. When
- G. 1. on 2. below 3. in 4. with 5. for
- H. 1. The computer was invented by Charles Babbage.
2. The train fares has been increased by the government.
3. Pollution was controlled by unleaded petrol.
4. The work will be finished by her in a fortnight.
5. The hotel was being built by somebody last year.
- I. 1. had done 2. had cooked 3. had carried 4. had waited 5.gave

TEST PAPER -2

- A. 1. Subordinate noun clause 2.
- B. 1. catalogue 2. fastidious 3. transparent 4. waterproof
5. Auctioneer
- C. 1. New life is threatened by a monster on this earth
2. There cannot be a harvest without rain.
3. We should take care of our elders.
4. Trees play an important role in resisting erosion.
- D. 1. She said that she would buy a new house if she had been rich.
2. My mother said that my performance had improved during the past three months.
3. He asked her "how often she played?"
- E. 1. The initiative for taking action lies with somebody.
Ex- We did what we could, and now the ball is in your court.
2. Make a fuss about a misfortune that has happened and that cannot be changed or reversed. Ex- Sonali was unable to accept the reality of her failure. She was crying over spilled milk.
3. One should not judge the worth or value of something or someone by their outward appearance Ex- That man may look very simple and insignificant, but don't judge a book by its cover – he is a very powerful

man in his circle.

- F.1.Energetic- My grandmother is very old yet she is very active.
- 2. Responsible-Do not blame others for your mistakes.
- 3. Regret- She was sorry for her actions and promised to repent.
- 4. Assist- He always helps with the housework.
- 5. Impolite- I was shocked by her rude behaviour.
- G. 1.Books are the chief carriers of civilization because of them,ideas live and spread.
- 2.It is of no use having books unless people can read them and learning to read is a part of what is called education.
- 3. Ants which live in tropics eat up all the books.
- 4.Literature
- 5.Knowledge, Education

My favourite leader

H. My favourite leader is Mahatma Gandhi. He is called the 'Father of the Nation'. He was born on 2nd October, 1869 in Gujarat. His full name is Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi. His father, Karamchand Gandhi, was the Diwan of Rajkot. His mother Putli Bai, was a simple and religious lady. Gandhi completed his early education at Rajkot. Then he went to England. He returned to India as a barrister. He went to South Africa. He fought for the rights of the Indians living there. He left his practice as a lawyer and worked for the freedom of India. He went to jail several times. He believed in truth and non-violence. He worked for Harijans throughout his life. He worked for Hindu-Muslim unity and rural upliftment. He started movements like "Satyagrah", "Non-co-operation Movement", "Quit India Movement" and "Salt Satyagrah". He won freedom for India from the British rule on 15th August 1947.

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Subject: Suggestions for Improving Spoken English in School

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

I am writing to you today to express my concern about the quality of spoken English among students in our school. As you are aware, English is the global language of communication, and it is essential that our students develop strong language skills to be successful in their future endeavours.

I would like to suggest the following ways to improve the spoken English of the students:

- 1. Encourage regular English conversation among students in class and outside of class.
- 2. Organize English speaking clubs and invite guest speakers to share their experiences and knowledge.

3. Provide additional language resources such as books, audio and video materials to help students improve their spoken English.

4. Encourage students to participate in public speaking competitions and events to boost their confidence and speaking skills.

I am confident that these suggestions will go a long way in improving the spoken English of our students and making them more confident and proficient in the language. I would be happy to contribute in any way that I can to support these initiatives. Thank you for considering my suggestions. I look forward to your response.

Sincerely, [Your Name]

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