

First Term Examination -2026 -27

Name: _____ **Class - 5** **Sub: English** **Full Marks :- 70**
Roll No- ____ Date: _____ **Invigilator:** _____ **Checked by:** _____

General Instructions

1. Read all the questions carefully before answering.
2. This question paper is divided into three sections A, B, C & D.
3. All the questions of a particular section must be attempted as per the instruction, in the correct order.
4. Rea the questions carefully before answering.

Section A – Reading (Marks – 08)

Q1. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow:

Reading is a good habit that helps us learn many new things. Books give us knowledge about people, places, animals, science and the world around us. Reading also improves our vocabulary and helps us express our thoughts clearly. Storybooks can make us happy and take us to imaginary places. Students who read regularly often develop better concentration and creativity.

We should try to read something useful every day .We can visit a library, read storybooks, newspapers or interesting magazines .Instead of spending too much time on mobile phones and television, we can spend some time reading .Reading quietly for a few minutes every day can become a wonderful habit. It not only helps us in our studies but also makes our free time meaningful and enjoyable.

i). Fill in the blanks:

1x 2 = 2Marks

- a). Reading helps improve our _____ .
- b).We can visit a _____ to read books.

ii). Write True or False:

0.5x2 = 1Marks

- a). Reading is a bad habit.
- b). Reading improves vocabulary.

C. Write opposite word from above passage.

0.5x2 = 1 Marks

- a). Bad - _____
- b). Old - _____

D. Answer the following questions:

1x4 = 4 Marks

- i). How does reading help us?
- ii). What do books give us?
- iii). How do storybooks help children?
- iv). Why is reading a wonderful habit?

Section B – Grammar

Q2 Underline the adjectives and identify what kind they are:

1x5 = 5 Marks

- a) Which bag do you prefer?
- b) He has lost all his wealth.
- c) This girl dances quite well.
- d) Most children like to play cricket.
- e) Our teacher told us a very nice story.

Q3. Underline the adjectives and write the degree of comparison of each.

1x 5 = 5 Marks

- (a). He is as tall as you.
- (b). My room is cleaner than yours.
- (c). I caught two large mice in mousetrap.
- (d). He ate the biggest slice of pizza available.
- (e). I am writing a better essay than I did last week.

Q4. Change the following sentences as directed.

1x5 = 5 marks

- (a). Mohan is a kind boy. (Change into comparative degree)
- (b). Army is as brave as Penny. (Change into Comparative degree)
- (c). Ramu is stranger than Shamu. (Change into Positive degree)
- (d). Uday is the heaviest of all the boys. (Change into positive degree)
- (e). Indore is clean city in India. (Change into Superlative degree).

Q5. Underline the pronoun and state their kind.

1x 5 = 5 Marks

- (i). I love to paint portraits. These have been made by me.
- (ii). Mike is our new neighbour. He gave me a new toy.
- (iii). These are the books which Madhu gave me on my birthday.
- (iv). Whom does this handkerchief belong to ? It has black and white stripes on it.
- (v). It is cold and windy tonight. You should wrap a shawl around yourself.

Q6. Underlined the verb and write whether it is finite or Non-finite.

1x4 = 4Marks

- (i). Birds fly in the sky.
- (ii). The baby cries loudly.
- (iii). The dog barks at the cat.
- (iv). Mother is happy to see me.

Q7. Point out the Transitive and Intransitive verbs in the following sentences.

1x4 = 4Marks

- (a) Mr. Sharma runs a hotel.
- (b) He runs fast.
- (c) The farmer killed a snake.
- (d) Grass grows fast..

Q8. Change the following sentences as directed:

1x5 = 5Marks

i). My mother feed the cat

(Change into simple present tense)

ii). They sing together.

(Change into present continuous tense)

iii). I clean my room today.

(Change into present perfect tense)

iv). He speak to the officer about his complaint.

(Change into simple past tense)

v). I water the plants in our garden.

(Change into the past continuous tense)

Section C –Literature

Q 9. Word meaning:

1x 5= 5 Marks

- I. queer ii. realm iii. fallow iv. abode v. Inhabited

Q 10. Make Sentences:

1x2 = 2Marks

- a) wondrous b) abode

Q 11. Who said this and to whom ? ‘

1x4 = 4Marks

(i). ‘Where have you put the money ?’

a). Where have you put the money ?

b). Why did the speaker say so ?

(ii). ‘My daughter needs my help’.

(a). Who is the speaker here ?

(b). Who is the daughter ?

Q 12. Answer the questions in a few lines.

2x 4 = 8 Marks

1. Why does the fisherman go out at dawn?
2. Why did not Proserpine eat anything in Pluto’s kingdom?
3. Who is Dr Swati Mohan?
4. How does the speaker describe the cavern?

Section D – Writing

Q13. Write a letter to the Principal requesting him to excuse you from paying the library fine. 5M

Or.

Write a letter to your class teacher requesting her to allow you to submit your science project later as you have been unwell for a week.

Q14. Essay on “My Hero” write in 150 words. 5M