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• **Test 01**

Match the following pictures with the statements given below. Write the letter of the most suitable picture in the box given against each statement.

The first one is done for you.

(5 marks)



(a)



(b)



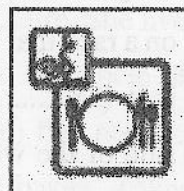
(c)



(d)



(e)



(f)

- 1) No food and drink allowed
- 2) Do not drink its poisonous
- 3) Take the pills while having a meal
- 4) Slippery surface absolutely no running
- 5) Slow down, men at work
- 6) No entry, authorized personnel only

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• **Test 02**

Fill in the blanks of the following text using the words given in the box. Write the letter of the most suitable answer in the space.

(5 marks)

Arugambe is an interesting place to visit. We reached there by 9.00 a.m. (1) weekend. We didn't want to runabout (2) looking for accommodation. We had booked five large rooms with all (3) We were comfortable and (4) the meals. There were varieties of food. Arugambe lies in four kilometers (6) from pothuwil.

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| a) facilities |
| b) enjoyed |
| c) sea |
| d) last |
| e) away |
| f) everywhere |

• **Test 03**

Study the picture and fill in the blanks using the words given in the box. Write the letter of the correct word in the blank.

The first one is done for you.

(5 marks)

(a) having , (b) chair , (c) either , (d) two , (e) things , (f) window
(g) single , (h) elephant (i) other , (j) a pair of , (k) floor

This is the picture of small bed room.

There are several (1) e

such as a carpet, a desk, a chair, a wall hanger and (2)

toys on a rack that is fixed on the wall. There is a (3) on the left side of the wall with curtains hung on

(4) side of it.



There is a (5) bed with pillow and a bed sheet. Two girls are sitting on the bed. The girl with a toy (6) in her hand has short hair while the (7) has big tails. The two girls seem to be (8) a talk about the toy and the girl with (9) spectacles is wearing shoes. There is a small desk and a (10) on the right side of the picture and the carpet is lying on the (11) just in front of the bed.

• **Test 04**

Study the chart and fill in the blanks in the sentences given below selecting the correct group of words from the box.

First one is done for you.

(5 marks)

**Oxford College
English Day Competitions**

Names of students	Competitions
Christina	Copywriting
Jake	Recitation
Rozan	Spelling bee
Mareen	Drama
Thomas	Creative writing
Dave	Singing

- 1) Jake should practice **b**
- 2) Christina should learn to
- 3) Thomas has to write
- 4) Dave needs to do
- 5) Rozan should know
- 6) Mareen has to develop

- a) voice training exercise
- b) reciting poems meaningfully
- c) write neatly and correctly
- d) the skills of acting on stage
- e) interesting stories of his own
- f) which letters form correct word

• **Test 5**

You cannot stay after school for sports practices today as you are not well. Write a note of excuse to the teacher – in – charge informing about it. Use about 50 words.

(5 marks)

Include,

- Name of the sport
- Reason for the absence
- Promise to stay next time

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• **Test 6**

Read the text and complete the table given below. The first one is done for you. (5 marks)

Online Learning

Online learning takes place over the internet. In online learning, we gain knowledge through the electronic devices like computers, mobiles, laptop etc. using the internet on platforms like Zoom, WhatsApp and Microsoft Teams.

The students who are unable to attend physical classes, now can learn the lessons at a time. Furthermore, students can learn at their own space using recorded lessons and electronic materials like videos.

It was the most popular way of learning during COVID – 19 pandemic period. Today too online learning is popular among students and teachers. Though it is a new experience to all.

1) What do we gain through online	knowledge
2) A way of online learning	
3) Two electronic devices	
4) An advantage for students	
5) Online was used mostly during	
6) It is popular among	

• **Test 7**

Read the following text and underline the correct answer.

(5 marks)

Leonardo da Vinci was born in 1452 in Italy. The name Vinci really belongs to a village in North Italy. Leonardo was a famous artist, scientist, engineer and inventor. He painted the famous picture – the Mona Lisa. It is the portrait of a beautiful lady. In 1911 robbers stole this portrait from the Louvre Art Gallery in Paris. Two years later French people found it. Artists and tourists come from everywhere to see the lady with the smile on her face.

When Leonardo was a young boy he told his father “I want to become an artist” His father was not interested. He wanted his son to become a lawyer. The leading artist in Florence at that time was Verrocchio. Leonardo’s father showed the painting to him and he said, “Your son is a very clever artist”

When Leonardo was 16 years old the family moved from Vinci to Florence. Here he bought small birds in cages. He released them and watched their movements when they flew off. He often wondered, “Can men also learn to fly like birds?”

1) Where was Leonardo da Vinci born?

(a) In 1452

(b) In Italy

(c) In Florence

2) What is the “Mona Liza” ?

(a) A painting of a baby girl

(b) A portrait of a beautiful lady

(c) A photograph of a beautiful fairy

3) From where did robbers steal the “Mona Lisa” ?

(a) Pair Art Gallery in Louvre

(b) Art Gallery in Italy

(c) Louvre Art Gallery in Paris

4) To whom did Leonardo's father show the painting ?

(a) Florence

(b) lawyer

(c) Verrocchio

5) What did he wonder when birds flew off ?

(a) " Can birds also learn to walk like men ? "

(b) " Can birds fly off from the cages ? "

(c) " Can men also learn to fly like birds ? "



• **Test 8**

Write a paragraph on one of the following topics. Use about 50 to 60 words. (5 mark)

(a) The job I like to do when I grow up.

(b) An unforgettable day in my life.

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• **Test 9**

Read the text and underline the most suitable verb given within each bracket.

First one is done for you.

(5 marks)

Last weekend I (1) (visit , visited , will visit) my aunt Claire. She lives in Oklahoma and (2) (own , owns , owned) a big farm. My uncle Steve likes cattle. Last month he (3) (buy , brought , bought) five new cows. My aunt celebrated the new purchase and (4) (bake , bakes , baked) a cake. We all (5) (enjoyed , enjoys , enjoy) the cake together. I told my aunty that I (6) (bake , will bake , will be baked) a cake tomorrow.

• **Test 10**

Fill in the blanks in the following text using the words given in the box.

(7 marks)

master , dream , forgot , started , play , computer , screamed , one , screen , hand , seated , strange , realized , and , before , there fore

James loved playing computer games. His mother was angry that he spent all his time in front of the (1) Sometimes James even (2) to do his homework. (3) night, when he was (4) at his computer a (5) face appeared on the (6) said "Hi, I'm the computer (7) I want you to (8) with me." As he (9) it, a long metal (10) reached from the screen (11) pulled him in James (12) and woke up. He (13) that it was a (14) but never spent much time on the computer.



• **Test 11**

Form the following reported speech correctly.

(5 marks)

1) Christopher said, " I write a book "

2) Mrs. Rosy Silva said " I live in Melbourne, Australia now. "

3) " I ea meat " Lisa said.

4) The engineer said, " We decided to build the tallest hotel in Jaffna this year "

5) The student said, " I decorated the stage "

• **Test 12**

Read the text and sort out the adjectives, adverbs, affixes and passive voice sentence parts correctly.

Yesterday I saw an expensive car was driven by a young boy. It was going fast that I was shocked. Then I realized a dog was hit by the car. The driver was driving carelessly. I ran quickly towards the injured dog. I took the dog to the veterinary doctor. He patiently examined the dog and treated it immediately.

1) Two adjectives -

2) Two adverbs -

3) Two affixes -

4) Write the tense of the verbs

saw -

was driving -

(1 X 8 = 8 marks)

5) A passive form sentence.

(2 marks)

• **Test 13**

Read the following extracts and match them with the headings given below. Write the relevant letter of the heading in the box given against each extract.

(5 marks)

Headings

- A. It displays the architectural skill.
- B. Let's learn science and explore it.
- C. It's our heritage.
- D. Do not waste, let's save it for tomorrow.
- E. Let's protect the nature.



Extracts

(i)	The Amazon rainforest is incredibly valuable due to its significant global importance. It provides essential resources for local communities. It's a biodiversity hotspot.	☐
(ii)	Pyramids hold immense value. They represent a complex interplay of religious belief, Strang construction ability in ancient Egypt.	☐
(iii)	Water is essential for human survival, carrying nutrients to cells, transporting oxygen to the brain. It supports plant life also. Various industries are being done with water.	☐
(iv)	The universe is all of space, time and their contents. It contains all the energy and matter there is.	☐
(v)	Sigiriya is an ancient rock fortress in Sri Lanka. King Kashyapa built his palace on top of this rock. Its sides are decorated with colorful frescoes.	☐

• Test 14

Select one of the pictures and describe the appearance of the man or the girl. Use 50 – 60 words.



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• **Test 15**

Read the following text and answer the questions given below.

Christopher Columbus was probably the first to take Cocoa beans from the new World to Europe in around 1502. But the history of the Chocolate goes back at least 4,000 years ! the Aztecs, who lived in America, thought that their bitter Cocoa drink was divine gift from heaven. In fact the scientist Carolus Linnaeus named the plant Theobroma, which means "the food of gods". Later people made food item like pies and cakes out of chocolate.

Today, two countries – Brazil and Ivory Coast – account for almost half the world's chocolate. The United States imports most of the chocolate in the world. But the Swiss eat most of the chocolate per person. The most chocolate eaten today is sweet milk chocolate, but people also eat white chocolate and dark chocolate.

Cocoa and dark chocolate are believed to help prevent heart attacks or keep them from happening. They are supposed to be good for the circulatory system. On the other hand the fat content of chocolate can cause weight gain, which is not good for people's health. Other health claims for chocolate have not been proven, but some research shows that chocolate could be good for the brain.

Chocolate is a popular holiday gift. Chocolate is sometimes given for Christmas and birthdays. Chocolate eggs are sometimes given at Easter.

Chocolate is toxic to some animals. An ingredient in it is poisonous to dogs, cats, parrots, small rodents and some livestock. Their bodies cannot process some of the chemicals found in Chocolate. Therefore they should never be fed chocolate.

1) Who brought the Cocoa beans to Europe ? (1 mark)

2) What did the Aztecs think about the Cocoa drink ? (1 mark)

3) Name two food items made of chocolates. (1 mark)

4) Mark " T " True or " F " False

1) High fat content of chocolates can cause weight loss.

2) Some researches show chocolates could be good for brain.

3) Chocolate is a popular gift item.

4) Chocolate is non toxic for all animals.

(2 marks)

5) What do the underline words refer to.

(i) it -

(ii) they -

(2 marks)

6) According to the text, dark chocolates are supposed to be good for the

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(1 mark)

• **Test 16**

Select one of the following and write.

(15 marks)

- 1) Write an essay on "Sports, it is necessary for students" Use about 200 words.

Include :

- advantages of doing sports
- disadvantages of doing sports
- challenges students face

- 2) Complete the story. Use about 200 words.

It was a dark stormy night. I was walking on the beach. I heard someone crying loudly

- 3) You are planning to prepare a special dinner for your father's birthday. Write a dialogue between you and your mother regarding it. Use about 200 words.

You : What are we going to make for dinner?

Mother : Father likes a light diet for dinner.

You : Then shall we make

