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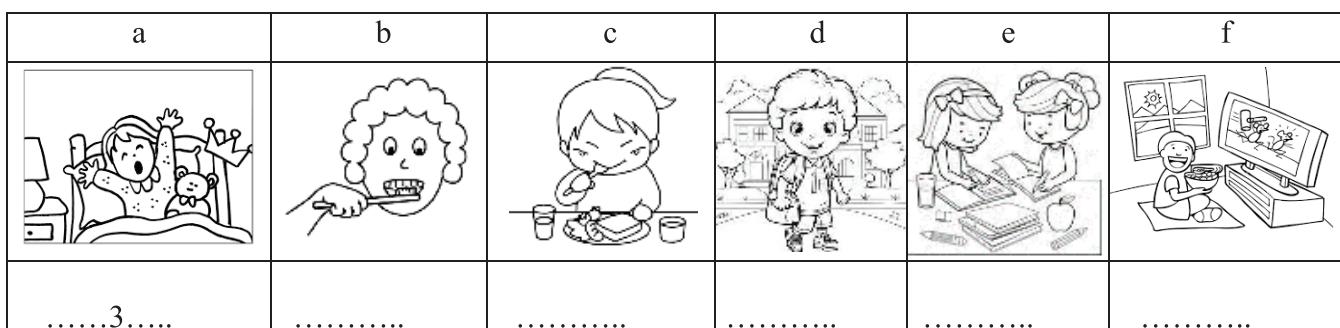
### English Language

Two Hours

Name/ Index No.

#### Test – 01

Look at the daily routine of a child. Match the pictures with the statements. First one is done for you. (10 marks)



1. I watch television.
2. I do homework.
3. I get up early in the morning.
4. I go to school.
5. I have my breakfast.
6. I brush my teeth.

#### Test – 02

Fill in the blanks with the correct preposition. (10 marks)

across, through, on, in, along, between, in front of, under, without, over

- i. The cat jumped ..... the old table.
- ii. The blind man walked ..... the street and went to the other side of the road on his own.
- iii. Train is running ..... the tunnel.
- iv. Please keep this book ..... the shelf.
- v. She kept all the vegetables ..... the fridge.

- vi. We cannot live ..... water.
- vii. He walked ..... the road happily.
- viii. The ball rolled ..... the desk and the wall.
- ix. The students stood ..... the class, to sing the song.
- x. The dog hid ..... the bed.

### Test – 03

**Study the picture and fill in the blanks with the given words. (10 marks)**



standing, tyre, dog, tail, long, branch, sitting, butterflies, tree, reading

There is a big (i)..... in the picture. At the foot of the tree, a boy is (ii) ..... a book. The boy wearing a checked shirt is hanging from a (iii) ..... The child on the (iv) ..... is swinging back and forward. In the tree house, one boy is (v)..... down and one boy is (vi) ..... up. Some (vii)..... are flying around the tree. The (viii)..... is looking at the children while wagging its (ix)..... The children love their tree. A little girl with (x)..... hair is hugging it.

**Test – 04**

Find antonyms for the underlined words. Select the correct antonym and fill in the blanks.

**incorrect, answer, illegal, defeating, complex, sad, impossible, foreign, expensive, ugly**

- i. Yesterday he was happy, but today he is .....
- ii. He said, “ It is possible “last morning. Now he is telling “It is .....”.
- iii. Please mark the correct answers. Deduct marks for the ..... sentences.
- iv. Do not worry, this is a simple situation. It is not that much .....
- v. Please read the question and write the correct .....
- vi. Let us buy this shirt. It is cheap, but the blue one is .....
- vii. Wow! Look at that beautiful swan. The swan over there is .....
- viii. Sakura football team got the victory by ..... the Mars football team.
- ix. Lawyers are working with legal tasks. They do not do ..... things.
- x. The local visitors pay a lower price than ..... visitors here.

**Test – 05**

Change the following sentences into passive voice. First one is done for you. (10 marks)

1. Mala writes a short story for the competition.

A short story is written by Mala for the competition.

2. The baby eats sweets.

.....

3. Children play volleyball.

.....

4. Doctor treats the patients.

.....

5. My mother bakes cakes for Christmas.

.....

6. My neighbour sells homemade food in a road side shop.

.....

**Test – 06**

Read the poem and answer the questions given below. (10 marks)

**A Happy Child**

My house is red – a little house;  
A happy child am I:  
I laugh and play the whole day long,  
I hardly ever cry.

I have a tree, a green, green tree,  
To shade me from the burning sun;  
And under it I often sit,  
When all my play is done.

1. What is the title of the poem?

.....

2. What is the color of the house?

.....

3. Find opposite words from the poem.

a. Sad : .....

b. Short : .....

4. How does the child protect himself from the hot sun?

.....

5. Write two lines that describe that the child is always happy?

.....  
.....

(10 marks)

### Test – 07

**Use the correct form of the word given within bracket and fill in the blanks. First one is done for you.**

1. Jupiter is the biggest (big) planet in the solar system.

2. Everest is the ..... (high) mountain in the world.

3. Books are always ..... (expensive) than pens.

4. Dinudi is the ..... (tall) girl in our class.

5. Dogs are ..... (big) than cats.

## Test – 08

**Write an essay on one of the following topics. Use 75 – 100 words. (10 marks)**

1. A place I like to visit
  2. My hobby
  3. My favorite TV program

## Test 09 – Listening

**Listen to the text and say whether the following sentences are True (T) or False (F). (08 marks)**

1. Trees are food only for humans . . . . .
  2. Trees are home to few wildlife species. . . . .
  3. Birds build their nests in trees. . . . .
  4. Reptiles and insects cannot live in trees. . . . .
  5. Trees help in binding the soil. . . . .
  6. Forests help to maintain hydrological cycle. . . . .
  7. Trees do not play a role in maintaining rainfall patterns. . . . .
  8. We must cut down trees. . . . .



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### English Language (Speaking Test)

Name/ Index No.

Test – 1

a) Speak 5 sentences about the following picture. (06 marks)



b) Speak about one of the following topics (06 marks)

1. A person I like most
2. My favorite book

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**English Language (Answer Sheet)**

**Test 01 – 10 marks**

a	b	c	d	e	f
3	6	5	4	2	1

**Test – 02 - 10 marks**

1. over	2. across	3. through	4. on	5. in
6. without	7. along	8. between	9. in front of	10. under

**Test – 03 - 10 marks**

i. tree	ii. reading	iii. branch	iv. tyre	v. sitting
vi. standing	vii. butterflies	viii. dog	ix. tail	x. long

**Test – 04 - 10 marks**

i. sad	ii. impossible	iii. incorrect	iv. complex	v. answers
vi. expensive	vii. ugly	viii. defeat	ix. illegal	x. foreign

**Test – 05 - 10 marks**

1. A short story is written by Mala for the competition.
2. Sweets are eaten by the baby.
3. Volleyball is played by children.
4. The patients are treated by doctor.
5. Cakes are baked by my mother for Christmas.
6. Homemade food are sold by my neighbour in a road side shop.

**Test – 06 - 10 marks**

1. A happy child	2. red	3. sad – happy short - long	4. from the shade of the tree	5. I laugh and play the whole day long, And under it I often sit, When all my play is done.
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**Test – 07 (10 marks)**

1. biggest	2. highest	3. more expensive	4. tallest	5. bigger
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**Test – 08**

Content – 03 Language –03 Organization – 02 Mechanics of writing - 02

**LISTENING TEXT**

Test – 09

**Listen to the text and say whether the following sentences are True (T) or False (F). (08 marks)**

There are many different types of trees that grow. Trees are food for man and all herbivorous animals. The roots, stems, leaves, flowers, fruits and seeds of trees may be edible. Trees are also home to many wildlife species. Animals seek the shade and shelter of trees. Birds build their nests in trees. Reptiles and insects also live in trees.

Trees help in binding the soil. Trees and forests also play a role in maintaining the hydrological cycle and rainfall patterns. Trees are Nature's bounty. We must not cut down trees. We must protect trees, and help grow more trees.

1. F	2. F	3. T	4. F
5. T	6. T	7. F	8. F