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Workbook for

International **ENGLISH** Olympiad & Other
National/International Olympiads/Talent Search Exams.

Based on CBSE, ICSE, GCSE, State Board Syllabus & NCF (NCERT)

100's of Q's with answers

- Chapterwise Practice Q's
- Revision Q's
- Sample Paper



Class

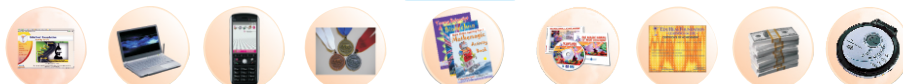
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SYLLABUS GUIDELINES*

**Based on CBSE, ICSE & GCSE Syllabus
& NCF guidelines revised by NCERT**

Section I.

Comprehension:

- Based on General Topics I Story based topics.

Section II

Knowledge:

- Classification
- Answering General questions
- Understanding through definition and example.

Section III.

Grammar:

- Formation and use
- Sentences
- Noun
- Pronoun
- Verb
- Articles
- Preposition
- Conjunction
- Antonyms/ Synonyms
- Use of possessives I Jumbled sentences.

Section IV.

Understanding

- Developing writing skill
- Story construction
- Short paragraph construction



Revision Questions

QUESTIONS FROM PREVIOUS CLASS

- Q.1.** 'The sky is overcast'. Here 'is' is-
(a) noun (b) pronoun
(c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.2.** 'The monsoon were on time'. Here 'were' is –
(a) pronoun (b) noun
(c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.3.** 'Books will be cheap at the fair'. Here 'will' is-
(a) verb (b) noun
(c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.4.** 'These exercises are very easy'. Here 'are' is-
(a) noun (b) verb
(c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.5.** 'I beg your pardon'. Here 'pardon' is
(a) verb (b) noun
(c) Pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.6.** 'These are boys'. Here 'are' is –
(a) verb (b) noun
(c) pronoun (d) none of these.
- Q.7.** 'That is our school'. Here 'is' is-
(a) noun (b) pronoun
(c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.8.** 'This black cat is mine'. Here 'cat' is-
(a) verb (b) pronoun
(c) noun (d) none of these
- Q.9.** 'This man is a hunter'. Here 'is' is –
(a) noun (b) verb
(c) pronoun (d) none of these

Fill in the blanks with correct words:

- Q.10.** There is ___ tea in the tea-pot.
(a) more (b) much
(c) many (d) none of these
- Q.11.** ___ Pants.
(a) a little (b) a few
(c) many (d) none of these
- Q.12.** I want ___ water.

- (a) a little (b) a few
(c) more (d) none of these

Q.13. ___ bottles.

- (a) a little (b) more
(c) a few (d) none of these

Q.14. There was so ___ of happiness before.

- (a) many (b) much
(c) more (d) none of these

Make the correct option :

Q.15. ___ you are cheerful, you will work better.

- (a) if (b) but
(c) that (d) none of these.

Q.16. He fell off a horse ___ hurt his leg.

- (a) and (b) but
(c) if (d) none of these

Q.17. Hurry up ___ we might get late.

- (a) for (b) or
(c) if (d) none of these

Q.18. Anu ___ Lira are sisters.

- (a) and (b) or
(c) but (d) none of these

Q.19. We stopped working ___ the clock struck five.

- (a) and (b) or
(c) when (d) none of these

Tick at the correct article :

Q.20. ___ ant is a hardworking insect.

- (a) The (b) A
(c) An (d) none of these

Q.21. I want ___ umbrella.

- (a) the (b) a
(c) an (d) none of these

Q.22. Sheena is ___ educated girl.

- (a) the (b) a
(c) an (d) none of these

Q.23. ___ sun rises in the east.

- (a) the (b) a
(c) an (d) none of these

Q.24. My father goes for ___ walk everyday.

- (a) the (b) a

- (c) an (d) none of these

Q.25. He never tells ___ lie.

- (a) the (b) a
(c) an (d) none of these

Q.26. I have ___ apple.

- (a) the (b) a
(c) an (d) none of these

Q.27. That was ___ aeroplane.

- (a) the (b) a
(c) an (d) none of these

Q.28. I have ___ black shirt.

- (a) the (b) a
(c) an (d) none of these

Correct the jumbled sentence:

Q.29. every point have to agree on.

- (a) they have to agree on every point.
(b) every point they agree on have to.
(c) they agree on every point have to.
(d) none of these.

Q.30. gets up morning early Sushma.

- (a) sushma early morning gets up.
(b) sushma gets up early morning.
(c) gets up early morning Sushma.
(d) none of these

Q.31. We play ground in the.

- (a) we play in the ground.
(b) play ground in the.
(c) we play the ground in.
(d) none of these.

Q.32. teacher does the teach.

- (a) does the teach teacher.
(b) teach does the teacher.
(c) Does the teacher teach?
(d) none of these.

Q.33. school Meenu goes to.

- (a) meenu goes to school.
(b) goes to school Meenu.
(c) school Meenu goes to.
(d) none of these.

Q.34. tea i will not make.

- (a) I will not tea make. (b) I will not make tea.
 (c) make tea will not I. (d) none of these.

- Q.35.** she Ram will marry.
 (a) Will she Ram marry? (b) Will she marry Ram?
 (c) Ram will she marry? (d) none of these.
- Q.36.** look so bad today you.
 (a) look so bad you today.
 (b) You look so bad today.
 (c) look so bad today you.
 (d) none of these.
- Q.37.** My does not mother wash the clothes.
 (a) My mother does not wash the clothes.
 (b) mother does not my wash the clothes.
 (c) wash the clothes does not mother.
 (d) none of these.

Tick at the right rhyming word of the word given :

- Q.38.** Fell-
 (a) reel (b) call
 (c) bell (d) none of these
- Q.39.** Card-
 (a) hard (b) night
 (c) cry (d) none of these
- Q.40.** Bore-
 (a) grip (b) tore
 (c) my (d) none of these
- Q.41.** Grip-
 (a) trip (b) drape
 (c) by (d) none of these
- Q.42.** Crape-
 (a) drape (b) trip
 (c) crop (d) none of these
- Q.43.** Beach-
 (a) try (b) free
 (c) teach (d) none of these
- Q.44.** Hang-
 (a) ring (b) rang
 (c) try (d) none of these
- Q.45.** Noun
 (a) town (b) green

- (c) trim (d) none of these
- Q.46.** Train-
 (a) grain (b) brain
 (c) both (a) and (b) (d) none of these
- Q.47.** Trick-
 (a) cream (b) brick
 (c) tree (d) none of these

Fill with the correct consonant :

- Q.48.** kee__.
 (a) s (b) g
 (c) p (d) none of these.
- Q.49.** pa__.
 (a) s (b) g
 (c) y (d) none of these
- Q.50.** pu__.
 (a) s (b) n
 (c) t (d) all of these.
- Q.51.** lear__.
 (a) s (b) g
 (c) n (d) none of these.
- Q.52.** rin__.
 (a) s (b) g
 (c) t (d) none of these
- Q.53.** sin__.
 (a) s (b) k
 (c) t (d) none of these
- Q.54.** swi__.
 (a) s (b) r
 (c) m (d) none of these
- Q.55.** ro__e.
 (a) s (b) f
 (c) t (d) none of these
- Q.56.** sol__.
 (a) r (b) t
 (c) d (d) none of these
- Q.57.** sel__
 (a) t (b) l
 (c) d (d) none of these

Q.58. slept__.

- (a) s (b) t
(c) d (d) none of these

Use the correct preposition

Q.59. I will travel__bus.

- (a) to (b) on
(c) by (d) none of these

Q.60. Ravi was sitting __the first row.

- (a) on (b) to
(c) in (d) none of these

Q.61. My uncle lives __ street no. five.

- (a) to (b) of
(c) in (d) none of these

Q.62. She went from Delhi to Madras __ air.

- (a) on (b) by
(c) in (d) none of these

Tick the odd one out :

Q.63. (a) tea (b) lemon tea
(c) rice (d) green tea

Q.64. (a) boots (b) shoes
(c) chappals (d) tree

Q.65. (a) keyboard (b) mouse
(c) curtains (d) U.P.S.

Q.66. (a) night (b) graph
(c) morning (d) afternoon

Q.67. (a) mattress (b) pillow
(c) bed sheets (d) shoes

Tick at the correct plural of the given word :

Q.68. School-
(a) schools (b) school
(c) schooles (d) none of these

Q.69. Sister-
(a) sisters (b) sister
(c) sisteres (d) none of these

Q.70. Tree-
(a) tree (b) treese
(c) trees (d) none of these

Q.71. House-

- (a) house (b) houses
(c) housees (d) none of these

Q.72. City-

- (a) cities (b) citys
(c) city (d) none of these

Write the Synonyms for the word given :

Q.73. Surrender-

- (a) lay down (b) vast
(c) joyful (d) none of these

Q.74. Leave off-

- (a) quit (b) nice
(c) dwarf (d) none of these

Q.75. Care-

- (a) ask (b) concern
(c) dwarf (d) none of these

Q.76. Jail-

- (a) prison (b) ask
(c) fresh (d) none of these

Q.77. Garbage-

- (a) sentence (b) cold
(c) rubbish (d) none of these

Q.78. Almost-

- (a) same (b) find
(c) nearly (d) none of these

Q.79. To annoy-

- (a) nice (b) to irritate
(c) fussy (d) none of these

Q.80. Answer-

- (a) fast (b) nearly
(c) reply (d) none of these

Write the antonym for the word given :

Q.81. Buy-

- (a) destroy (b) vast
(c) sell (d) none of these

Q.82. Clean-

- (a) dirty (b) new
(c) cast (d) none of these

Q.83. Clear-

- (a) cloudy (b) beast
(c) vast (d) none of these
- Q.84.** Close-
(a) soft (b) clean
(c) open (d) none of these
- Q.85.** Cold-
(a) soft (b) dark
(c) hot (d) none of these
- Q.86.** Come-
(a) dark (b) life
(c) go (d) none of these
- Q.87.** Clever
(a) foolish (b) device
(c) vast (d) none of these
- Q.88.** First-
(a) side (b) vast
(c) last (d) none of these



ANSWERS

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 25. (b) 26. (c) 27. (c) 28. (b) 29. (a) 30. (b) 31. (a) 32. (c)
 33. (a) 34. (b) 35. (b) 36. (b) 37. (a) 38. (c) 39. (a) 40. (b)
 41. (a) 42. (a) 43. (c) 44. (b) 45. (a) 46. (c) 47. (b) 48. (c)
 49. (c) 50. (c) 51. (c) 52. (b) 53. (b) 54. (c) 55. (a) 56. (c)
 57. (b) 58. (b) 59. (c) 60. (c) 61. (c) 62. (b) 63. (c) 64. (d)
 65. (c) 66. (b) 67. (d) 68. (a) 69. (a) 70. (c) 71. (b) 72. (a)
 73. (a) 74. (a) 75. (b) 76. (a) 77. (c) 78. (c) 79. (b) 80. (c)
 81. (c) 82. (a) 83. (a) 84. (c) 85. (c) 86. (c) 87. (a) 88. (c)



CHAPTER 1 Noun, Pronoun & Verb

- Q.1.** A ___ is the name of a person, animal, place or thing. It may also name a feeling or an idea.
(a) verb (b) pronoun
(c) noun (d) verb
- Q.2.** 'Rahul is the captain of our team'. What is 'Rahul' here?
(a) verb (b) pronoun
(c) noun (d) verb
- Q.3.** 'Ria is a good player'. She plays better than me. What is 'she' here?
(a) verb (b) pronoun
(c) noun (d) verb
- Q.4.** 'The bird flew away'. What is 'flew' here?
(a) verb (b) pronoun
(c) noun (d) verb
- Q.5.** 'Leaves fall off in autumn'. What is 'fall' here?
(a) verb (b) pronoun
(c) noun (d) verb
- Q.6.** 'You should talk to Rohit' he needs your help. What is 'he' here?
(a) verb (b) pronoun
(c) noun (d) verb
- Q.7.** 'I myself locked the door'. What is 'myself' here?
(a) verb (b) pronoun
(c) noun (d) none of these
- Q.8.** 'The man sat under a tree'. What is 'tree' here?
(a) pronoun (b) noun
(c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.9.** 'Gopal knows the truth, ask him'. What is 'Gopal' here?
(a) noun (b) verb
(c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.10.** 'She has given me the copy I will give this to her.' What is 'her' here?
(a) noun (b) pronoun
(c) verb (d) none of these

- Q.11.** 'Elephants are generally fat.' What is 'elephant' here?
 (a) noun (b) verb
 (c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.12.** 'We enjoyed ourself in the park'. What is 'ourself' here?
 (a) pronoun (b) verb
 (c) noun (d) none of these
- Q.13.** 'Ankur is a sincere boy, he is doing his work'. What is 'he' here?
 (a) verb (b) pronoun
 (c) noun (d) none of these
- Q.14.** 'Mohan is my best friend'. What is 'Mohan' here?
 (a) noun (b) verb
 (c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.15.** 'India has won the match'. What is 'India' here?
 (a) noun (b) verb
 (c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.16.** 'Kavita Singh is my teacher'. What is 'Kavita' here?
 (a) noun (b) pronoun
 (c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.17.** 'He speaks the truth'. What is 'truth' here?
 (a) verb (b) noun
 (c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.18.** 'Our army fought with great courage'. What is 'courage' here?
 (a) noun (b) verb
 (c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.19.** 'Sarita has more knowledge than Sonia'. What is 'knowledge' here?
 (a) pronoun (b) verb
 (c) noun (d) none of these
- Q.20.** 'Ajay is my younger brother'. What is 'Ajay' here?
 (a) pronoun (b) noun
 (c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.21.** 'Some children burnt themselves with the fireworks'. What is 'themselves' here?
 (a) verb (b) pronoun
 (c) noun (d) none of these

- Q.22.** 'Here are the colours that you wanted'. What is 'that' here?
 (a) pronoun (b) verb
 (c) noun (d) none of these
- Q.23.** 'Where is the man who gave you this news'. What is 'who' here?
 (a) noun (b) pronoun
 (c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.24.** 'Where is the book which I gave you.' What is 'which' here?
 (a) pronoun (b) verb
 (c) noun (d) none of these
- Q.25.** 'The box is huge.' What is 'box' here?
 (a) noun (b) verb
 (c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.26.** 'The telephone is ringing.' Telephone is-
 (a) verb (b) noun
 (c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.27.** 'I am a student.' What is 'I' here?
 (a) verb (b) noun
 (c) pronoun (d) none of these
- Q.28.** 'You are a pilot.' What is 'you' here?
 (a) pronoun (b) noun
 (c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.29.** 'Dev is naughty boy.' What is Dev-?
 (a) pronoun (b) noun
 (c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.30.** 'Is this your car?' What is 'your' here?
 (a) pronoun (b) noun
 (c) verb (d) none of these



ANSWERS

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 25. (a) 26. (b) 27. (c) 28. (a) 29. (b) 30. (a)



International English Olympiad Sample Paper

Time : 40 min

Question : 25

- Q.1.** Tick the correct opposite for 'sad'-
(a) alone (b) happy
(c) open (d) none of these
- Q.2.** The is word having same meaning as brilliant
(a) unhappy (b) blessing
(c) genius (d) none of these
- Q.3.** Plural for the word 'flower' is-
(a) flowers (b) colours
(c) flower (d) none of these
- Q.4.** Pick the odd one out-
(a) train (b) bus
(c) aeroplane (d) none of these
- Q.5.** What is the correct rhyming word for "near"?
(a) dear (b) care
(c) mare (d) none of these
- Q.6.** Put the correct articles "I saw __lion in __jungle."
(a) a, the (b) an, the
(c) a, an (d) none of these
- Q.7.** Who is this famous personality?
(a) Mahendra Singh Dhoni
(b) Sahin Tendulkar
(c) Rahul Dravid
(d) none of these
- Q.8.** Which is this famous monument?
(a) Qutab Minar (b) Lotus Temple
(c) Taj Mahal (d) none of these
- Q.9.** Pick the odd one out
(a) turnip (b) onion
(c) apple (d) none of these



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Q.10. Who is this famous film personality?



- (a) Aamir Khan (b) Sanjay Dutt
(c) Shahrukh Khan (d) none of these
- Q.11.** Arrival is to departure as ___ is to go.
(a) come (b) read
(c) sky (d) None of these
- Q.12.** Match the word "smooth" to the phrase-
(a) man (b) landing
(c) passengers (d) none of these
- Q.13.** An ambulance is used for -
(a) children playing (b) saving us from fire
(c) taking people to the hospital
(d) none of these
- Q.14.** Complete the sentence with the right word "The gulmohar tree is _____ than the lime tree"
(a) bigger (b) brighter
(c) big (d) none of these
- Q.15.** Make a new sensible word of penny by adding any one of them-
(a) less (b) more
(c) not (d) none of these
- Q.16.** The part of the sentence which names the person or thing we are talking about is called-
(a) subject (b) predicate
(c) sentence (d) none of these
- Q.17.** A word which is used to add something to the meaning of a noun-
(a) adjective (b) pronoun
(c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.18.** A word which is used as the name of a person, place or thing is called-
(a) adjective (b) noun

- (c) verb
- (d) none of these

Q.19. "The rose smells sweet" Tick the noun in the sentence.

- (a) rose
- (b) smells
- (c) the
- (d) none of these

Q.20. Complete the series-March, April, May, June_____

- (a) August, September, October___
- (b) July, August, September___
- (c) November, December___
- (d) none of these

INTERACTIVE SECTION

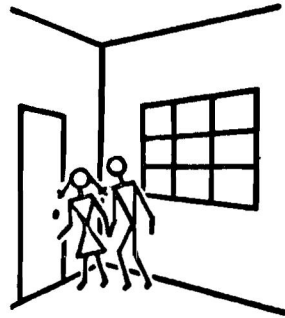
Answer questions based on the picture.

Q.21. The girls and the boy will go from the window.



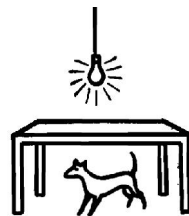
They went from the window. She went with and he went with

- (a) him, her
- (b) her, him
- (c) you, me
- (d) me, you

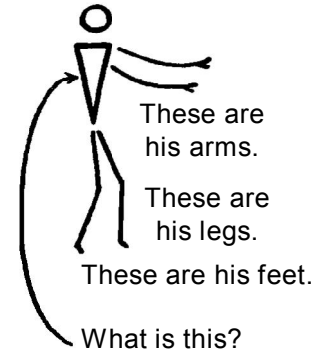


Q.22. The light is over the table the dog is _____ the table.

- (a) over
- (b) under
- (c) beside
- (d) adjacent

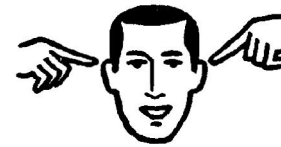


Q.23. This is his head.



- (a) Trunk
- (b) Abdomen
- (c) Hips
- (d) None of these

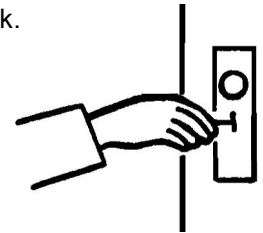
Q.24. What is the man saying?



- (a) This is my ear
- (b) These are my ears
- (c) That is your ear
- (d) None of these

Q.25. He is putting the key _____ the lock.

- (a) in
- (b) through
- (c) on
- (d) none of these



ANSWERS

- 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (a) 4. (c) 5. (a) 6. (a) 7. (a) 8. (b)
- 9. (c) 10. (c) 11. (a) 12. (b) 13. (c) 14. (a) 15. (a) 16. (a)
- 17. (c) 18. (b) 19. (a) 20. (b) 21. (a) 22. (b) 23. (a) 24. (b)
- 25. (a)

