



SOF INTERNATIONAL  
ENGLISH OLYMPIAD

Total Questions : 50

Time : 1 hr.

PATTERN & MARKING SCHEME				
Section	(1) Word and Structure Knowledge	(2) Reading	(3) Spoken and Written Expression	(4) Achievers Section
No. of Questions	45			5
Marks per Ques.	1	1	1	3

SYLLABUS : As Per Your Prescribed Syllabus.

### WORD AND STRUCTURE KNOWLEDGE

**Direction : Choose the best option.**

1. Nobody in this team will ever allow us to get too \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (A) big for your boots (B) big for your pants  
 (C) big for your size (D) big for your boot

**Direction : Choose the incorrect part of the sentence.**

2. (A) We recommend that you  
 (B) follow the formatted shown here  
 (C) when preparing notices  
 (D) to be displayed on the bulletin board.

### READING

**Direction (Q. No. 3 to 6) : Fill the blanks in this paragraph with the right options.**

When her friends arrived, Suman \_\_\_\_3\_\_\_\_  
 chips and other snacks and her sister \_\_\_\_4\_\_\_\_  
 drinks. She went round the room \_\_\_\_5\_\_\_\_

glasses whenever she noticed that anyone  
 needed a \_\_\_\_6\_\_\_\_.

- (A) top-up (B) handed round  
 (C) poured out (D) topping up

### SPOKEN AND WRITTEN EXPRESSION

**Direction (Q. No. 7 and 8) : Choose the words that best complete the sentences.**

7. If you are \_\_\_\_\_, you have extreme or very strong views.

8. If you are \_\_\_\_\_, you are in favour of new ideas.

- (A) progressive (B) innovative  
 (C) diplomatic (D) radical

### ACHIEVERS SECTION

**Direction : Choose the option which is closest in meaning to the underlined bold word.**

9. **Dappled** light filtered through the trees on to the ground.  
 (A) Patches of (B) Rays  
 (C) Stirring (D) Slanting

**Direction : Choose the best option.**

10. The RBI Governor said in a press conference that the nation's economy was \_\_\_\_\_ yet.  
 (A) out of the forests  
 (B) not out of the trees  
 (C) out of the trees  
 (D) not out of the woods

SPACE FOR ROUGH WORK

### ANSWERS

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