

PRACTICE SET 1

A Whole Content Based Test for Class 6th English Asiad

DIRECTION FOR Q NOS 1-5 Read the passage carefully and select the correct options in the questions given.

A thief once hired a room at an inn and stayed there with the intentions of stealing some things. The next day when he was thinking of what to do next, he looked out of the window and saw the owner of the inn sitting in the courtyard. Looking closely, he realised that the owner was wearing an expensive new coat, which the thief decided would look good on himself. To give fruit to his plan, the thief went and sat next to the innkeeper. Striking up a conversation, he got talking about things which were of no interest to either of the two.

During the conversation, to the innkeeper's astonishment, he yawned and then howled like a wolf. The innkeeper was curious and asked him as to why did he do that? The thief said he had no control over his yawning and if he yawned three times, he actually turned into a wolf. He begged the innkeeper not to leave him, as he was frightened. Moreover, with that he yawned again and let out another howl. The innkeeper turned pale and got up to go, but the thief caught hold of his coat and begged him to stay. Even as he pleaded, he yawned again. The terrified innkeeper wriggled out of the coat to which the thief was tightly holding on, ran into the inn, and locked himself in. The thief calmly put on the coat and walked away.

QUESTIONS

1. What did the thief want to do?
 - A Stay at the inn without paying.
 - B Steal the innkeeper's coat.
 - C Change into a wolf.
 - D Talk to the innkeeper.
2. The thief turning into a wolf was _____.
 - A an actual fact
 - B in the innkeeper's imagination
 - C a story for tourists
 - D a story made up by the thief
3. What will be a suitable title of the story?
 - A A scared innkeeper
 - B The thief who became a wolf
 - C The intelligent thief
 - D The tempting coat
4. Which of the following is the synonym of the word 'curious' in the passage?
 - A Interested
 - B Strange
 - C Surprising
 - D Ordinary
5. Which word in the passage means the same as 'desires'?
 - A Requirements
 - B Interest
 - C Things
 - D Intentions

DIRECTION FOR Q NOS 6-7 Select the option which is an antonym of the word underlined in the sentence given.

6. Girish was feeling triumphant when he stood first in class.
 - A despondent
 - B sad
 - C happy
 - D victorious
7. Shubham is an arrogant person as he never listens to anyone but himself.
 - A poor
 - B inferior
 - C modest
 - D superior

DIRECTION FOR Q NOS 8-12 A notice is given below with some parts missing, but substituted by numbers 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10. Identify the numbers by selecting the correct options from those given below.

	6	
	9	
8		
7		
10		

8. The item identified as '6' is
 - A Subject of the notice
 - B Designation of issuer of the notice
 - C Contents of the notice
 - D Name of the organisation
9. The item identified as '7' is
 - A Date of the notice
 - B Subject of the notice
 - C Contents of the notice
 - D Designation of issuer of the notice
10. The item identified as '8' is
 - A Name of the Organisation
 - B Name of issuer of the notice
 - C Subject of the notice
 - D Date of the notice
11. The item identified as '9' is
 - A Date of the notice
 - B Name of issuer of the notice
 - C Subject of the notice
 - D Contents of the notice
12. The item identified as '10' is
 - A Name of the organisation
 - B Name of issuer of the notice
 - C Subject of the notice
 - D Designation of issuer of the notice

DIRECTION FOR Q NOS 15-16 Choose the right modal verb from the options given to fill in the blanks.

15. "Do you think it _____ rain today?" (expressing a possibility or a wish)

A might	B will
C could	D may
16. "Kavita, You _____ finish your chapaties and vegetables before you have the ice cream." (expressing a command)

A would	B can
C may	D must

DIRECTIONS FOR Q NOS 17-18 Select the option which is a synonym of the word given.

17. Enchanting

A Spell	B Magic
C Captivating	D Ugly
18. Ingenuity

A Foolishness	B Quietness
C Originality	D Quickness

DIRECTIONS FOR Q NOS 19-20 Fill in the blanks with suitable active or passive verb forms from the options given.

19. The Taj Mahal _____ (visit) by millions of people this year.

A will visit	B will be visited
C is visited	D has been visiting
20. Ramesh _____ (read, not) the writing of the teacher on the blackboard.

A could not be read	B could not read
C not reading	D will not have read

DIRECTION FOR Q NOS 13-14 Fill in the blanks with the correct determiners from the options given.

13. Although Sudhir is very ill, he didn't take _____ medicine.

A much	B many
C any	D lots of
14. The shoes you have purchased yesterday are more durable than _____ you bought last year.

A those	B these
C this	D that

DIRECTIONS FOR Q NOS 21–22 *Select the option in indirect speech which correctly expresses the sentence given in direct speech.*

- 21.** “Rashid and Salma, stop talking in the class”, said the teacher.
- A The teacher asked Rashid and Salma when they would stop talking in the class.
 B The teacher did not want Rashid to talk to Salma in the class.
 C The teacher forbade Salma to talk with Rashid in the class.
 D The teacher told Rashid and Salma to stop talking in the class.
- 22.** “Will you please meet me at the airport?” said Rajendra to me on the telephone.
- A Rajendra commanded me on the telephone to meet him at the airport.
 B Rajendra wanted to know from me on the telephone whether I could meet him at the airport.
 C Rajendra requested me on the telephone to meet him at the airport.
 D Rajendra wanted me to meet him at the airport on the telephone.

DIRECTION FOR Q NOS 23-24 *Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate prepositions and accordingly select the best option.*

- 23.** “Rakesh, will you please shut the door _____ you?”
- A off B before
 C behind D along
- 24.** Balwinder has qualified _____ the post _____ Security Supervisor.
- A for, of B of, in
 C for, of D at, by

DIRECTION FOR Q NOS 25–26 *In the passage below, the first and last sentences are identified as A and Z. The remaining four sentences are labelled as P, Q, R and S. Find the correct sequence of these four sentences and select the correct option accordingly.*

- 25.** A Karan was called for a job interview.
 P The interviewer was impressed by Karan’s sense of cleanliness.

- Q In the corridor he saw a piece of waste paper lying on the floor.
 R He went to the place of interview.
 S Karan picked it up and threw it in the dustbin.
 Z Karan got the job.
- A PQRS B QPSR
 C RQSP D QRPS

- 26.** A Ashok woke up one morning to a beautiful sunrise.
 P Ashok had two fried eggs and four slices of buttered toast.
 Q He was feeling very hungry this morning.
 R So he hurried to the breakfast table after brushing his teeth.
 S In addition, he drank a large glass of milk to go with them.
 Z After the breakfast he reached the bus stop to catch his school bus.
- A PQRS B QPSR C RPQS D QRPS

DIRECTION FOR Q NOS 27-30 *Fill in the blanks with the correct tense of the verb given in brackets immediately after the blank and accordingly select the best option.*

- 27.** All the people _____ (wait) for this day for a long time.
- A had been waiting B has been waiting
 C were been waiting D were waited
- 28.** The train _____ (leave) Nagpur station at 6 PM.
- A was left B had left
 C had leaved D has leaved
- 29.** Polar explorers _____ (explore) Antarctica since the beginning of the twentieth century.
- A will be exploring B has explored
 C had exploring D have been exploring
- 30.** Our team _____ (discuss) about the water shortage with the villagers.
- A were discussed B will discussed
 C was discussing D would discussing

ANSWERS

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| 1. B | 2. D | 3. C | 4. A | 5. D | 6. A | 7. C | 8. D | 9. C | 10. D |
| 11. C | 12. B | 13. C | 14. A | 15. B | 16. D | 17. C | 18. C | 19. B | 20. B |
| 21. D | 22. C | 23. C | 24. A | 25. C | 26. D | 27. A | 28. B | 29. D | 30. C |



