

शिक्षकांसाठी सूचना सातवी : प्रथम भाषा – इंग्रजी  
Baseline Test 2017-18

Standard - Sixth

Subject : English

Guidelines for teachers about written questions.

(Total Marks 50)

Q. 1 : Listen and Write :

(5 Marks)

Skill : Listening and Writing

Objective : To assess ability to spell the words.

Note : While dictating words read aloud each word thrice.

Words :

1) journey	2) wielding
3) remember	4) national
5) through	6) daughter
7) ground	8) advance
9) island	10) people

Allotment of Marks :

- Each correctly spelt word carries 1/2 mark.

Q. 2 Read the following passage carefully and answer the following questions : (5 Marks)

A) b) Kratatoa (1 Mark)

B) Volcano erupts when the hot molten rock near the earth's centre rises to the surface of the earth through such a crack or opening and flows out. (2 Marks)

C) When volcano erupts, thick, dark clouds of smoke rise high from the opening and spread in the sky. Big, glowing, burning chunks of rock and red hot lava are thrown out of the crack in the earth. (2 Marks)

Q. 3 Read the following extract carefully :

(5 Marks)

A) b) a little boy. (1 Mark)

B) This the funny little man (a little boy) lives in everybody's house. He does all kinds of mischiefs, but nobody can see him while doing all this things. He does these mischiefs just as quiet as a mouse without our notice. (2 Marks)

(Accept the answer that well satisfies the question)

C) Mr Nobody does so many mischiefs without our notice just as breaking of plates, tearing out books, leaving door ajar, pulling the buttons from our shirts, scattering pins, spilling of ink etc. (2 Marks)

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**Q. 4 Read the following passage and answer the questions given below :** (5 Marks)

**A) (c) princely state of Kolhapur.** (1 Mark)

**B) Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj as a ruler, himself laid the foundation of democracy in his state. He spent all his life enabling the poor and oppressed people to be their own masters. For the welfare of his subject, so many innovative plans he implemented in his state. Such great things Chatrapati Shahu Maharaj achieved for his people.** (2 Mark)

(Accept the answer that well satisfies the question.)

**C) It is said that Shahu has left behind guiding imprints in every sphere because he has implemented so many innovative plans such as social, educational, agricultural, economic progress, development of art and learning etc. for the welfare of his subject which seem to be relevant even now.** (2 Marks)

(Accept the answer that well satisfies the question)

**Q. 5 Read the passage carefully and write the answers of following questions**

(5 Marks)

**A) (c) a glass or plastic fibre.** (1 Mark)

**B) Total internal reflection (TIR) is that when light rays enter in an optical fibre at its one end, they are repeatedly reflected from its sides back into the fibre by a process.** (2 Marks)

**C) Properties of an optical fibre – it is made up of glass or plastic fibre, finer than hair, flexible, can be bent any way we like and the rays travel in a zig-zag manner through the fibre.** (2 Marks)

**Q. 6 Do as directed.**

(10 Marks)

**A) i) Their practice did not go waste.** (1 Mark)

ii) They will leave for Mumbai tomorrow. (1 Mark)

**B) An eagle's eye -**

(Allot one mark to the appropriate sentence framed by the child.) (1 Mark)

**C) a) \_\_\_\_\_ less.** (1 Mark)

b) \_\_\_\_\_ ly

(Allot 1/2 mark each appropriate word framed by the child.)

**D) a) None of us -**

(2 Marks)

**b) We all agree that -**

(Allot 1 mark each appropriate sentence framed by the child.)

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E) Adjective forms (2 Mark)

1) ornament - ornamental

2) sand - sandy

3) beauty - beautiful

4) decorate - decorative

(Each correctly written adjective form should be given 1/2 mark)

F) a) Mangesh was a strong as Ravi. (1 Mark)

b) Hamida is taller than Priya.

(Accept relevant sentences framed by the child.) (1 Mark)

(Allot 1 mark to each meaningful framed sentence.)

**Q. 7 : Develop a dialogue based on given situation. (5 Marks)**

**Skill :** Writing (self expression)

**Objective :** To assess ability to express oneself.

**Allotment of marks :**

Marks	Criteria
5	Attempt to write story with the help of the given words. story has proper beginning and ending. Has given minute details to develop story, as given dialogues to characters.
4	Attempt to write story with the help of the given words. Story has proper beginning and ending.
3	Attempt to write story with the help of the given words.
2	Words are taken into consideration but sentence construction is inappropriate.
1	Continuity and flow of thoughts is missing.
0	Question not attempted or irrelevant matter written.

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**Q. 8** : **Stretch your imagination any one of the following.**

(5 Marks)

**Skill** : Writing (self expression)

**Objective** : To check self expression in the field of writing.

Marks	Criteria
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Relevance to the topic and correct format.</li><li>• Appropriate sentence construction.</li><li>• Introduction and conclusion are satisfactory.</li><li>• Sequence of thoughts and arrangement is appropriate.</li><li>• Has explained the purpose of the letter.</li></ul>
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introduction and conclusion is with relevance to the given topic.</li><li>• Attempt is made to elaborate the topic.</li><li>• Introduction and conclusion is with relevance to the given topic.</li><li>• Has proper beginning and end.</li></ul>
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Has tried to complete letter in relevance to the topic.</li><li>• Clarity and precision in expression.</li><li>• Coherence and continuity is missing but necessary points are mentioned briefly.</li></ul>
2	<p>Has considered the points as a whole, but.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Has incomplete or incorrect sentence construction.</li><li>• Has not given details.</li><li>• Ideas are not arranged properly.</li></ul>
1	Incomplete sentences are mentioned.
0	Nothing is written or irrelevant words are mentioned.

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**Q. 9** : Write a letter to your father for seeking permission to go for the school trip. (5 Marks)

**Skill** : Writing (self expression)

**Objective** : To check self expression in the field of writing.

Marks	Criteria
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Relevance to the topic and correct format.</li><li>• Appropriate sentence construction.</li><li>• Introduction and conclusion are satisfactory.</li><li>• Sequence of thoughts and arrangement is appropriate.</li><li>• Has explained the purpose of the letter.</li></ul>
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introduction and conclusion is with relevance to the given topic.</li><li>• Attempt is made to elaborate the topic.</li><li>• Introduction and conclusion is with relevance to the given topic.</li><li>• Has proper beginning and end.</li></ul>
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Has tried to complete letter in relevance to the topic.</li><li>• Clarity and precision in expression.</li><li>• Coherence and continuity is missing but necessary points are mentioned briefly.</li></ul>
2	<p>Has considered the points as a whole, but.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Has incomplete or incorrect sentence construction.</li><li>• Has not given details.</li><li>• Ideas are not arranged properly.</li></ul>
1	Incomplete sentences are mentioned.
0	Nothing is written or irrelevant words are mentioned.

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**Guidelines for teachers about oral questions.**

**(Total Marks 10)**

**Oral Q. 1 : Read the following passage carefully :**

**(5 Marks)**

**Skill** : Reading

**Objective** : To assess the reading ability.

**Instructions for the teacher :**

The question aims at assessing the ability of the student to read with comprehension. Since this is an oral question, each student is to be dealt in independently. If the number of students in the class is big, the oral assessment may be spread over 4-5 days.

Sir Isaac Newton was a great scientist and mathematician. He is one of the most learned men and thinkers of the world. He was born in 1642 in a small town in England. He is mostly known as the discoverer of the principle of gravitation.

Once Isaac saw an apple falling from a tree. He thought it over and discovered the great principle of gravitation. With the help of this he could explain the revolution of the moon round the earth. Besides this he discovered that the white light of the sun is really made up of seven colours. Great and learned as he was, Sir Isaac was very polite and gentle.

**Allotment of marks for reading :**

<b>Marks</b>	<b>Criteria</b>
5	Reading of the entire passage with tone, intonation and expression. Second reading of the passage is permissible.
4	Reading of some sentences with tone and intonation.
3	Could read after making an effort and could comprehend. Silent reading and then reading aloud is acceptable.
2	Could read without guidance but no sensible reading.
1	Could read with help but could not comprehend.
0	Did not show interest in reading. Couldn't read in spite of help offered.

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**Q. 2. After reading the passage, ask following questions based on it. If the child fails to answer the questions, give options for the answers :**

	<b>Marks</b>	<b>Correct answer</b>
<b>Oral Q. A : How many colours is white light made up of ?</b>	(1)	(b)
a) Twelve		
b) Seven		
c) One		
<b>Oral Q. B : Name the two things that Sir Isaac Newton found out.</b>	(2)	
a) gravitation and colour of light.		
b) electricity and steam engine.		
c) telephone and aeroplane.		
<b>Oral Q. C : What do you think about Sir Isaac Newton ?</b>	(2)	
(Accept the answer that well satisfies the question.)		

