

Govt. Higher Primary School, _____, Taluk:
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Subject Teacher: _____

Question Paper Design Weightage

Class: 7th Standard

Subject: English

Max. Marks: 40

Total Questions: 24

A) Weightage to Objectives

Objectives	Questions	Marks	Weightage (%)
Knowledge (Recall, Facts)	6	8	20%
Comprehension (Content)	13	18	45%
Application & Grammar	3	6	15%
Expression / Writing Skill	2	8	20%
Total	24	40	100%

C) Form of Questions

Form	Questions	Marks	Weightage (%)
Very Short Answer (1 Mark)	12	12	30%
Short Answer (2 Marks)	10	20	50%
Long Answer (4 Marks)	2	8	20%
Total	24	40	100%

B) Weightage to Units & Grammar

Sl.No	Unit Name / Topic	Questions	Marks	Percentage
1	1. Healthy Life & The Gymnastic Clock	4	6	15%
2	2. Avoid Plastics & Awareness	6	10	25%
3	3. Ekalavya & Why God Made Teachers	4	8	20%
4	4. Leg Trap & Froth and Bubble	4	6	15%
5	5. Grammar & Vocabulary Skills	6	10	25%
Total		24	40	100%

D) Difficulty Level

Level	Questions	Marks	Weightage (%)
Easy	10	12	30%
Average	10	16	40%
Difficult	4	12	30%
Total	24	40	100%

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BLUE PRINT - 7th English (SA-1)

Subject: English		Class: 7th Standard				Total Marks: 40				No. of Questions: 24			
Sl.	Units / Content Areas	Knowledge			Comprehension			Application & Grammar		Expression / Skill		Total	
		VSA(1)	SA(2)	LA(4)	VSA(1)	SA(2)	LA(4)	VSA(1)	SA(2)	LA(4)	LA(4)	Qns	Marks
1	1. Healthy Life & The Gymnastic Clock	1(1)	1(2)	-	1(1)	1(2)	-	-	-	-	-	4	6
2	2. Avoid Plastics & Awareness	-	-	-	4(4)	-	-	-	1(2)	-	1(4)	6	10
3	3. Ekalavya & Why God Made Teachers	1(1)	-	-	1(1)	1(2)	-	-	-	-	1(4)	4	8
4	4. Leg Trap & Froth and Bubble	1(1)	-	-	1(1)	1(2)	-	-	1(2)	-	-	4	6
5	5. Grammar & Vocabulary Skills	1(1)	1(2)	-	1(1)	2(4)	-	-	1(2)	-	-	6	10
Total Marks (Objective-wise)		8 (20%)			18 (45%)			6 (15%)		8 (20%)		24	40

Note: Figures outside brackets indicate number of questions and inside brackets indicate marks. (VSA = 1 Mark, SA = 2 Marks, LA = 4 Marks)

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Question-wise Analysis Sheet

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Subject: English

Total Questions: 24

Total Marks: 40

Q. No.	Unit / Grammar Component	Objective	Specification	Marks	Type	Difficulty	Time (min)
1	1. Healthy Life & The Gymnastic Clock	Knowledge	Recalls fact	1	VSA (1M)	Easy	2
2	3. Ekalavya & Why God Made Teachers	Knowledge	Recalls name	1	VSA (1M)	Easy	2
3	4. Leg Trap & Froth and Bubble	Knowledge	Recalls fact	1	VSA (1M)	Easy	2
4	5. Grammar & Vocabulary Skills	Knowledge	Provides antonym	1	VSA (1M)	Easy	2
5	1. Healthy Life & The Gymnastic Clock	Comprehension	Chooses	1	VSA (1M)	Easy	2
6	3. Ekalavya & Why God Made Teachers	Comprehension	Identifies	1	VSA (1M)	Easy	2
7	4. Leg Trap & Froth and Bubble	Comprehension	Identifies	1	VSA (1M)	Easy	2
8	5. Grammar & Vocabulary Skills	Comprehension	Chooses article	1	VSA (1M)	Easy	2
9	2. Avoid Plastics & Awareness	Comprehension	Matches	1	VSA (1M)	Average	1
10	2. Avoid Plastics & Awareness	Comprehension	Matches	1	VSA (1M)	Average	1
11	2. Avoid Plastics & Awareness	Comprehension	Matches	1	VSA (1M)	Average	1
12	2. Avoid Plastics & Awareness	Comprehension	Matches	1	VSA (1M)	Average	1
13	1. Healthy Life & The Gymnastic Clock	Knowledge	Lists examples	2	SA (2M)	Easy	5
14	4. Leg Trap & Froth and Bubble	Comprehension	Explains trick	2	SA (2M)	Average	5
15	5. Grammar & Vocabulary Skills	Application	Forms nouns	2	SA (2M)	Average	5
16	5. Grammar & Vocabulary Skills	Application	Adds affixes	2	SA (2M)	Average	5
17	1. Healthy Life & The Gymnastic Clock	Comprehension	Explains	2	SA (2M)	Average	5
18	3. Ekalavya & Why God Made Teachers	Comprehension	Explains	2	SA (2M)	Average	5
19	2. Avoid Plastics & Awareness	Comprehension	Explains	2	SA (2M)	Average	5
20	4. Leg Trap & Froth and Bubble	Comprehension	Explains award	2	SA (2M)	Average	5
21	5. Grammar & Vocabulary Skills	Application	Alphabetical order	2	SA (2M)	Average	5
22	5. Grammar & Vocabulary Skills	Application	Identifies sentence types	2	SA (2M)	Average	5
23	2. Avoid Plastics & Awareness	Expression	Writes descriptive essay	4	LA (4M)	Difficult	10
24	3. Ekalavya & Why God Made Teachers	Comprehension	Reads passage & answers	4	LA (4M)	Average	10
Total				40 Marks	24 Questions	-	90 Minutes

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Time: 90 Minutes

Maximum Marks: 40

I. Answer the following questions in a single sentence each:

4 × 1 = 4

1. Who wrote the poem 'The Gymnastic Clock'?
2. Who was Ekalavya's father?
3. Who was Dhira in the story 'Leg Trap'?
4. Write the opposite word for 'accept'.

II. Four alternatives are given for each question. Choose the correct alternative:

4 × 1 = 4

5. One who drinks the potion prepared by the witches would lose the desire to:
 (A) die (B) play (C) live (D) work
6. The meaning of the word 'fawn' is:
 (A) young rabbit (B) young deer (C) wild wolf (D) puppy
7. In the story 'Leg Trap', the customer wearing a pink shirt was actually:
 (A) a royal merchant (B) the jewelry thief (C) a police inspector (D) a cinema manager
8. Fill in the blank with the correct article: 'She is eating ____ apple.'
 (A) a (B) an (C) the (D) no article

III. Match the items in Column 'A' with Column 'B' appropriately:

4 × 1 = 4

Column 'A'	Column 'B'
9. Plastic waste	(A) Threat to environment
10. Waste separation	(B) Biodegradable, recyclable and non-recyclable
11. Reduce, reuse, recycle	(C) Three R's
12. Stainless steel	(D) Eco-friendly material

IV. Answer the following questions in 2-3 sentences each:

10 × 2 = 20

13. Mention any four examples of healthy food from the lesson.
14. How did Dhira cleverly prevent the thief from escaping?
15. Write the noun forms of the given verbs: (a) Educate (b) Develop (c) Attract (d) Pollute.
16. Add suitable prefixes to form antonyms: (a) mature (b) regular (c) disciplined (d) logical.
17. What is the central message of the story 'Healthy Life'?
18. How did Ekalavya learn the art of archery without a physical teacher?
19. Why is plastic widely used today despite its hazards?
20. How was Dhira rewarded and honoured for his bravery?
21. Arrange the given words in alphabetical order: bubble, labour, goal, courage.
22. Punctuate and name the kind of sentence: 'Did you have your breakfast'

V. Answer the following questions in detail / as directed:

2 × 4 = 8

23. Explain how plastic causes environmental hazards and suggest four practical ways to avoid its usage in daily life.
24. Read the passage and answer the questions: The Chakravyuh represents the most intricate Battle Formation. It was this formation that Abhimanyu learned to break into while in his mother's womb! At sixteen, he fought valiantly on the 13th day and reached the center, meeting Duryodhana, but could not exit. a) What does the Chakravyuh represent? b) When did Abhimanyu learn to break into it? c) How old was Abhimanyu when he fought the Great War? d) Whom did he face at the center of the formation?

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Model Scoring Key & Valuation Scheme (Part - 1)

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Questions 1 to 12 (Objective & Match)

Q. No.	Expected Value Points / Model Answer	Marks Allotted
1	Who wrote the poem 'The Gymnastic Clock'? Model Answer: M.C. Davies wrote the poem 'The Gymnastic Clock'.	1 Mark
2	Who was Ekalavya's father? Model Answer: Hiranya Dhanush, the hunter chief of the southern forest.	1 Mark
3	Who was Dhira in the story 'Leg Trap'? Model Answer: Dhira was an honest, hardworking shoeshine boy who lost his father at an early age.	1 Mark
4	Write the opposite word for 'accept'. Model Answer: Reject (or refuse).	1 Mark
5	One who drinks the potion prepared by the witches would lose the desire to: Model Answer: C) live	1 Mark
6	The meaning of the word 'fawn' is: Model Answer: B) young deer	1 Mark
7	In the story 'Leg Trap', the customer wearing a pink shirt was actually: Model Answer: B) the jewelry thief	1 Mark
8	Fill in the blank with the correct article: 'She is eating ____ apple.' Model Answer: B) an	1 Mark
9	Plastic waste Model Answer: Threat to environment	1 Mark
10	Waste separation Model Answer: Biodegradable, recyclable and non-recyclable	1 Mark
11	Reduce, reuse, recycle Model Answer: Three R's	1 Mark
12	Stainless steel Model Answer: Eco-friendly material	1 Mark

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Model Scoring Key & Valuation Scheme (Part - 2)

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Questions 13 to 24 (Descriptive & Grammar)

Q. No.	Expected Value Points / Model Answer	Marks Allotted
13	Mention any four examples of healthy food from the lesson. Value Points: Fresh fruits, green vegetables, nuts, and fish.	2 Marks
14	How did Dhira cleverly prevent the thief from escaping? Value Points: While polishing shoes, Dhira tied the laces of both shoes together so that when the thief tried to run, he stumbled and fell flat on his face.	2 Marks
15	Write the noun forms of the given verbs: (a) Educate (b) Develop (c) Attract (d) Pollute. Value Points: (a) Education (b) Development (c) Attraction (d) Pollution.	2 Marks
16	Add suitable prefixes to form antonyms: (a) mature (b) regular (c) disciplined (d) logical. Value Points: (a) immature (b) irregular (c) undisciplined / indisciplined (d) illogical.	2 Marks
17	What is the central message of the story 'Healthy Life'? Value Points: Making healthy food choices and exercising regularly keeps both our body and mind fit and active.	2 Marks
18	How did Ekalavya learn the art of archery without a physical teacher? Value Points: He built a clay idol of Dronacharya, treated it with supreme devotion, and practiced archery before it day and night.	2 Marks
19	Why is plastic widely used today despite its hazards? Value Points: Plastic is lightweight, durable, water-resistant, easy to mold, and very inexpensive.	2 Marks
20	How was Dhira rewarded and honoured for his bravery? Value Points: Dhira was commended by the police and the jeweler, rewarded with cash, and awarded a medal for bravery at his school.	2 Marks
21	Arrange the given words in alphabetical order: bubble, labour, goal, courage. Value Points: bubble, courage, goal, labour.	2 Marks
22	Punctuate and name the kind of sentence: 'Did you have your breakfast' Value Points: "Did you have your breakfast?" - Interrogative Sentence.	2 Marks
23	Explain how plastic causes environmental hazards and suggest four practical ways to avoid its usage in daily life. Value Points: Hazards: 1. Conventional plastic takes hundreds of years to decompose and chokes drainage channels. 2. Stray cattle and marine animals swallow plastic debris, causing illness and death. 3. Burning plastic releases toxic chemical gases into the atmosphere. Practical Solutions: 1. Refuse single-use plastic bags and carry cotton or jute bags. 2. Drink water using reusable steel or glass bottles instead of plastic bottles. 3. Implement the 3 R's: Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle waste at home. 4. Avoid disposable plastic cutlery by carrying washable steel utensils.	4 Marks
24	Read the passage and answer the questions: The Chakravyuh represents the most intricate Battle Formation. It was this formation that Abhimanyu learned to break into while in his mother's womb! At sixteen, he fought valiantly on the 13th day and reached the center, meeting Duryodhana, but could not exit. a) What does the Chakravyuh represent? b) When did Abhimanyu learn to break into it? c) How old was Abhimanyu when he fought the Great War? d) Whom did he face at the center of the formation? Value Points:	4 Marks

Q. No.	Expected Value Points / Model Answer	Marks Allotted
	a) The Chakravyuh represents the most intricate circular battle formation. b) Abhimanyu learned the art of breaking into it while he was still in his mother's womb. c) Abhimanyu was sixteen years old when he fought in the Great War. d) He found himself face-to-face with Duryodhana at the center.	