



BANGALORE INTERNATIONAL HIGH-ICSE

ANNUAL PRACTICE WORKSHEET | 2019-20

Subject: English

Grade: V

Max. Marks: 80marks

Date: 11-03-2020

Time: 2 1/2 hours

General Instructions:

- Read the questions carefully.
- All the sections and questions are compulsory.
- Write the answers neatly and legibly.

Section A (30 marks)

I. Pick out the verbs from the following sentences and state whether they are transitive or intransitive sentences. (5x1=5)

1. John was sleeping soundly.
2. We shall never forget your kindness.
3. The hive was full of honey.
4. She has written many poems on spring.
5. The blue sea sparkled in the sun.

II. Rewrite the following sentences replacing the underlined words with contractions. (5x1=5)

1. Leela would not tell us why she was crying
2. You need not shout, I am not deaf.
3. Who is that knocking on the door?
4. Why is Tom not going to school?
5. We were sure that Karan would have finished his work by then.

III. Add questions tags to the following by converting them to questions

(5 x 1/2 = 2 1/2)

1. He lives all alone in the house.
2. Let us go for a walk.
3. He didn't sleep all night.
4. You aren't a friend of Rajiv.
5. Shakespeare wrote many plays.

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IV. Replace and Rewrite each group of underlined words with appropriate idiom. (5 x 1/2 = 2 1/2)

1. He is no longer a Minister-he is now a man without any power.
2. The kind old teacher regarded all his pupils as his own children.
3. James wanted to be famous and would do anything to be the focus of public attention.
4. Shyam has lost his job and finds it difficult to support himself
5. Karan always finds fault with others and will immediately point out the mistakes you have made

V. State whether the underlined group of words are phrases or clauses. (5x1=5)

1. The tea, too sweet and too hot, was not fit for drinking.
2. When the men fell asleep, the monster came out of the lake.
3. The flowers, all fresh and beautiful will soon fade
4. Do not believe all that you hear.
5. Spring came but gave the giant's garden no flowers.

VI. Turn the following statements into questions as suggested: (5x1=5)

1. He will do something. (Begin: what.....)
2. His father has been ill for some time. (Begin: How long.....)
3. The old man lives here. (Begin: Where.....)
4. You like to have coffee or tea. (Begin: Would.....)
5. Somebody rang him up. (Begin: Who.....)

VII. Write the diary entry on any one of the topic of your choice (5x1=5)

1. On a new Games Teacher of your school.
- (or)
2. On a book that you have just finished reading and liked very much.

Section – B (50 marks)

I. Write the meanings for the following words, and ^{use} them in your own sentences. (6x1=6)

1. Streamlined
2. Bonnet
3. Famished
4. Culture
5. Soggy
6. Locusts

II. State whether the following statements are true or false. Correct the false statements. (5x1=5)

1. Corals grow in beautiful shapes.
2. Stamp collecting is a boring hobby.
3. The new Teacher's name was Dundle Head .
4. The poet derives pleasure from collecting stamps.
5. Insects make a frightening sound.

III. Answer the following questions in two or more sentences. (6x2=12)

1. Where do songs and sounds blend?
2. Who has 'a treat' for the girls?
3. How did the secretary greet the gentleman?
4. Give two reasons why stamp collecting is 'quite a hobby'?
5. What is 'guthuk'? How is it prepared?
6. Why was Jonathan's mother worried?

IV. Answer the following questions in detail. (4x3=12)

1. How big was the beehive? How did Ghalib get rid of the bees?
2. How did Sikkim get its name?
3. What presents do the girls plan to give their mother?
4. Where was the huge honeycomb stored? What did the men do to it in the boat?

V. Answer the following questions with reference to context given. (3x3=9)

1. 'see what they've done to your pots'
 - a) Who says these words and to whom?
 - b) Who are 'they' and what have 'they' supposedly done?
 - c) Did 'they' actually do it?
2. Nearby are groves of fruit and vines in vivid tints of green.
 - a) Which two colours are mentioned next?
 - b) Which creatures live in the groves?
 - c) Which word in these lines tells us that the groves are not dull in colour?
3. I enjoy the stories they tell.
 - a) Who are 'they'?
 - b) How far back in time do the stories go?
 - c) What does the poet go on to say is found on every stamp?

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VI. Write any one poem of your choice:

(5 marks)

The spirit flies
. - quite huge.

OR

Stamp collecting
. without a doubt.

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