

Class: Seven

Section-A: Grammar (65 Marks)

1. Fill in the gaps with a, an or the and put a cross (×) where no article is needed. .5×8=4

Sumon : Friend, now it is (a) _____ month of June. Tree plantation week is going on. Let's discuss (b) _____ importance of tree plantation.

Rahat : What is(c) _____ utility of it?

Sumon : Friend, they are our best friends. Actually, (d) _____ importance of trees needs no mention. So, we should plant (e) _____ trees.Planting trees is so important (f) _____ matter that you can't imagine it.

Rahat : Yes. Now I can realize. Trees are not g) _____ useless at all. We should make people conscious of h) _____ necessity of trees.

Sumon: Thank you for discussing the importance of trees.

2. Habibur Rahman is writing to his friend about Chattogram Hill Tracts and Malaria. Choose the correct preposition from the box and fill in the gaps. .5×8=4

before	In×2	into	to	On	against	of
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Dear Rashid,

You wrote that you are now (a) —Chattogram Hill Tracts. Good! It is a very nice place but be careful of malaria. Malaria is caused by the bite of some kinds of mosquito. If a man has malaria and a mosquito bites him, it carries away some (b) — the germs of the disease. If this mosquito then bites a healthy man, the germs may get (c) — his blood and he may get malaria. Mosquitoes lay their eggs (d) — standing water, if there was no standing water, there would be no mosquitoes, and so there would be no malaria, Sometimes, people put kerosene oil (e) — standing water and thus kill the mosquitoes (f) — they are big enough (g) — fly away. If everybody in Bangladesh took part in fight (h) — mosquitoes, we might soon get rid of malaria.

Please take care.

Yours ever,

Habibur Rahman

3. Complete the text using the words in the box as needed. .5×10=5

and	that	receiving	buy	lend
urgent	return	knocking	heard	lost

Dear Shibu,

I have not a) _____ from you for a long time. However, you know b) _____ my examination is c) _____ at the door. Now, I am in an d) _____ need of some books which I e) _____ last week. Could you please f) _____ me your 'Text Book of English For Today' g) _____ 'A Model Question Book' for two or three days? I hope I shall h) _____ these copies in the next week after i) _____ money. Then I shall j) _____ your books without delay.

Thanking you,

Tuhin

4. Make four sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below.

1 × 4 = 4

In case of a lack of oxygen, a passenger	be	placed behind the back
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The elastic band	should	located in a pouch under the seat
A life vest		pull it firmly on the red cord
To inflate the vest, a passenger		place the oxygen mask firmly over his nose and mouth

5. Transform the following active sentences into passive ones.

1×10=10

- a) He had written a letter.
- b) The man killed himself.
- c) He gave me a book.
- d) We made him captain.
- e) Honey tastes sweet.
- f) What do you want?
- g) He will deliver a comprehensive speech on drug addiction in the seminar.
- h) Father gave me a nice dress on my last birthday.
- i) I know that he is honest
- j) Have you done the work?

6. Change the following sentences as directed in the brackets.

1×10=10

- a) 'PatherPanchali' ia a great novel. (Interrogative)
- b) It is one of the greatest Bengali novels. (Positive Degree)
- c) It brings joy for them. (Negative)
- d) People look very cheerful on this day. (Exclamatory)
- e) Bangladesh is one of the most beautiful countries in the world (Comparative Degree)
- f) We cannot but drink water. (Affirmative)
- g) Jewel never tells a lie. (Interrogative)
- h) It is a very lovely place. (Exclamatory)
- i) As soon as the rain stopped, we came back home. (Negative)
- j) No other metal in the world is as precious as gold. (Superlative Degree)

7. Complete the following text with suitable forms of verbs rendered in the bracket..5×8=4

Late rising is a very bad habit. (a) _____ (do) you rise late? If you (b) _____ ('rise' in the negative) early, you are doing harm to your health. So, you should (c) _____ (make) it a habit to rise early and go to bed in time. Remember that those who (d) _____ (go) to bed early can rise early. They (e) _____ (use 'enjoy' with a modal) a sound sleep and rise early when nature (f) _____ (be) very calm and quiet. To (g) _____ (take) the air in the morning is good for health. It makes you cheerful. It (h) _____ (keep) you energetic the whole day. So, we should rise early.

8. Use appropriate punctuation marks and capital letters where necessary.

0·5×8=4

the tourist said good morning do you have any room vacant the receptionist replied yes sir double or single the tourist said i want one room we have a single room on the second floor replied the receptionist

9. Change the form of speech :

1×5=5

- a) The teacher said, "The sun is bigger than the moon."
- b) He says to me, "You are a good student."
- c) You said to me, "I did not find you."
- d) Tarana said to Tarun, "Did you come to our house yesterday?"

e) He said to me, "Where is the boy?"

10. Name the part of speech of each italicized word in the following sentences.

1×5=5

- a) *Still* waters run deep.
- b) He pronounced the word *quite* correctly.
- c) Rumi *and* Jhumi are friends.
- d) I will watch *while* you sleep.
- e) They *while* away their evenings with books and games.

11. Form Abstract Nouns from the following Adjectives/Verbs/Common Nouns.

0·5×10=5

high, novel, vain, persevere, depart, advise, man, author, flatter, hero

12. Pick out all the Adjectives in the following sentences and say to which class each of them belongs.

1×5=5

- a) The ship sustained heavy damage.
- b) Every man has his duties.
- c) Which pen do you prefer?
- d) He died a glorious death.
- e) Say the same thing twice over.

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