

# शिक्षकांसाठी सूचना

# सहावी : प्रथम भाषा – इंग्रजी

## Baseline Test 2017-18

Standard - Sixth

Subject : English

**Guidelines for teachers about written questions.**

**(Total Marks 40)**

**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) in idle talk. (1 Mark)
- B) The husband wanted to buy cows if by chance he would get some extra money from somewhere. (2 Marks)
- C) The wife Suggested to buy only one cow as cows need a lot of looking after. (2 Marks)

**Q. 3 Read the following extract carefully and answer the following questions. (5 Marks)**

- A) b) in the garden (1 Mark)
- B) The strawberries which spring from woodland vine are sweeter. (2 Marks)
- C) Accept the answer that well satisfies the question. (2 Marks)

**Q. 4 Read the given news article carefully :**

**(5 Marks)**

- A) b) the king of fruits. (1 Mark)
- B) a) expensive (2 Marks)
- b) huge crop, a lot of crop. (Accept any correct answer)  
( Each correct word should be given 1/2 mark)

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C) Mr. Bagwaan, the biggest wholesaler of mangoes has assured (2 Marks)  
that by May everyone would be able to enjoy mangoes at  
affordable prices. This part (line) of the news we like the best.  
Because everyone will be able to buy or purchase mangoes as  
the price will be in the reach of everybody.

Q. 5 A) i) pounced- past tense (2 Marks)  
ii) hurt - past tense

B) My parents allowed me to sing the song aloud. (2 Marks)

C) "What are you doing Rohit ?" Kapil asked. (2 Marks)  
( 'W' capital in what, 'R' capital in rohit, '?' question mark at the  
end of Rohit, 'K' capital in Kapil and '.' fullstop at the end of the  
sentence.

D) a) at any cost. (2 Marks)

b) try one's level best. (2 Marks)

(Accept any two correct sentences in which above phrases are used.

E) Sonu didn't forget to give remaining money to her mother, did she? (1 Mark)

Q. 6 : Compose a story using following words : (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. 7** : Write on any one of the followings to be published in 'Children Times' magazine : (5 Marks)

**Skill** : Writing (self expression)

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

**Allotment of marks** :

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	Has considered the points as a whole, but. <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 :**

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

