

# Summative Assessment 1

Subject: English (31-E)  
Class: 10<sup>th</sup> standard

**KEY ANSWER** (Model 2)

Marks: 80  
Timing: 3 hours

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## I.

1. (B) can't she
2. (D) to improve
3. (A) would have received
4. (A) Asking for information

## II.

5. Student
6. book
7. an
8. because
9. by
10. is working
11. adverb
12. description
13. She will light the candles on the cake before we sing happy birthday.
14. It is the most expensive watch in the store.
15. The plants are watered every day by the gardener.
16. Emma asked John what time he would call.

## III. 17.

- a) Changed "have" to "has" to match the singular subject "dedication."
- b) Changed "their" to "its" to maintain consistency with the singular "organization."

## IV.

18. Ambedkar devoted all his time and talent to the upliftment of depressed classes. He started some newspapers - Mooknayak, Bahishkrit Bharat and Samata. He set up some institutions – Hitakarini Sabha and Independent Labour Party of India.
19. Swami classmates looked at him with respect and his teachers patted his back. The headmaster said that he was a true scout.
20. When Roma was brought to the hospital, the doctors saw the extent of her injuries, her condition was critical. So the doctors admitted her without any paper work.
21. The Earth defies confinement by fences as it belongs to all. When people selfishly fence off their property, the Earth reminds them that the entire planet is their home and cannot be enclosed.

22. The poet wanted to sing about the rock cut temples, which tells the stories of our epics. He also wished to sing about freedom fighters and about sages and prophets who showed us straight and narrow path.

23. Patil, the sub-inspector came to Mohan's house to give a warning about British officer's raid and to ask cyclostyle machine. He wanted to help teacher's family.

24. Dicky Dolma lost her mother at the age of 11. She lost her elder brother too. These experiences have left a profound impact on her.

**V.**

25. A newspaper reported about a village boy who had fight with a tiger. His father said that courage was more important. Swami did not accept this. His father challenged him to show his courage by sleeping alone in the office room. While Swami was sleeping alone, he caught a burglar. Thus he became a hero.

26. Our ancient temples were built of stones and their walls were filled with figures which tells the stories of Ramayana and Mahabharat. That walls tell us the stories of ancient times. So the poet V.K.Gokak called the temples as "epics in stone"

**VI. 27.**

a) Baleshwar Mishra

b) Because Roma was injured seriously and needed immediate treatment.

c) Roma got only first aid treatment and sent to another big hospital.

28.

a) He had bitten a notorious house breaker.

b) His classmates, teachers, headmaster and the police.

c) Swami had bitten the burglar out of fright. He was not really hero.

29.

a) Don Anselmo owns more than eight acres of land.

b) They offered Don Anselmo double the price of what he had quoted earlier.

c) Americans and the story teller.

30.

a) Jawaharalal Nehru.

b) Dr.B.R.Ambedkar.

c) Because he fought against the discrimination of the cast system.

**VII. 31**

Mr. Deepak Mishra, born on 12th June 1979 in Kalaburagi, holds an M.A. in English and serves as an English Lecturer. He is known for his helpful nature and commitment to social work, which has earned him admiration from both students and the community. He lives with his wife and two sons, and in his spare time, enjoys writing articles. His dedication to teaching and uplifting others has made him a respected figure in his field.

**VIII. 32.**

In a drought-stricken village, two farmers argued over a well, both claiming it was on their land. The village council suggested they share the water equally. One farmer refused, saying the well was too important for his family, while the other agreed to share. Seeing the first farmer's concern, the council realized he was the true owner and gave him the well.

**IX. 33.**

On National Tree Planting Day, children gathered to help make the world greener. A young boy carefully planted a sapling in the soft soil, while a girl stood nearby, gently pouring water to nourish the new tree. Their small actions symbolized a bright future, as they worked together to protect the environment and celebrate the importance of trees for a healthier planet.

**X. 34**

The throned monarch better than his crown:  
His sceptre shows the force of temporal power,  
The attribute to awe and majesty,  
Wherein doth sit the dread and fear of kings;

**XI. 35**

- a) The key benefits of practicing yoga regularly include improved flexibility, strengthened muscles, enhanced balance, and reduced stress and anxiety.
- b) Yoga contributes to mental well-being by promoting relaxation, reducing stress levels, and fostering a calmer and more focused mind through breathing exercises and meditation.

**XII. 36**

The poem "Grandma Climbs a Tree" is written by Ruskin Bond. Grandma was amazing and different from others. Even at sixty-two, she could quickly climb trees. She had this special talent since she was a child. She was happier in trees than in city elevators. When neighbours told her to stop climbing trees and live gracefully, she ignored them. She learned to climb trees at six from her brother, though family members worried she might fall. One day, she climbed a tree and couldn't get down. The doctor recommended a week of bed rest, which she hated. After recovering, she asked for a treehouse. Her son and the poet built one for her, and she enjoyed her life happily in nature.

**XIII. 37. c) Cyber Security**

**Introduction:**

Cybersecurity is all about keeping data, networks, programs, and information safe from unauthorized access, destruction, or changes. It involves using various tools and practices to protect against hackers.

**Reasons for cybercrime:**

- 1) Financial Gain: Criminals seek to steal money and valuable data.
- 2) Social Engineering: Many attacks trick people into giving away sensitive information.
- 3) Weak Regulations: Lack of laws makes it easier for cyber criminals to operate.

**How to protect yourself from cyber-crime?**

- 1) Use Strong Passwords: Create complex passwords with letters, numbers, and symbols.
- 2) Be Careful with Emails: Don't click on links or download attachments from unknown emails.
- 3) Keep Software Updated: Regularly update your apps and antivirus to fix security issues.

**Conclusion:**

Strong cybersecurity practices are crucial for protecting your personal information. By learning more about cybersecurity, you can stay safe online and enjoy the benefits of the digital world.

**XIV. 38.**

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10<sup>th</sup> standard

Government High School

Sarasamba

Date: 22.09.2024

To,

The Branch Manager

State Bank of India

Aland Dist: Kalaburagi

Respected sir,

Subject: Request for Educational Loan for Higher Studies.

I am writing to request an educational loan for my higher studies after 10th grade. I plan to enroll in a good college to study Science, but my family is facing financial difficulties and cannot afford the costs.

I would appreciate your support in providing this loan to help me achieve my goals. Thank you for considering my request, and I look forward to your positive response.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

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