

7. The astronauts returned safely from their mission. _____
8. How brightly the fireflies are glowing tonight! _____
9. Did the train arrive earlier than expected? _____
10. Keep your notebooks ready for the quiz. _____

C. Transform the sentences as directed in the brackets.

1. The garden looks colourful in spring. (Change into exclamatory)
2. What a clever solution that was! (Change into declarative)
3. Please pass the salt. (Change into interrogative request)
4. Did Maya finish her science project? (Change into declarative)
5. Shut the gate immediately. (Change into polite imperative)
6. The magician performed amazing tricks. (Change into exclamatory)
7. You should complete your homework today. (Change into imperative)
8. How exciting the final match was! (Change into declarative)
9. Bring the atlas to the classroom. (Change into interrogative request)
10. The desert becomes extremely cold at night. (Change into exclamatory)

D. Sort the sentences into the correct column. Write the sentence numbers in the table.

1. The moon shone brightly in the clear sky.
2. When the bell rang, the students rushed out of the classroom.
3. The wind blew strongly, and the waves crashed against the shore.
4. The young artist painted a colourful mural.
5. Although the road was narrow, the driver moved carefully.
6. The scientist studied the stars and recorded her observations.
7. The farmer harvested the crops.
8. If the weather improves, we will go hiking tomorrow.
9. The lantern flickered, but it continued to burn through the night.
10. The children laughed loudly.

| SIMPLE | COMPLEX | COMPOUND |
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E. Do as directed.

1. Arnav carried a lantern through the narrow cave passage.

(Change into complex sentence)

2. When the orchestra began to play, Leela closed her eyes and listened carefully.

(Change into compound sentence)

3. Kabir climbed the watchtower to observe the migrating birds.

(Change into compound sentence)

4. Although the desert wind was fierce, Zara continued her journey across the dunes.

(Change into simple sentence)

5. The young inventor tested the small robot and recorded its movements.

(Change into simple sentence)

6. Seeing the ancient carvings on the temple walls, Professor Sen paused in amazement.

(Change into complex sentence)

7. Mehul arranged the chess pieces carefully on the wooden board.

(Change into compound sentence)

8. If the glacier melts too quickly, the mountain villages may face floods.

(Change into simple sentence)

9. Tara practised the violin every evening to master the difficult concerto.

(Change into complex sentence)

10. The lighthouse keeper lit the beacon and guided the ships safely through the fog.

(Change into simple sentence)

Kinds of Nouns

A. Write the abstract noun forms of the words given below.

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|-------------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 1. brave | → _____ | 11. curious | → _____ |
| 2. kind | → _____ | 12. loyal | → _____ |
| 3. wise | → _____ | 13. cruel | → _____ |
| 4. proud | → _____ | 14. happy | → _____ |
| 5. friend | → _____ | 15. jealous | → _____ |
| 6. leader | → _____ | 16. neighbour | → _____ |
| 7. judge | → _____ | 17. king | → _____ |
| 8. free | → _____ | 18. child | → _____ |
| 9. strong | → _____ | 19. grow | → _____ |
| 10. patient | → _____ | 20. decide | → _____ |

B. Rewrite the sentences by correcting the incorrect collective nouns.

1. A **crowd of wolves** was spotted near the forest trail where Arjun and Kabita were trekking.
2. A **bouquet of musicians** played lively folk songs during the Durga Puja celebration.
3. A **herd of judges** listened carefully during the school debate competition.
4. A **troop of ships** sailed across the Arabian Sea during the naval parade.
5. A **fleet of dancers** performed Kathak on the grand stage at the cultural festival.
6. A **panel of camels** rested beside the desert road while tourists clicked photographs.
7. A **choir of players** practised cricket at the stadium in Ahmedabad.
8. A **band of teachers** attended the education seminar in Bengaluru.
9. A **gang of stars** appeared brightly above the Ladakh sky.
10. A **string of lions** moved quietly through the tall grass in the wildlife reserve.

C. Fill in the blanks by adding appropriate countable noun to make the uncountable noun measurable.

1. Amogh added a _____ of sugar to the lemonade.
2. Kabir shared a helpful _____ of advice before the robotics competition.
3. The guide gave us an interesting _____ of information about the ancient temple.
4. The mechanic poured a _____ of oil into the engine.
5. Aarushi picked up a _____ of luggage at the railway platform.

6. The teacher offered a _____ of encouragement to the nervous singers.
7. Samar drank a _____ of coffee before the long study session.
8. The chef added a _____ of butter to the hot pan.
9. The scientist collected a _____ of data during the weather experiment.
10. We saw a bright _____ of lightning during the thunderstorm.

D. Underline the noun phrases in the following sentences.

1. The tall boy with the red backpack won the inter-school quiz.
2. My younger cousin from Shillong loves reading mystery novels.
3. The ancient temple near the river attracts many visitors every year.
4. The cheerful group of volunteers planted trees in the park.
5. A basket full of ripe mangoes lay on the wooden table.
6. The quiet student in the last row solved the difficult puzzle.
7. The bright lights of the city shone across the river at night.
8. The old storyteller with a deep voice entertained the children.
9. The large painting of the Himalayan landscape hung in the hall.
10. A small shop near the railway station sells delicious samosas.

E. Write the main clause and dependent clauses in the correct columns.

1. Aarav finished his homework before the cricket match started.
2. Although the rain was heavy, Meera continued cycling to school.
3. The book that Rohan recommended became my favourite novel.
4. We waited near the gate until the museum opened.
5. I will join the science club if my schedule allows it.
6. The students cheered loudly when the results were announced.
7. The documentary that we watched yesterday was fascinating.
8. Because the train was delayed, the passengers grew restless.
9. The kite soared higher while the wind grew stronger.
10. Kavya stayed indoors since she had a cold.

| No. | Main Clause | Subordinate Clause |
|-----|-------------|--------------------|
| 1. | | |
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F. Complete the sentences by adding a suitable subordinate clause.

1. Aarohi stayed back in the library _____.
2. Shyam carried an umbrella _____.
3. The students cheered loudly _____.
4. Partha practised the tabla every evening _____.
5. The class waited quietly _____.
6. Sucheta kept revising her notes _____.
7. The travellers stopped near the river _____.

Articles

A. Fill in the blanks with a or an to complete the phrases and make sentences with them in your notebooks.

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|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. _____ honourable guest | 6. _____ hour-long speech |
| 2. _____ useful invention | 7. _____ unique painting |
| 3. _____ honest answer | 8. _____ energetic athlete |
| 4. _____ university campus | 9. _____ heir to the throne |
| 5. _____ one-eyed owl | 10. _____ uniformed officer |

B. Rewrite the sentences by correcting the incorrect use of articles.

1. Aarav bought an new cricket bat from the sports shop near his house.
2. My cousin met a MLA during the school leadership programme.
3. Meera adopted a injured eagle she found near the river.
4. Rishi is a honest boy who always tells the truth.
5. Kavya wants to become an historian who studies ancient temples.
6. We saw an European tourist sketching the ghats in Varanasi.
7. I found a old coin while exploring the fort with my friends.
8. Aditi wrote a essay about the importance of forests.
9. My uncle works as a engineer in a solar energy company.
10. The class listened to a interesting lecture on space exploration.

C. Fill in the blanks with suitable articles and cross out the blanks where no articles are needed.

1. _____ Deepika plays _____ badminton every evening after _____ school.
2. My grandmother speaks _____ Bengali at home.
3. We visited _____ Red Fort during our history excursion.
4. _____ Aryan climbed _____ Mount Abu during _____ trekking camp.
5. My brother studies in _____ high school in _____ neighbourhood where we live.
6. _____ Dikha drank _____ glass of mango juice after practice.
7. _____ honesty is admired in every society.
8. We travelled to school by _____ bus today.
9. _____ flock of _____ birds flew across _____ sky at sunset.
10. Navya had _____ breakfast before leaving for _____ debate competition.

D. Tick the correct determiner to complete the sentences.

1. Raghav has read _____ adventure stories this year. (many / little)
2. There are _____ mangoes left in the basket. (few / less)
3. My teacher gave us _____ extra time to finish the project. (some / many)
4. _____ students in the class enjoy solving riddles. (Most / Less)
5. We saw _____ birds near the lake during the nature walk. (some / least)
6. Firdaus spends _____ time practising the sitar every evening. (much / few)
7. _____ children in the colony joined the kite-flying contest. (Many / little)
8. Joshua has _____ patience while solving tricky puzzles. (little / few)
9. _____ of the books in the library are about science. (Most / Less)
10. The museum displayed _____ rare coins from ancient kingdoms. (some / few)

E. Fill in the blanks with suitable determiners.

1. _____ students volunteered to clean the school garden.
2. There are _____ pencils left in the box, so please bring more tomorrow.
3. Vamsi spent _____ time preparing for the science quiz.
4. _____ people visit the Ajanta Caves every year.
5. The teacher asked us to write _____ lines about our favourite festival.
6. We saw _____ colourful butterflies in the botanical garden.
7. Only _____ students knew the answer to the difficult question.
8. My grandmother added _____ sugar to the kheer.
9. _____ of the players were tired after the long match.
10. The guide shared _____ interesting facts about the Sundarbans.

Pronouns

A. Fill in the blanks with suitable pronouns. Write the person and number of the pronoun used.

1. Tashi reached the monastery early in the morning. _____ waited quietly for the prayer ceremony to begin.
2. Luit discovered a rare butterfly during the nature walk. _____ carefully photographed it.
3. Oindrila and Mrinmoy organised the school book drive. _____ collected more than two hundred books.
4. The history project belongs to Shaivy. Please return _____ to her.
5. I saw the comet through the telescope, and _____ shone brightly across the night sky.
6. Abeer and Zoya rehearsed their play after school. _____ wanted every dialogue to sound perfect.
7. The kitten followed Yatharth everywhere because _____ trusted him completely.
8. Our mentor showed _____ how to build a simple wind turbine.
9. If you meet Devanshi, please tell _____ that the art exhibition has started.
10. My classmates invited Ira and _____ to join the quiz team.

B. Fill in the blanks with appropriate reflexive or emphatic pronouns.

1. Reetika solved the complicated maths puzzle by _____.
2. The district collector, Mr Jose, _____ inaugurated the science fair.
3. I accidentally scratched _____ while climbing the rocky hill.
4. The swimmers prepared _____ for the state championship.
5. Nawang stitched the traditional costume _____.
6. We decorated the eco-club noticeboard _____.
7. The young coder, Amogham, _____ demonstrated his mobile app to the judges.
8. Tisha looked at _____ in the mirror before the dance performance.
9. The campers enjoyed _____ during the night trek.
10. You should prepare _____ for the quiz competition.

C. Underline the reciprocal or indefinite pronouns and write R for reciprocal and I for indefinite pronouns.

1. Parth and Viraj congratulated each other after the football match.
2. Somebody left a sketchbook in the art room.
3. During the group discussion, the students listened to one another carefully.

4. Everyone admired the colourful rangoli at the entrance.
5. Several gathered near the lake to watch the migratory birds.
6. Nobody expected the sudden rain during the picnic.
7. The dancers encouraged each other during the rehearsal.
8. Many participated in the heritage walk around the old fort.
9. A few stayed back to clean the auditorium after the concert.
10. The teammates blamed one another for the missed catch.

D. Join the sentences using a suitable relative pronoun.

1. Aniruddh met an archaeologist. The archaeologist studies ancient inscriptions.
2. Ahalya visited a planetarium. The planetarium displays models of the solar system.
3. Shaarika read a magazine. The magazine explains new scientific discoveries.
4. Zorawar won the robotics contest. His design impressed the judges.
5. Harnoor thanked the librarian. The librarian helped him find a rare atlas.
6. Chitranshi saw a deer. The deer had delicate white spots.
7. Raghunandan has a neighbour. The neighbour breeds racing pigeons.
8. Parnika planted saplings. The saplings will grow along the village road.
9. Vibhanshu bought a telescope. The telescope reveals distant planets clearly.
10. Yuvika met a storyteller. The storyteller narrated legends of the desert.

E. Correct the errors in the use of relative pronouns.

1. The athlete which broke the record received a standing ovation.
2. I met a photographer which travels across wildlife sanctuaries.
3. The coach who's players won the tournament looked proud.
4. The scientist who the reporter interviewed explained the discovery.
5. This is the painting who I admired in the gallery.
6. The girl which composed the song studies classical music.
7. We saw a lighthouse who stands on the rocky island.
8. The explorer which discovered the cave wrote a book about it.
9. That is the artist whose we met at the exhibition.
10. The documentary who we watched yesterday was inspiring.

Adjectives

A. Write whether the highlighted adjective is manner, number, quantity, proper, demonstrative, interrogative, or possessive.

1. Tenzin completed the trek in **brave** spirit. _____
2. **Three** musicians performed at the cultural evening organised by Nyima. _____
3. **Those** paintings in Rukmini's gallery are inspired by village life. _____
4. Sagnik drank **little** water during the long cycling race. _____
5. **Which** route did Bhargavi take to reach the hill temple? _____
6. Aratrika borrowed **my** sketchbook to draw the lighthouse. _____
7. The class studied **Bengali** folk songs during the music period. _____
8. Dhruvika showed **that** ancient coin to the history teacher. _____
9. **Several** students from Prithviraj's team joined the coding workshop. _____
10. **Whose** bicycle is parked outside the astronomy club? _____

B. Fill in the blanks using proper adjectives formed from the proper nouns in brackets.

1. The museum displayed many _____ sculptures. (Chola)
2. Devyani enjoys listening to _____ classical music in the evenings. (Carnatic)
3. The chef prepared a delicious _____ curry for the food festival. (Goa)
4. The school library has several books on _____ history. (Japan)
5. Zubin bought a beautiful _____ carpet during his trip. (Kashmir)
6. Our teacher told us fascinating stories about _____ warriors. (Sparta)
7. Tanirika practises _____ dance every weekend. (Odisha)
8. The science exhibition included models of _____ rockets. (India)
9. Reyansh tasted a famous _____ sweet during the fair. (Bengal)
10. The travellers admired the ancient _____ architecture of the temple. (Dravida)

C. Fill in the blanks with the correct emphasizing adjective from the table. You may have to repeat some words.

1. Mihika read the _____ book in a single evening.
2. It was a _____ surprise when the robotics team won the national prize.
3. Vihaan built the model spaceship with his _____ hands.
4. The explorers crossed the _____ desert before reaching the oasis.

5. Sharmila felt _____ happiness when her painting was selected.
6. Parijat spent the _____ afternoon observing butterflies in the garden.
7. The magician performed a _____ trick that amazed the audience.
8. Krishiv wrote the story in his _____ notebook.
9. The sudden thunder created _____ confusion among the campers.
10. Rithika prepared the science experiment with _____ care.

D. Underline the adjective phrases in each sentence.

1. The necklace made of silver beads belonged to Varenya's grandmother.
2. The kite bright with many colours soared above the playground.
3. The palace built on a rocky hill attracted many tourists.
4. The box full of rare stamps belonged to Yashodhan.
5. The painting rich in detail impressed the art judges.
6. The basket filled with fresh guavas sat on the wooden bench.
7. The path covered with fallen leaves led to the forest shrine.
8. The robot designed by young engineers amazed the visitors.
9. The diary bound in blue leather lay on the teacher's desk.
10. The cave hidden behind the waterfall fascinated the explorers.

E. Complete the sentences with suitable adjective clauses. Underline the noun each clause qualifies.

1. Aishani discovered a painting _____.
2. Rudransh repaired a bicycle _____.
3. Devika adopted a puppy _____.
4. Saranyu read a story _____.
5. Harit visited a temple _____.
6. Iraan met a scientist _____.
7. Mridula bought a lantern _____.
8. Adhrit explored a fort _____.
9. Vamika planted a tree _____.
10. Lakshita watched a documentary _____.

Verbs

A. Underline the verb in each sentence. Then write whether it shows Action, Event, or State.

1. Zubair sketched a detailed map of the desert during the geography project.
2. Tanirika believes every puzzle has a clever solution.
3. The ancient banyan tree near the temple collapsed during the storm.
4. Pradyot assembled a wooden birdhouse for the eco-club.
5. Ishanvi knows several fascinating facts about constellations.
6. The colourful kite floated high above the riverbank.
7. Rituraj designed a small solar-powered toy car.
8. The glass vase broke when the shelf shook.
9. Aarnika prefers reading travel journals about distant mountains.
10. Shaurya constructed a miniature fort for the history exhibition.

B. Fill in the blanks with suitable nouns. Then state whether they are Direct Object (DO) or Indirect Object (IO).

1. Devyani gave _____ a handmade bookmark.
2. Tegh shared _____ with his teammates after the match.
3. Maitreyee sent a postcard from Sikkim to _____.
4. Farhan showed us _____ he discovered.
5. Vaidehi offered _____ some warm tea.
6. Aarush delivered _____ from the courier office.
7. Pranav taught _____ a clever memory trick.
8. Zainab handed _____ a colourful kite.
9. Shlok narrated _____ to her sister.
10. Meher served a bowl of hot soup to _____.

C. State whether the underlined verb is Transitive or Intransitive. If transitive, mention the object.

1. Kairav built a model lighthouse.
2. Mihika laughed loudly at the funny puppet show.
3. Sarthak found a rare shell on the beach.
4. Eshani slept peacefully after the long journey.
5. Harshit painted a bright mural on the classroom wall.

6. Tanay ran swiftly across the football field.
7. Lavanya baked delicious almond cookies.
8. Rudransh arrived early at the science camp.
9. Nyra opened the mysterious wooden box.
10. Vihaan wandered through the quiet forest trail.

D. Form verbs from the following words.

| Word | Verb | Word | Verb |
|-------------|-------|-------------|-------|
| 1. memory | _____ | 13. terror | _____ |
| 2. strength | _____ | 14. apology | _____ |
| 3. beauty | _____ | 15. symbol | _____ |
| 4. courage | _____ | 16. justice | _____ |
| 5. glory | _____ | 17. vision | _____ |
| 6. apology | _____ | 18. energy | _____ |
| 7. terror | _____ | 19. power | _____ |
| 8. sympathy | _____ | 20. memory | _____ |
| 9. advice | _____ | 21. glory | _____ |
| 10. relief | _____ | 22. apology | _____ |
| 11. breath | _____ | 23. terror | _____ |
| 12. courage | _____ | 24. relief | _____ |

E. Complete the sentences with suitable modal verbs.

1. Yashvi _____ finish the robotics assignment before tomorrow.
2. Reyansh _____ solve the puzzle because it requires careful thinking.
3. Aditi _____ bring your sketchbook for the art workshop tomorrow.
4. Parv _____ swim across the river when he was younger.
5. Khushi _____ borrow my atlas if she needs it.
6. Shaashvat _____ respect the rules of the wildlife sanctuary.
7. Vanya _____ join the astronomy club next month.
8. Dhruvin _____ lift the heavy box alone.
9. Kavisha _____ listen carefully to the safety instructions.
10. Arhaan _____ complete the quiz within fifteen minutes.

F. Underline the finite verbs and circle the non-finite verbs.

1. Tanisha hopes to explore the ancient caves someday.
2. Krithin enjoys reading mystery novels during holidays.
3. Devika plans to build a treehouse in the garden.
4. Harnoor loves drawing colourful landscapes.
5. Zidan wants to learn classical guitar.
6. Iraiya practised singing before the concert.
7. Manan hopes to discover a new comet someday.
8. Saanvi started writing a travel diary.
9. Raghav likes solving challenging riddles.
10. Abeer tried to repair the old bicycle.

Subject-Verb Agreement

A. Tick (✓) the correct sentences and cross (✗) the incorrect ones.

1. The team of young explorers travels across the desert every winter.
2. A group of tourists were watching the sunset from the hilltop.
3. Neither the captain nor the players is ready for the match.
4. The basket of ripe oranges smell sweet.
5. The author and illustrator of this comic book is very talented.
6. The library books on that shelf belongs to the history section.
7. Each of the runners has received a medal.
8. My cousin and neighbour lives in the same apartment building.
9. The herd of deer runs across the meadow at dawn.
10. Neither the coach nor the athletes were satisfied with the result.

B. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs given in brackets.

1. The collection of rare stamps _____ very valuable. (be)
2. A number of visitors _____ the museum every weekend. (visit)
3. Either the teacher or the students _____ responsible for decorating the hall. (be)
4. Each of the paintings _____ a unique story. (tell)
5. The bouquet of flowers _____ fresh and fragrant. (look)
6. Neither the guide nor the tourists _____ the narrow trail clearly. (see)
7. The committee _____ decided to organise a cultural festival. (have)
8. One of the tallest buildings in the city _____ near the riverbank. (stand)
9. Several members of the orchestra _____ practising for the concert. (be)
10. A pair of binoculars _____ lying on the table. (be)

C. Rewrite the sentences correctly by fixing the subject-verb agreement errors.

1. The group of hikers climb the mountain every summer.
2. Neither the teacher nor the principal were present at the ceremony.
3. The captain and leader of the team are giving a speech.
4. A number of students was participating in the debate competition.
5. The list of instructions are printed on the noticeboard.
6. Either the players or the coach have forgotten the schedule.

7. Each of the participants have prepared a presentation.
8. The flock of birds were flying across the sky.
9. My brother and best friend live in another city.
10. The bouquet of roses smell wonderful.

D. Use suitable verbs of your choice to complete the passage. Ensure that the verbs agree with the subjects.

Every winter, a group of nature enthusiasts _____ to a wildlife sanctuary in the hills.

The forest guide _____ them through narrow trails and hidden clearings.

A herd of spotted deer often _____ quietly near the lake.

Sometimes, neither the wind nor the rustling leaves _____ any sound at all.

The team of photographers _____ patiently for the perfect moment.

Each visitor _____ amazed by the beauty of the forest.

The sounds of birds _____ through the tall trees in the early morning.

At the end of the day, the group _____ their experiences around a small campfire.

The memory of the peaceful forest _____ with them for a long time.

Everyone _____ forward to returning there next year.

Tenses

A. Fill in the blanks using the correct form of the verbs given in brackets.

1. Aarika usually _____ early in the morning before school. (wake)
2. The robotics team _____ a new rescue drone this week. (build)
3. Last winter, the travellers _____ across the frozen lake carefully. (walk)
4. Every Saturday, Vedant _____ chess with his grandfather. (play)
5. The students _____ their science projects right now. (prepare)
6. Yesterday evening, the sky suddenly _____ dark before the storm. (turn)
7. The wildlife photographer _____ many rare birds during his expedition. (see)
8. We _____ the exhibition hall when the lights went out. (enter)
9. The children _____ excited about the school trip next week. (feel)
10. My cousin _____ her guitar every evening after dinner. (practise)

B. Rewrite the sentences using the continuous forms of the verbs given.

1. The volunteers plant trees along the riverbank.
2. The artist paints a mural on the school wall.
3. The players practise their passes before the match.
4. The hikers climb the steep mountain trail.
5. The chef prepares a new dish for the festival.
6. The astronomer observes the night sky through a telescope.
7. The librarian arranges rare books in the archive room.
8. The children fly colourful kites during the spring fair.
9. The engineers test a new solar-powered vehicle.
10. The dancers rehearse their routine for the annual function.

C. Correct the sentences given below.

1. I am believing that teamwork makes sports more enjoyable.
2. She is knowing the answer to the difficult question.
3. We are liking the new science laboratory very much.
4. The old temple is belonging to the village community.
5. I am understanding the instructions clearly now.
6. This mango juice is tasting very sweet today.

7. The ancient manuscript is containing several rare illustrations.
8. The red bicycle is costing more than the blue one.
9. He is remembering every detail of the journey.
10. I am wanting to learn how to play the violin.

D. Complete the sentences with the perfect forms of the verbs given in brackets.

1. The research team _____ the new experiment successfully. (*complete*)
2. By the time we reached the theatre, the play _____ already _____ . (*begin*)
3. The students _____ several models for the science exhibition this year. (*create*)
4. When the teacher entered the room, the class _____ already _____ quiet. (*become*)
5. The explorers _____ across many deserts before they reached the oasis. (*travel*)
6. She _____ the entire novel before the weekend ended. (*finish*)
7. By tomorrow afternoon, the volunteers _____ all the posters. (*put up*)
8. The scientists _____ the samples carefully in the laboratory. (*examine*)
9. By the time the bus arrived, the passengers _____ in a long queue. (*wait*)
10. The young athlete _____ regularly for the championship since last year. (*train*)

E. Rewrite the sentences by changing the tense as indicated.

1. The children play football in the park every evening. (*Change to: present continuous*)
2. The explorer discovered a hidden waterfall in the valley. (*Change to: past perfect*)
3. The team is preparing for the robotics competition. (*Change to: simple past*)
4. Mira had finished her homework before dinner. (*Change to: simple past*)
5. The guide explains the history of the monument. (*Change to: past continuous*)
6. The farmers are harvesting rice in the fields. (*Change to: future continuous*)
7. The scientist observes the stars through the telescope. (*Change to: present perfect*)
8. The players practised their drills yesterday. (*Change to: past perfect continuous*)
9. The chef cooks a special meal for the festival. (*Change to: future perfect*)
10. The teacher is discussing the lesson with the class. (*Change to: simple present*)
11. The travellers reached the campsite before sunset. (*Change to: past perfect*)
12. The students are organising a charity event. (*Change to: future continuous*)
13. The artist painted a beautiful landscape. (*Change to: present perfect*)
14. The guide had explained the rules before the trek began. (*Change to: simple past*)
15. The swimmers practise every morning. (*Change to: present perfect continuous*)

Modals

A. Underline the modals in the following sentences.

1. The eco-club must plant more trees before the monsoon arrives.
2. I could solve the puzzle faster when I practised every day.
3. You may borrow my binoculars for the birdwatching trip.
4. We should respect the rules of the nature reserve.
5. The young swimmer can cross the pool in less than a minute.
6. Visitors must not feed the animals in the wildlife park.
7. I might visit the science fair after finishing my homework.
8. You will receive the results of the quiz tomorrow.
9. The hikers ought to carry extra water during the trek.
10. The goalkeeper could stop even the fastest shots during practice.

B. Fill in the blanks with suitable modals of your choice.

1. The sky looks dark; it _____ rain this evening.
2. _____ I use your ruler for a moment?
3. Students _____ keep their phones silent in the library.
4. We _____ finish the art project before the exhibition begins.
5. _____ you help me lift this heavy box?
6. The young climber _____ reach the summit if the weather stays clear.
7. Visitors _____ not touch the fragile museum exhibits.
8. Our team _____ practise harder if we want to win the tournament.
9. I _____ ride a bicycle when I was five years old.
10. The volunteers _____ arrive early to prepare the community hall.

C. Read the sentences and decide what purpose they serve.

polite request, ability, promise, possibility, wish, suggestion, courage, prohibition

1. Could you pass the notebook to me, please?
2. She can swim across the river easily.
3. May you achieve great success in your new journey!
4. I will help you finish the science model.

5. The weather might turn colder tonight.
6. You should drink more water during summer.
7. He dare not speak loudly before the strict coach.
8. Students must not run in the laboratory.
9. We could visit the planetarium this weekend.
10. May all your dreams come true!

D. Identify the incorrectly used modal verbs and replace them with suitable modals in the following sentences.

1. You will finish your homework before going out.
2. May you help me carry these books?
3. The baby must fall asleep soon if the room is quiet.
4. I shall swim very well when I was younger.
5. We could obey the traffic rules.
6. Visitors might not throw waste in the park.
7. The teacher said we can submit the project yesterday.
8. You must borrow my dictionary whenever you want.
9. The clouds are dark; it can rain tonight.
10. Students will not talk during the examination.

E. Read the situations and write a sentence using the modal indicated in brackets.

1. Your friend is worried about a difficult maths test. Give advice. (should)
2. You want permission to leave class early for a debate competition. (may)
3. You promise your teammate that you will help finish the project. (will)
4. You are not sure if the bus will arrive on time. (might)
5. Your younger brother wants to ride your bicycle. Grant permission. (can)
6. A teacher reminds students about an important rule in the laboratory. (must)
7. You politely ask your neighbour to lower loud music. (could)
8. You tell your friend not to litter in the park. (must not)
9. You explain that you were able to solve puzzles quickly when you were younger. (could)
10. You encourage a nervous teammate before a speech. (can)

Voice

A. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs in brackets and mention whether the sentences are in the active voice (A) or passive voice (P).

1. The science club _____ a solar oven during the workshop. (design)
2. A rare butterfly _____ near the lake yesterday. (spot)
3. The students _____ the robotics model carefully. (assemble)
4. The history teacher _____ the story of an ancient kingdom. (explain)
5. The stage decorations _____ by the art team this morning. (prepare)
6. The quiz questions _____ by the senior students. (write)
7. The wildlife guide _____ the group through the forest trail. (lead)
8. The new telescope _____ by the astronomy club last week. (install)
9. The volunteers _____ hundreds of trees near the village. (plant)
10. The treasure map _____ inside the old wooden chest. (hide)

B. Convert the sentences from active to passive using the following verbs.

1. The coach said to the players, "Practise every day."
2. The teacher said to the students, "Submit your projects tomorrow."
3. The doctor said to the patient, "Avoid too much screen time."
4. The guide said to the tourists, "Do not go near the cliff edge."
5. The class leader said to everyone, "Let us organise a recycling drive."
6. The librarian said to the children, "Return the books on time."
7. The park ranger said to the visitors, "Stay on the marked path."
8. The principal said to the volunteers, "Help the younger students."
9. The science mentor said to the team, "Test the model again."
10. The safety officer said to the workers, "Wear protective helmets."

C. Use the correct passive tense in the following sentences.

1. The school play _____ tomorrow evening. (perform)
2. The ancient temple _____ hundreds of years ago. (build)
3. The new library books _____ next week. (deliver)
4. The final match _____ by thousands of fans every year. (watch)
5. The missing puppy _____ by a kind neighbour yesterday. (find)

6. The science exhibition _____ by the principal right now. (open)
7. The trophies _____ after the competition. (present)
8. The space documentary _____ on television tonight. (show)
9. The environmental pledge _____ by all the students this morning. (sign)
10. The new computer lab _____ before the next term begins. (complete)

D. Transform the following sentences from Active to Passive.

1. Aarav discovered a hidden cave during the trek.
2. The students organised a clean-up drive near the river.
3. Mira wrote a short story about space travel.
4. The robotics team built a small rescue robot.
5. The teacher explained the experiment clearly.
6. The museum guide showed the visitors an ancient coin.
7. The volunteers distributed food packets during the flood relief camp.
8. Kabir solved the complex puzzle quickly.
9. The gardeners planted colourful flowers in the park.
10. The librarian arranged the rare manuscripts carefully.

E. Change the following sentences from Passive to Active.

1. The science fair was organised by the senior students.
2. The treasure chest was discovered by a young explorer.
3. The new playground was designed by an architect.
4. The wildlife documentary was filmed by a nature photographer.
5. The school anthem was sung by the choir.
6. The lost wallet was returned by a shopkeeper.
7. The old bridge was repaired by skilled engineers.
8. The painting was admired by many visitors.
9. The ancient manuscript was preserved by historians.
10. The astronomy workshop was conducted by a visiting scientist.

Speech

A. Write whether the following sentences are in Direct Speech or Indirect (Reported) Speech.

1. Shaarav said that he would finish the science project the next day.
2. Aarnika said, "I have completed my painting for the art exhibition."
3. The librarian said that the new history books had arrived that morning.
4. "We will start the trek at sunrise," said Devyanshi.
5. Aarushit told his sister that he had seen a rare butterfly in the garden.
6. "I am preparing a presentation about space exploration," said Ojasvini.
7. The teacher told the class that the test would begin in ten minutes.
8. "My grandfather tells fascinating stories about old cities," said Niharv.
9. Vedansha said that she had forgotten her notebook at home.
10. "I will help you solve the puzzle," said Rishveta.

B. Add quotation marks to the following sentences in direct speech.

1. Yashvendra said I will bring the telescope to school tomorrow.
2. Pranvitha said I enjoy reading about ancient civilizations.
3. Devyut said This puzzle looks difficult but interesting.
4. Arvisha said I might join the wildlife photography club.
5. Ronavit said We are planning to plant trees near the lake.
6. Meharvika said My brother collects old coins from different countries.
7. Shaurith said I completed the entire maze puzzle yesterday.
8. Aahvya said I will practise the violin before the concert.
9. Zorvika said Our team has designed a small solar car.
10. Ivaansh said I love watching meteor showers at night.

C. Transform the sentences in direct speech into reported speech.

1. Tanmayika said, "I am learning classical dance this year."
2. Vihaansh said, "I will visit the science museum tomorrow."
3. Aaradhv said, "I have finished reading the adventure novel."
4. Yashvika said, "I can solve this riddle easily."
5. Rithvansh said, "I saw a shooting star last night."

6. Shaarmik said, "I am building a model bridge for the exhibition."
7. Pratyusha said, "I will meet you at the observatory today."
8. Devayush said, "I have been practising chess for two years."
9. Kaushvini said, "I may join the astronomy club next week."
10. Ronavya said, "I am writing a story about a mountain expedition."

D. Change the sentences in reported speech into direct speech.

1. Ishvarya said that she would finish the experiment that day.
2. Aaryit said that he had visited the old fort the previous week.
3. Tanvika said that she was designing a poster for the environment campaign.
4. Devanshu said that he could repair the broken drone.
5. Mehvika said that she had found an ancient coin near the riverbank.
6. Rithyansh said that he would participate in the robotics contest the next month.
7. Shaarika said that she was reading a biography of a famous scientist.
8. Viyanth said that he had completed his maths homework earlier.
9. Prishaant said that he would meet his cousins there the following day.
10. Aarvitha said that she might attend the astronomy workshop.

Adverbs

A. Identify the adverb in each sentence and write its type (manner / time / place / frequency / degree).

1. Pema arranged the prayer flags carefully before the monastery festival began.
2. Satyaki will present his astronomy model tomorrow at the science exhibition.
3. The explorers looked everywhere for the hidden waterfall in the valley.
4. Nirmohi often volunteers at the animal rescue centre after school.
5. Devyani answered the riddle cleverly during the quiz contest.
6. Atharvika felt extremely proud after finishing the mountain trek.
7. Arha watched the migrating cranes silently from the riverbank.
8. Zahan returned late from the district chess tournament.
9. The hikers rested nearby after crossing the narrow bridge.
10. Tanirika practises the veena daily before dinner.

B. Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct adverb from the brackets.

1. Yuvanika placed the fragile telescope lens _____ on the table. (carefully / suddenly)
2. The fireflies glowed _____ above the dark forest trail. (brightly / hardly)
3. Rishavendra finished the difficult maze puzzle _____. (eventually / never)
4. Shaileyani reads adventure stories _____ before going to bed. (usually / sharply)
5. Gauransh waited _____ outside the observatory gate. (patiently / everywhere)
6. Vaidheya completed the painting _____ than expected. (sooner / nearly)
7. Pragnya spoke _____ during the debate competition. (confidently / tomorrow)
8. Dhruvika looked _____ for her lost sketchbook. (frantically / weekly)
9. Tenzinpal observed the snow leopard _____ through his binoculars. (quietly / yearly)
10. Hrishit explored the cave passages _____ with his flashlight. (carefully / next week)

C. Rewrite the sentences by adding a suitable adverb of the type mentioned in brackets

1. Vaishnavit solved the puzzle. (Adverb of manner)
2. Ishmita will visit the planetarium. (Adverb of time)
3. Samyukt walked to the lighthouse. (Adverb of place)
4. Hridayansh practises the tabla. (Adverb of frequency)
5. Pratyaksha finished the sculpture. (Adverb of manner)

6. Avirajit met the wildlife guide. (Adverb of time)
7. Ishaantika placed the lantern. (Adverb of place)
8. Kairavendra reads historical novels. (Adverb of frequency)
9. Rishmika arranged the fossil samples. (Adverb of manner)
10. Yajnesh will join the robotics workshop. (Adverb of time)

D. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the adverb given in brackets.

1. Meghayan walked _____ than the other trekkers. (carefully)
2. Among all the players, Rujuta reacted _____ to the surprise question. (quickly)
3. The sparrow sang _____ today than yesterday. (sweetly)
4. Of all the contestants, Dhruvanshi answered _____. (confidently)
5. The river flowed _____ during the monsoon than in summer. (rapidly)
6. Aaryavik explained the puzzle _____ than anyone else. (clearly)
7. The gymnast balanced _____ than before. (gracefully)
8. Among the three painters, Pranjaliika worked _____. (neatly)
9. The owl flew _____ through the silent forest. (quietly)
10. Rithvik solved the maths challenge _____ than his classmates. (easily)

E. Select suitable adverb phrases from the table to complete the passage.

at dawn; during the village fair; with great enthusiasm; near the ancient well;
 after the heavy rain; on the forest trail; in complete silence; before the final
 round; with careful attention; at the edge of the meadow

Last summer, Ahanrit joined a nature photography camp in the hills. The group gathered _____ to begin their trek. They walked slowly _____ while observing birds and butterflies. Suddenly, they heard the soft sound of water flowing _____. The mentor asked everyone to sit _____ so that they would not disturb the animals nearby. Later, the students examined rare plants _____ and noted their features carefully. In the evening, they displayed their photographs _____. Everyone shared their experiences _____ and listened to the judges' feedback _____. Finally, the winners were announced _____, and the young photographers celebrated happily.

Preposition

A. Fill in the blanks with the correct preposition of time or position.

- Riddhiman waited _____ the old banyan tree until the trekking group arrived. (under / during)
- Vatsala will present her science model _____ Monday morning. (on / beside)
- The colourful lanterns were hanging _____ the courtyard wall. (against / until)
- Aratrika finished her painting _____ sunset. (before / beneath)
- Neeladri kept the ancient coin _____ the glass case in the museum lab. (inside / since)
- Kaustubh practises the flute _____ the evening every day. (in / beside)
- The explorers rested _____ the huge rock during the long hike. (under / till)
- Aaryahi placed the compass _____ the wooden table carefully. (upon / since)
- The astronomy club will meet _____ 7 p.m. in the observatory hall. (at / below)
- Ziyad hid the treasure map _____ the thick history book. (between / after)

B. Insert the correct preposition of movement or direction and rewrite the sentences.

- Advayran entered the ancient temple a narrow stone doorway. (*through*)
- Sharmila threw the frisbee the playground. (*across*)
- Tanveer climbed the watchtower ladder slowly. (*up*)
- Prishita followed the glowing fireflies the forest path. (*along*)
- Kunal stepped the moving train carefully. (*onto*)
- Bhavithran ran the stadium gate as the race began. (*towards*)
- Samaira dived the clear blue pool during practice. (*into*)
- Devika walked the quiet corridor of the museum. (*through*)
- Riyansh jumped the shallow stream easily. (*over*)
- Fariha moved the crowded marketplace quickly. (*through*)

C. Underline the prepositions in the following sentences and write their types.

- Hriday stood beside the telescope during the astronomy session.
- The kite soared above the school playground.
- Tanishq returned home after the long cycling trip.
- Kaviraj hid the message inside the hollow bamboo stick.
- Aashi walked towards the glowing lighthouse.
- The travellers rested between two tall palm trees.

7. Zubin waited till the rain stopped.
8. Prerna leaned against the old fort wall.
9. Ahan ran across the green meadow.
10. Devansh sat near the warm campfire.

D. Correct the prepositions in the following sentences.

1. Vivan placed the ancient compass over the wooden box.
2. Myra waited in the gate before the library opened.
3. Pratyush climbed into the tall coconut tree carefully.
4. Ishika hid the key above the drawer.
5. Lakshad ran inside the football field during the warm-up lap.
6. Ruchir kept the notebook between the shelf.
7. Aditi stood in the stage during the rehearsal.
8. Keshav walked inside the narrow bridge slowly.
9. Tanmay placed the lantern over the table gently.
10. Reva travelled inside the mountains during the expedition.

E. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions to complete the factual passage.

Every winter, thousands of migratory birds travel _____ distant countries _____ India. They fly _____ vast mountain ranges and rivers _____ their long journey. Many of them rest _____ wetlands and lakes _____ the northern plains. Early _____ the morning, birdwatchers gather quietly _____ the lake shore to observe them. The birds glide gracefully _____ the water and sometimes dive _____ fish. These wetlands provide safety _____ the birds during their long stay.

Conjunctions

A. Underline the conjunctions in the following sentences and mention whether they are Coordinating, Subordinating, or Correlative.

1. Maitreyi wanted to join the trekking club, but her parents suggested she practise first.
2. Although Reyansh was nervous, he presented his robotics model confidently.
3. Either Kavin will lead the quiz team or Ahanveer will take the role.
4. Diya completed her painting and displayed it in the art gallery.
5. Because Shivesh studied the night sky carefully, he recognised many constellations.
6. Neither Tanishka nor Hrida wanted to miss the wildlife photography trip.
7. Arushika continued practising the sitar even though her fingers felt tired.
8. The hikers hurried back since dark clouds were gathering.
9. Not only Viresh solved the puzzle but also he explained the method to others.
10. The museum guide spoke slowly so the students could take notes.

B. Fill in the blanks with suitable coordinating conjunctions.

1. Bhargavi enjoys classical dance, _____ she also loves playing badminton.
2. Pranit practised the flute every evening, _____ his performance improved quickly.
3. Ishaan tried to fix the broken drone, _____ it would not start.
4. Tanirika can paint landscapes, _____ she can sketch portraits beautifully.
5. Kairavi wanted to visit the science fair, _____ she had a music rehearsal.
6. Advait studied ancient maps, _____ he discovered many forgotten trade routes.
7. Meenal searched for the missing compass, _____ she finally found it near the tent.
8. Lakshith wanted to join the cycling race, _____ he preferred the long-distance run.
9. Devyanka carried a flashlight, _____ the forest trail was very dark.
10. Hrishaan was tired after the long climb, _____ he continued hiking.

C. Join the sentences using suitable subordinating conjunctions.

1. Tejasvi practised chess every day. She wanted to win the interschool championship.
2. Arnavit opened the ancient trunk. He discovered a collection of rare coins.
3. Reyati was excited. She tried to remain calm during the science quiz.
4. Ishanveer finished the puzzle. The timer rang immediately afterwards.
5. Navika read the instructions carefully. She started assembling the robot kit.

6. Pradyumna continued sketching the temple ruins. The sun slowly set behind the hills.
7. Aahnik did not leave the observatory. The meteor shower ended.
8. Sharmistha waited patiently. The museum gates opened.
9. Vihaanika kept exploring the cave. She found an unusual crystal formation.
10. Arjit listened attentively. The historian described the ancient civilisation.

D. Correct the errors in the correlative conjunctions.

1. Either Aarush nor Shaaryana will represent the school in the debate.
2. Neither the telescope or the binoculars were working properly.
3. Not only Meher finished the project and also presented it confidently.
4. Both the violinist or the pianist performed beautifully.
5. Whether you practise daily and you will improve quickly.
6. Either the astronomy club will visit the observatory and attend the lecture.
7. Neither Devansh and Raghavi could solve the difficult riddle.
8. Not only the storm was fierce but also the winds were unpredictable.
9. Both Aadhira nor Tanmayee volunteered for the environment drive.
10. Whether we travel by train but bus, the journey will be long.