

Grade 08 - English
Monthly Evaluation Paper
Unit 4 - Mother Nature



● Answer all the questions.

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(10 marks)

01. Circle the silent letters.

half
write
know
listen
whistle

hour
wrap
cat
knee
aisle

chall
nestle
column
castle
knuckle

(10 marks)

02. Write five sentences about this picture.



1. This is the picture is sun and sea. Ball.
2. There are four children.
3. There are pictures is house.
4.
5. This is beautiful picture.

03. Write the plural form of the collective nouns.

(5 marks)

- A group of boys
- A herd of elephants
- A bag of rice
- A pack of cards
- A bunch of keys

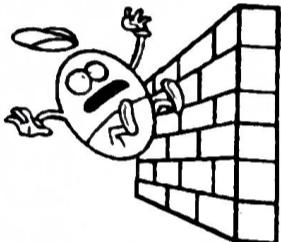
.....groups.....of.....boys.....
.....herds.....of.....elephants.....
.....bags.....of.....rice.....
.....packs.....of.....cards.....
.....bunches.....of.....keys.....

04. Choose the right word from the pair above to fill each space. (10 marks)

1. The hens ~~w.a.s~~ were laying, so the farmer ~~w.e.r.e~~ was pleased.
2. The wind ~~W.e.r.e~~ was cold and they ~~g.w.a.s~~ were walking in to the house. (was/were)
3. The school ~~i.s~~ is over and we ~~a.r.e~~ are going home. (is/are)
4. They ~~w.a.s~~ were glad because the day ~~g.w.e.r.e~~ was sunny. (was/were)
5. She ~~i.s i.s~~ is coming home early today because her friends ~~a.r.e~~ are coming. (is/are)

05. (10 marks)

off	before	behind	in	across
on	under	over	into	near



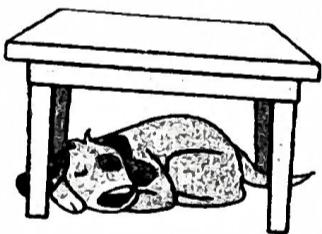
1. Humpty fell ~~off~~ off ~~on~~ on the wall.



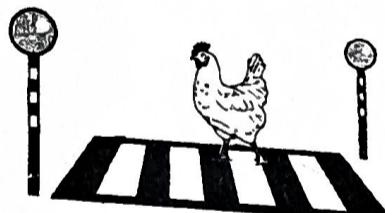
2. The man dived ~~in to~~ into the pool.



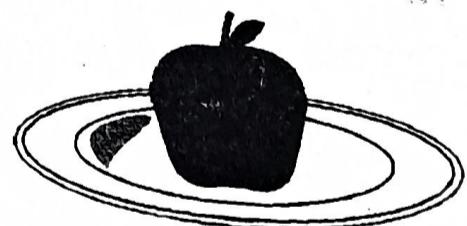
3. The horse jumped ~~over~~ over the fence.



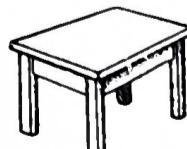
4. The dog is ~~under~~ under the table.



5. The cockerel is walking ~~across~~ across ~~before~~ before the road.



6. There is an apple ~~on~~ on ~~behind~~ behind the plate.



7. There are flowers ~~in~~ in the vase.

8. There is a guard ~~befor~~ before ~~Off~~ off the fire.

9. James is standing ~~near~~ near the table.

10. John is hiding ~~behind~~ behind ~~across~~ across the armchair.

06. Underline the ADJECTIVES in the following sentences.

(10 marks)

1. They live in a big red house.
2. Lloyd is a clever boy.
3. This plant has small yellow flowers.
4. Mr. Chung is a kind man.
5. The camel is a very useful animal.
6. In New York they have warm weather in summer and cold weather in winter.
7. Mary has a new green jumper.
8. Lions are stong, fierce animals.
9. Cairo is a large, busy city.
10. These small apples have a sweet taste.

07. Read the following sentences and circle the incorrect pronouns used. Write the correct pronoun in the space given.

(10 marks)

1. Nehan gave me some novels. I loved reading it.
2. Is this umbrella your ?
3. Myself name is Imesh.
4. Some friends of them have invited us for a party.
5. This school is mine. It is bigger than her.
6. I cannot follow hers language.
7. She looked like mine mother.
8. When I opened she bag, I was shocked.
9. We were scolded by ours teachers.
10. A cousin of my, recently joined the Navy.

Them
it reading
this is young
is name my
of friends our
is at school hers
hers follow her
like looked
I when her
ours by our
the joined mine

08. Make sentences using the following prepositions.

(10 marks)

1. around - Q.60.....
2. through -
3. along - Q.60.....
4. into - ...Q.60.....
5. down - ...Q.60.....

09. Change the following information into a set of instructions.

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 1. Biting your nails can be harmful.
Don't ~~eat~~ ... y.o.u.r...n.a.i.l.s.....
 2. It is bad to pick your nose.
 3. You can protect your teeth by brushing
 4. If you get something in your eyes, try not to rub it.
.....
 5. Very hot food and drinks burn your tongue.
Don't eat or

(5 marks)

10. Fill in the blanks with two of the given letters.

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|---|---------------|
| 1. wh...elb. a i.rrow | (i , a , e) |
| 2. h...ne...ty | (e , o , s) |
| 3. mos <i>j</i> u. q toes | (q , u , i) |
| 4. ca...r...boh...y...drates | (e , r , y) |
| 5. g... a ...mn. u ..sium | (u , y , a) |

(10 marks)

11. Write an essay for 75 words about one of the following.

- The importance of teachers