



Rainbow International School

FIRST TERM

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Final Exam Revision (Term 2)

Writing 5

A. Unfamiliar words from the text (Units 6-8)

Word	Meaning/Synonym	Example
1. jagged (adjective)	sharp edge, not smooth, rough	The jagged rocks along the beach is not safe for boats.
2. echo (noun)	sound caused by the reflection of sound waves from a surface back to the listener	The walls threw back the echoes of his footsteps.
3. skylark (noun)	a bird	The skylark flew high above the valley.
4. destination (noun)	the place to which someone or something is going	Dubai is an ideal destination for a weekend holiday.
5. hover (verb)	remain in one place in the air	Helicopters hovered overhead.
6. barter (verb)	exchange (goods or services) for other goods or services without using money	The villagers bartered vegetables for meat.

7. survive (verb)	continue to live or exist	He survived the car crash.
8. valuable (adjective)	A thing that is of great importance	The queen's crown is a valuable piece of treasure.
9. transport (verb)	take or carry (people or goods) from one place to another by means of a vehicle, aircraft, or ship	Heavy boxes were transported by lorry.
10. society (noun)	people living together in a community	Society must work together towards a common goal.
11. mysterious (adjective)	difficult to explain	We heard a mysterious noise outside our tent.
12. ancient (adjective)	very old	The pyramids are ancient .
13. massive (adjective)	huge, big	There is a massive house in the forest
14. rusty (adjective)	metal affected by rust	It is difficult to remove the rusty bolt.
15. peel off (verb)	remove a thin covering or layer	I peeled off the tissue paper

B. Personification

the attribution of a personal nature or human characteristics to something non-human, or the representation of an abstract quality in human form.

Example 1

1. The car **danced** across the road.
2. The trees **stretched** their arms to reach the sun.
3. The flowers **begged** for water.

Example 2

1. The wind whispered through the dark and gloomy forest.

What is being personified?

answer: *wind*

Which human trait/ability or quality is given?

answer: *whispering*

C. Descriptive text using descriptive words

A **descriptive text** usually focuses on describing a single location, object, event, person, or place in such a way that a picture is formed in the reader's mind using descriptive words for the five senses: *sight, hearing(sound), taste, smell and touch*

Examples of Descriptive Words

Hearing Words	Tasting Words
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Buzz• Chatter• Mumble• Squeal	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• bitter• bland• spicy• tangy

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • wail 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • salty
<p style="text-align: center;">Feeling Words</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • bumpy • frosty • furry • prickly • slippery • sticky 	<p style="text-align: center;">Smelling Words</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • burnt • fresh • rotten • musty • sweet • fishy
<p style="text-align: center;">Seeing Words</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • cluttered • crooked • lovely • shabby • tidy • immense 	<p style="text-align: center;">Color Words</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • aqua • purple • blue • white • black • gold

Descriptive paragraph using descriptive words for the five senses

My mother gave me a lemon last summer. Its **yellow** surface was **bright** and **shiny**. It was shaped almost **round** but was slightly **pointed** at each end. Its size was almost as **big** as a baseball. As I sliced into it, I heard the knife make **sharp** cutting noises and heard the juice **spurt** out. I put it to my lips and the **cold, wet** liquid made me pucker up. My cheeks were drawn together with **bitterness**. Its **tart** and **tangy** smell almost made my eyes water. As I tasted it, I was sure I had never tasted anything more sour in my life. I made up my mind not to eat another lemon unless it was sugared and in lemonade.

- Sight: *yellow, bright, shiny, round, big*
- Hearing: *sharp, spurt*
- Taste: *bitterness*
- Smell: *tart, tangy*

- Touch: *cold, wet*

C. Conditional tense to talk about Hypothetical situations

**Hypothetical text* --- is the description of imaginary situations using conditional tense.

**Conditional tense* --- are used to speculate what could happen, what might have happened, and what we wish would happen.

Structure:

1. *if clause (condition) + main clause (sentence)*

Examples:

1. *using simple present*

Ex. If it **rains**, the grass **gets** wet.

The grass gets wet **if it rains**.

2. *simple present + simple future*

Ex. If it **rains** today, you **will get** wet.

3. *simple past + present continuous conditional*

Ex. If I **spoke** Italian, I **would be working** in Italy.

2. *conditional questions*

Structures: if clause + main clause

1. *simple present + simple future*

Example: If there **is** a lot of traffic, what **will** you **do**?

2. *simple past + would (conditional)*

Example: If you **had** 1 million dollars, how **would** you **spend** it?

D. Writing a Story

These are the basic elements of a story:

1. **Setting:** Where and when is the story set? Setting represents the place and the time.
2. **Character:** A person or animal or really anything personified. There can be one main character and several support characters
3. **Plot:** The events that happen in a story. are called the plot. The plot has a beginning, middle and end.
4. **Conflict:** The problem around which the story is based. Without conflict, the story will have no purpose.

Example

The Golden Touch

This is the story of a very greedy rich man who chanced upon meeting a fairy. The fairy's hair was caught in a few tree branches. Realizing he had an opportunity to make even more money, he asked for a wish in return for helping the fairy. He said, 'All that I touch should turn to gold', and his wish was granted by the grateful fairy.



The greedy man rushed home to tell his wife and daughter about his good fortune, all the while touching stones and pebbles and converting them into gold. Once he got home, his daughter rushed to greet him. As soon as he bent down to scoop her up in his arms, she turned into a gold statue. He realized his foolishness and spent the rest of his days searching for the fairy to take away his wish.

1. What is the setting?

Answer: Magic land,

2. Who are the characters?

Answer: a. rich man
b. fairy
c. rich man's daughter

3. What is the plot?

a. beginning: Rich man helped a fairy
b. middle: Rich man wished that everything he touched turned to gold.
c. end: Rich man's daughter turned to gold

4. What is the conflict?

Answer: Everything the rich man touched turned to gold

End of Revision