



**SOF INTERNATIONAL
ENGLISH OLYMPIAD**

Total Questions : 35

Time : 1 hr.

PATTERN & MARKING SCHEME				
Section	(1) Word and Structure Knowledge	(2) Reading	(3) Spoken and Written Expression	(4) Achievers Section
No. of Questions	15	10	5	5
Marks per Ques.	1	1	1	2

SYLLABUS

Section – 1 : Collocations, Spellings, Gender, Singular-Plural, One word Substitution, Synonyms, Antonyms, Nouns, Pronouns, Verbs, Adverbs, Adjectives, Contractions, Articles, Prepositions, Conjunctions, Tenses, Punctuations and Jumbled words, Basic Questions, Question Tags, Proverbs, Idioms, etc.

Section – 2 : Search for and retrieve information from various text types like Stories, Anecdotes, etc., Understand information through pictures, Time-table format, etc., Acquire broad understanding of and look for specific information in short texts like messages, Invitations, etc.

Section – 3 : Ability to understand situation-based variations in functions like apology, greeting, introduction, request, etc.

Section – 4 : Higher Order Thinking Questions - Syllabus as per Sections 1, 2 and 3.

WORD AND STRUCTURE KNOWLEDGE

1. Choose the correct word/phrase to complete the sentence.

You _____ wear a helmet or you will be fined by the traffic police.

- (A) might (B) can (C) must (D) don't have to

Direction (Q.No. 2 to 4) : Choose the correct options to fill in the blanks.

2. The driver was driving the school bus very fast. We told him to please _____ down.

- (A) slow (B) calm (C) get (D) hurry

3. My neighbour _____ for breaking his garden lamp while we were playing football.

- (A) told me over (B) told me up (C) told me out (D) told me off

4. Sam : Did you understand the paragraph?

Bev : Yes, but can we _____ over it again?

- (A) see (B) go (C) get (D) tell

READING

Direction (Q.No. 5 and 6) : Read the text and answer the questions that follow.

Ajith : Who did you tell?
Shalini : Just Malani.
Ajith : And who told you?
Shalini : Gill.
Ajith : And nobody else knows?
Shalini : Only you do.
Ajith : Well, of course, I do. I told Gill.

5. Who knew first?

- (A) Ajith (B) Shalini (C) Malani (D) Gill

6. How did Shalini find out?

- (A) Ajith told Shalini. (B) Malani told Shalini.
(C) Gill told Shalini. (D) Shalini told Malani.

SPOKEN AND WRITTEN EXPRESSION

Direction (Q.No. 7 and 8) : Choose the best option to complete each conversation.

7. Mandy: Hey! Perry did you see the match last night?
Perry: No, while I _____ the match, the power went off, so I couldn't watch the whole match.
(A) watched (B) watch (C) was watching (D) will watching
8. John: I know lots of people here.
Amir: Do you? I thought you said _____.
(A) you didn't know anybody (B) you knew everybody
(C) you know somebody (D) you didn't say anything

ACHIEVERS SECTION

Direction (Q.No. 9 and 10) : Choose the correct word/phrase to complete each sentence.

9. I feel tired today. I _____ very well last night.
(A) didn't slept (B) hasn't slept (C) didn't sleep (D) having slept
10. It's cloudy _____ it's not raining.
(A) as (B) so (C) but (D) while

SPACE FOR ROUGH WORK

ANSWERS

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