

**OCT\_NOV\_2024 WINTER EXAMINATION****11851 Other Elective (All Faculty)****Sub. Name: Basic English Usage****Sub. Code: 107097****Day and Date: DECEMBER ,15-12-2024****Total Marks: 40****Time: 02.30 PM To 04:00 PM**

- Instructions:** 1. All questions are compulsory  
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks

**Q1) A. Rewrite the following sentences by choosing the correct option. [4]**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ sun sets in the west.  
a) A                      b) An                      c) The                      d) No Article
2. She has \_\_\_\_\_ a beautiful painting.  
a) paints                      b) painted                      c) painting                      d) paint
3. We usually have breakfast \_\_\_\_\_ the morning.  
a) on                      b) at                      c) in                      d) to
4. He is a very \_\_\_\_\_ person.  
a) kindness                      b) kind                      c) kindly                      d) kinder

**B. Answer the following questions in one word/phrase/sentence each. [4]**

1. What is an adjective?
2. Which article is used before singular countable nouns starting with a vowel sound?
3. What is the plural form of 'child'?
4. Which tense is used to describe an action happening now?

**Q2) A. Do as directed. [8]**

1. The dogs barked loudly at the stranger. (Identify the plural noun)
2. He bought three interesting books. (Identify the countable noun)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ are going to the park later. (Choose the correct pronoun from the given:- She / They)
4. Snehal gave \_\_\_\_\_ a call last night. (Choose the correct pronoun from the given:- him / he)
5. This is the \_\_\_\_\_ movie I have ever seen. (Choose the correct word from the given:- worst / bad)
6. She wore a \_\_\_\_\_ scarf with her dress. (Choose the correct word from the given pair:- lovely / carefully)
7. The team performed \_\_\_\_\_ in the match. (Use appropriate word from the given:- well / good)
8. The ball rolled \_\_\_\_\_ down the hill. ( Use appropriate word from the given:- gently / gentle)

**B. Complete the following sentences using correct verb form from the given pair. [8]**

1. Each of the players \_\_\_\_\_ excited for the game. (is / are)



2. Neither the managers nor the employees \_\_\_\_\_ satisfied with the decision. (is / are)
3. A group of tourists \_\_\_\_\_ visiting the museum today. (is / are)
4. All of the water \_\_\_\_\_ evaporated from the pot. (have / has)
5. Either my brothers or my parents \_\_\_\_\_ picking me up from school. (is / are)
6. The committee \_\_\_\_\_ deciding on the new policy next week. (is / are)
7. A herd of elephants \_\_\_\_\_ crossing the river. (is / are)
8. None of the money \_\_\_\_\_ spent on unnecessary things. (was / were)

**Q3) A. Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct word from the given pair. [8]**

1. The plane flew \_\_\_\_\_ the clouds. (through / during)
2. They were standing \_\_\_\_\_ the entrance. (in front of / for)
3. The keys are \_\_\_\_\_ the drawer. (in / at)
4. She will meet us \_\_\_\_\_ lunch time. (at / while)
5. She bought \_\_\_\_\_ apple from the market. (an / the)
6. \_\_\_\_\_ moon is shining brightly tonight. (A / The)
7. I am reading \_\_\_\_\_ interesting book. (a / an)
8. I saw \_\_\_\_\_ elephant in the zoo yesterday. (an / a)

**B. Do as directed. [8]**

1. She is reading a book. (Identify the tense)
2. They visited their grandparents last week. (Identify the tense)
3. We have been working on this project for hours. (Identify the tense)
4. He will finish his homework by tomorrow. (Identify the tense)
5. The dogs (**bark**) at the strangers. (Write present continuous form of the verb given in the bracket)
6. We \_\_\_\_\_ not want to go to the party. (Fill in the correct auxiliary: do / does)
7. She (**study**) at the library every day after school. (Use simple present tense of the verb given in the bracket.)
8. They \_\_\_\_\_ watching TV when the power went out. (Fill in the appropriate auxiliary)

## End Of Question Paper

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