

# THE ASSAM VALLEY SCHOOL

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION:

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

FOR ADMISSION TO CLASS: 5

Time: 30 minutes

M.M: 25

**(TO BE FILLED IN BY THE CANDIDATE)**

Name .....

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Studying in class .....

Class in which admission is desired .....

Registration Number .....

Name of Centre .....

Date .....

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MARKS OBTAINED IN PERCENTAGE .....

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COMMENT OF THE CHAIR .....

### General Instructions

All questions are to be attempted. Separate answer sheets will be provided to write the answers. The time given at the head of this paper is the time allotted for writing the answers. The intended marks for questions or part of questions are given in the brackets [ ].

#### Question 1:

[6]

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow -

Next week I am on vacation. While I am on vacation, I will work on two projects. First, I will fix the washing machine. The washing machine has been broken for two weeks. To fix it, I will need three tools: a screwdriver, a wrench, and a clamp. It will take one day to fix the washing machine.

Next, I will fix our back porch. This is a bigger project. It will probably take about two days to fix the back porch, and will require a screwdriver, a hammer, nails, and a saw. My vacation starts on Monday. I have a lot of work to do, but hopefully I can relax after I finish my work.

1) Which of these tools will the author use more than once?

- A. a screwdriver
- B. a hammer
- C. a clamp
- D. a saw

2) As used in paragraph 3, what does 'require' mean?

- A. need
- B. use
- C. find
- D. buy



3) Which of the following tools does the author not need to fix the back porch?

- A. a screwdriver
- B. a wrench
- C. nails
- D. a saw

4) What is the earliest day that the author can finish both projects?

- A. Monday
- B. Wednesday
- C. Thursday
- D. Friday

5) According to the passage, fixing the back porch will take longer because

- A. the author really doesn't want to do it
- B. it has been broken longer
- C. it needs more tools
- D. it is a bigger project

6) The author of this passage can best be described as

- A. interesting
- B. lazy
- C. constructive
- D. intelligent

**Question 2:** [6]

Number the sentences in their correct order to make a story. Rewrite the correct sequence -

1. The rabbit skipped, hopped and jumped ahead.
2. Once a rabbit and a tortoise decided to have a race.
3. But Oh! the tortoise was there already!
4. The rabbit reached the finishing line.
5. The tortoise came slowly behind.
6. The tortoise at the finishing line was the other tortoise's brother.

**Question 3:** [5]

Underline the correct articles given within the brackets to complete the sentences. Crosscut both if none is needed -

1. Where is (a/the) heir to the throne?
2. We saw (an/a) eagle sitting on (a/an) pillar.
3. That is (a/the) shop I was looking for.
4. Do you take (a/the) sugar in your tea?
5. We organized (a/the) surprise party for our friend's birthday.

**Question 4:** [5]

Rewrite the following sentences in the tense given in brackets -

1. Romit went to watch a movie. (future tense)
2. The workers come to paint the house. (past tense)
3. Fazal played badminton in the park behind his house. (present tense)
4. Rahul will help Anu with her homework. (past tense)
5. Bharat plays football with his friends. (future tense)

**Question 5:**

[3]

Read about each person and fill in the blanks with the appropriate verbs given below -

like            helps            washes            reads            lend            smiles

1. Deepika is a friendly girl. She \_\_\_\_\_ at everyone.
2. My uncle is kind. He \_\_\_\_\_ all his friends.
3. Malini is a helpful girl. Her classmates \_\_\_\_\_ her.
4. Gopi is a clever boy. He \_\_\_\_\_ very fast.
5. My friend has healthy habits. She \_\_\_\_\_ her hands before eating.
6. Mr. Sharma is a miser. He doesn't \_\_\_\_\_ money to people.