



# DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL FIROZABAD

Half Yearly Examination – Term 1

Subject-English

Class-III

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## General Instructions:

1. Read the questions carefully and answer .
2. All questions are compulsory.
3. Marks for each question are written in appropriate place.

### Section- A

**Q.1. Read the passage carefully and choose the correct answer.**

**1x5=5**

It was Tanya's birthday on Saturday. Her friend Kavita, gave her a bouquet of flowers. Right in the centre of the bouquet there was an unusual flower, which was purple in colour. Tanya was attracted to it and she bent over close to smell it, when it appeared to punch her in the nose! Thanya was annoyed and thought that Kavita had played a trick on her. But Kavita too was amazed at what had happened and so they took it to the Botanical Garden and showed it to an expert there. The expert said that it was a special kind of flower called Cymbidium, which catches any insect that comes near it.

(i) When was Tanya's birthday?

- (a) On Monday                      (b) On Tuesday                      (c) On Thursday                      (d) On Sunday

(ii) What was her friend's name?

- (a) Nivedita                      (b) Savita                      (c) Kavita                      (d) Sarita

(iii) What gift did her friend, Kavita give to Tanya on her birthday?

- (a) a bouquet                      (b) a chocolate                      (c) a book                      (d) a toy

(iv) What did Tanya feel when she thought that Kavita had played a trick on her?

- (a) She was happy                      (b) She was angry                      (c) She was annoyed                      (d) She was sad

(v) What was the name of the special flower?

- (a) Lotus                      (b) Cymbidium                      (c) Rose                      (d) Sunflower

**Q.2. Read the lines carefully and choose the correct answer.**

**1x5=5**

The elephant surely is grand!

It's the largest creature on the land!

With jumbo-sized ears,

No wonder it hears

From miles where it may stand.

The elephant surely is great!

Over five tons in its weight!

With jumbo-sized feet,

Plus a mouth that can eat

More than 700 pounds on its plate.

(i) Who is surely grand?

- (a) mouse                                      (b) lion                                      (c) elephant                                      (d) tiger

(ii) Who is the largest creature on the land?

- (a) elephant                                      (b) tiger                                      (c) mouse                                      (d) lion

(iii) From where does it hear?

- (a) From miles where it may laugh                                      (b) From miles where it may sleep  
(c) From miles where it may dance                                      (d) From miles where it may stand

(iv) What is the size of his feet?

- (a) jumbo-sized                                      (b) rat-sized                                      (c) lion-sized                                      (d) tiger-sized

(v) How much food does it have on its plate?

- (a) more than 700 pounds                                      (b) 700 pounds  
(c) more than 700 pounds                                      (d) less than 100 pounds

### Section-B

**Q.3. (a) Match the following nouns with their plurals-**

**0.5x4=2**

(i)

Box

Man

Calf

Baby

(ii)

Men

Calves

Babies

Boxes

**(b) Tick the correct degree of comparison-**

**0.5x4=2**

(i) Shalini is the (smart / smarter / smartest) girl of the class.

(ii) A car is (small / smaller / smallest) than a truck.

(iii) This is a (big / bigger / biggest) room.

(iv) My book is (interesting / more interesting / most interesting) than your book.

**(c) Circle 'a' / 'an' or 'the' in each sentence.**

**1x2=2**

(i) (A / An / The) sun is (a / an / the) very big star.

(ii) We used (a / an / the) to cross (a / an / the) Indian Ocean.

**(d) Fill in the blanks with 'this', 'that', these' or 'those'.**

**0.5x4=2**

(i) \_\_\_\_\_ (This / That) pencil box there is mine.

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_ (These / Those) are my new friends over there.

(iii) \_\_\_\_\_ (This / That) girl sitting with me is my sister.

(iv) \_\_\_\_\_ (These / Those) are my uncles here.

**Q.4. Tick the correct verb for each sentence.**

**0.5x8=4**

(i) Some horses are (run / running) in the field.

(ii) I (clean / cleaning) my room every Sunday.

(iii) Dogs (bark / barking) at the strangers.

(iv) He is (coming / come) to meet you.

(v) I am (play / playing) football.

(vi) Raghav (helps / help) the needy always.

(vii) You are (read / reading) a story book.

(viii) He (go / goes) to library every week.

**Q.5. Write the correct pronoun for the underlined nouns.**

**0.5x6=3**

(i) Siddarth and I went camping. \_\_\_\_\_ (She / He) asked me to go with him.

(ii) My friends and I went to the baseball game. \_\_\_\_\_ (They / We) enjoyed the game a lot.

(iii) The teacher took us to the library. \_\_\_\_\_ (She / You) told us about many good books.

(iv) Sachin Tendulkar was a great cricketer. \_\_\_\_\_ (Him, He) was awarded with 'Bharat Ratna'.

(v) Aunt Sunita gave a story book to me. \_\_\_\_\_ (It / She) was very interesting.

(vi) Danish and Sunil are my best friends. \_\_\_\_\_ (He / They) are my classmates also.

**Section-C**

**Q.6. Answer the following questions-**

**1x5=5**

(a) Where did Chandrakant eat coconut barfi?

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(b) Who helped Williwu?

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(c) Where did Annalisa fall?

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(d) Who posted a sign on the gate of Toyland before Christmas Eve?

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(e) Who had been cheating villagers?

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**Q.7. Answer the following questions.**

**3x4=12**

(i) Did Williwu learn to be less shy? How do you know?

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(ii) Do you like the horseman? Why?

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(iii) Why was Little Pine Tree unhappy in the beginning of the story?



