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* Activity :- 1 *

Q:1 There are five Simple Sentences, three Compound Sentences and two Complex Sentences in the following Passage. Write, Simple, Compound or Complex.

1) Life is a bed of thorns.

Ans) Simple Sentences.

2) It is never a bed of roses.

Ans) Simple Sentences.

3) Man struggles hard to earn his living.

Ans) Simple Sentences.

4) He runs after money and wants to enjoy power.

Ans) Compound Sentences.

5) In the race for money and power he gets hurt.

Ans) Simple Sentences.

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6) Fears, worries and frustration hurt his mind.

Ans) Simple Sentences.

7) He becomes restless and loses peace of mind.

Ans) Compound Sentences.

8) He realises that money is not everything in life.

Ans) Complex Sentences.

9) It gives temporary satisfaction, but robs him of peace and happiness in life.

Ans) Compound Sentences.

10) What makes man happy is contentment.

Ans) Complex Sentences.

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* Activity - 2 *

Q.2 Separate the Subject from the Predicate in the following sentences.

1) He had no answer to my question.

Ans) Subject :- He;
Predicate :- had no answer to my question.

2) Serpents move very fast.

Ans) Subject :- Serpents;
predicate :- move very fast.

3) Constant illness compelled him to discontinue his study.

Ans) Subject :- Constant illness;
predicate :- compelled him to discontinue his study.

4) Gardening, Collecting Stamps, drawing pictures, making paintings, catching fish, taking photographs etc, are the examples of common hobbies.

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Ans) Subject:- Gardening, Collecting Stamps, drawing pictures, making paintings, catching fish, taking photographs etc;
Predicate:- are the example of common hobbies.

Q1) The temporary Sheds and Stalls for the Sellers in the market Collapsed in the recent rain.

Ans) Subject:- The temporary Sheds and Stalls for the Sellers in the market;
Predicate:- Collapsed in the recent rain.

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* Activity-3 *

Q: 3) The Sentence in the following passage are in the different patterns. Identify the pattern of each sentence and mention the pattern against the respective sentence.

1) I have read the Ramayana.

Ans) (Pattern-2) SVO

Explanation:- The sentence structure is Subject ("I"), verb ("have read"), and object ("The Ramayana")

2) Maharshi Valmiki wrote this famous epic.

Ans) (Pattern-2) SVO

Explanation:- The sentence structure is Subject ("Maharshi Valmiki"), verb ("wrote") object ("this famous epic")

3) It deals with the life and work of Lord Ramachandra.

Ans) (Pattern-1) SV

Explanation:- The sentence structure is Subject ("It") and verb ("deals"). The rest of the phrase is a prepositional phrase, not a direct

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object or Complement.

4) He was the Son of Dasaratha of Ayodhya.

Ans) (Pattern - 4) SVC

Explanation :- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("He"), verb ("was") and Complement ("the Son of Dasaratha of Ayodhya").
The Complement renames the Subject.

5) It also tells us the Story of Ravan, the demon king of Lanka.

Ans) (Pattern - 3) SVOO

Explanation :- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("It"), verb ("tells"), Indirect object ("us") and the Direct object ("the Story of Ravan, the demon king of Lanka").

6) People Called Ramachandra Purushottam.

Ans) (Pattern - 5) SUOC

Explanation :- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("People"), verb ("Called"), object ("Ramachandra") and object complement ("Purushottam").
The Complement describes the object.

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7) He was an incarnation of God.

Ans) (Pattern - 4) SVC

Explanation:- The sentence structure is Subject ("He"), verb ("was"), and complement ("an incarnation of God"). The complement renames the subject.

8) Ravan was a great politician.

Ans) (Pattern - 4) SVC

Explanation:- The sentence structure is Subject ("Ravan"), verb ("was"), and complement ("a great politician"). The complement renames the subject.

9) Ramachandra, his wife Sita and brother Laxman went to forest.

Ans) (Pattern - 2) SV

Explanation:- The sentence structure is subject ("Ramachandra, his wife Sita and brother Laxman") and verb ("went"). "To forest" is an adverbial phrase.

10) King Dasaratha died.

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Ans) (Pattern - 1) SV

Explanation:- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("King Dasaratha") and Verb ("died")

11) Bharat became the King of Ayodhya.

Ans) (Pattern - 4) SVC

Explanation:- The sentence structure is Subject ("Bharat"), verb ("became"), and complement ("the King of Ayodhya"). The complement renames the Subject.

12) But he suspected his elder brother Ramachandra.

Ans) (Pattern - 2) SVO

Explanation:- The sentence structure is Subject ("he"), Verb ("suspected") and object ("his elder brother Ramachandra")

13) He regarded him God.

Ans) (Pattern - 5) SUOC

Explanation:- The sentence structure is Subject ("He") Verb, ("regarded"), object ("him") and object complement ("God").

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14) Ravan is disguise kidnapped sita.

Ans) (Pattern - 2) SVO

Explanation:- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("Ravan is disguise"), verb ("kidnapped"), and object ("sita").

15) The bird Jatayu Saw.

Ans) (Pattern - 1) SV

Explanation:- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("The bird Jatayu") and verb ("Saw").

16) It gave the two grieving brothers this news.

Ans) (Pattern - 3) SVOO

Explanation:- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("It"), verb ("gave"), Indirect object ("the two grieving brothers"), and Direct object ("this news").

17) Ravan was very arrogant.

Ans) (Pattern - 4) SVC

Explanation:- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("Ravan"), verb ("was"), and Complement.

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("Very arrogant")

18) He did not listen to Ramachandra's request.

Ans) (Pattern - 1) SU

Explanation:- The Sentence structure is Subject ("He") and verb ("did not listen").
"To Ramachandra's request" is a prepositional phrase.

19) He did leave Sita.

Ans) (Pattern - 2) SVO

Explanation:- The Sentence structure is Subject ("He"), verb ("did leave"), and Object ("Sita").

20) Ramachandra invaded Lanka.

Ans) (Pattern - 2) SVO

Explanation:- The Sentence structure is Subject ("Ramachandra"), verb ("invaded") and object ("Lanka").

21) Bibhisan, Sugrub, Hanuman and their men helped Ramachandra.

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Ans) (Pattern - 2) SVO

Explanation:- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("Bibhisan, Sugrui, Hanuman and their men"), verb ("Helped"), and object ("Ramachandra").

22) Ramachandra killed Ravan and rescued Sita.

Ans) (Pattern - 2) SVO

Explanation:- The Sentence Structure is Subject ("Ramachandra"), verb ("killed" and "rescued"), and object ("Ravan and Sita").

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* Activity - 4 *

Q.4 Paragraph writing about Celebrated birthday
The Sentences in the Paragraph Should follow different Sentence patterns.

⇒ Last Sunday, I Celebrated my birthday in a simple but happy way. I woke up early in the morning and thanked God for another year of life. My parents wished me with Similes and blessings. They gave me a nice gift and made me feel special. I felt very excited and cheerful the whole day. In the afternoon, I helped my mother with some small work at home. In the evening, my friends came to my house. They brought me small gifts and wished me warmly. We cut the birthday cake together and shared it with everyone. My friends made the celebration memorable. Later we talked, laughed, and played some indoor games. At night, my family prepared my favourite dinner for me. The day became very special and meaningful. I will always remember this birthday as one of the happiest day of my life.

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* Activity - 5 *

Q:5 write a letter to friend about visit to a historical place.

=> Dear friend
Alicia,

How are you doing? Hope you and your family are well. I had an amazing trip to a historical place last week and wanted to tell you about it.

I visited the famous Sidi Saiyyad Jali, the heart of Ahmedabad. What a magnificent piece of architecture it is! The intricate stone lattice work is simply breathtaking! Did you know it is one of the most famous landmarks in the city? The Jali is made of stone, but it looks so delicate, like fine lace. The "tree of life" motif is incredible. Please search for pictures online if you haven't seen it. We should not miss this place next time you are here. It was a truly memorable experience.

Looking forward to hearing from you soon.

your loving
Sara