

**I. Rearrange the jumbled words to form meaningful sentences:**

- (a) wear / these / people / a majority / of / days / a watch
- (b) time / it / in / measures / seconds / and / hours / minutes
- (c) shapes / different / a wristwatch / sizes / and / is available / it
- (d) like / digital / while / prefer / wristwatches / mechanical ones / others / some people

**II. What is a clause? Give example.**

Ans: A group of words that contains a subject and a verb and is a part of a sentence is called a clause. Types: Independent (main) clause, dependent (subordinate) clause

Ex. Independent clause- "The cat is sleeping."

Dependent clause – The cat is sleeping **because** it is tired.

**III. What is a phrase? Give example.**

Ans: A group of words that does not have subject and a verb together and does not convey complete sense independently is called a phrase.

Eg. "the big red ball," "in the park," "running quickly"

**IV. Identify whether the underlined groups of words are phrases or clauses:**

- a. The bright red ball bounced directly into a muddy puddle.
- b. There is an unidentified vehicle in front of our house.
- c. I did not bring my umbrella as I forgot.
- d. Anu and Teena were playing in the park.

**ANSWERS:**

- (a) A majority of people wear a watch these days.
- (b) It measures time in hours, minutes and seconds.
- (c) A wristwatch is available in different shapes and sizes.
- (d) Some people like digital wristwatches while others prefer mechanical ones.

IV. a. Phrase b. phrase c. clause d. phrase

**V. Write a paragraph on 'SAVE WATER' OR 'IMPORTANCE OF DISCIPLINE' in about 100 – 120 words:**

Water is the most important natural resource. It is a necessary component of all life on earth, whether human life, plants, animals, or any living being. No living organism can ever survive without water. Water is also required for agricultural and industrial activities, other than for routine tasks. Today, we are unaware of the dangers posed by water wastage. We make only a feeble attempt to conserve water. Water is wasted in social gatherings, programmes, and celebrations. Every day, we waste water in our homes as well. We have this habit of leaving the tap open while brushing, washing, bathing, etc. So, significant actions must be taken to conserve water.