

Check your Progress 1

- A. Subject Predicate**
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| 1. Rehana | is going to sing at the concert tonight. |
| 2. The doctor | charges rupees two thousand for a home visit. |
| 3. We | need to think of a new plan. |
| 5. My friends and I | are organizing a party for our teachers. |
| 6. Lights and fans | work on electricity. |
| 7. We | use the microwave oven for heating food. |
| 8. Modern Lightweight | furniture is not built to last. |
| 9. The shop | is closed for renovation. |
| 10. His hands | are rough from working in the fields. |
- B.**
1. What a sweet voice she has!
 2. Is anyone about in the middle of the night?
 3. Please tell me what is the time?
 4. Does she wash her hair every day?
 5. How boring is it to read the same book twice?
 6. All the assignments should be submitted by tomorrow afternoon.
 7. We are having an awful weather.
 8. Does he know the way?
 9. Ah! I would never eat burgers or pizza for breakfast
 10. Please fill up petrol in the car this evening.
- C.**
1. The storm rocked the ship violently.
 2. The artist worked painstakingly at his masterpiece.
 3. My father was offered a free gift by the company.
 4. I had heard that the burglar had been caught.
 5. Cricket began making their piercing calls at nightfall.
 6. He wore a hat made of coconut fibre on his head.
 7. Coffee is very popular in many parts of the world.
 8. They could not explore the cave without the torch.
 9. The house was damaged during the storm.
 10. Sunil himself sat talking next to the dog.
- D.**
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| 1. clause | 2. clause | 3. phrase | 4. clause | 5. phrase | 6. clause |
| 7. phrase | 8. phrase | 9. phrase | 10. phrase | | |

Chapter 4: Nouns

- A. 1. bicycles 2. Entrance; visitors 3. oranges; rupees
4. hand; machine 5. three years 6. devices
- B. 1. June 2. Indians 3. Minister of Education
4. Sachin; Mumbai; Indians 5. Saina; London Olympics
- C. J. K. Rowling, the famous author, has just completed her latest novel.
Her many fans will be delighted by this latest edition and her publishers, distributors,
as well as numerous booksellers are looking forward to massive sale.
- D. 1. Material Noun 2. Material Adjective 3. Material Noun
4. Material Adjective 5. Material Noun 6. Material Noun
7. Material Adjective 8. Material Adjective
- E. 1. Herd 2. team 3. squad 4. fleet 5. pod 6. swarms
- F. 1. a class of students 2. a regiment of soldiers
3. a team of athletes 4. a cluster of stars
5. a choir of singers 6. a faculty of teachers
7. a board of directors 8. a pack of wolves
9. an association of homeowners 10. a union of employees
- G. 1. ambition; humanity 2. progress; peace
3. Charity 4. Liberty; equality; justice
5. Tolerance; acceptance 6. ideas
7. Necessity; invention 8. joy
- H. 1. Cruelty 2. safety 3. pleasure
4. Poverty 5. pilgrimage 6. wastage
7. kindness 8. knowledge
- I. Justice; Peace; Anger; Faith; Brilliance; Compassion

Chapter 5: Noun- Numbers

- A.**
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| 1. book - books | 2. bus - buses | 3. window - windows |
| 4. gas - gases | 5. train - trains | 6. brush - brushes |
| 7. boy - boys | 8. glass - glasses | 9. kite - kites |
| 10. watch - watches | 11. dish - dishes | 12. bottle - bottles |
| 13. fox - foxes | 14. princess - princesses | |
| 15. bench - benches | 16. tax - taxes | |
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| 1. cargo - cargoes | 2. hero - heroes | 3. banjo - banjos |
| 4. radio - radio | 5. domino - dominos | 6. piano - pianos |
| 7. potato - potatoes | 8. volcano - volcanoes | 9. studio - studios |
| 10. video - videos | | |

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- C.**
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|------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1. army - armies | 2. city - cities | 3. diary - diaries |
| 4. donkey - donkeys | 5. valley - valleys | 6. tray - trays |
| 7. family - families | 8. jelly - jellies | 9. key - keys |
| 10. trolley - trollies | | |
- D.**
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|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. calf - calves | 2. chief - chiefs | 3. life - lives/ lifes |
| 4. shelf - shelves/ shelves | | 5. thief - thieves/ thieves |
| 6. knife - knives | 7. hoof - hooves | 8. loaf - loaves/ loafs |
| 9. roof - roofs/ rooves | 10. half - halves/ halves | |
- E.**
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|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. foot - feet | 2. tooth - teeth | 3. mouse - mice |
| 4. goose - geese | 5. cactus - cacti | 6. person - people |
| 7. Woman - women | 8. Child - children | 9. Syllabus - syllabi |
| 10. Fungus - fungia | | |
- F.**
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| 1. series - series | 2. appendix - appendices |
| 3. offspring - offspring | 4. datum - data |
| 5. specimen - specimen | 6. curriculum - Curricula |
| 7. fruit - fruits | 8. lady-in-waiting - ladies-in-waiting |
| 9. Antenna - antennae | 10. Species - species |
| 11. Nucleus - nuclei | |
| 12. commander-in-chief - commanders-in-chief | |
| 13. Criterion - criteria | 14. Formula - formulae |
- G.**
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| 1. goods | 2. clothes | 3. refreshments |
| 4. holidays | 5. expenses | 6. channels |
| 7. belongings | 8. sights | 9. feelings |
| | | 10. rights |

H.

Countable Nouns	Plural
man	men
cart	carts
donkey	donkeys
dog	dogs
mouse	mice
eye	eyes
jaw	jaws
interview	interviews
marketplace	marketplaces

Countable Nouns	Plural
child	children
back	backs
experiment	experiments
group	groups
hour	hours
service	services
glass	glasses
knapsack	knapsacks
article	articles

Note: 'head over heels' and 'in the bargain' are idiomatic expressions and the nouns should not be treated independently of the expression

Chapter 6: Nouns: Gender

- A.**
- | Common noun | Feminine gender | Masculine gender |
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| 1. child | girl | boy |
| 2. person | woman | man |
| 3. parent | mother | father |
| 4. sibling | sister | brother |
| 5. ruler | queen | king |
| 6. horse | mare | stallion |
| 7. sheep | ewe | buck |
| 8. deer | doe | stag |
| 9. rabbit | doe | buck |
| 10. pigeon | hen | cock |
- B.**
1. Mr Gupta became a widower a few months after his wedding.
 2. The priestess blessed the queen on her ascending to the throne.
 3. The hero of the film had a pet tigress.
 4. The successful sportswomen were felicitated by the chairman.
 5. The bride arrived riding on a stallion.
 6. My uncle says I am her favourite niece.
 7. A rogue bull elephant attacked some tourists in the forest.
 8. Buck rabbits make good pets as they are gentle.
- C.**
2. My cousin works as a steward with a reputed airline.
 3. It's a police officer's duty to always stay alert.
 4. As automaton increases, human resource employed in industries is decreasing.
 5. Gautama Buddha gave up a life of luxury to serve humanity.
 6. 'A Brief History of Time' is a scientific book written for the layperson.
 7. Post officer has stopped delivering letters daily.
 8. The principal teaches only the senior classes.

Chapter 7: Articles

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| 1. an | 2. a | 3. a; a | 4. a | 5. An; a |
| 6. An; a | 7. A | 8. a | 9. A | 10. a |

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| the; | a; | the | | | |
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| the; | the; | ✕; | ✕ | | |

- E.** Which Australian mammal can leap twenty-five foot in one hop and move at thirty-five miles an hour? It is a red kangaroo, the world's largest marsupial.
- What is a marsupial? It is a species of mammal of which a female has a pouch on its stomach for carrying, feeding and protecting its child. A newborn kangaroo is tiny—under an inch long. After a few months of sleeping, nursing and growing in its mother's pouch, a young kangaroo begins to come out. But it hurries back to the pouch when it is frightened, hungry or cold.
- Eventually, the kangaroo gets too big for the pouch and it is ready to come out.

Chapter 8: Pronoun

- A.** 1. She; her 2. me; I; I; it; He 3. She; he; She; him; he; it
4. She; you; you; She; me; you; I; I; it 5. We; us; us; us; we; you
- B.** 2. The black Labrador called Hira is his.
3. Is that book yours? May I borrow it?
4. This parcel is not ours. Please take it back.
5. The new black car is theirs.
6. Those sketch pens are mine. Please return them.
7. These math papers are yours. All of you have passed.
- C.** I went to the canteen. I asked for a bowl of tomato soup, a cheese sandwich and a packet of chips. I also took a chocolate pudding. After I had paid for the food, I put all the food on a tray and walked to the table where my friends were sitting. But I didn't make it! I had left her bag on the floor and I tripped over it. As I tried to regain my balance, the tray went flying. My friends screamed as they were splattered with hot soup. Worst of all, the chocolate pudding fell on the new student's lap. She stood up and glared at me. "You careless girl!" she said. "Look at my uniform. It's a mess. How can I wear it for the rest of the day?"

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| Line 2: him; he | Mr. Hiram B. Otis; Mr. Hiram B. Otis |
| Line 5: his; they | Lord Canterville; Lord Canterville, Mr. Hiram B. Otis |
| Line 7: We | Lord Canterville; Mr. Hiram B. Otis |
| Line 8: my | Lord Canterville |
| Line 9: she | the Dowager Duchess of Bolton |
| Line 10: her; she | the Dowager Duchess of Bolton; the Dowager Duchess of Bolton |
| Line 11: I; you | Lord Canterville; Mr. Hiram B. Otis |
| Line 14: us | Lord Canterville; the Dowager Duchess of Bolton |
- E.** 1. This is our house. We moved here in 2008.
2. They dream of being famous. But, they haven't decided which field they will specialize in.
3. All of this stationery is mine. I love buying stationery whether I need it or not.
4. Did he/she send a follow-up email to all the invitees?
5. The men were acting strange. That is why the police has detained them and are searching their briefcase.
6. I prefer coffee and tea without milk though I take sugar in my coffee but not in my tea.
- F.**
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| 1. Demonstrative Adjective | 2. Demonstrative Pronoun |
| 3. Demonstrative Adjective | 4. Demonstrative Pronoun |
| 5. Demonstrative Pronoun | 6. Demonstrative Pronoun |
| 7. Demonstrative Adjective | 8. Demonstrative Pronoun |