



# ENGLISH

## BOOKS - X BOARDS

### QUESTION PAPER 2022 TERM 1 SET 1

#### Section A Reading

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England (or Britain) turn by turn came under the rule of:

A. Saxons : Romans: Normans

B. Normans: Saxons: Romans

C. Romans : Saxons, Normans

D. Normans: Romans: Saxons

**Answer:**



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The article describes:

A. The development of the system of justice in England

B. Civilized societies and justice

C. Justice v/s Civilisation

D. Rule of Justice in England

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Study the following statements :

(A) Romans were proud of their judicial system.

(B) There is not much difference between the Norman and modern system of justice.

A. (A) is right and (B) is wrong

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C. Both (A) and (B) are right

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# Match the following:

- (A) Romans    i. A priest to swear for the accused  
(B) Saxons    ii. Highly paid lawyer who can win a case  
(C) Modern    iii. Educated Jews and lawyers  
(D) Normans    iv. The winner in a battle declared innocent

A.  $A \rightarrow iv, B \rightarrow ii, C \rightarrow i, D \rightarrow iii$

B.  $A \rightarrow iii, B \rightarrow i, C \rightarrow ii, D \rightarrow iv$

C.  $A \rightarrow i, B \rightarrow iii, C \rightarrow iv, D \rightarrow ii$

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(B) God helped the innocent win the battle.

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Study the following statements :

(A) Saxon system of trial was nobler than that of the Romans.

(B) Saxon system had two aspects - rough and noble.

( C) The rich Saxons could hire champions to

argue their case.

(D) Even an innocent person would be held guilty if enough people did not swear for him.

The following are correct:

A. (A) and (B)

B. (B) and (C)

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Study the following statements :

(A) Earlier England comprised small villages each with a small population.

(B) Crimes like cheating and fraud were rare.



A. (A) is an assertion and (B) is the response

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C. Both (A) and (B) are unrelated assertions

D. Both (A) and (B) are response to some other assertions

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Which of the following statements are true?

The rich have always enjoyed an advantage in the judicial system because

(A) they were physically strong, so would win the trial by fighting.

(B) they could hire the strongest champion.

( C) they can hire the best lawyers.

(D) they could persuade the priest to swear on their behalf.

A. (A) and (B)

B. (B) and ( C)

C. ( C) and (D)

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Which of the following statements are not true ?

(A) In the quest for justice the guilty often went unpunished.

(B) For seven hundred years from the sixth century trial was mostly rough.

( C ) Swearing value of a priest was equal to a dozen ordinary peasants.

(D) Use of champions in a trial by battle finds an equivalent in the modern times.

A. (A) and ( C )

B. (B) and ( C )

C. ( C ) and (D)

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'Glimmering' in the above expression has been used as a metaphor.

Glimmering stands for

A. a slight suggestion

B. a great hope

C. some fear

D. a little confidence

**Answer:**



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that has ranked the most vulnerable species. the research has found that the species killed most often were not necessarily the endangered species . This means action to preserve wildlife when new roads are built risks being targeted at the wrong species based on current methods. Roads densities in Europe are among the world's highest, with 50% of the continent within 1.5 km of a paved road or railway. Roads are therefore a significant threat to wildlife , the evidence shows deaths on them could even cause some species to disappear completely.

Despite this , the long-term protection of species is not currently considered when assessing the impact of new roads on wildlife , meaning we risk giving support to only the endangered species , doing nothing to help those most at risk . A better understanding of which species are most vulnerable to roads is therefore important if we are to take a more effective action of protection.

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which mature at an early age were most likely to be killed on roads. Nocturnal mammals and bird with a diet of plants and seeds were also shown to have higher death rates.

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Study the following statements :

(A) Roads are killer for animals.

(B) Both birds and mammals are killed on roads.

(C) Species most killed are necessarily the endangered ones.

A. (A) is correct and (B) is false

B. (B) is correct and (C) is false

C. (A) and (B) both are correct

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(A) Roads have covered 50% of land in Europe .

(B) Road traffic causes a great risk to wild life.

(C ) Some species can survive all kinds of traffic on roads .

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B. (B) is correct and (C ) is false

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(a) While planning roads we should see which species to protect.

(b) We are doing a lot to protect those most at risk.

(c) '50% of Europe is covered only with roads.

(d) 'Small animals even with low population density are most at risk



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(a) 'More mammals than birds are killed on the roads.

(b) Small animals generally keep away from roads.

(c) Number of road kills depends upon the population density of small animals.

(d) Animals that come out only at night are saved.



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(A) The surveys ranked the road-kill rate of birds and mammal.

(B) The finding puts grouse and squirrel at great risk.

A. (A) is an assertion and (B) is the response.

B. (B) is an assertion and (A) is the response.

C. Both (A) and (B) are false.

D. Both (A) and (B) are unrelated to each other.

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Hazel grouse and ground squirrel are classified as species of least concern.

The statement is :

- A. a logical conclusion
- B. a piece of good news
- C. ironical
- D. a pleasant surprise

**Answer:**



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The title of the study should be

- A. A Birds and Mammals survey
- B. Road kills
- C. Road density in Europe
- D. Need for conservation

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The purpose of the study is

- A. how to prevent road- kills
- B. to see who is more at risk on the roads
- C. how to plan better roads
- D. to estimate the number of road accident victims

**Answer:**



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## Section B Grammar And Writing Grammar

1. I don't see why you \_\_\_\_\_ borrow his cycle. You have one of your own.

A. should

B. could

C. may

D. might

**Answer:**



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2. My family \_\_\_\_\_ in Chennai for five years now.

A. has lived

B. has been living

C. had lived

D. lived

**Answer:**



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3. \_\_\_\_\_ the letter arrive in your absence ,  
would you like me to forward it to you ?

A. If

B. Could

C. Should

D. Might

**Answer:**



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4. If he came late he \_\_\_\_\_ he punished

A. will

B. shall

C. Should

D. would



**Answer:**



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5. By the time we reach the school the bell

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A. will be ringing

B. will have rung

C. would have been ringing

D. would have rung

**Answer:**



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6. Three months ago I \_\_\_\_\_ a student of this school.

A. was

B. had been

C. have been

D. could be

**Answer:**



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## Section B Grammar And Writing Writing

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letter of complaint , of course , for wider audience/readership .

The letter will be addressed to :

- A. The Sanitary Inspector
- B. The Municipal Commissioner
- C. State Minister of Health
- D. Editor of a local newspaper

**Answer:**



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Subject of the letter should be

A. Problems caused to pedestrians

B. Inconvenience caused by the next door workshop

C. Insanitary conditions at the colony gate

D. A health hazard

**Answer:**



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Arun decides to write this letter as :

- A. he has a personal problem with the owner of the workshop
- B. a matter of social concern
- C. he intends to contest the next municipal election.

D. he is very health conscious

**Answer:**



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He will arrange the contents of the letter in this way :

A. noisy surroundings

B. action requested

C. garbage littered .

D. public inconvenience

E. the health hazard

F. location of the workshop .

A. B,A,C,E,D,F

B. F,D,A,C,E,B

C. A,C,E,B,D,F

D. F,C,E,D,A,B

**Answer:**



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What kind of action would Arun suggest ?

- A. Fine to be imposed on the workshop
- B. Notice on lack of cleanliness to be issued
- C. Workshop to be shifted
- D. Periodic visits of the Health Inspector

**Answer:**



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The correct closing of the letter should be :

A. Your's faithfully

B. Yours faithfully

C. Yours truly

D. Your's truly

**Answer:**



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## Section C Literature

1. Read the extract given below and attempt the questions / complete the statements that

follows :

As for Maddie , this business of asking Wanda every day , how many dresses and how many hats , and how many this and that she had as bothering her . Maddie was poor herself . She usually wore somebody's hand-me - down clothes. Thank goodness , she didn't live up on Boggins Heights or have a funny name.

Maddie was

A. afraid of Peggy

B. as much fun loving as Peggy

C. a kind soul and poor

D. in love with Wanda

**Answer:**



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(A) Maddie was sympathetic towards Wanda .

(b) Maddie didn't like Peggy .

A. (A) is true and (B) is false

B. (B) is true and (A) is false

C. Both (A) and (B) are true

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(A) Maddie joined Peggy in making fun of Wanda

(B) Maddie's parents were poor.

A. (A) is the cause and (B) is the effect

B. (B) is the cause and (A) is the effect

C. Both are contradictory

D. (A) shows the cruel nature of Maddie

**Answer:**



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'Boggins Heights' is significant in the story as

A. it is a poor neighbourhood

B. it is the capital city

C. Maddie did not live there

D. it is a rich colony

**Answer:**



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Maddie was

- A. poor and proud
- B. poor, so sympathetic
- C. poor and sympathetic
- D. timid, so fun loving

**Answer:**



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6. The moment the letter fell into the mailbox the postmaster went to open it. It said : "God : of the money that I asked for , only seventy pesos reached me . Send me the rest , since I need it very much. But don't send it to me through the mail because the post office employees are a bunch of crooks . Lencho. "

Lencho wrote the second letter as he was :

(A) unhappy , (B)curious

(C ) hopeful

(D) thoughtful

(E )confident

A. (A) , (C ) and (E )

B. (A) , (B ) and ( C )

C. (B) , (E ) and (A)

D. (C ) , (D) and (E )

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The postmaster opened the letter expecting it to :

(A) be full of thanks to God

(B )show his happiness



(C )be full of anguish for getting less money

(D )be accusing God of being miserly.

A. (C ) and (D)

B. (A) and (B)

C. (A ) and (D)

D. (D) and (B)

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On reading the letter the postmaster was

A. surprised

B. dismayed

C. pleased

D. puzzled

**Answer:**



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'the post office employees are a bunch of crooks' The statement is :

A. thoughtful

B. sad

C. dismissive

D. ironic

**Answer:**



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Find the suitable word from the extract to complete the following :

sanctioned : approved : : demanded :

\_\_\_\_\_

A. fell

B. reached

C. went

D. asked

**Answer:**



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**11.** Read the stanzas given below and answer the questions/complete the statement that follow :

He should be snarling around houses

At the jungle's edge

Baring his white fangs , his claws ,

Terrorizing the village !

But he's locked in a concrete cell.

His strength behind bars,

Stalking the length of his cage .

Ignoring visitors.

Study the following statements :

(A) The villagers don't feel happy that the tiger is caged .

(B) We feel said that the tiger is caged

(C) The tiger is happy that he doesn't have to hunt for his food.

A. (A) is right and (B) is wrong

B. (B) is right and (A) is wrong

C. (C) is right and (A) is wrong

D. (A) is wrong and (C) is right

**Answer:**



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Study the following statements :

We should protect the tigers de :

A. they are majestic to look at

B. they attract visitors to the zoo.

C. they are ferocious

D. they are part of our environment.

**Answer:**



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Study the following statements :

The tiger terrorizes the villagers as:

A. by killing their cattle.

B. as he does not like to be hunted.

C. as they have cleared his habitat

D. as he has got tired of being in the forest

**Answer:**



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Study the following statements :

'A tiger in the zoo ignoring visitors' is an example of

A. Metaphor

B. Simile

C. Irony

## D. Personification

**Answer:**



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Study the following statements :

The tiger is reacting to his imprisonment in the zoo by:

A. quietly walking in the cage

B. showing his anger openly

C. stalking in the cage

D. ignoring visitors

**Answer:**



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**16.** He escaped easily enough from the boys who followed his footprints in London. But his adventures were by no means over. He had chosen a bad time of the year to wander about London without clothes. It was midwinter. The air was bitterly cold and he



could not do without clothes. Instead of walking about the streets, he decided to slip into a big London store for warmth.

The greatest problem for the invisible man was that:

- A. being invisible he could do nothing
- B. he could not buy clothes to wear.
- C. he was hungry but could not buy food
- D. without clothes he was feeling cold.

**Answer:**



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He could escape from the boys as

A. the boys were careless

B. the boys too felt cold in the winter  
night.

C. the invisible man was cleverer than the  
boys

D. he went along a street where there was  
no mud.

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(A) It was stupid on his part to come out on a winter night

(B) He was not completely stupid, though.

A. (A) is right and (B) is wrong.

B. (B) is right and (A) is wrong.

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After getting rid of the boys the invisible man felt:

A. relieved

B. partly relieved

C. anguished

D. comfortable

**Answer:**



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The phrase 'slip into' means the same as :

- A. fall into
- B. enter quietly
- C. enter boldly
- D. move out

**Answer:**



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21. Has given my heart

A change of mood (Dust of Snow)

What is the poet's mood now?

A. Appreciative of nature

B. Thoughtful

C. Happy

D. Cool

**Answer:**



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22. 'Paper has more patience than people'

(Anne Frank)

Which of the following is not true?

A. One can write anything on paper

B. People have good cars for listening

C. One can write one's diary even at night

D. One may express one's anger on paper

**Answer:**



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**23.** In life , every man has twin obligations.'

The twin obligations' are. (Nelson Mandela)

A. first to his community and the second to  
his country

B. first to his family and the second to this  
country .

C. first to his country and the second to his  
parents

D. first to his community and the second to his family.

**Answer:**



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**24.** He had in fact seen his older brother catch his first herring and devour it. (His First Flight)  
how did 'he' feel?

- A. Angry
- B. Greedy
- C. Jealous
- D. Hungry

A. A and B

B. B and C

C. C and D

D. D and A

**Answer:**



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**25. Mr. Keating was annoyed with Anne as :**

A. she was weak in maths

B. she had not done her home work .

C. she was a naughty girl

D. she was very talkative.

**Answer:**



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**26.** The loss of possessiona should make one

feel : (The Ball Poem).

A. angry

B. responsible

C. sad

D. careless

**Answer:**



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27. The Black Aeroplane is a/an \_\_\_\_\_ story.

A. ghost

B. adventure

C. mystery

D. true

**Answer:**



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**28.** For Tricky's present condition :

A. Both Mrs. Pumphrey and Tricky are to blame.

B. Only Tricky is to blame.

A. (A) is right and (B) is wrong.



B. (B) is right and (A) is wrong

C. Both (A) and (B) are right.

D. Both (A) and (B) are wrong.

**Answer:**



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**29.** It was quite pleasant working for Anil as

A. he was quite rich

B. he never complained.

C. he was a very simple person.

D. he could be easily fooled.

**Answer:**



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**30.** Griffin became a homeless wanderer

because he :

A. was an eccentric scientist.

B. was very greedy.

C. had to go without clothes.

D. had set fire to his landlord's house

**Answer:**



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