

Essentials of English Grammar and Composition Book 2

1. The Sentence

B. The sentences are : 3, 6, 9.

C. 2. Ajay is reading an interesting book. 3. washing 4. cow
5. sitting 6. kitchen 7. Penguins 8. soft, green
(Other suitable adjectives are also acceptable)

2. Questions and Statements

B. 1. . 2. ? 3. . 4. . 5. ?
6. ? 7. . 8. . 9. ? 10. ?

3. Jumbled Sentences

B. 1. Salma is a cheerful girl.
2. She is looking cute in this colourful dress.
3. The dog jumped into the river.
4. There is an empty jug on the table.
5. What is the name of your class teacher?
6. Karan is riding his bicycle.
7. Where is your water bottle?

4. Naming Words

B. *Persons* 1. boy 2. king 3. queen 4. Uncle 5. Grandmother
Animals/Birds 1. horses 2. sheep 3. cows 4. dog 5. mouse
Places 1. lake 2. forest 3. village 4. kennel 5. school
Things 1. stones 2. wool 3. milk 4. bread 5. tails

C. 1. man, beard, owls, pigeons, dove, sparrows, nests.
2. sparrow, nest, tree, garden, house, food, window, kitchen, rice, bread.
3. bear, jungle, hills, brother, sister, friend, friend, monkey, bear, honey, monkey, peanuts.

D. girl, rabbit, waistcoat, watch, hole, Alice, door.

5. Special Names

B. *Common names* 1. wall 2. helmet 3. uncle 4. house 5. fruit
6. month 7. doctor 8. helicopter 9. ship 10. bird
Special names 1. Moscow 2. Bhutan 3. Narmada 4. Manya 5. Easter
6. Rajasthan 7. Saurav 8. March 9. Monday 10. Honda

C. 1. Friday 2. Gita 3. Chennai 4. Yamuna 5. April
6. Diwali 7. France 8. India 9. Agra

6. One and More than One

C. 1. walls 2. bushes 3. tomatoes 4. monkeys 5. watches
6. kites 7. classes 8. nurses 9. boxes 10. branches

- D. 2. leaves 3. thieves 4. loaves 5. wolves
E. 2. ladies 3. lilies 4. fairies 5. stories
G. basket, vegetables, tomatoes, potatoes, brinjals, basket, mangoes, oranges, packets, brush, clothes, shop, things. (The word *basket* is used twice.)

7. 's

- B. 1. postman's 2. father's 3. baby's 4. Mala's
5. Shaarav's 6. butterfly's 7. teacher's 8. dancer's
9. monkey's 10. elephant's 11. dog's 12. Santa's

8. Describing Words

- B. 1. strong 2. happy 3. tall 4. tired
5. easy 6. round 7. long
- C. Para 1. sunny, little, thick, woolly, hot, shady, white, black.
Para 2. tiny, angry.
Para 3. big.
Para 4. cool, happy.
- D. 1. wise, Birbal 2. juicy, apples 3. dark, night 4. difficult, question
5. deep, water 6. large, city 7. young, children 8. tasty, food
9. hot, milk 10. grand, party 11. sharp, knife 12. honest, shopkeeper
- E. 1. strong 2. dry 3. narrow 4. foolish 5. bright
6. costly 7. lazy 8. sad 9. rich 10. soft

9. Comparisons

- B. 1. bigger 2. longer 3. fatter 4. older 5. thicker
6. higher 7. heavier 8. faster 9. longer 10. longer
- C. 1. taller 2. hotter 3. deeper 4. faster 5. more interesting
6. cleaner 7. smaller 8. more colourful

Review 1

- A. 1. Madhu wanted a pet for herself.
2. She was keen to adopt a tiger.
3. She liked the black stripes on the tiger's body.
4. We cannot adopt tigers as pets.
5. We mostly see them in a zoo or in wildlife parks.
6. The shopkeeper gave Madhu a kitten named Tiger.
7. Madhu was happy to get this pet.
- B. 1. juicy 2. hear 3. dry 4. and 5. climb
- C. Left for the students.
- D. 1. children 2. monkeys 3. loaves 4. women 5. benches
6. stories
- E. 1. Geeta's dolls 2. Our principal's house 3. Sania's water bottle
4. The pilot's uniform
- F. Para 1. snowy, old, deep, white, clean, happy.
Para 2. huge, fresh, long, anxious.
- G. 1. bigger 2. sharper 3. more popular 4. larger 5. lazier

10. My, Our, Your, His, Her, Its, Their

- B.** 1. her 2. their 3. your 4. his 5. my
6. your 7. our 8. Its 9. their 10. Its
- C.** 1. their 2. your 3. my 4. her 5. his
6. our 7. Its

11. A, An, The

- B.** Row 1. a, an, a, an Row 2. a, a, a, an
Row 3. a, an, an, a Row 4. a, an, a, an
- D.** 1. a, The 2. an, The, a 3. A, A, the 4. The, the
5. The 6. The, a
- E.** 1. An, a, a, the, a, The, the, the. 2. a, a, an, a, the, a, The.
3. a, an, the, the, The.

12. I, We, You, He, She, It, They

- A.** 1. I 2. You 3. We 4. She
5. He 6. It 7. They
- B.** 1. She, She 2. They, They 3. It, It 4. We, We
5. I, I 6. He, He 7. you, You
- C.** 1. you, I, You 2. They, It, I, We 3. He, She, I, We, I, It, You, I, They

13. Me, Us, You, Him, Her, It, Them

- A.** 1. me 2. us 3. you 4. him
5. her 6. it 7. them
- B.** 1. you 2. him 3. it, it 4. her, her
5. me, me 6. them, them 7. us, us

14. Doing Words

- A.** 1. lay 2. fight 3. fly 4. grow
5. live 6. sail 7. wear
- B.** 1. rises 2. spread 3. rains 4. carried
5. makes 6. played 7. eat 8. swept
- C.** goes, drives, runs, helps, works, likes

15. Is, Are, Am

- B.** 1. am, am 2. is, is 3. are 4. are
5. are, am 6. is, is 7. are 8. is, is, am
- C.** 1. am, are, is 2. are, is, are, is, is, is 3. am, are, am, Are, are

16. Was, Were

- B.** 1. was 2. was 3. were 4. was 5. were
6. were 7. was 8. was 9. were 10. was
- C.** 1. are, was, are, am 2. are, am, was, was, was
3. is, is, was, was, are, were, Are, are, are

26. Understanding Words

- A.** (a) 1. There, their 2. here, hear 3. maid, made, 4. blue, blew
 5. steel, steal 6. weak, week 7. one, won
- (b) 1. dear 2. right 3. too 4. buy
 5. wait 6. throne 7. sail
- B.** 1. big, large 2. glad, happy 3. tidy, clean 4. tiny, small
 5. start, begin 6. right, correct 7. finish, complete 8. stupid, foolish
- C.** (a) *Across* 3. strong 4. shallow 6. stale 8. early
 Down 1. cruel 2. ugly 5. heavy 7. empty
- (b) 1. wrong 2. blunt 3. easy 4. short 5. useless
 6. few 7. soft 8. shut 9. old 10. last
 11. poor
- D.** 2. ear, eat, rat, art, at, ate, tea, hear, heat, tear, the.
 3. eat, ate, tea, hat, her, the, wheat, what, we, wet, war, water, rat, there, tear,
 tree, wear, where, here, hear, heat, hate.
 4. or, out, put, pure, come, true, met, cure, top, pot, cot, cut, mute, rope, pore, pour,
 cute.
 5. eat, ate, tea, at, mat, an, rat, met, meat, sea, seat, as, team, steam, master,
 same, tame, me, tram.
 6. eat, ate, tea, her, heat, rat, hat, each, reach, teach, chat, cheat, ace, ache, here,
 hear, cheer.
- E.** 2. row, own 3. all, ball 4. old, gold, den 5. add, dress
 6. fat, her, the
- F.** 1. key, knee 2. late, eight 3. said, head 4. fair, there
 5. here, near 6. seat, meet 7. write, bright 8. such, touch
- G.** 1. climb 2. comb 3. doubt
 4. palm 5. chalk 6. should
 7. knee 8. know 9. knit
 10. write 11. wrong 12. two

27. Comprehension

- A.** 1. (a) deer (b) Australia
 2. (a) ... hind legs are very long. (b) ... hold things ... carry food to its mouth.
 (c) ... make long leaps. (d) ... long, thick, strong.
 (e) pocket. (f) grass, leaves
 3. It is nearly as tall as a man.
- B.** 1. Duckling 2. Six 3. They went to a pond.
 4. Five 5. Behind the bushes, under the trees, over the fence
 6. In the pond 7. It was swimming and playing with the frogs.
- C.** 1. doll 2. river 3. cold 4. cat
 5. Angela was feeling cold 6. furry 7. kind
 8. bear 9. great 10. The squirrel and the rabbit
- D.** 1. (a) T (b) T (c) F (d) F (e) F
 (f) F (g) T (h) T (i) F (j) T

2. (a) ... he was feeling unwell.
- (b) ... immediately sent him to bed.
- (c) ... became sore.
- (d) ... taking the tablet.

3. Varun does not often have a cold.

- E.**
1. The correct sequence is : (d), (b), (e), (a), (c).
 2. (a) white.
 - (b) The lamb followed wherever Mary went.
 - (c) ... taking a pet to the school was not allowed.
 - (d) ... the lamb waited for Mary to come.
 - (e) ... Mary loved it deeply.

28. Composition

B. Our National Flag; is saffron; The strip; is white; The strip; is green; a wheel; blue

D. am celebrating; birthday; 7 August 2016; party; 5 o'clock; are also coming; will have

- H.**
1. A clever cap seller was going to a village to sell caps.
 2. He sat down under a tree to take rest.
 3. Soon he was fast asleep.
 4. There were many monkeys in the tree.
 5. The monkeys opened his bag and took out the caps.
 6. They put on the caps on their head and went back to the tree.
 7. When the cap seller got up, he found his bag empty.
 8. He saw the monkeys wearing his caps.
 9. He took off his cap and threw it towards them.
 10. The monkeys also threw the caps to the cap seller.
 11. The cap seller collected his caps and went his way.