



UNICUS OLYMPIADS

Sample Paper

Class 4

Unicus English Olympiad (UEO)



Section	Total Questions	Marks per Questions	Total Marks
Classic Section	30	1	30
Scholar Section	10	2	20
Grand Total	40		50

Classic Section (Each Question is 1 Mark)

1. Pick out the nouns:

The milkman picked up the empty bottles kept at the gate.



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| a. milkman and bottles | b. milkman, empty and bottles |
| c. empty, bottles and gate | d. milkman, bottles and gate |
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2. Choose the correct option:

Will you go to the fair with your friend? Does she _____ a bicycle?

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| a. has | b. have |
| c. got | d. had |
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3. Choose the correct option:

Is there any _____ ice cream in the fridge?

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| a. more | b. less |
| c. some | d. one |
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4. Choose the synonym of the word in bold:

Our hotel room had a **magnificent** view of the beach.

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| a. splendid | b. enormous |
| c. awful | d. gigantic |
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5. Choose the correct question tag:

Cows give birth to calves, _____?



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| a. don't they? | b. does he? |
| c. doesn't she? | d. don't she? |
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6. Choose the correct option:
Which of these sounds does a dog not make?



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| a. whine | b. yelp |
| c. whimper | d. purr |
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7. Choose the correct pair:
I love spending time with my brother's daughter. She is my _____ and I am her _____.

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| a. niece and uncle | b. cousin and nephew |
| c. aunt and niece | d. granddaughter and grandmother |
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8. Choose the correct option:
This shop is small but it has a _____ collection of shoes than many other shops.

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| a. good | b. better |
| c. best | d. Both a and b |
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9. Choose the option which is an antonym of the word in bold:
The customer complained that the French fries were **soggy**. What kind of fries did he want?

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| a. stale | b. greasy |
| c. crisp | d. uncooked |
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10. Fill in the blanks with a pair of suitable pronouns:
Granny was looking for _____ glasses. I found _____ in the kitchen.

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| a. the and it | b. her and them |
| c. its and they | d. her and it |
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11. Choose the option which means:
A piece of paper on which a doctor writes the details of the medicine or drugs that someone needs

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| a. description | b. prescription |
| c. pharmacist | d. consultation |
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12. Choose the correct option:

We have a dog called Boxer. Grandpa and Grandma _____ him and he _____ them too.

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| a. love and love | b. loves and loves |
| c. love and loves | d. loves and love |
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13. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

_____ the zoo last Saturday.

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| a. The students visit | b. The students will visit |
| c. The students are visiting | d. The students visited |
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14. Choose the correct preposition:

The twins are always shouting _____ each other.

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| a. on | b. with |
| c. at | d. upon |
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15. Choose the option which does not have a pair of homophones:

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| a. pear : peer | b. hear : here |
| c. bear : bare | d. their : there |
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16. Fill in the blank with the correct conjunction:

Syra: Would you like to have a soft drink _____ an ice cream?

Myra: I will have neither of these as I am trying to cut down on sugar.

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| a. and | b. or |
| c. but | d. although |
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17. Choose the option that will be incorrect:

The _____ are in the farmyard and the horses are in the meadow.



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| a. goats | b. cows |
| c. pigs | d. sheeps |
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18. Fill in the blank with the correct option:

I'm sure your colleagues are going to _____ you lots of compliments on your lovely new hairstyle.

- a. allow
- c. pay

- b. share
 - d. gift
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19. Pick out the odd one:

- a. duke : duchess
- c. fox : vixen

- b. wizard : witch
 - d. drake : gander
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20. Fill in the blank with the correct option:

When I was at my aunt's place during the holidays, we _____ quite a lot of time gardening.



- a. spend
- c. spent

- b. spends
 - d. spended
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21. Identify the adverb:

The new student performed well in the annual exam to everyone's surprise.

- a. new
- c. annual

- b. well
 - d. surprise
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22. Choose a suitable option to complete the conversation:

Richard: Oh no! I missed the bus.

Ana: _____

Richard: That would be great. Are you sure it won't be a problem?



- a. There's another bus after half an hour.
- c. Don't worry. I'll drop you.

- b. What time do you have to reach?
 - d. I go by car. My office is not very far from yours.
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23. Identify the adjectives:

The dish was so delicious that I was licking my fingers.

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| a. dish and delicious | b. licking and fingers |
| c. delicious | d. fingers |
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24. Choose the sentence that has a spelling error:

- a. A great many student has been declared successful.
 - b. Ten km is not a great distance in these days of fast moving vehicles.
 - c. His performance was not up to the mark in the interview.
 - d. Teacher told the student not to stop work.
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25. Choose the correct option:

What will I call my brother's son?

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| a. nephew | b. niece |
| c. cousin | d. son-in-law |
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26. Fill in the blank with the correct option:

While my mother was cooking food for _____, my brother and I were playing in the garden.

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| a. ours | b. us |
| c. our | d. they |
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27. Fill in the blank with the correct option:

It _____ since I visited my village.

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| a. have been two years | b. was two years |
| c. is two years | d. has been two years |
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Direction (Q28. To Q.30): Read the poem and answer the question:

Flying

I saw the moon
One windy night,
Flying so fast –
All silvery white –
Over the sky,
Like a toy balloon
Loose from its string –
A runaway moon.
The frosty stars
Went racing past,
Chasing her on

Ever so fast.
Then everyone said,
'It's the clouds that fly,
And the stars and the moon
Stand still in the sky.'
But I don't mind –
I saw the moon
Sailing away
Like a toy
Balloon.

28. Choose the option that will make a false statement:
According to the poet _____.



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| a. the moon and the stars were moving fast | b. the moon was flying |
| c. the moon and the stars did not move | d. the stars were chasing the moon |
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29. Choose the statement that is true:

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| a. The poet tells us the colour of a balloon. | b. Fast is not used only for the moon. |
| c. The wind has been called fast. | d. The moon looked like a balloon to everyone. |
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30. Choose the correct option:
According to the poet _____.



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| a. the balloon was sailing in the sky | b. the stars were sailing in the sky |
| c. the clouds were sailing in the sky | d. the moon was sailing in the sky |
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Scholar Section (Each Question is 2 Marks)

31. Identify the adjectives:

My elderly neighbour lives alone. He must be quite lonely.

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| a. elderly and lonely | b. elderly and alone |
| c. elderly, alone and lonely | d. alone, quite and lonely |
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32. Choose the option which has a spelling error:

- a. Has the ceiling of the cathedral been painted?
 - b. A wedding is always a grand occasion in there village.
 - c. I don't think I can draw a hippopotamus or a rhinoceros.
 - d. The tourists will visit the museum tomorrow.
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33. Choose the option with the correct pair of collective nouns:

The _____ gave a standing ovation after the brilliant musical performance. The _____ was visiting the city after many years.

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| a. committee and band | b. board and crew |
| c. audience and orchestra | d. government and horde |
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34. Choose the part of the sentence which has an error:

Shaina and I went to the library to return back the books we had borrowed last week for the quiz competition.

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| a. Shaina and I went to the library | b. to return back the books |
| c. we had borrowed last week | d. for the quiz competition |
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35. Look at the words in bold and decide which one is an adverb.



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| a. Alia loves fast cars. | b. The black horse is very fast . |
| c. Who is the fastest runner in your team? | d. The boy ran fast after the bus. |
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36. Choose the correct option:

What do you think John's mother said when he returned home after the school picnic?



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| a. Do you have fun at the beach? | b. Did you do a lot of fun? |
| c. Did you have fun at the beach? | d. Did you make fun at the beach? |
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37. Fill in the blank with an idiom which means **someone that one loves the most**:

Dexter loves all his children but his youngest daughter Kiara is_____.

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| a. the apple of his eye | b. the pupil of his eye |
| c. the star of his eye | d. the twinkle of his eye |
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38. Choose the option which uses articles correctly:



- a. "The Statue of Liberty Enlightening World" was a gift of friendship from an people of France to a United States and is recognised as the universal symbol of the freedom and the democracy.
- b. "Statue of Liberty Enlightening the World" was gift of friendship from the people of France to the United States and is recognised as universal symbol of freedom and democracy.
- c. "A Statue of Liberty Enlightening the World" was the gift of friendship from people of France to the United States and is recognised as a universal symbol of freedom and democracy.
- d. "The Statue of Liberty Enlightening the World" was a gift of friendship from the people of France to the United States and is recognised as a universal symbol of freedom and democracy.

39. Choose the correct option:

Oops! I have _____. Please give me your eraser.

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| a. done a mistake | b. made a mistake |
| c. make a mistake | d. did a mistake |
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40. Choose the correctly punctuated sentence:

- a. I think that is my uncle's car parked over there. Let me try calling on his phone.
- b. I think that is my uncle's car parked over there? Let me try calling on his phone.
- c. I think that is my uncles' car parked over there. Let me, try calling on his phone.
- d. I think that, is my uncles car parked over there. Let me try calling on his phone?

Answer Key

1.	d	2.	b	3.	a	4.	a	5.	a	6.	d	7.	a
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22.	c	23.	c	24.	b	25.	a	26.	b	27.	d	28.	c
29.	b	30.	d	31.	a	32.	b	33.	c	34.	b	35.	d
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