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Sample Paper



Class 2

Unicus Global English Olympiad (UGEO)

Time: 60 minutes

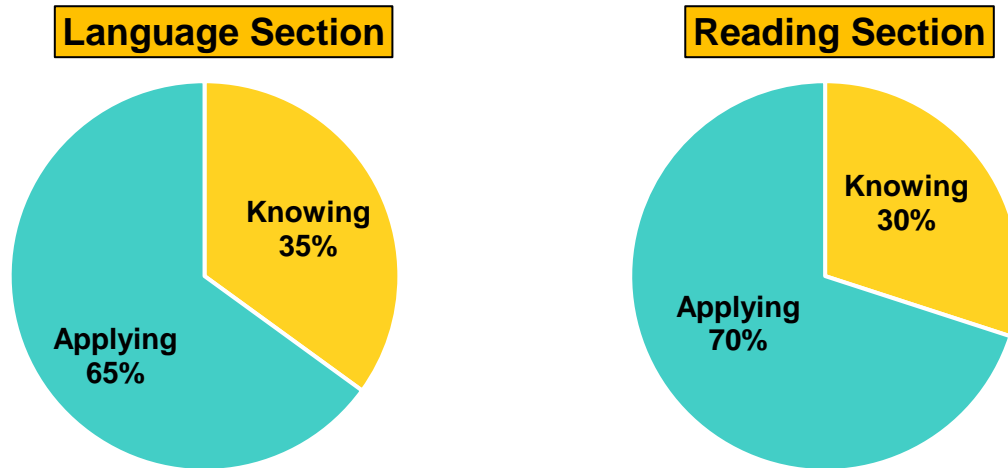
Pattern and Marking Scheme			
Section	Total Questions	Marks per Question	Total Marks
Language Section	20	1	20
Reading Section	10	2	20
Grand Total	30		40

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The **Unicus Global Olympiad** is organised around two dimensions:

1. Content dimension, specifying the subject matter domains to be assessed
2. Cognitive dimension, specifying the thinking processes to be assessed

Target percentages of the question paper devoted to cognitive domains



For more details, visit <https://www.unicusolympiads.com/ugeo>.

Language Section (Each Question is 1 Mark)

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Nouns

1. Spot the noun/nouns in the sentence:
The fireman rescued the dog from the building.



- a. fireman
b. dog
c. building
d. all the above

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Nouns

2. Spot the noun/nouns in the sentence:
Children are playing in the park.



- a. playing
b. children
c. park
d. both b and c

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Verbs

3. Identify the verb/verbs in the following sentence:
This is Lucy. Her tooth is aching.



- a. is, aching
b. tooth, Lucy
c. this, aching
d. her, tooth

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Adjectives

4. Spot the adjective/adjectives in the following sentence:
James told Kiara about his adventurous life in the Savannah.



- a. told, Savannah
b. James, Kiara
c. adventurous
d. life

Cognitive Domain: Knowing

Content Domain: Pronouns

5. Fill in the blank with the appropriate pronoun to replace correctly the underlined word in the following sentences. Make your choice from the options given below:
This is Christopher. ____ is a car driver.



- a. He
b. She
c. It
d. His

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Conjunctions

6. Fill in the blank with the appropriate conjunction by choosing from the options given below:
He is a brilliant scientist ____ he forgets things easily.



- a. so
b. but
c. or
d. because

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Tenses

7. Fill in the blank with suitable article/articles by choosing from the options given below:
This is Nancy's grandma. She _____ the plants.



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|-----------------|------------------|
| a. are watering | b. were watering |
| c. is watering | d. were watered |

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Adverbs

8. Spot the adverb/adverbs in the given sentence from the options given below:
Arthur slept soundly in his bed.



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| a. Arthur | b. bed |
| c. soundly | d. slept |

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Adverbs

9. Spot the adverb/adverbs in the given sentence from the options given below:
Zimbabwe won the match easily.



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| a. easily | b. Zimbabwe |
| c. won | d. match |

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Prepositions

10. Fill in the blank:

Tom is wearing a blue t-shirt. He is standing ____ Tuna and Ray.



- a. across
- c. between

- b. above
- d. behind

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Prepositions

11. Spot the preposition/prepositions in the following sentence:

Claudia is enjoying herself with her friends.



- a. is
- c. her

- b. with
- d. enjoying

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Odd one out

12. Choose the odd word out:

multiply, subtract, describe, add

- a. multiply
- c. describe

- b. subtract
- d. add

Cognitive Domain: Knowing	Content Domain: Spellings
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13. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct spelling from the given options:

There is a _____ in the field.



- a. scarcrow b. scarecrow
c. escarecrow d. scarecrrow

Cognitive Domain: Knowing	Content Domain: Words Pairs
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14. Identify the collocation in the following sentences:

This is Stanley. He is studying hard to make a difference this time in his exams.



- a. to make difference b. studying hard to
c. this time in his exams d. hard to make

Cognitive Domain: Knowing	Content Domain: Word Order
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15. Complete the sentence by choosing the correct word order from the given options:

She is Dyna. She is wearing a _____.



- a. skirt plaid red b. plaid red skirt
c. red plaid skirt d. skirt red plaid

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Synonyms and Antonyms

16. Replace the underlined word with its opposite meaning word by choosing from the options given below:

Rabia volunteered to help the poor child.



- a. refused
- b. willingly contribute
- c. half-hearted
- d. agreed

Cognitive Domain: Knowing

Content Domain: Punctuation

17. Choose the correctly punctuated sentence:



- a. Gracy likes Pineapples Papayas and Gooseberries.
- b. Gracy likes pineapples, papayas and gooseberries
- c. gracy likes pineapples, papayas and gooseberries
- d. gracy likes pineapples, Papayas and Gooseberries

Cognitive Domain: Applying

**Content Domain: Spoken and Written
Verbal Expressions**

18. Read the following sentences and fill in the blank from the options given below:

Sasha: Are you coming for the get together this Sunday evening?

Peter: _____.



- a. I know you can do it.
- b. I am sorry. I don't think I would be able to come.
- c. You can come over whenever you want.
- d. No, Thankyou!

Cognitive Domain: Knowing

Content Domain: Singular and Plural

19. Choose the correct plural of the underlined word from the options given below:

The medical shop was closed.



- a. shopes
- b. shopies
- c. shops
- d. shopes

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Feminine and Masculine

20. What is the opposite gender of the underlined word?

This is my cow, Mindy.



- a. cows
- c. bullies

- b. bull
- d. calves

Reading Section (Each Question is 2 Marks)

Direction for questions (21-22): Read the passage and answer the following question.

A lion was roaring loudly in the zoo. The visitors were scared. Actually, a thorn had got stuck in the lion's paw. It was paining badly. The caretaker entered his cage and plucked the thorn upon inspection. The lion licked him. The caretaker fed the lion. The visitors were amazed at their friendship and also at the caretaker's bravery.



Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

21. Why was the lion roaring in the zoo?

- a. due to thorn in its paw
- c. due to anger

- b. due to hunger
- d. upon getting irritated by the visitors

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

22. What were the visitors amazed at?

- a. at the friendship of the caretaker and lion
- c. at the lion's roar

- b. at the caretaker's bravery
- d. both a and b

Direction for questions (23-25): Read the given dialogues and answer the following question:

Shelly: I want to bake cookies this weekend!

Jack: That would be fun! Do you have a recipe?

Shelly: Yes, my mom has a special chocolate chip cookie recipe.

Jack: Ok, let's bake together!



Cognitive Domain: Knowing

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

23. What does Shelly want to do this weekend?

- | | |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| a. go swimming | b. bake cookies |
| c. learn gymnastics | d. ride a bicycle |

Cognitive Domain: Knowing

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

24. What does Jack ask Shelly about?

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| a. Is she ready to have lunch? | b. Will she eat cookies together? |
| c. Does she have a fear of fire? | d. Does she have a recipe? |

Cognitive Domain: Knowing

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

25. Whose mom has a recipe?

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| a. Jack's | b. Shelly's |
| c. neither Jack nor Shelly | d. both Jack and Shelly |

Direction for questions (26-28): Read the given birthday invitation and answer the following question:

Dear Mindy,

I want to invite you on my birthday party. The party will be on 1st October, 2024 at 6 pm at 12, Palm Lane. I hope to see you there!

Your friend,
Danny



Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

26. Who is inviting Mindy to the birthday party?

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| a. Sara | b. James |
| c. Danny | d. Ross |

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

27. How does Danny express his hope about Mindy attending the party?

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|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| a. I hope you will come! | b. I hope you like cake! |
| c. I hope it's fun! | d. I hope to see you there! |

Cognitive Domain: Knowing

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

28. Which of the following is not mentioned in the invitation?

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| a. party location | b. theme of the party |
| c. date of the party | d. time of the party |

Direction for questions (29-30): Read the given message and answer the following question.

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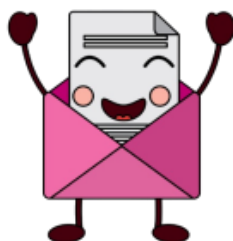
21 September, 2024

Mona

Dear daughter, your friend Johny telephoned. He has asked you to bring an English workbook today for grammar practice in tuition because on Monday you have a UT test in school. I'll reach home late today.

Veronica

Your mother



Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

29. What does Johny want Mona to bring to tuition?

- a. an English workbook
- b. a science workbook
- c. a math workbook
- d. a GK workbook

Cognitive Domain: Applying

Content Domain: Comprehension Passage

30. Who wrote this message and for whom?

- a. mother wrote this message to her son
- b. mother wrote this message to her friend
- c. mother wrote this message to her daughter
- d. mother wrote this message to her husband

Answer Key

1.	d	2.	d	3.	a	4.	c	5.	a	6.	b	7.	c
8.	c	9.	a	10.	c	11.	b	12.	c	13.	b	14.	a
15.	c	16.	a	17.	b	18.	b	19.	c	20.	b	21.	a
22.	d	23.	b	24.	d	25.	b	26.	c	27.	d	28.	b
29.	a	30.	c										