

First Term Onam exam 2025

Answer key

STD 6 English

Activity 1: Comprehension

- a) Which of the names given below are the characters in the books written by Mark Twain?
 - The correct option is D. Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn
 - b) Find out the word from the passage that means 'something that makes you laugh'.
 - The word is funny.
 - c) What did Mark Twain enjoy watching as a young boy?
 - He enjoyed watching steamboats.
 - d) Name the two famous books written by Mark Twain.
 - The two famous books are 'The Adventures of Tom Sawyer' and 'The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn'.
 - e) Read the statements given below:
 - The correct option is B. Statement (i) is correct and (ii) is incorrect
 - Statement (i) is correct because the passage states his real name was Samuel Clemens and he used a pen name.
 - Statement (ii) is incorrect as his real name was Samuel Clemens, not Mark Twain.
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Activity 2: Email

- To: william@example.com (or a similar address)
- From: vinod@email.com (or a similar address)
- Subject: Appreciation for 'The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind'
- Body: Dear William,

My name is Vinod and I am a student from Kerala, India. I recently read your story, 'The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind', and I was truly inspired by your hard work and dedication.

It is amazing that you were able to bring electricity to your village using a windmill you built yourself. Your story shows that with determination and cleverness, it is possible to achieve great things, even without many resources. You are an inspiration to students everywhere.

Thank you for sharing your story.

Yours truly, Vinod

Activity 3: Chat

(Choose either A or B)

- 3 (A) Kunhichirutha and Minikutty's chat:
 - Kunhichirutha: Hi Minikutty! What's up?
 - Minikutty: Nothing much, just studying for my exams. How is your new school?
 - Kunhichirutha: It's amazing! I've made so many new friends.
 - Minikutty: That's great! Where are they from?
 - Kunhichirutha: My friends are from different countries like the USA and China.
 - Minikutty: Wow, that sounds so cool! I wish I could meet them.
 - Kunhichirutha: You should visit me sometime.
 - 3 (B) Ryan and William's chat:
 - Ryan: Hey William! How is it going?
 - William: Hey Ryan, I'm so happy. My village finally has electricity!
 - Ryan: That's fantastic! I heard all about it.
 - William: Now we can use mobile phones, watch TV, and even use the internet.
 - Ryan: I'm so proud of you. You are a real hero!
 - William: Thank you, Ryan. It's great to see everyone so happy.
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Activity 4: Live Report

(Choose either A or B)

- 4 (A) Live Report on 'Praveshanotsavam':

- Good morning, everyone! We are live from the school, which is celebrating 'Praveshanotsavam' today. The entrance is beautifully decorated with colourful ribbons and balloons. Children and their parents are seated in rows, with the Class 1 students in the front row. The HM welcomed the special guest, our honourable MLA. The traditional 'chendamelam' performance has just started, adding to the festive atmosphere. The MLA is now lighting the lamp, officially inaugurating the event.
 - 4 (B) Live Report on the Talent Show:
 - Hello everyone, welcome to the annual talent show! The hall is crowded and the audience is cheering for the children performing on stage. Mr. Isobe has just announced the next child, and here comes Chibi on stage! He is imitating the cries of crows, and it's surprising everyone here. The audience is roaring with laughter and clapping loudly for his performance.
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Activity 5: Editing

- Last Saturday (a), Meena went (b) to the park with her friends. They played happily the whole afternoon. She saw a beautiful (c) butterfly fluttering over the flowers. Meena sat on (d) a bench and watched the sunset. It was a lovely day (e) for her.
 - (a) saturday: should be capitalized to Saturday.
 - (b) go: The past tense of 'go' is went.
 - (c) beautifull: The correct spelling is beautiful.
 - (d) in: The correct preposition is on a bench.
 - (e) day lovely: The correct word order is lovely day.
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Activity 6: Picture Story

A kind-hearted girl named Meera was walking home from school one afternoon. As she crossed the street, she noticed an elderly grandmother struggling to cross the busy road. She was holding a cane and looked a little scared. Meera's friend pointed to the grandmother and said, "Look, the grandma needs to cross the road". Without a second thought, Meera walked up to the old lady and said, "I shall help you". The grandmother smiled kindly. Meera held the grandmother's hand and carefully guided her across the street. Once they were safely on the other side, the grandmother hugged her and said, "Thank you dear!". Meera felt happy for being able to help someone in need. It was a good reminder that a little kindness can make a big difference.