



ITL PUBLIC SCHOOL
Pre Periodic Test-1 (2026-27)
ENGLISH(Anskey)

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General Instructions:

1. This question paper consists of three sections.
2. Read the question paper carefully.
3. All the questions are mandatory.

SECTION – A	
1	Read the passage and answer the following questions: Water is one of the most precious resources on Earth. Every living creature, from the tiniest insect to the tallest tree, needs water to survive. Humans use water for drinking, cooking, cleaning, farming, and even generating electricity. Dirty water can carry harmful germs that cause diseases like cholera and typhoid. Water pollution is one of the biggest threats to clean water. It is caused when people throw garbage, chemicals, or waste into rivers, lakes, and oceans. Factories sometimes release harmful substances into water bodies without proper treatment. This not only harms humans but also affects aquatic life such as fish, turtles, and water birds. Simple habits like turning off taps when not in use, fixing leaks, and not littering near water sources can make a big difference. Government and scientists are also working together to clean polluted water and invent ways to recycle it. After all, saving water today means saving life for tomorrow. a) Mention any two causes of water pollution given in the passage. Ans. The two causes of water pollution are throwing waste into the rivers and lakes. Factories releasing harmful waste into water bodies. b) Smoking is <u>injurious</u> to health. Replace the underlined word with its synonym from the passage. Ans: injurious-harmful c) What are some actions people can take to save water? Ans. People must follow simple habits like turning off taps when not in use, fixing leaks, and not littering near water sources can make a big difference. d) Assertion (A): Water pollution harms aquatic animals. Reason (R): Polluted water helps fish and turtles grow healthier. Choose the correct answer: a) Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A. b) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A. c) A is true, but R is false. d) A is false, but R is true
SECTION-B	
2	Recently, your city experienced a heavy storm that caused power cuts and disrupted daily life. Write a diary entry describing what happened during the storm, how your family coped with the situation, and your thoughts on the importance of being prepared for natural disasters. (Word limit: 100–120 words) Format- 1mark Content-2 mark
3	Do as directed: a) When will you come home? (Identify the type of sentence.) Interrogative b) The dog lazily slept on the sofa. (Underline and write the phrase in the given sentence.) on the sofa c) Children must not sacrifice their <u>innocence</u> (innocent) (Fill in the blank with

	a suitable abstract noun) d) This house is ours. (Mention the Pronoun and state its kind) Possessive e) She finished the work <u>herself</u>. (Fill in the blank with a suitable Reflexive noun) f) I keep my <u>books</u> safe in the <u>wooden</u> almirah. (Identify and state the kind of the underlined noun) books-Common wooden-Material
	SECTION-C
4.	Answer the following questions briefly: (Do any TWO) a) What is the main message of the poem- The Rainbow? Ans. The poem highlights the beauty and wonder of nature. It encourages us to observe and appreciate the colourful creations around us, such as rainbows, rivers, clouds, and stars, which make our world beautiful and joyful. b) The children burst into laughter at the end of the story “Gone With the Scooter”. Give Reason. Ans. The children burst into laughter because Gopi's ball accidentally got stuck on a moving scooter and disappeared with it. The unexpected and amusing incident made everyone laugh at the funny situation. c) In the story ‘Gone With the Scooter’ Gopi decided to find the owner of the ball. What does this tell you about him? Ans. Gopi's decision to find the owner of the ball shows that he is honest, responsible, and kind-hearted. He believed in doing the right thing and wanted to return the lost ball to its rightful owner.
5.	Reference to the context: <i>“But clouds that sail across the sky Are prettier than these.”</i> i. What sails across the sky? Ans. The clouds sail across the sky. ii. What is ‘these’ refer to in the above lines? Ans. These refer to the boats and ships. iii. Write the meaning of the word ‘sail’. – moving across the surface of water
6.	Answer the following questions in detail. Imagine you found a wallet lying on the road. What would you do with it and why? OR Write 4 ways in which you can enjoy the beauty of the nature. Answers will vary