

KIRAN TUTORIALS

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Std 10 (English)**English****Date 28-09-20****Time 1HRS****Chapter 1.00,29,30,31****Marks 30****Q.1 Pick out an infinitive from the following sentence: 1**

- 1 If he always knew the right time to begin everything, if he knew who were the right people to listen to. (Pick out the infinitives from the following sentence)

Ans i. to begin
ii. to listen

Q.2 Punctuate the following sentences. 1

- 1 i never eat anything for luncheon she said

Ans "I never eat anything for luncheon," she said.

Q.3 Find hidden words from the given word. 1

- 1 amyotrophic :

Ans amyotrophic : **tropic, myopic, root, gop**

Q.4 Make meaningful sentences with phrases. 1

- 1 man of few words

Ans My father was a **man of few words**, but when he spoke it was worth listening.

Q.5 Identify the type of sentence. 1

- 1 Could it have been born from chaos?

Ans Could it have been born from chaos? - **Interrogative sentence.**

Q.6 Complete the word chain of noun, verb, adjective, adverbs. 1

- 1 efficient → _____, _____, _____, _____

Ans efficient → **talented, divine, enterprising, generous**

Q.7 Write Direct / Indirect narration, 2

- 1 He said, "sir, I have never thought about it. We are born to work."

Ans He replied respectfully that he had never thought about that and that they were born to work.

Q.8 Change the voice. 1

- 1 He played a major role in transforming the IAF.

Ans A major role was played by him in transforming the IAF.

Q.9 Read the following passage and do the activities: (prose). 10

- 1 **A1)** Complete the table. 2

Read the story and complete the table

Ans

Name	Age	Physical	Earned money	Qualities
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		Appearance	by	
Anil	25	Tall, Lean	Writing for Magazines	Easy going kind, simple
Hari Singh	15	Thin	Stealing	Intelligent good, at human psychology

I was still a thief when I met Anil. And though only 15, I was an experienced and fairly successful hand.

Anil was watching a wrestling match when I approached him. He was about 25 - a tall, lean fellow - and he looked easy-going, kind and simple enough for my purpose. I hadn't had much luck of late and thought I might be able to get into the young man's confidence.

"You look a bit of a wrestler yourself," I said. A little flattery helps in making friends.

"So do you," he replied, which put me off for a moment because at that time I was rather thin.

"Well," I said modestly, "I do wrestle a bit."

"What's your name?"

"Hari Singh," I lied. I took a new name every month. That kept me ahead of the police and my former employers.

After this introduction, Anil talked about the well-oiled wrestlers who were grunting, lifting and throwing each other about. I didn't have much to say. Anil walked away. I followed casually.

"Hello again," he said.

I gave him my most appealing smile. "I want to work for you," I said.

"But I can't pay you."

I thought that over for a minute. Perhaps I had misjudged my man.

I asked, "Can you feed me?"

"Can you cook?"

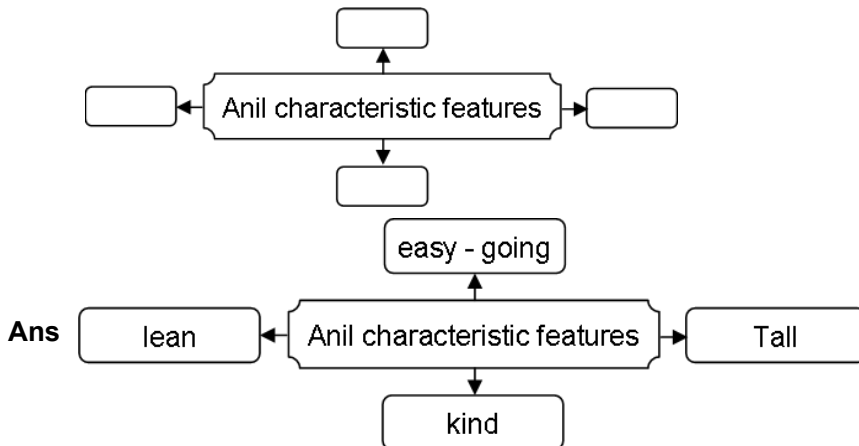
"I can cook," I lied again.

"If you can cook, then may be I can feed you."

Ans

A2) Complete the web.

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A3) i) Write antonyms

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1) tall x

Ans tall x **short**

2) lean x

Ans lean x **fat**

ii) Write synonyms

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1) modestly -

Ans modestly - **humbly**

2) easy going -

Ans easy going - **relaxed**

A4) Grammar based questions :

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1) Anil was watching a wrestling match, when I approached him. (Identify the clauses)

Ans Anil was watching a wrestling match - **main clause**

When I approached him - **adverb clause of time**

2) Anil was watching a wrestling match. (Rewrite in simple past tense)

Ans Anil watched a wrestling match

A5) Personal response.

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Why do you think, the writer wanted to be friendly with Anil?

Ans The writer was a thief. Unfortunately he could not steal anything for some time. Anil looked simple, kind and easy going. So, the writer felt that Anil could be an easy bait. If he could gain confidence of Anil, he would be able to rob him eventually.

Q.10 **Read the following Extract and complete the activities: (poem).**

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1 **A1)** Write whether the statements are true or false.

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1) The poem is a prayer.

Ans The poem is a prayer - **True**

2) Poet prays that let the country awake.

Ans Poet prays that let the country awake - **True**

3) Poet prays for the maintenance of meaningless traditions.

Ans Poet prays for the maintenance of meaningless traditions - **False**

4) Poet wants education only for some.

Ans Poet wants education only for some - **False**

<p>Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high Where knowledge is free Where the world has not been broken up into fragments By narrow domestic walls Where words come out from the depth of truth Where tireless striving stretches its arms towards perfection Where the clear stream of reason has not lost its way Into the dreary desert sand of dead habit Where the mind is led forward by thee Into ever-widening thought and action Into that heaven of freedom, my Father, let my country awake</p>
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Ans

A2) Answer the following :

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'Where words come out from the depth of truth'. Explain in your own words.

Ans Poet wants the world to be truthful. They should not be superficial and the words should come out from the depth of their hearts.

A3) Identify the figures of speech.

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"Where tireless striving stretches its arms towards perfection."

Ans Personification. Striving has been given the human quality of stretching its arms.

Q.11 Add a Question Tag:

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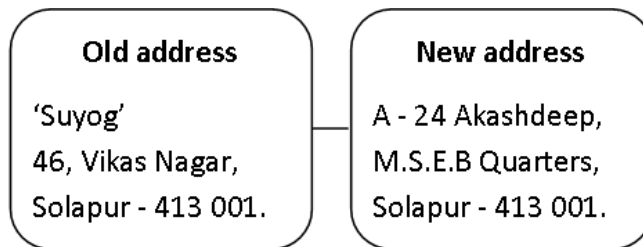
1 Nothing can happen.

Ans Nothing can happen, **can it?**

Q.12 Letter Writing.

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1 Satish Rane has moved to a new place in the city he resides in. Given below are his old address and new address:



A1. Informal Letter.

Write the letter as if written by Satish to his friend, giving details about his new place of residence invite him for house warming celebration.

OR

A2. Formal Letter.

Write the letter as if written by Satish to the Postmaster of his city, informing him of the change of address and requesting him to re-direct his mails to the new address

Ans .