



B.K. BIRLA CENTRE FOR EDUCATION

SARALA BIRLA GROUP OF SCHOOLS
A CBSE DAY-CUM-BOYS' RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

TERM-1 EXAMINATION(2026-27)

ENGLISH
(ANSWER KEY)

SET- 2

Class: III
Date : 31/08/26
Admission no:

Time: 2hrs
Max Marks: 40
Roll no:

General Instructions:

- The Question Paper contains three sections-READING, GRAMMAR & WRITING and LITERATURE.
- Attempt the questions based on the specific instructions for each part.
- Review your answers before submitting your answer sheet.

SECTION A: READING SKILLS (10 marks)

I. Read the passage and answer the questions given below.

The Little Red Kite

One sunny afternoon, Maya went to the park with her father. She carried a small blue ball to play with. While playing, the ball rolled into a bush. Maya looked for it but could not find it. Just then, a friendly brown puppy came running. It sniffed around the bush and quickly found the ball. The puppy picked it up gently and brought it back to Maya. Maya smiled, thanked the puppy, and gave it a gentle pat. Her father was proud of the kind puppy.



A. Answer the following questions.

1 x 5

1. Where did Maya go with her father?

Ans: Maya went to the park with her father.

2. What did Maya carry to the park?

Ans: She carried a small blue ball.

3. Where did the ball roll?

Ans: The ball rolled into a bush.

4. Who found the ball?

Ans: A friendly brown puppy found the ball.

5. How did Maya thank the puppy?

Ans: She thanked the puppy and gave it a gentle pat.

B. Find out the opposite of the given words from the passage.

1 x 2

1. sad – **happy**

2. unfriendly – **friendly**

C. Find out the plural form of the given words from the passage.

1 x 3

1. puppy – **puppies**

2. bush – **bushes**

3. ball – **balls**

SECTION B- WRITING & GRAMMAR (7 + 10 marks)

II. Paragraph Writing

1 x 3

A. Write a paragraph about "My Favourite Festival."

My favourite festival is Diwali. It is known as the Festival of Lights and is celebrated with great joy across India. Before Diwali, people clean and decorate their homes with rangoli, lamps, and colourful lights. Family members wear new clothes, exchange gifts, and prepare delicious sweets. In the evening, we pray to Goddess Lakshmi and Lord Ganesha for happiness and prosperity. Children enjoy lighting diyas and watching fireworks safely. Diwali brings families and friends together and spreads love, peace, and happiness. It is my favourite festival because it fills everyone with joy and creates beautiful memories.

2. Write a letter to your friend inviting them to a picnic.

1X4

[Your Name]

[Your Address]

[City, Pin Code]

[Date]

Dear _____

How are you? I hope you are fine.

My family is going on a picnic this Sunday. We will visit a beautiful park and play games together. I would be very happy if you could join us. It will be lots of fun.

Please tell me soon if you can come.

Your loving friend,
[Your Name]

III. Do as directed.

A. Fill in the blank with the correct preposition of place.

1 x 2

- The cat is sleeping under the table.
a) under b) between c) on
- The ball is on the chair.
a) in b) under c) on

B. Select the correct option.

1 x 2

- My friends _____ two pet rabbits.
a) has got b) have got

Ans: b) have got

- Anita _____ a blue school bag.
a) has got b) have got

Ans: a) has got

C. Match the following.

1 x 4

A	Ans	B
1. The sun is shining.	c	a. It is very sweet.
2. My brother is a doctor.	b	b. He helps sick people.
3. Bees collect nectar.	d	c. It gives us light.
4. Mango is my favourite fruit.	a	d. They make honey.

1 x 2

1. Sugar is **uncountable** (countable / uncountable)
2. There are **many** (many / much) apples in the basket.

SECTION C – LITERATURE (13 marks)

IV. Choose the correct option.

1 x 5

- The sparrow was waiting for her eggs to _____.
a. hatch b. fly
- Shikari _____to play sports and was always dreaming of adventure.
a.hated **b. longed**
- Kaka went to the_____ to get a sickle.
a. blacksmith b. carpenter
- Who wanted to mee the badger
a. The rat **b.the Mole**
- Shivaprakash is called shikari after his hometown _____
a. **Shikaripura** b. Shivapura

V. Answer these questions.

2 x 4

1. Why could the deer not give his horn to kaka?

Ans: The deer could not give his horn to Kaka because he was still alive and needed it to survive.

2. What season is the swallow preparing to fly in?

Ans: The season the swallow is preparing to fly in is autumn.

3. Where would Shikari and Basavraj sleep at night during their journey?

Ans: At nights, Shikari and Basavraj would sleep wherever they could find space – railway stations, guest houses, temples, or homes of kind strangers.

4. What was the buffalo asking for?

Ans: The buffalo was asking for fresh and juice grass to eat.