**GRAMMAR PRACTICE EXERCISES FROM PREVIOUS PAPERS – ENGLISH- 101**

**PREPOSITIONS**

**Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions.**

1. Abraham Lincoln came \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a poor family
2. He translated the PM’s speech \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Telugu
3. The pacific is the largest \_\_ all oceans
4. He watches the stars \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_night
5. The crab washed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the shore
6. We throw waste paper \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the dustbin
7. This classroom consists \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ forty students
8. He walked \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ road and met with an accident
9. The picture was hung\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the black board
10. She is afraid \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ dogs
11. Sai lives \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a big house
12. Raju mixed the coffee \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a spoon
13. Shankar has been working here \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 10 years
14. She is waiting \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the train
15. The train arrives \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ five minutes
16. There were many people \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the station
17. Gandhiji was born \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2nd October, 1869

1. Siri went to Nizamabad \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a bus
2. Swathi has been singing songs \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the last three hours
3. There is a canteen \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ our college so we need not go out side
4. There are a few cement benches \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the tree
5. The match takes place \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ India and Australia.
6. He does not work \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sundays
7. We are travelling \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ New York to Paris
8. Children are fond \_\_\_\_\_sweets
9. The programme started \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 10 O’ clock
10. Venu sat \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ suresh and Krishna
11. She is afraid \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ darkness
12. I suffered \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a severe headache last night
13. Shalini is reading a book presented \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her father
14. I have lived in this village \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my childhood
15. How often do you go \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ our village
16. This book was written \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a young girl
17. Vandana is afraid \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ exams
18. We have been waiting for the bus \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 7:15 A.M
19. The moon travels \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the earth
20. My parent live \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the USA
21. There is a bridge \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the river
22. He is looking \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ us
23. The train went \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the tunnel
24. We went home \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ foot
25. His father was angry \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him
26. The squirrel ran \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the wall
27. She will call us \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ half an hour
28. Do you read \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ night?
29. He arrived \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ city for the celebrations
30. He has been staying there \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 5 years
31. What did you do \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you were in London
32. There is a book \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the table
33. A comes after B \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the alphabets

**TENSES**

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| **TENSE** | **SIMPLE** | **CONTINUOUS** | **PERFECT** | **PERFECT CONTINUOUS** |
| **PRSENT** |  |  |  |  |
| **PAST** |  |  |  |  |
| **FUTURE** |  |  |  |  |

**Fill in the blanks with appropriate verb forms.**

1. Rama rao \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (water) the plants every day.
2. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (draw) the picture every day.
3. Oil \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (float) on water.
4. Don’t disturb her. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (prepare) for the unit test now.
5. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (buy) television next week.
6. My father \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (go) for a walk everyday.
7. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (buy) this camera in 2013.
8. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (leave) a few minutes ago for Delhi.
9. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (see) a snake while I was walking in the park.
10. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the party yesterday.
11. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (complete) their work just now
12. The train \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (arrive ) just now.
13. Ravi \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (go) to market
14. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (drink) coffee every day.
15. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (work) here since 2014
16. The accident \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (take) place around 2:00 p.m. There \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (be) no ambulance (take) them to hospital
17. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (buy) bicycle in 2006
18. Gayathri \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (study) B.Tech first year in Vasavi College
19. Venkat \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (play) cricket for the last 8 hours
20. Jahnavi \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (reach) secundrabad by 4 p.m. tomorrow.
21. Rasheed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (drink) coffee just now.
22. When I went to Anil’s house, he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (dance)
23. My uncle\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) yesterday.
24. Raju normally \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (get up) at 5 O’ clock
25. Radha \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (read) an article now.
26. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (receive) her letter a week ago
27. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (play) cards, when I saw him
28. The minister \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (read) the newspaper daily
29. The doctor \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (examine) the patients in the evening
30. Either Sita or Ram \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (was/were) responsible for this act.
31. Now, they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (play) chess
32. He usually \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (walk) to office
33. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (work) here since 2007
34. The camel \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the ship of the desert (call)
35. Last week we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (open) a cyber café
36. They cannot go out now as it is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (rain)
37. Environmental degradation \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (be) a world-wide issue
38. Russian \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (design) Buran in 1988
39. He thanked me for what I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (do)
40. Negative poles \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (attract) each other
41. We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (install) the latest computers by next Sunday
42. Every Sunday he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (go ) to church
43. We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (complete) three lessons already.
44. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (visit) New Delhi last year
45. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (work) with the problems for two hours
46. My mother never \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (drink) tea.
47. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (climb) in through window
48. Water \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (boil) at 100 degree centigrade
49. This paper \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (appear) twice a week
50. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (see) him tomorrow.
51. We \_\_\_\_\_ (write) the exam by this time tomorrow.
52. When visited her this morning, she \_\_\_\_\_ (water) the plants.
53. He \_\_\_\_\_ just \_\_\_\_\_ (send) me an SMS asking for help.
54. Rani\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(go) to college at 9.30 a.m. every day
55. Listen ! Someone is\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(sing) a song:
56. My aunt \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to temple every day. Now, she \_\_\_\_\_ (listen) to devotional songs on radio. She \_\_\_\_\_ (complete) recently a course on classical music.
57. We \_\_\_\_\_ (stand) in queue now.
58. It \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) heavily last night.
59. She \_\_\_\_\_ (prefer) tradition than modernism
60. The old man’s wallet \_\_\_\_\_ (steal) last month.
61. Sunil \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a shirt tomorrow.
62. Sneha \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) for the past three hours.
63. He rarely \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) Television.
64. He \_\_\_\_\_ (draw) this picture for three days.
65. Janaki \_\_\_\_\_ (send) her gift tomorrow
66. Water \_\_\_\_\_ (boil) at 100 ºC.
67. He \_\_\_\_\_ (come) to my office last month.
68. If she studies well, she \_\_\_\_\_ (get) good marks.
69. Oil \_\_\_\_\_ (float) on water.
70. You and I \_\_\_\_\_ (be) good friends.
71. I \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) him last Sunday.
72. The old man’s wallet \_\_\_\_\_ (steal) last month.
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77. Janaki \_\_\_\_\_ (send) her gift tomorrow
78. We \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to college now.
79. The train \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) before we reached the station.
80. He usually \_\_\_\_\_ (come) early to class every day.
81. My mother \_\_\_\_\_ (cook) well.
82. I \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a camera last month.
83. We \_\_\_\_\_ (live) here since 2014.
84. I\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(come) to your college tomorrow.
85. He\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(play) this game for 6 years.
86. She\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(go) to market yesterday
87. Rakesh \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (go) to college by bus since Monday.
88. Now, he\_\_\_\_\_ (Walk) towards bus stop.
89. Tomorrow, he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (come) to collage early to attend a special class.
90. Ravi \_\_\_\_\_ (work) very hard and always \_\_\_\_\_ (receive) compliments from his officers. He \_\_\_\_\_ very (be) sincere too.
91. I \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) him very recently at the book festival in Vijayawada.
92. He told me that he \_\_\_\_\_ (attend) the city book festival twice earlier.
93. Be silent. The student \_\_\_\_\_ (do) their practicals now.
94. I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) the film twice so far.
95. We \_\_\_\_ (buy) a Television last week.
96. Yesterday when I \_\_\_\_ (watch) a movie, my friend \_\_\_\_ (come).
97. We \_\_\_\_\_ (get) our freedom in 1947.
98. I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to college regularly.
99. My father \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) Delhi next week.
100. I \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a TV last month.
101. Yesterday when I \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) a movie, the power \_\_\_\_\_ (go) off
102. The quality of apples\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(be) good.

**VOICE**

**Change the VOICE of the following sentences:**

1. She sells flowers
2. I have posted a letter
3. We shall help suresh
4. The chief minister inaugurated the exhibition
5. Let the door be opened
6. They gave us nice presents
7. He sells vegetables
8. Marconi invented Radio
9. She drive a car
10. They play cricket
11. Many stories were told to us by our grand mother
12. English will be taught by ramu
13. She wrote a test
14. They have completed the work
15. The exhibition was inaguarated by the chief minister
16. We are celebrating sankranthi
17. Clean the house
18. The problems were solved by him
19. Aliveni sang a song yesterday
20. Jahnavi is playing chess now
21. These doors were painted by karim
22. My watch was repaired by umesh
23. Bhaskar had cleaned the house just now
24. He is reading a story
25. The boys of the class drew the figures with pencils
26. We did not see the accident
27. Raja has been congratulated by ramu in his success
28. A football match is being played by Ronaldo
29. The gardener spread a net to hunt the bird
30. Laxmi opened the window
31. I will ask a question
32. She is reading a novel
33. They played football
34. Milk is used for preparing coffee
35. Save our planet from pollution
36. Mechanical engineering students study machines
37. She does some exercises daily
38. Put him in prison
39. A poem is being read by him
40. We placed tremendous faith in them
41. The work will be finished by him in a fort night
42. Rakesh purchased two apples
43. My grandparents have presented me a bicycle
44. The information has been transmitted by them
45. He won the first prize
46. The examination was conducted by SBTET
47. She has exhibited the model
48. He gave a good lecture
49. The minister was welcomed by the people
50. I have taken this decision

**REPORTED SPEECH**

**Change the speech of the following sentences:**

1. Gopal said, “I am very busy now”
2. Rajesh said, “I scored a century yesterday”
3. Venu told me that he would come to our house next day
4. Prashant said to me , “I have passed diploma in the first division”
5. My teacher said that the earth rovelves round the sun
6. She said to me, “what is your name?”
7. She said, “I am paying the bill today”
8. She said that his brother was working in factory
9. He said, “I can do this”
10. Venu said, “I can type the letters”
11. I told Rani that I had posted the letters just then
12. Gopal said, “I am very busy now”
13. He said to Raju, “I have finished the work just now”
14. He said, “I practice yoga daily”
15. Shalini told Bharath that she would buy a new scooter next week
16. Ravi said to raju, “please get me the book”
17. He said that he would visit the Kashmir the next week
18. Raju said to me, “Do you know Hindi?”
19. Niraj said to his parents, “Your consistent guidance has been blessing for me”
20. The principal asked the students whether they needed any extra support
21. Gopal said to his friends , “Let us wait and watch”
22. Veena said to Dwarak, “I went to Hyderabad yesterday”
23. Lavanya said that she would write a letter the next day
24. He said to me, “I don’t believe you”
25. Kamala said Vimala, “we will come tomorrow”
26. Ramani said, “I havenot seen this movie”
27. Ranga said that he was building a new house
28. The manager said, you are doing a good work
29. He said, “How big the building is?”
30. The police asked where I was working
31. “can you solve the problem?” he asked me.
32. The little girl asked which way she should go
33. “Are you coming with us?” he asked me.
34. He said, “I have passed the examination.”
35. She said she was teaching English online
36. She said, “may I use a new browser?”
37. Priyanka said Reshma, “I can’t type these letters fast”
38. The film hero replied that Ganga was his first film
39. “where do you live?” he said
40. Venkat said Jahnavi, “will you help me in finishing the homework?”
41. He said, “I am buying a new pen now”
42. The teacher said that the moon is the only natural satellite of the earth
43. The teacher said to the student, “tomorrow will be a holiday”
44. Anand requested her friend to lend her thousand rupees
45. He said, “my master died”
46. My friends said that they enjoyed the final cricket match
47. The librarian asked us to be quite
48. He said to me, “Are you happy?”
49. He said, “The meeting is at five.”
50. The shopkeeper told me that the furniture would be delivered on time.