

# मंगलाबाई भागवत फाऊंडेशन

Time :3 Hours

English (LL) Activity Sheet

Marks:80

## Section I – Language Study (10 Marks)

**Q.1(A) Do as directed. (Attempts any Four) (8)**

1) Complete the following words by using correct letters. (2)

i) br\_in ii) fri\_nd iii) sp\_ak iv) so\_nd

2. Put the following words in alphabetical orders :-

i) woods, holy, grass, parking (2)

ii) focus, feast, fasten, fiber

3. Punctuate the following sentence. (2)

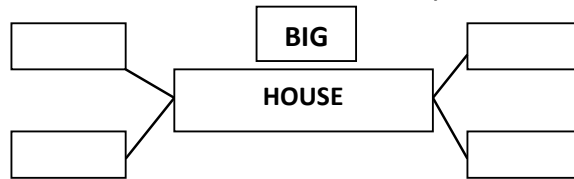
i) she smiled and said a beggar changed my life

ii) she said I am doing my bit

4. Make four words (Minimum of three letters each) using the letters in the word. (2)

Perseverance

5. Write the related words as shown in the example. (2)



6. Complete the word chain of Nouns' add four words, each beginning with the last letter of the previous word : Lotus → S → → → → (2)

**B) Do as directed :**

i) Attempt any one :-

a) Make meaningful sentence by using the phrase : 'to be known as.'

**OR**

b) Add a clause do expand the sentence meaningfully.

This is the place .....

2) Attempt any one of the following.

a) Add a prefix or suffix to make new word.

i) like ii) ignore

**OR**

b) Make a meaningful sentence using any one of the following words.

i) like ii) ignore

**Section II – Textual Passages (20)**

**Q.2. (A) Read the following passage and do the activities.**

**(10)**

Nathu arrived next morning to sweep the steps of the bank. He saw the refuse and the broken glass and the stones cluttering the steps. Raising his hands in a gesture of horror and disgust he cried; Hooliganis ! Sons of donkeys ! As though it isn't bad enough to be paid late, it seems my work has also to be increased. He smote the steps with his broom scattering the refuse.

'Good morning, Nathu, said the washer man's boy, getting down from his bicycle.' Are you ready to take up a new job from the first of next month? You'll have to I suppose, now that the bank is going out of business.'

'How's that ? said Nathu. 'Haven't you heard ? Well you'd better wait here until half the population of Pipal Nagar arrives to claim their money, and he waved cheerfully he did not have a bank account and sped away on his cycle.

Nathu went back to sweeping the steps muttering to himself. When he had finished his work, he sat down on the highest step, to await the arrival of the manager. He was determined to get his pay.

'Who would have thought the bank would collapse' he said to himself, and looked thoughtfully into the distance. I wonder how it could have happened.

A1) State whether the following statement are True or False. **(2)**

- i) Nathu smote the steps with his broom scattering the refuse.
- ii) The washer man's son had a bank account in Pipal Nagar Bank.
- iii) Nathu was waiting for the Manager to get his pay.
- iv) All the Bank account holders of Pipal Nagar arrive to claim their money.

A2) Who said to whom ? **(2)**

- i) Nathu smote the steps with his broom scattering the refuse.

<b>Sentences</b>	<b>Who said ?</b>	<b>To whom ?</b>
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|---|---|---|
| i) Who would have thought<br>The Bank would collapse ?                  | - | - |
| ii) Are you ready to take up a new<br>Job from the first of next month? | - | - |

**A-3) Write down two present participles and two past participles from the Passages. Present participles past participles. **(2)****

- |           |           |
|-----------|-----------|
| i) -----  | i) -----  |
| ii) ----- | ii) ----- |

**A-4) Do as directed. (2)**

- i) He saw the broken glass and the stone cluttering the steps. (Rewrite the sentence by using “not only – but also”)
- ii) Raising his hands in a gesture of horror and disgust he cried. (Rewrite the sentence by using “by + ing”)

A-5) Do you think rumours are harmful ? Why ?

**Q-2)B) Read the passage and do the activities. (10)**

A World Heritage Site is a site determined by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) to have significant cultural or natural important to humanity. As such the sites are protected and maintained by the International World Heritage Programme which is administered by the UNESCO World Heritage Committee. Because World Heritage Sites are places that are significant culturally and naturally, they vary in type and include forest, lakes, monuments, buildings and cities.

World Heritage Sites can also be a combination of both cultural and natural areas. For example, Mount Huangshan in China is a site with significance to human cultural because it played role in historical Chinese art and literature. The mountain is also significant because of its physical landscape characteristics.

**HISTORY OF WORLD HERITAGE SITES :**

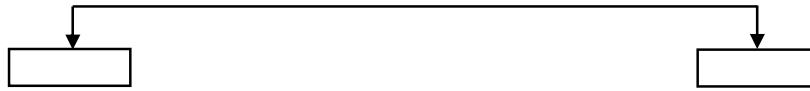
Although the idea of protecting cultural and natural heritage sites around the world began in the early twentieth century, momentum for its actual creation was not until the 1950s. In 1954, Egypt started plans to build the Aswan High Dam to collect and control water from the Nile River. The Initial plan for the dam’s construction would have flooded the valley containing the Abu Simbel Temples and scores of ancient Egyptian artefacts. To protect the temples and artifacts, UNESCO launched an International campaign in 1959 that called for the dismantling and movement of the temples to higher ground. The project cost an estimated US \$80 million, \$40 million of which came from 50 different countries. Because of the project’s success, UNESCO and the International Council on Monuments and Sites initiated a draft convention to create international organization responsible for protecting cultural heritage.

**B-1) Name the following. (2)**

- i) The country where mount Huangshan is situated in
- ii) The famous Dam is Egypt on river Nile-
- iii) The International World heritage programme is administrated by -
- iv) The Nile Valley contains many ancient -

B-2) Complete the following web : (2)

The significant aspects required for a World Heritage Site :



B-3) Choose the correct meaning from the given alternatives : (2)

- i) Determine : ..... a) think over b) ask for  
c) decide d) look over
- ii) Monument : ..... a) pillar b) fort  
c) statue d) memorial building
- iii) Significant : ..... a) cleaver b) systematic  
c) decide d) look over
- iv) disaster : ..... a) problem b) calamity  
c) incident d) accident

B-4) Do as directed :-

- i) It is determined by UNESCO. (Change the voice)
- ii) To protect temples and artefacts, UNESCO launched an international campaign.  
(Use 'as well as')

B-5) Personal Response :-

- i) What are our duties towards preservation of any historical site ?

### Section III – Poetry

Q3. (A) Read the following extract of the poem and do the activities. (5)

A1) Complete the following sentences :-

- i) The narrator was always getting flogged when .....
- ii) The narrator's intended bride became.....

This fatal likeness even dogged  
My footsteps, when at school,  
And I was always getting flogged,  
For John turned out a fool.  
I put this question, fruitlessly,

To everyone I knew,  
'What would you do, if you were me,  
To prove that you were you ?  
Our close resemblance turned the tide  
Of my domestic life,  
For somehow, my intended bride  
Became my brother's wife  
In fact, year after year the same  
Absurd mistakes went on,  
And when I died, the neighbours came  
And buried brother John.

A2) **Write any two lines from the poem you find impossible but humours.** (2)

A3) **Write down two pairs of rhyming words from the extract.** (1)

**B) Appreciation of the poem :** (5)

Read the following poem and write an appreciation of it using the points given below :

If....**If** you can keep your head when all about you  
Are losing theirs and blaming it on you ;  
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,  
But make allowance for their doubting too;  
If you can wait and not tired by waiting,  
Or, being lied about, don't deal in lies,  
Or being hated, don't give way to hating,  
And yet don't look too good, nor talk too wise;  
If you can dream and not make dreams your master;  
If you can think and not make thoughts, you aim;  
If you can meet with Triumph and Disaster  
And treat those two imposters just the same ;  
If you can bear to hear the truth, you've spoken,  
Twisted by kanvas to make a trap for fools,  
Or watch the things you gave your life to, broken,  
And stoop and build em up with worn-out tools :

If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue,  
 Or walk with Kings, nor lose the common touch;  
 If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you,  
 If all men count with you, but none too much ;  
 If you can fill the unforgiving minute  
 With sixty seconds' worth of distance run,  
 Yours is the Earth and everything that's in it,  
 And which is more you'll be a Man, my Son !

-Rudyard Kipling (1865-1936)

1. Title .....
2. Name of the Poet .....
3. Rhyme Scheme .....
4. Figure of speech : (Any One).....
5. Theme / Central idea (in 2/3 lines) .....

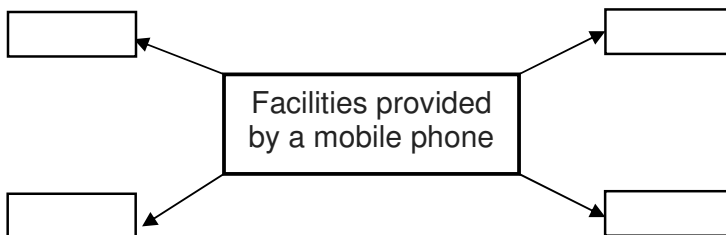
**Section IV – Non Textual Passage.**

Q.4(A) Read the following passage and do the activities.

(A1) Choose the correct alternatives from the following and complete the sentence given below : (10)

- i) ..... Is the latest facility available on the mobile.  
 a) Mp3 Music, b) Camera, C) A Calculator, d) Internet.
- ii) Mobile phone is a must during .....  
 a) Loneliness b) Natural c) Calamities & holidays d) leisure time
- iii) Mobile phone keeps you connected to your..... all the time.  
 a) Office b) Friend and Family c) Internet d) alarm clock
- iv) You can operate a mobile from .....  
 a) Tower b) Wherever c) Nowhere d) Any where

A.2) Complete the web with suitable words/phrases from the passage.



Beside being a telephone that you can operate wherever you are, the mobile phone can tell the time, has an alarm clock, an FM Radio and ever has the facility of a calculator. Hence, there is no need to wear a wristwatch, carry a transistor or own a calculator. You can send or receive SMS messages whenever you want and wherever you are.

The mobile phone has a number of features that make it an attractive instrument to own. More advanced varieties of mobiles have the facility of MP3 music. Many mobiles provide the facility of a camera. You can take pictures and store them in your mobile phone. The quality of the pictures in more advanced versions of the mobile is very good; it is as good as some superior quality cameras in the market.

Of late the mobile even offers the facility of being connected to the computer network. Thus you can have the facility of internet on your mobile phone. You can now also send messages via the Internet through the mobile phone.

The mobile phone has ensured that the individual does not live a lonely life. You are connected to your friends and family all the time. This becomes especially necessary during the time of natural calamities such as storms or floods or heavy rains.

**A3) Match the Nouns with the adjective from the passage. (2)**

<b>Column 'A' (Nouns)</b>	<b>Column 'B' (Adjective)</b>
i) Instrument	a) Superior
ii) Rains	b) Lonely
iii) Quality	c) Attractive
iv) Life	d) Heavy

**A4) Do as directed. (2)**

- i) Many mobiles provide the facility of a camera.  
(Rewrite the sentence with add a question tag)
- ii) You can also send messages via the internet. (Rewrite the sentence using 'object')

**A5) Personal Response. (2)**

Do you wish to have a mobile phone ? ?Why ?

**B) Summary Writing : (5)**

Read the passage given in Q. No. 4(A) and write the summary of it. Suggest a suitable title to your Summary.

**A5) A) Letter Writing. Section V- Writing skills. (20)**

**(5)**

A1 or A2. Do any one of the following activities.

Read the following news item and write a letter based on it.

Mumbai : Sita, a working woman, was allotted on her way back home at 8.00 p.m. Yesterday. Several instances of chain snatching and picking of pockets targeting especially women have been reported from different areas of Mumbai.

Now write any one of the given letters.

A1) Informal Letter : You are Mahesh / Manisha Rao, staying at D-14, Jawahar Nagar, Palghar, you happened to read the above news in 'Bombay News Express'. Your sister who stays in Mumbai does a shift job. Write a letter of caution alerting her about the current unsafe situation in the City.

**OR** A2) Formal Letter : You are Mayur / Minakshi Surve, staying at 2/30, Great Heights, S.V. Road, Bandra. You happened to read the following news items in 'Bombay News Express' write a letter to the Police Commissioner of Mumbai expressing your concern at the lack of safety for women in the City. Mention the measures that can be adopted to solve problem.

Q.5 B) Dialogue writing **OR** Drafting a speech

**(5)**

B1 OR B2. Do any one of the following.

B1) Dialogues writing :

- a) Prepare a dialogue from the jumbled sentences.
  - i) It is wrong number Madam, I don't know any Saniya.
  - ii) Is it 98192 xxxxx ?
  - iii) Yes, who is on the line ?
  - iv) I am Saniya here.

**B) Complete the dialogue.**

A. Would you like to join the Armed Forces ?

B. ....

A. Why would you like/don't like to join the Armed Forces ?

B. ....

C) Write a dialogue between Akshay an Ajay of minimum 3 meaningful exchanges on 'Drawbacks of using mobile'

**OR**

**B2) Drafting a speech :-**

You are going to participate in an international elocution competition. The subject given to you is 'Importance of Cleanliness.'

You can use the following points to draft your speech to deliver in the competition:

- Points :
1. Cleanliness is next to godliness.
  2. Why is it important to maintain cleanliness at School, home and your surroundings ?
  3. Reflects the character of the nation
  4. Prevents diseases.
  5. Make you feel energetic and healthy
  6. Conclusion

**Q.6.A) Information Transfer. (5)**

**A1 Or A2. Attempt any one of the following activities :**

**A1) Non verbal to verbal**

Read the points given in the following chart and write two short paragraphs based on it give a suitable title to your write-up.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>Males (%)</u>	<u>Females (%)</u>
2018	1,354,051,854	51.81	48.19
2017	1,339,180,127	51.82	48.18
2016	1,324,171,354	51.83	48.17
2015	1,309,053,980	51.84	48.16
2010	1,230,980,691	51.87	48.13

**A2) Verbal to Non-Verbal :-**

**Read the passage given below and write the information in appropriate column in given table :-**

Tomato is strictly a fruit, because it is an ovary with seeds. However, since it is not sweet and is eaten along with the main course of a meal, it is classified as a vegetable. Most tomatoes are picked before fully ripe. Tomatoes benefit the heart and keep blood pressure in control.

Tomato is grown from the seeds of other tomatoes. Tomatoes need plenty of warm sunshine, but not more than 35°C. The soil has to be rich in organic matter and should have sufficient calcium. Tomato plants need adequate supply of water per day. Tomatoes take about two to three months to grow. They have to be picked before they are fully ripe. Potato is tuber crop. Potatoes contain resistant starch and fiber.

Potato is grown from the 'eyes' of other potatoes. Potatoes grow in cool climate, Potatoes grow in average soil. The soil should be fertile and well-drained. Potatoes take about four to five months to grow. They have to be picked before they are fully ripe. Potatoes are dug out of the soil.

**Now, write the given information I the following table :-**

<b>Description</b>	<b>Tomato</b>	<b>Potato</b>
Kind of crop :	.....	.....
Classification :	.....	.....
Picked :	.....	.....
Benefits :	.....	.....
Grown from :	.....	.....
Climate :	.....	.....
Soil :	.....	.....
Water supply :	.....	.....
Time to grow :	.....	.....

B) Expand the theme. (5)

B1 or B2. Do any one of the following :

B1 – News Report :-

Read the following headline and prepare a news report with the help of given points.

New Vidya Mandir High School, Vikorli, organized a seminar of school students on 'How to choose career ?'

Make use of the following guidelines :-

- 1) Headline, 2) Dateline, 3) Introduction, 4) Short continuous
- 5) Paragraph

**OR**

**B2. Developing a Story :-**

Develop a story to get the following end, suggest a suitable title.

..... In this way the disabled girl won the first prize in the dancing competition in the school.

**SECTION VI – Skill Development**

**Q.7.A) Translation :** (5)

a) Translate the following words in your medium of instruction (Any four) (2)

1. Competition      2. Peace      3. Freedom
4. Emotion          5. Punctual      6. Minister

b) Translate the following sentences in your medium of instruction (Any two) (2)

- 1) His answer made me angry.
- 2) Always greet people with smile.
- 3) Please keep silence in hospitals.
- 4) Man is a social animal.

c) Translate the following idioms/proverbs into your medium of instruction. (Any one) (1)

- 1) First come first serve
- 2) Truth is always bitter.

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