IEO — Innovative English Olympiad

Pattern of Questions, Syllabus and Marking Scheme

Grade 10

Total Questions: 50
Time: 1.5 hr
Total Marks: 100
Marks per Question: 2
Negative Marking: No negative marks for wrong answers

Vocabulary and Functional Grammar

Parts of speech and their correct usage in the sentences, articles, tenses, punctuations, jumbled words, syllables, and word formation; vocabulary development; analogies; synonyms and antonyms; determiners, quantifiers, collocations; phrasal verbs; clauses and phrases; sentence structure; subject–verb agreement; identifying the odd-one-out; one-word substitutes; idiomatic expressions; direct and indirect speech; active and passive voice; etc.

Reading Comprehension

Understanding the story holistically and interpreting information in detail; comprehending phrases, phrasal verbs, and idioms both contextually and independently; analysing specific details and their implications; extracting information about events, characters, and references within the text; identifying underlying messages and moral perspectives; and related comprehension skills.

Interactive English

Using language for exchanging pleasantries; greeting; thanking; apologising; offering consolation; giving warnings; expressing opinions and advice; showing polite disagreement; introducing oneself; making requests; seeking permission; conveying information clearly and completely; and demonstrating proper etiquette in personal as well as telephonic conversations.

Instructions

1. This question paper contains 50 questions. All questions are compulsory.
2. The duration of the examination is 90 minutes.
3. Each question carries 2 marks. There is no negative marks for wrong answers.