

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE

## UNIT TEST - I

**Instructions:**

Read the question paper carefully. Write neatly and legibly. Do not over write. Pay special attention to spelling. Read the answers before submitting the answer sheet.

**Question 1**

[5]

You are suffering from fever and so would not be able to complete your science project in time. Write a letter to your friend requesting him/her to help you in completing your science project.

**Question 2**

- (i) Your school is organising a Fancy Dress Competition. Write a notice for the school Notice Board inviting students of Classes VIII to X to give their names for the event. [5]
- (ii) Write an email to a famous actor requesting him/her to judge the competition. [5]

**Question 3**

(a) Fill in each blank with an appropriate word: [1]

1. We have no cause \_\_\_\_\_ regret.  
2. He was amazed \_\_\_\_\_ their ignorance.

(b) Join the following sentences to make one complete sentence without using and, but or so. Choose the correct option. [2]

1. I am suffering. I have a toothache.  
a. I have a toothache to cause suffering.  
b. I am suffering for a toothache.  
c. I am suffering from toothache.  
d. I have a toothache to causing suffering.
2. The lock is broken. It is of no use.  
a. The broken lock was of no use.  
b. The lock is broken being of no use.  
c. The lock being broken is useless.  
d. The broken lock is of no use.

(c) Rewrite the following sentences according to the instructions given after each. Make other changes that may be necessary, but do not to change the meaning of each sentence. Choose the correct option. [2]

1. He is the only actor fit for the role. (Begin: No other actor...)  
a. No other actor but he is fit for the role.  
b. No other actor but he is the only one fit for the role.  
c. No other actor but him is fit for the role.  
d. No other actor except is fit for the role.

2. Sugarcane can't possibly grow in such poor soil. (Begin: It is impossible....)  
a. It is impossible growing sugarcane in this poor soil.  
b. It is impossible to grow sugarcane in such poor soil.  
c. It is impossible to be growing sugarcane in this poor soil.  
d. It is impossible to growing sugarcane in such poor soil.