

## CBSE Sample Paper English Set – A Answer Class 8

## Section-A

- 1. Food is being cooked for me by my mother.
- 2. Interrogative, quantity, descriptive, possessive.
- 3. a hardworking short forty-year-old Punjabi driver.
- 4. How
- 5. She talks very assertively.
- 6. more fragile.
- 7. A. the b. an c. no article.
- 8. Am
- 9. a) is/was
  - b) are
  - c) was
  - d) are
  - e) is/was
- 10. If I have time, I study French.
- **11.** A. even if b. in case
- **12.** a) many
  - b) few
  - c) a little
- 13. 1. b) Can you give me some idea of the cost?
  - 2. a) A spider has eight legs.
- 14. (a) An astronomer is a scientist who studies about the celestial bodies.
- (b) Astronomers use highly advanced telescopes to find out what lies beyond the earth's boundaries.
- 15. a) near the edge

b) was <u>too</u> lazy

c) so <u>he</u> thought

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d) trick <u>that</u> would

e) crab <u>also</u> lived

f) while <u>the</u> heron

g) resting <u>in</u> the

h) crab <u>asked</u> him

**16.** hello

17. learned

18. a group of singers, dancers and actors.

19. Noun.

20. a. over b. with c. in

**21.** his

22. Slingers and archers, Slings and bows.23.

(a) (iii) How is your preparation going on

(b) (i) except English

(c) (i) if you want a good position

(d) (iv) requires intense study

24. 1. Why are you angry with Suman?

2. Whom are you waiting for?

3. What is the plural of mouse?

4. Why are the birds dying?

5. Whose car is this?

25. (a) The Kangaroo is the national animal of Australia.

(b) Kangaroos use their long tail for balancing.

(c) They move by hopping on their back legs.

(d) Kangaroos are the largest marsupials alive today.

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## Section -B: Reading:

Α.

**26.** (b) future-oriented and characterized by apprehension.

**27.** (d) emotional and physical well-being of a person.

28. (b) The young and old children have the fear of monsters lurking in the shadows and

burglars respectively.

**29.** (a) the fearfulness of others will slowly subside.

30. (c) 'Resonate'.

Β.

**31.** The family was grumbling because the day had been very boring and gloomy.

**32**. Timothy asked for a camera to click Daddy's photograph when he saw Daddy struggling to crawl out of the duckweed in the pond.

**33.** The gardener slapped his knee and almost doubled up with silent laughter.

**34**. The quacking of the ducks compared to the old drake's laughter.

**35.** daft.

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