



English Practice Paper 1

Passage 1:

"The sun was setting behind the mountains, casting a warm orange glow over the landscape. In the distance, a small village was preparing for the night, with lights twinkling in the houses. The air was filled with the scent of blooming flowers and the sound of a gentle breeze rustling through the trees."

Question: What time of day is described in the passage?

Question: How does the author describe the atmosphere of the village?

Grammar

Question: Choose the correct form of the verb: "She (has, have) completed her homework."

Question: Identify the part of speech for the word 'swiftly' in the sentence: "The cat moved swiftly across the yard."

Vocabulary

Question: What is the meaning of the word 'benevolent'?

A. Kind-hearted B. Evil C. Lazy D. Angry

Question: Choose the word that best completes the sentence:

"The flowers in the garden were extremely _____."

A. Fragrant B. Noisy C. Pale D. Heavy

Creative Writing Prompts

Prompt: Write a short paragraph about a day in the life of a detective.

Prompt: Describe a mysterious forest using vivid adjectives.

Passage 2:

"Lucy had always loved books. From a young age, she would spend hours reading stories of faraway lands and daring adventures. Her favourite place to read was under the old oak tree in her backyard, where she could dive into different worlds away from the hustle of everyday life."

Question: What is Lucy's favourite hobby?

Question: Where is Lucy's favourite place to read?

Answer Key

1. Evening or Sunset
2. Peaceful, with lights twinkling and a sense of preparation for the night
3. Has
4. Adverb
5. A. Kind-hearted
6. A. Fragrant
- 7-8. [Open-ended creative responses]
9. Reading books
10. Under the old oak tree in her backyard