



**THE LAIDLAW MEMORIAL SCHOOL & JUNIOR COLLEGE,
KETTI
ENTRANCE EXAMINATION 2022-2023
SUBJECT: ENGLISH LANGUAGE
INTO CLASS 5**

CLASS: V (5)
READING TIME : 5 MINUTES
WRITING TIME : 1 HOUR

DATE:
MARKS:25
NO OF PAGES: 3

Name : _____

Question -1 **(5Marks)**

Letter writing:

1. Recently your exams were conducted. Write a letter to your father telling him how you have fared in your examination.

Question -2 **(3x1=3)**

Read the story. And answer the following questions.

The cartload of oats moved along the track. Seated old Felix Delage and his son Basil, was driving the horse. As they turned the corner the father exclaimed: "Look, Basil; Francois Millette has sold his farm!" A Canadian was Felix Delage! His farm was one of the oldest and richest in the district. And now the folly of real estate speculation, having ravaged the island of Montreal one after another his neighbours had sold their farms. Basil and Joseph, on either side of their father, was talking over the autumn work. Suddenly a car came and stopped before the house. The two gentlemen got out. "Are you Mr. Felix Delage? I am Stevenson, real estate agent. I am told that your farm has not been sold and I have come in order to make you an offer." "My dear sir," replied Felix, I must tell you at once that my farm is not for sale as long as I am alive and my sons have their two arms." "Good. I'll give you twenty-five thousand cash." Stevenson said. "As for me," went on Felix, "My farm is worth more than all you offer me." "I'll give you thirty thousand. That's my final price, he said. Three years passed during which death visited the Delage fireside. First it was Joseph, the eldest son, who fell, slashed by the blades of a mowing-machine. And then it was Basil laid low with pneumonia. Old Delage had changed. In the house are heard the prattle of Alfred and Joseph, Basil's bereaved children. The

Delage farm, for the first time lies untilled. There is but one solution, to put up the farm for sale, and to go away to the village of Longueuil. It is the morning of the final farewell, "Farm for Sale." Tears stream from Felix eyes, Alfred and Joseph in tears, too, and then Alfred says to him, "Grandad! "When we get older we want to work the farm like Daddy and you! Will you let us do that, Grandad? Don't sell the farm!" For a moment Felix stands dumbfounded. Then with firm steps he goes back to the house, seizes a pole and tears down the sign, Farm for Sale. On the Charnbly road not far from Longueuil there is an abandoned farm, which is not for sale!

1. What did Felix exclaim and why was he depressed?
2. Who came to their house?
3. What did Stevenson insist on and what did he offer to Felix?

Use the following words in sentences of your own. (2x1=2)

1. Farm
2. Agent

Question – 3 (5x1=5)

Fill in with the correct Prepositions (on, in at)

1. My wife is waiting for me _____ the car.
2. My birthday is _____ October.
3. I go to bed _____ 10 'O' clock every night.
4. The children are all standing _____ a row.
5. She sits _____ the back of the class.

Question – 4 (4 x ½=2)

Fill in the blanks with appropriate articles.

1. There is ____ institution for ____ blind in the city.
2. My mother is ____ doctor and my father is ____ author.

Question – 5 (3x1=3)

Put the verbs in the brackets into the past simple tense.

1. We _____ (have) a lot of fun yesterday.
2. Joe _____ (break) his leg three weeks ago.

3. I _____ (meet) my best friend yesterday

Question – 6

(3x1=3)

Fill in with the correct adjectives.

1. My classmate is a _____ person.
2. I speak French very _____.
3. She was wearing a _____ dress for the party.

Question – 7

(2x1=2)

Fill in with suitable Pronouns.

1. _____ hurt himself.
2. _____ are my books.