

**BAL BHARATI PUBLIC SCHOOL**  
**GRH MARG, NEW DELHI – 110060**  
**SUBJECT: ENGLISH**  
**CLASS VII**  
**FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT - 2**  
**ASSIGNMENT – 2**  
**TENSES – SIMPLE AND CONTINUOUS FORM**

I. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of verbs given in the brackets.

1. My father \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) for Mumbai tomorrow.
2. The child \_\_\_\_\_ (cry) because it cannot find its mother.
3. My mother \_\_\_\_\_ (teach) in a college. She \_\_\_\_\_ (go) there in the morning.
4. He \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to Shimla tomorrow.
5. Thomas Edison \_\_\_\_\_ (invent) the electric lamp in 1879.
6. Someone \_\_\_\_\_ (knock) at the door.
7. Good boys \_\_\_\_\_ (obey) their elders.
8. Water \_\_\_\_\_ (boil) at 100°C.
9. Birds \_\_\_\_\_ (fly) in the air.
10. I \_\_\_\_\_ (receive) your letter yesterday.
11. The clouds \_\_\_\_\_ (move) across the sky.
12. Sita \_\_\_\_\_ (talk) gently with everyone.
13. I \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to solve this sum.
14. He \_\_\_\_\_ (study) hard these days.
15. I \_\_\_\_\_ (write) a new book. I \_\_\_\_\_ (hope) to finish it by the end of this It was cloudy in the morning, but the sun \_\_\_\_\_ (shine) now.
16. Our country \_\_\_\_\_ (make) steady progress under the present government.
17. It \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) when I left the house.
18. Don't disturb me. I \_\_\_\_\_ (do) my work.
19. It seldom \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) here in February.
20. The horse \_\_\_\_\_ (gallop) across the fields.
21. month.
22. When I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to see him, he \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep).
23. I \_\_\_\_\_ (attend) the meeting tomorrow.
24. Cricket \_\_\_\_\_ (originate) in England.

II. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of verbs given in the brackets.

1. Air and water \_\_\_\_\_ (be) necessary for life. Air \_\_\_\_\_ (contain) oxygen which we inhale. We \_\_\_\_\_ (release) a gas called carbon dioxide, which \_\_\_\_\_ (consist) of carbon and oxygen. Trees \_\_\_\_\_ (act) as our friends because under sunlight, they \_\_\_\_\_ (break) carbon dioxide into two components and \_\_\_\_\_ (consume) carbon which \_\_\_\_\_ (be) the basis of the food for all the plants.

2. I \_\_\_\_\_ (employ) a new servant, Hari. He \_\_\_\_\_ (be) quite obedient, hard-working and submissive but sometimes, he \_\_\_\_\_ (behave) very strangely. Last evening, I was alone. I \_\_\_\_\_ (hear) his cries and ran towards him. He, at once, \_\_\_\_\_ (stop) crying. He had not been actually crying, he \_\_\_\_\_ (pretend). I \_\_\_\_\_ (scold) him for his strange behaviour.
3. Once upon a time, three thieves, who \_\_\_\_\_ (steal) a pot of gold in a distant town \_\_\_\_\_ (return) to their village. They \_\_\_\_\_ (pass) through a small town when it \_\_\_\_\_ (grow) dark. Their village \_\_\_\_\_ (be) still a long way away. Each of them had a doubt, " \_\_\_\_\_ (be) it safe to travel through the forest with all this gold?"