



## SmartCo English Olympiad

### Category 2: Grades 5-6

Total questions: 40

#### Section A: Reading Comprehension

Students answer multiple-choice questions based on one or more texts, depending on the category. Focuses on developing comprehension.

Skills assessed	Text types
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Identifying main ideas and supporting details</li><li>-Making simple inferences</li><li>-Understanding factual information</li><li>-Identifying author's purpose (basic)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Short stories</li><li>-Descriptive and informational texts</li></ul>

#### Section B: English Usage

All questions test grammar and vocabulary in context.

- Parts of speech
- Verb tenses (present, past, future – simple)
- Subject-verb agreement
- Modal verbs (can, should, must)
- Countable and uncountable nouns
- Comparatives and superlatives
- Prepositions and conjunctions
- Synonyms and antonyms
- Word formation (basic prefixes/suffixes)

## Category 2: Grades 5–6 (200 Words)

**Focus:** Descriptive language, basic science, and sequence markers.

**Science & Environment (25):** Planet, Space, Earth, Telescope, Energy, Gravity, Fossil, Liquid, Solid, Oxygen, Climate, Forest, Ocean, Island, Volcano, Temperature, Environment, Nature, Balance, Protect.

**Health & Body (20):** Exercise, Muscle, Bone, Healthy, Vitamin, Disease, Medicine, Energy, Breath, Heart, Brain, Stomach, Active, Strong, Tired, Relax, Safety, Habit, Diet, Nutrition.

**Feelings & Personality (25):** Excited, Nervous, Confused, Proud, Curious, Lonely, Surprised, Serious, Silly, Patient, Honest, Lazy, Active, Careful, Clumsy, Generous, Polite, Rude, Shy, Helpful, Creative, Intelligent, Strange, Normal, Famous.

**Travel & Work (30):** Journey, Ticket, Map, Compass, Airport, Station, Passenger, Explorer, Adventure, Destination, Luggage, Guide, Pilot, Engineer, Chef, Scientist, Artist, Writer, Farmer, Builder, Officer, Manager, Uniform, Career, Salary, Office, Factory, Market, Shop, Business.

**Descriptive Adjectives (30):** Enormous, Tiny, Ancient, Modern, Bright, Gloomy, Peaceful, Noisy, Smooth, Rough, Expensive, Cheap, Useful, Useless, Heavy, Light, Comfortable, Dangerous, Safe, Beautiful, Ugly, Pleasant, Terrible, Sharp, Blunt, Bitter, Sweet, Salty, Fresh, Stale.

**Action Verbs (30):** Observe, Describe, Explain, Prepare, Improve, Collect, Divide, Multiply, Imagine, Invent, Discover, Celebrate, Organize, Suggest, Believe, Forget, Remember, Decide, Explore, Travel, Escape, Arrive, Depart, Return, Borrow, Lend, Spend, Save, Repair, Destroy.

**Connectors & Time (20):** Although, However, Instead, Suddenly, Finally, During, Since, Until, Between, Against, Especially, Already, Almost, Perhaps, Usually, Often, Recently, Soon, Later, Together.

**Technology (20):** Internet, Website, Screen, Keyboard, Email, Message, Download, Upload, Search, Password, Digital, Online, Connection, Battery, Device, Robot, Video, Sound, Photography, Machine.