



# SMETA SPELLATHON OLYMPIAD

SAMPLE PAPER  
GRADE 7-8



**Q1. After a long day of hiking, Sarah felt an immense sense of \_\_\_\_\_ as she gazed at the view from the mountaintop, knowing she had conquered the challenging trail.**

**Which word correctly fits the blank?**

- A) Resilience
- B) Resilient
- C) Resiliency
- D) Resiliently

Answer: A) Resilience

**Q2. The team's \_\_\_\_\_ in overcoming the tough challenges impressed everyone, showing that with hard work and determination, success was inevitable.**

**Which word correctly fits the blank?**

- A) Momentum
- B) Endurance
- C) Nostalgia
- D) Virtue

Answer: B) Endurance

**Q3. The student was \_\_\_\_\_ in her approach to solving the complex math problem, carefully considering every step before moving forward.**

**Which word correctly fits the blank?**

- A) Deliberate
- B) Deliberately
- C) Deliberating
- D) Deliberation

Answer: A) Deliberate

**Q4. The artist decided to embellish the painting with brighter colors to make it more vibrant.**

**Which word is spelled incorrectly?**

- A) artist
- B) decided
- C) embellish
- D) vibrant

Answer:

C) embellish (Correct spelling: embellish)



**Q5. The scientist had to formulate a hypothesis to explain the strange results of the experiment.**

**Which word is spelled incorrectly?**

- A) All below options
- B) Experiment
- C) formulate
- D) hypothesis

Answer: D) hypothesis

**Q6. The speaker delivered an eloquent speech that moved the audience to tears.**

**Which word is spelled incorrectly?**

- A) speaker
- B) delivered
- C) eloquent
- D) Both A) and C)

Answer: D) Both A) and C)

**Q7. The boat set sail towards the \_\_\_\_\_ of the ship, where the captain was standing.**

- A) Bow
- B) Bough
- C) Boat
- D) Bowe

Answer:A) Bow

**Q8. I received delicious \_\_\_\_\_ as a gift during our meeting.**

- A) Dates
- B) Dait
- C) Daytes
- D) Dateys

Answer:A) Dates

**Q9. The scientist used a special \_\_\_\_\_ to help guide the experiment.**

- A) Lead
- B) Led
- C) Leed
- D) Lede

Answer:A) Lead

**Q10. Unscramble the letters to form a correct word:**

**ACDEEC**

- A) Accede
- B) Acdeec
- C) Acedec
- D) Aced

Answer: A) Accede

**Q11. Unscramble the letters to form a correct word:**

**TAMUERA**

- A) Amuter
- B) Matuar
- C) Amateur
- D) Amuetr

Answer: C) Amateur

**Q12. Unscramble the letters to form a correct word:**

**ECNEICSNOC**

- A) Conscience
- B) Consequences
- C) Conscience
- D) Consciences

Answer: C) Conscience

**Q13. Which of the following sentences is spelled correctly?**

- A) The weather forecast predicts a severe hailstorm tomorrow.
- B) The weather forecast predicts a severe hailstorm tommorrow.
- C) The weather forecast predicts a severe hailstorm tomorow.
- D) The weather forecast prdicts a severe halestorm tomorrow.

Answer: A) The weather forecast predicts a severe hailstorm tomorrow.

**Q14. Which of the following sentences is spelled correctly?**

- A) The diligent student completed all the assignments ahead of schedule.
- B) The dillegent student completed all the assignments ahead of schdule.
- C) The diligant student completed all the assignments head of schedule.
- D) The dilagent student completed all the assigments ahead of schedule.

Answer: A) The diligent student completed all the assignments ahead of schedule.

**Q15. Which of the following sentences is spelled correctly?**

- A) The scientist conducted a meticulous experiment to ensure accuracy.
- B) The scientist conducted a meticolus experiment to ensure acuracy.
- C) The scientist conducted a meticolus experiment to ensure accurasy.
- D) The scentist conducted a meticulous experimant to ensure accuracy.

Answer: A) The scientist conducted a meticulous experiment to ensure accuracy.

**Q16. The manager was known for his \_\_\_\_\_ in making fair decisions.**

- A) impartiality
- B) impartalty
- C) imparshalty
- D) impartialty

Answer: A) impartiality

**Q17. Her \_\_\_\_\_ after the test was evident, as she had studied so hard for it.**

- A) elation
- B) ellation
- C) elasion
- D) elaiton

Answer: A) elation

**Read the below passage and answer the questions 18 -25.**

In the heart of the mysterious forest, Sophia and Liam ventured deeper into the (18) \_\_\_\_\_ terrain. The air was thick with an (19) \_\_\_\_\_ mist, making the atmosphere feel (20) \_\_\_\_\_ and unsettling. As they walked, they discovered an (21) \_\_\_\_\_ cavern that seemed to open into the side of a steep hill. It was unclear whether this was a natural formation or a (22) \_\_\_\_\_ structure made by ancient hands.

With their lanterns lighting the way, they noticed intricate (23) \_\_\_\_\_ on the walls –almost as if they had been deliberately (24) \_\_\_\_\_ there by someone with a sharp eye for detail. They both felt an (25) \_\_\_\_\_ sense of anticipation as they continued into the cavern, unsure of what they might encounter next.

**Q18. They ventured into the \_\_\_\_\_ terrain of the mysterious forest.**

- A) treacherous
- B) trechrous
- C) trechurous
- D) trecherous

Answer: A) treacherous



**Q19. The air was thick with an \_\_\_\_\_ mist, making the atmosphere seem strange.**

- A) enigmatic
- B) enigmaic
- C) enigmatical
- D) enymatic

Answer: A) enigmatic

**Q20. The atmosphere felt \_\_\_\_\_ as they continued deeper into the forest.**

- A) eerie
- B) eery
- C) eeri
- D) eeri

Answer: A) eerie

**Q21. They discovered an \_\_\_\_\_ cavern in the side of the hill.**

- A) enigmatic
- B) enigmatical
- C) enigmatacal
- D) enymatical

Answer: A) enigmatic

**Q22. It was unclear whether the cavern was a natural formation or a \_\_\_\_\_ structure.**

- A) manmade
- B) manmade
- C) manmaid
- D) manmade

Answer: A) manmade

**Q23. They noticed intricate \_\_\_\_\_ on the walls.**

- A) carvings
- B) carvigns
- C) carvinngs
- D) carviings

Answer: A) carvings

**Q24. The carvings seemed to have been \_\_\_\_\_ there by someone with skill.**

A) meticulously

B) meticolosly

C) meticolusly

D) meticulously

Answer: A) meticulously

**Q25. They both felt an \_\_\_\_\_ sense of anticipation as they moved forward.**

A) overwhelming

B) overwelming

C) overwelming

D) overwheming

Answer: A) overwhelming