

English – class vii

Based on Grammar Book

Chapter- 1

Topic – Order of Words

**1. What are simple and complex sentences?**

**Ans- Simple sentences:- The simple sentences are those sentences which have only a finite verb and an independent clause. For example:-**

- a. She is washing the clothes.**
- b. He likes the strawberry pudding.**

**Complex sentences:- The complex sentences are those sentences which have one independent clause and one dependent clause with 2 finite verbs. For examples:-**

- a. Because the milk was too cold, she warmed it in the Microwave.**
- b. Aman saw a snake when he was walking in the garden.**

**2. Distinguish between the Direct object and the Indirect object.**

**Ans- A. Direct object is a noun or a phrase or a pronoun that receives the actions of the verb directly. For example- The mother fed her child (Direct object).**

**The sentences have Direct object and may or may not have Indirect object.**

**For example:- I received the parcel. In this sentence there is no Indirect object.**

**Direct object answers the questions- what, who and whom.**

***For example: Ricky threw pebbles in the pond.***

***B. An Indirect object is a noun or a noun phrase or pronoun to whom or for whom the action is done. It receives the actions through direct object and not directly. There will be no Indirect object without direct object. It answers the questions at whom or to whom or for whom or from whom. It often comes after a preposition.***

***For example: He passed a packet to Nikki.***

***Indirect object may come before or after direct object.***

***Rama gave a note to me.***

***Or***

***Rama gave me a note.***

***HW:- Write in brief the Rules of Ordering words in a sentence.***