#### PHASE - 1

#### **GRAMMAR SECTION**

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Copy in your notebook and understand the following grammatical questions as examples: -

## QUES 1: - Fill in the blanks with correct form of the verbs given in the brackets:

The Egyptians were the first <u>to build</u> (build) the dam among the ancient civilizations. This was simple enough <u>to be made</u> (make) of rocks and gravel which <u>resisted</u> (resist)the force of water. However their dam was not very effective as water eventually managed <u>to trickle</u> (trickle)through the rocks. The Mesopotamians on the other hand, <u>built</u> (build) their dam, of soil and clay.

The Romans built the first concrete dam in 100 BCE, but in the 17<sup>th</sup> century the Spanish perfected (perfect) the art of <u>building</u> (build) dams. They travelled around the world, <u>taking</u> (take) their building methods with them and <u>shared</u> (share) their knowledge with the rest of the world.

## **QUES 2**: - Fill in the blanks with appropriate word:

- (a) He does not want to part with his money.
- (b) It is difficult to come across that rare book.
- (c) His kidnapper is still at large.
- (d) This building is so old that it will fall down at any time.
- (e) She has got through all her difficulties.
- (f) How did such a crisis come <u>up</u>?
- (g) Our team put <u>up</u> a good fight in the debate.
- (h) We should not deviate from our objective

# QUES 3: - Join the following sentences without using and, but and so. For the questions, please refer to page number 50 of your Total English book.

- Ans 1: I will find him wherever he may go.
- Ans 2: Here is the lady whose daughter is a tennis player.
- Ans 3: The this escaped as it was dark.
- Ans 4: Although she had high fever today, she came to school.

# QUES 4 :- Do as Directed (Refer to the questions in page number 50)

- Ans 1. You had better come back tomorrow.
- Ans 2. It seemed that he was warming up.

- Ans 3. The musician's performance on the stage was admirable.
- Ans 4. It is dangerous to cross the railway lines to get to the station.
- Ans 5. No sooner did the chief guest arrive than we all stood up.
- Ans 6. Having fractured his leg, the doctor forbade Satish to go out.
- Ans 7. She invited us to have dinner with her on Sunday.
- Ans 8. People believe him to have been in the Indian Army.

**Homework**: Copy the following questions in your notebook, and write the answers:

| Ques 1 : Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb given in the brackets. Please       |
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| copy the full paragraph:  |
| Suraj(look) out of the door. He (catch) sight of the board  |
| (bear)the station's name. He was so (astonish) that he almost                                     |
| (fall) out of the compartment. He was back in his hometown! After (travel)                        |
| for forty or fifty kilometers, here he( is ) home again. He                                       |
| (can) not understand it. He (climb)out of the compartment slowly.                                 |
| QUES 2. Fill in the blanks with appropriate word ( Copy full sentences) :                         |
| (a) Bobby waited in front the school.   |
| (b) The children were told to return home it became dark.   |
| (c) He wore an old muffler wrapped his neck.  |
| (d) We saw the bird fly high the tower and disappear.   |
| (e) Music therapy is a cure many ills.  |
| (f) The thief ran the staircase and out into the yard.  |
| (g) Mr. Roy jumped into his car and drove as fast as he could.                                    |
| (h) Please do not get carried by these rumours.   |
| QUES 3: Do as directed : -  |
| (a) "I saw a panther this morning", he said modestly. (Rewrite using indirect speech)             |
| (b) Kiran is the fastest runner in our school. (Begin – No other)                                 |
| (c) Susan hid her grandmother's spectacles. (Begin – Her grandmother's)                           |
| (d) Ali was too embarrassed to speak clearly.(Begin – Ali was so)                                 |
| (e) As soon as the election results were out, the victory procession started. (Begin – No sooner) |
| (f) Ranji prefers reading a book to watching a movie.(Begin – Ranji would rather)                 |

(g) Anu does not study enough, but she still stands first.(Begin- Despite...)

(h) If Aruna practices, she will win the competition .(Begin- Unless....)