English- Self-Study

Grade 5

Date: 18.12.2025 **Duration: 70 minutes**

Session: 1 & 2

Task 1: Words of the day (Notebook)

1. _____:
   Word class:
   Synonym:
   Antonym:
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   Word class:
   Synonym:
   Antonym:

Task 2: Daily Language Practice

(We shall check the answers on Sunday)

Task 3: Read the passages *Growing a Garden* and *My Garden Diary* and answer the following questions in your notebook:

1. How are the two texts the same?
2. How are the two texts different?
3. What does each text say about planting a garden?
4. How is the way the information is written different in each text?
5. Which text tells a story of real events, and which text gives instructions?

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Growing a Garden

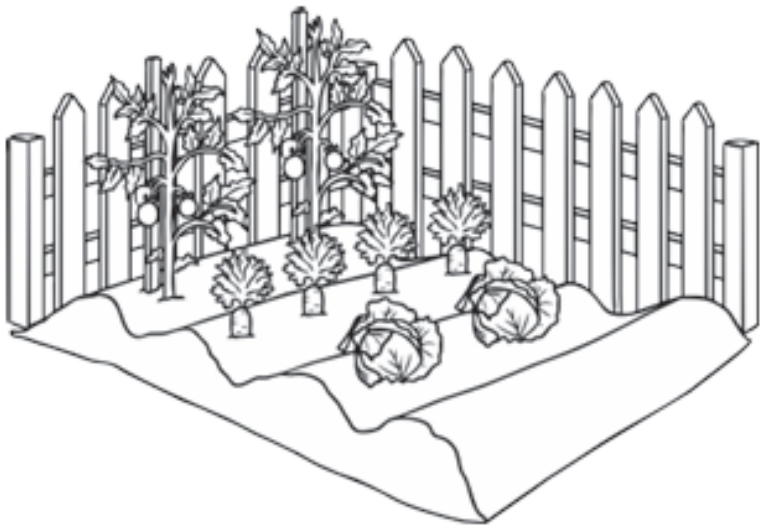
Have you ever planted a garden? Planting your own garden can be very fun and rewarding! Don't be fooled though. Planting and maintaining a garden is also a lot of work.

Before you can begin planting, you must decide what you would like to grow. It is exciting to look through all the different choices and select what you would like to grow in your garden. You may choose to plant traditional vegetables such as tomatoes, lettuce and bell peppers. Or you could spice things up a bit and choose purple cabbage or extra hot peppers!

Once you have made your choices, it is time to prep your garden space and plant your garden. To prep your garden space for planting, you need to till your dirt to make it prime for growing. After your garden is tilled and clear of weeds, you can plant your seeds or plants.

While your plants grow, it is important to keep them watered. Your garden will also need to be clear of weeds and harmful insects. You might even have some visitors try to sneak in your garden for a tasty carrot, so it may be necessary to put a fence around the perimeter.

If you follow all the above steps you will have a beautiful, plentiful garden by the end of the season. It is very rewarding to pull ingredients out of your garden to use in the meals you prepare. Enjoy all your hard work and delicious, healthy food!



My Garden Diary

May 1, 2017

I started working in my garden tonight! I picked the perfect location and began tilling up the dirt. I want to make sure my soil is just right to grow my vegetables.

May 3, 2017

Whew! I think my garden spot is just about ready. I am going to begin planting my seeds tomorrow. This sure is a lot of work!

May 4, 2017

I planted my garden today! I made sure I had all the equipment I needed to make my planting go smoothly. I had a hoe, rake, shovel, gloves, hat and a watering can. I planted some seeds and some plants. It will be interesting to see the differences in how each thing grows.

May 25, 2017

I have been monitoring my garden daily. I have made sure it is well watered and free of nasty pests. There are little sprouts starting to come through the ground! I know in no time I will have delicious vegetables to pull out of my garden.