Punctuation and Capital Letters

A. Choose the correct Answer;

1. A complex sentence contains:

(a) One clause only

(b) Two or more independent clauses

(c) One main and one or more subordinate clauses

(d) Two incomplete clauses

2. The punctuation mark used to close a statement is:

(a) Comma

(b) Exclamation mark

(c) Full stop

(d) Apostrophe

3. Identify the compound sentence:

(a) She laughed because she was happy.

(b) He played and she danced.

(c) I met the girl who won the prize.

(d) None of the above

4. A semicolon (;) is used to:

(a) End a sentence

(b) Join a dependent and independent clause

(c) Indicate a short pause
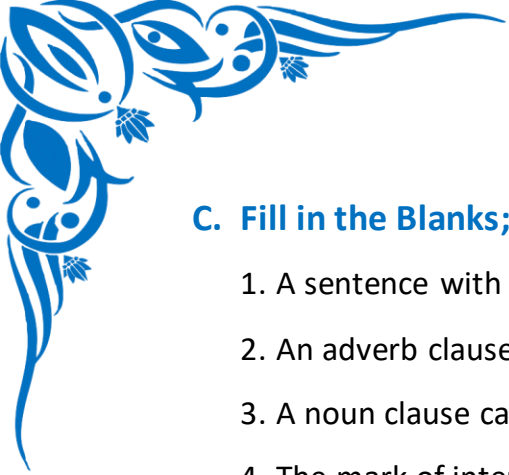
(d) Separate independent clauses not joined by conjunctions

5. Which of these sentences contains an adjective clause?

(a) She said that she was tired.

(b) I will stay until you return.

(c) The girl who is dancing is my cousin.

(d) He was happy when he won.

B. Match the Following;

Match the punctuation with its correct usage:

A. Punctuation Mark	B. Usage
1. Apostrophe (')	a) To end a statement
2. Quotation Marks ("")	b) To show possession
3. Full Stop (.)	c) To set off spoken words
4. Colon (:)	d) To introduce a list
5. Comma (,)	e) To separate words in a series

C. Fill in the Blanks;

1. A sentence with one finite verb is called a _____ sentence.

2. An adverb clause modifies a _____.

3. A noun clause can function as a _____ of a verb.

4. The mark of interrogation (?) is used at the end of a(n) _____ sentence.

5. Capital letters are used to begin the _____ word of a sentence.

D. Subjective Questions;

1. **Identify the type of sentence and explain why:** Although it was late, she went to the market.

2. **Insert correct punctuation in the sentence:** rahul where are you going

3. **Rewrite using proper capital letters:** gandhi ji is known as the father of the nation.

4. **Underline the noun clause in the following sentence:** He said that he would come tomorrow.

5. **Write one sentence each of the following types:**

   a) Simple sentence   b) Compound sentence   c) Complex sentence