

Communication Skills

Grade 5

Students will be evaluated on the following qualities and skills.

- Public Speaking
- Active Listening
- Technology
- Writing
- Charisma

Sample Questions

Read the conversation with Chandrasekar and answer questions (1 to 3)

Q: How did you get into the chaat business?

Chandrasekar: I am from a family of farmers. Farming was hard work, and we had to spend a lot of time in the sun. We could farm only according to the rain, and business was good when it rained. I moved to Bangalore over 10 years ago, hoping to earn a steady living. I first worked at a local restaurant, where I learned how to make chaat. I then acquired a cart and set up a stall.

Q: Where do you sell your chaat?

Chandrasekar: I sell chaat at Chaat Street in Sanjay Nagar. There are four carts selling chaat on the street, which are spread around the intersection of the four streets, maintaining a respectable distance from each other.

Q: What does your menu include?

Chandrasekar: My menu has over 70 items including paani puri, masala puri, dahi puri, aloo puri, sev puri and bhel puri. My specialities are paani puri and dahi puri.

Q: What makes your chaat special?

Chandrasekar: People like to eat chaat. It is fresh and that makes it special.

Q: Do you take a lot of time to prepare the chaat?

Chandrasekar: My preparation time begins at home at 9.00 AM. I prepare all the key ingredients so that they will be ready to serve when people start coming. I have two employees whom I have trained in the business.

Q: How many customers do you get in a day?

Chandrasekar: I get about 80–90 customers and make a profit of Rs. 400 a day.

Q: Do you have any plans to expand your business?

Chandrasekar: I have been thinking of opening another stall somewhere else, but I am yet to work on it.

1. This interview is about:

- A. Chandrasekar selling chaat in a restaurant
- B. Chandrasekar working as a farmer
- C. Chandrasekar selling chaat at a street stall
- D. Chaat Street where Chandrasekar sells chaat

2. How many customers does Chandrasekar get in a day?

- A. 80–90
- B. 70–80
- C. 90–100
- D. 60–70

3. Which of the given options is a fact?

- A. Chandrasekar was from a family of farmers.
- B. Chandrasekar may expand his business.
- C. Chandrasekar employees make everything before his customers arrive.
- D. Chandrasekar is particular about the food being fresh.

Look at the given picture and answer the following question



4. This is a picture of a _____ food cart.

- A. stationary
- B. mobile
- C. momentary
- D. live

**5. Choose the most appropriate response to:
Did you go to the gym today?**

- A. The gym is a good place to work out.
- B. I love the food stall at the gym.
- C. No. I felt lazy, so I stayed at home.
- D. My gym instructor is very strict.

[Answers: 1-C, 2-A, 3-A, 4-B, 5-C]