



## INDIAN SCHOOL AL WADI AL KABIR

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<b>WORKSHEET</b>	<b>Topic: DIALOGUE WRITING</b>	<b>Note: To be done in notebook</b>

### DIALOGUE WRITING

- Dialogue writing is a very important part of English writing. Dialogue is basically a conversation between two or more people. In writing, dialogue shows a character speaking. It works to tell you more about the character and how they converse with other or react.
- When it comes to dialogue, you might see two types; outer and inner dialogue. Outer dialogue is when a character talks to another character in the story or play. Inner dialogue is the dialogue a character has inside their own head. Often, it's referred to as an inner monologue.

#### Points to remember:

1. Each character should get separate paragraphs.
2. Name of each character should be followed by a ‘:’
3. Punctuation is very important.
4. It is better to put the dialogue in “.....”

### SAMPLE

#### Type 1

**Mr. and Mrs. Kale's argument isn't over even after the order has been served. Write a set of six dialogues (three dialogues each) based on your understanding.**

#### **Answer.**

Mr. Kale: I don't like the look of it. I don't know why you always order Italian!

Mrs. Kale: Because the dishes are so nice to look at. Such aesthetic display of food.

Mr. Kale: Food need not be aesthetically served. They need to be good in taste. Why can't I ever have my say and order Indian for once, or at least Chinese!

Mrs. Kale: Both those cuisines are highly overrated, but taste wise they're so basic. I've spent 3 years of my life eating Indian. I want to eat exotic now.

Mr. Kale: Next time it's my turn to order. And I will order Indian.

Mrs. Kale: We'll see.

## **Type 2**

**Read the conversation between Venugopal and his friend, Indranil carefully and fill in the blanks.**

Indranil: Are you a movie buff? Do you .....

Venugopal: Not really. But I ..... Are you fond of movies?

Indranil: Yeah. I'm a huge fan of ..... Their movies are like pieces of art.

Venugopal: Sorry to disappoint you friend, but..... about art films. I occasionally enjoy the massy ones.

Indranil: Doesn't matter. Now that we're roommates, .....

Venugopal: Sure, I'm looking forward to it. By the way nice meeting you Indranil. Life isn't going to be .....

## **Answer.**

Indranil: Are you a movie buff? Do you **go for movies regularly**?

Venugopal: Not really. But I enjoy **a movie or two occasionally, in between studies**. Are you fond of movies?

Indranil: Yeah. I'm a huge fan of **Satyajit Ray, Akira Kurosawa and Quentin Tarantino**. Their movies are like pieces of art.

Venugopal: Sorry to disappoint you friend, but I haven't got much idea about art films. I occasionally enjoy the massy ones.

Indranil: Doesn't matter. Now that we're roommates, **you'll pick up a taste for them too!**

Venugopal: Sure, I'm looking forward to it. By the way nice meeting you Indranil. Life isn't going to be **as boring as I thought before coming here**.

## **EXERCISE**

1. Write a dialogue between two students discussing exam stress. Write a set of six dialogues (three dialogues each) based on your understanding.

2. Read the conversation between two friends and complete the dialogue in a suitable way.

Amy: "I'm planning a surprise party for John's birthday."

Linda: \_\_\_\_\_. How can I help?"

Amy: "I need assistance with decorations and organizing the guest list."

Linda: "Consider it done. We'll \_\_\_\_\_."

Amy: "I \_\_\_\_\_. John will be thrilled."

Linda: "Let's get to work. It's going to be a fantastic party!"

3. Sarita is being interviewed for the job of a teacher in a school. Read the conversation carefully and fill in the blanks.

**Interviewer:** Why do you think you (i)..... ?

**Sarita:** Ma'am, I am qualified for the job and I have a passion for children and teaching. All these traits make me suitable for the job.

**Interviewer:** Can (ii)..... any foreign language?

**Sarita:** Yes, I can speak and write German.

**Interviewer:** What (iii)..... in graduation?

**Sarita:** Ma'am, I have graduated in Chemistry Honors.

**Interviewer:** Do you (iv)..... experience?

**Sarita:** Yes, I have teaching experience of 5 years in a public school.

**Interviewer:** Well, then we may consider you for the job.

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