Unit 3 · Getting Information

HARDER PRACTICE QUESTIONS

Full marks 29

Write your answers on separate paper.

1 Reading an information sheet [7]

Read this information sheet about a book fair. (The fair is made up.)

What	Details
Edition	the 3rd Young Readers' Fair
Dates	26 December 2026 to 1 January 2027
Venue	Fewa Hall, Pokhara
Book hall: 26, 27, 28 and 31 December, 1 January	10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Book hall: 29 and 30 December	10 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Sky watching on the roof: 29 and 30 December only	7 p.m. to 12 midnight
Organizer	Young Readers' Club
Categories	picture books, science books, comics, Nepali stories
Entry	free for children; adults Rs. 50

a. For how many days does the fair run?
b. How many hours is the book hall open on 27 December? And on 29 December?
c. How many hours does the sky watching last?
d. Sanskar says, "On 30 December, you can be at the fair for 14 hours without a break." Is he right? Show how you know.
e. Shreya's mother finishes work at 6:30 p.m. She wants to take Shreya to the fair after work. On which days can they go, and what can they do there?
f. Shreya, her mother and her little brother go together. How much do they pay to get in?

2 How often does Pasang do it? [6]

Pasang kept a record for one week (7 days).

What happened	Number of days
He walked to school.	7
He ate rice for dinner.	6
He played football after school.	4
He was tired after school.	2
He was late for school.	0

a. Write five sentences about Pasang's usual week, in the present. Use each of these words once, the one that fits the number of days: *always, usually, often, sometimes, never*. Put each word in the right place in its sentence.
b. Pasang's sister wrote, "He doesn't never come late." Correct her sentence, and say why it is wrong.
c. Write a question to ask Pasang about football, using *often*.

3 Asking politely [6]

You are new in a town. Make each question polite. Begin with the words in brackets.

a. Where is the post office? (Could you tell me …)
b. When does the museum open? (Do you know …)
c. What time do the buses leave? (Do you know …)
d. Where was the meeting? (Can you tell me …)
e. In b, the verb *open* gets an *-s* in your polite question. In c, *leave* doesn't. Explain why.
f. Ujwal asked a man, "Excuse me, do you know when does the bank open?" What is wrong, and how should he ask?

4 Find the question [5]

Diksha came back from a school trip. Here are her answers. Write the question that each answer answers. The words in **bold** are what the question asks about. Use *was* or *were* in every question.

a. I was **at the zoo** all day.
b. There were **thirty** children on the bus.
c. The ticket was **Rs. 100**.
d. I was late **because the bus broke down**.
e. The best thing was **the tiger**.

5 A letter about the fair [5]

Your friend Nitu, in another town, loves science and stars. Write her a letter about the Young Readers' Fair in Problem 1. Choose the facts she will want, and leave out the rest. Your letter must have all its parts (your address, the date, the greeting, an opening, the body, a closing and your name), and say:

- when the fair is, and for how long;
- who organizes it;
- which day she should come, and why.