**10. VERBS**

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 **Let’s Get Started:**

**Underline the articles in this passage:**

1. Salman **has** a friend, George.
2. They **are** happy.
3. They **play** football in the afternoon.
4. We **bought** an umbrella.
5. Who **can open** this lock?
6. **Underline the primary auxiliaries and write if they are used as helping verbs or main verbs:**
7. Saem **is** a successful doctor. **(main verb)**
8. I **am** doing my homework now. **(helping verb)**
9. The visitors at the exhibition **were** happy. **(main verb)**
10. I **am** not as good in English as Henry. **(main verb)**
11. They **are** going abroad next winter. **(helping verb)**
12. The Clarks **have** bought a new SUV. **(helping verb)**
13. Mr Gomes **has** five beautiful rose plants. **(main verb)**
14. Mrs Vergese **had** set the homework last Wednesday. **(helping verb)**
15. She **did** not complete her work today. **(helping verb)**
16. He **does** his homework regularly. **(main verb)**
17. What **does** your mother cook on special holidays? **(helping verb)**
18. Where **were** you in the afternoon? **(main verb)**
19. Where **did** you go for your vacations this winter? **(helping verb)**
20. Where **are** my science notebooks? **(main verb)**
21. What **have** you brought for lunch today? **(helping verb)**
22. **Complete the passage with appropriate auxiliary verbs:**

Mr Dhananjay Chakraborty **is** a taxi driver in Kolkata. He **has** built a garden on the roof of his cab. He has named his taxi ‘*Sabuj Rath’* or ‘Green Chariot’. There **are** metal containers on the roof of the cab. The bottom is laid with soil, white sand and stone chips. Mr Chakraborty **is** 40 years old. He drives his taxi between Tollygunge and Karunamoyee in Kolkata. His friend **is** the one who gave him this idea. His passengers also showed their appreciation for the small money plant that he **had** begun with. However, Mr Chakraborty **does** not own his ‘Green Chariot’. According to the owner of the taxi, Dhananjay **is** one of the most careful drivers. He also fully supports this mission of his. Initially, this **was** not easy for him. There **were** other drivers who made fun of him. Most people thought that he **was** mad to even try doing such a thing. However, he **did** not lose heart.

1. **Fill in the blanks with appropriate modal auxiliary verbs:**
2. Shakshi **can** score good marks because she studies regularly.
3. The thief **could not** run away because the police held him tightly.
4. We **must** leave now or else we will miss the bus.
5. You **mustn’t** go out without your cardigan. It is very cold outside.
6. He **may** be sick, but I am not sure.
7. **Can** you please switch on the fan?
8. You **can’t** drive. You are just fourteen.
9. You **can** ask me any question now.
10. He **could not** finish his paper on time yesterday.
11. **Can** you speak French?
12. We **should** exercise regularly to keep healthy.
13. Each student **will** be given a copy of the painting.
14. We **will** reach the theatre on time.
15. **Shall** we go to the beach today?
16. One **should** keep one’s promises always.
17. **Rewrite the sentences after correcting the errors:**
18. Who **are** you talking about?
19. The students **are** making noise.
20. **Does** Mrs Munshi celebrate Parsi New Year, Novruz?
21. What time **do** you get up in the morning?
22. **Is** Mrs David present today?
23. My sister **did** not give me any present on my last birthday.
24. I **am** not going to celebrate my birthday this year.
25. They **have** not brought their lunchboxes today.
26. Whose books **are** these?
27. Where **did** this parcel come from?