

**NEW ERA PUBLIC SCHOOL**

**CLASS X**

**ENGLISH ASSIGNMENT 1**

**Topic: Subject-Verb Agreement**

Q1. Underline the errors in subject-verb agreement in the following paragraph.

Dear Hiring Manager,

I feels that I am the ideal candidate for the receptionist position at your company. I has three years of experience as a receptionist in a company that is similar to yours. My phone skills and written communication is excellent. These skills, and others that I have learned on the job, helps me understand that every person in a company helps make the business a success. At my current job, the team always say that I am very helpful. Everyone appreciate when I go the extra mile to get the job done right. My current employer and co-workers feels that I am an asset to the team. I is efficient and organized. Is there any other details about me that you would like to know? If so, please contact me. Here are my résumé. You can reach me by e-mail or phone. I looks forward to speaking with you in person.

Thanks,

Felicia Fellini

Q2. Write out the correct form of the verb in parentheses in the following sentences. Keep to the present tense.

1. Do you know how to play bocce? The game (do) not require any special athletic abilities.

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2. There is a new bocce league at the recreational center. There (be) several teams in the league.

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3. I have a new set of bocce balls. My friend (have) a new pallino ball.

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4. Bocce is a game for people of all ages. I (be) going to show you how to play.

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5. The players take turns rolling a ball down the court. Each of the players [take] one ball and aims for the pallino.

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6. We try to get our balls as close to the pallino as possible. Rick often (try) to bounce his ball off the side of the court.

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7. Nobody enjoys playing bocce more than I do. Everybody who plays bocce (enjoy) the game.

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8. There are four players on each team. There (be) a tournament at the end of the season.

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9. The winners of the tournament carry home a trophy. Everyone (carry) home good memories.

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Q3. Underline the errors in the given paragraph and write the correct answers in the space provided:

According to legend, Santa Claus is a fat old man who visits every house on our planet in about eight hours on one of the coldest nights of the year. Santa, as everybody knows, stop for a glass of milk and a cookie at each house along the route. He prefer to work unnoticed, so he wears a luminous red suit and travels with a pack of bell-jangling reindeer. For reasons that most people does not understand, this jolly old man enters each house not by the front door but through the chimney (whether you has a chimney or not). He customarily gives generously to children in wealthy families, and he usually remind poorer children that it's the thought that counts. Santa Claus is one of the earliest beliefs that parents try to instill in their children. After this absurdity, it's a wonder that any child ever believe in anything again.

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