## Grade 10

## **Story Writing**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

1. Plot

The basic frame work of the story is called Plot

> Story Writing Elements

2. Characters

The hero, heroine or other people in the story are called characters.

4. Climax & Conclusion

The highest point or the story and concluding ending is a must.

3. Setting

The place where story takes place is called its setting. Eg. Home, room, school, India. Word limit: 150-200 words

Format – 1 mark (Title)

**Content** – 4 marks (The story must start with the cue given in the question. There must be clarity of plot, logical sequence of events, well defined characters and an apt conclusion)

**Expression** – 5 marks (creativity, grammatical accuracy, appropriate words, spellings, coherence & relevance, originality of ideas and style)

## **Main Points to remember:**

- 1. Start your story with an appropriate title. It is a must to have title of the story.
- 2. Follow the verbal or visual stimulus given in the paper.
- 3. Have minimum number of characters.
- 4. Introduce/develop your characters with the help of dialogues.
- 5. Follow the given word limit.
- 6. The story should be written in simple and clear language.
- 7. Take the story to climax but give a satisfying conclusion.
- 8. Write in paragraphs.
- 9. The story should flow from one to other paragraph.
- 10. Write a cohesive piece. The surprise element should be there but don't bring/end idea abruptly.
- 11. Your story should have proper beginning, middle and end.

Write a story based on the given stimulus. Wordlimit is 150-200.	