

Subject-Verb Agreement

A. Choose the correct form of the verb that agrees with the subject.

1. Either answers (is, are) acceptable.
2. Each one of those books (is, are) torn.
3. Nobody (know, knows) what I've seen.
4. (Is, Are) the news true?
5. Mathematics (is, are) Meera's favourite subject, while Geography (is, are) Anand's favourite subject.

B. Fill in the blanks with is/am/are/was/were/has/have/do/don't/does/doesn't/isn't

1. Sweetie and Tarun want to see that movie.
2. Either my shoes or your jacket always on the floor.
3. Shanky is the only one of those students who lived up to the teacher's expectations.
4. One of my best friends coming tonight. And I disappointed.
5. Many a student made the same mistake.

Answers

A.

1. Either answer is acceptable.
2. Every one of those books is torn.
3. Nobody knows what I've seen.
4. Is the news true?
5. Mathematics is Meera's favourite subject, while Geography is Anand's favourite subject.

B.

1. Sweetie and Tarun don't want to see that movie.
2. Either my shoes or your jacket is always on the floor.
3. Shanky is the only one of those students who has lived up to the teacher's expectations.
4. One of my best friends isn't coming tonight. And I am disappointed.
5. Many a student has made the same mistake.