

## 8Eng – Hobby Turns into a Successful Career

### I. Choose correct synonyms for the italic word.

1. Writing is a **unique** hobby  
a) common b) beneficial c) uncommon d) separate
2. Ajay started to paint **happily**.  
a) depressed b) joyfully c) unhappily d) sadly
3. Miniature paintings **depict** Indian culture.  
a) warp b) portray c) twist d) falsify
4. We do it in **spare time**.  
a) busy time b) downtime c) free time d) work time
5. Her father's dream shutter **shattered**  
a) combined b) built c) destroyed d) fulfilled

### II. Choose correct antonyms for the italic word.

1. Ajay **suffered** an injury.  
a) sorrow b) endure c) hurt d) mourn
2. Ajay **mastered** the techniques of painting.  
a) skilled b) proficient c) unskilled d) experienced
3. Ilavazhagi **won** world championship in 2008.  
a) win b) succeed c) lost d) well-skilled
4. It opens my mind to think with a **broader** mind.  
a) outer b) wider c) smoother d) narrower
5. **Same** is the case with me  
a) fair b) identical c) different d) ordinary