

Question – Bank
Class – 10th
Year – 2020-21
Subject – English General

Section – A: Reading Comprehension

(3 passages x 5 Marks each = 15 Marks)

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| Q.1. Unseen Passage (Factual Passage) | (5 Marks) |
| Q.2. Unseen Passage (Discursive Passage) | (5 Marks) |
| Q.3. Unseen Passage (Literary Passage) | (5 Marks) |

Practice Unseen Passages

Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given below.

Unseen Passage-1

A young father was visiting an older neighbour. They were standing in the older man's garden and talking about children. The young man said, "How strict should parents be with their children?" The older man pointed to a string between a big, strong tree and a thin, young one. "Please untie that string" he said. The young man untied it. And the young tree bent over to one side "Now tie again, please" said the older man "But first pull the string tight so that the young tree is straight again."

The young man did this. Then the older man said, "It is the same with children. You must be strict with them, but sometimes you must untie the string to see how they are getting on. If they are not yet able to stand alone, you must tie the string tight again. But when you find that they are ready to stand alone, you can take the string away."

Question:

- a) Where were the men standing?
- b) What did the older man ask the young man to do with the string?
- c) With whom should the parents be strict sometimes?
- d) Find out the opposite of the word – 'different' from the passage.
- e) Fill in the blank with the correct alternative

When the young man untied the string, the young tree..... to one side.

- i. fell down
- ii. bent over
- iii. stood straight
- iv. didn't bend

Unseen Passage-2

Of man's earliest invention we know very little. The first may have been the use of a stone to crack a nut. The next was possibly the use of a stick to strike an enemy. Once man found that stick and stones were useful, it was only a step further to the making of a crude weapon by fastening a stone to the end of a stick.

Man used sticks and stone long before he dared to meddle with fire; for the early man like all wild creatures dreaded the fire. Fire, of course, existed; for lightning must sometimes have set the forests ablaze just as it does today; and in those days volcanoes were much more active than they now are. The forgotten hero who first dared to tame fire to his own use was the greatest of early inventors. Once man had fire he was master of all lower creatures.

Question:

- a) What may have been man's earliest invention?
- b) Who was the greatest of early inventors?
- c) How did the early man make his first weapon?
- d) Find out a word from the passage which means – animals.
- e) In old days volcanoes were:
 - i. Not much active
 - ii. Less active
 - iii. Much more active
 - iv. passive

Unseen Passage-3

(2016,2018)

Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given below it.

There seems to be a general opinion in this country that Sardar Patel was slightly of harsh and rough temperament. Men called him the 'Iron man of India'. He was no doubt, an iron man in the sense that one could rely on him for strict and efficient administration. But as a man, to those who had the good fortune of coming into close contact with him, he was kind and considerate. At times, he even became emotional when his personal friends and followers were concerned. However, it goes without saying that the Sardar Patel had the great skill for organizing affairs. He knew the way of picking people and putting them in their proper place. Once he judged a man and found him correct, he trusted him fully and got him to do anything he wanted.

Question:

- a) What did people call Sardar Patel?
- b) What special skill did Sardar Patel have?
- c) For whom was he kind and considerate?
- d) One could rely on him for strict and efficient:
 - i. People
 - ii. Work
 - iii. Administration
- e) Find out the word from the passage which means-'luck'

Unseen Passage-

Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given below it. (2018)

'Prevention is better than cure' and it is recognized that the only way to get rid of malaria completely is to get rid of the mosquitoes which cause it. Malaria is always associated with damp and marshy land. This is not because the land is damp, but because the stagnant water is the breeding place of the mosquito, which begins its life as larva living in the water. Malaria does not frequently occur in dry desert countries, because mosquitoes cannot breed there. The only way to destroy mosquitoes is to prevent their breeding in stagnant water. This can be done by draining all ponds and pools, and by keeping them covered in the breeding season with a thin layer of kerosene oil, which by depriving the larva of air, kills them.

Question:

- a) In what places does malaria occur most?
- b) How does a mosquito begin its life?
- c) In what places malaria does not occur?
- d) The is the breeding place of the mosquito.
 - (i) flowing water (ii) dry desert
 - (iii) stagnant water
- e) Malaria is caused by :
 - (i) housefly (ii) mosquito
 - (iii) honeybee (iv) butterfly

Unseen Passage-5

Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given below it.

Students who are very fond of reading books are often labelled by their companions as bookworms. The criticism generally comes from students who consider themselves better in sports. Students who shine in athletics or in some games consider that it is better to spend time and envy in a sports arena than in classroom or at a reading desk. All the same they do envy their fellows who shine academically. Academic honours has glamour which is unique. It is not to be denied that playing games is a useful activity, because it creates team spirit and also make the sportsmen healthy and vigorous. That is why games and sports are given so much importance in the curriculum of schools and colleges. But studies should not be neglected and should be given due importance along with other activities connected with education. Let each type of activity have its own place in our daily routine. Then only we will have students both academically sound and physically fit. We want our education system to generate this energy among our youth.

Question:

- a) Students who are very fond of reading books are often labelled by their companion as
 - (i) sports loving (ii) studious (iii) bookworms
- b) Why are academically sound students called bookworms?
- c) Who envy their fellows who shine academically?
- d) Why do we play games?
- e) honour has a glamour which is unique.
 - (i) Academic (ii) Sports (iii) Creative

Unseen Passage-6

Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given below it. (2016)

Once on a lonely island in the sea there lived three people, a wise old man named Prospero, his beautiful young daughter Miranda and their servant Caliban. Prospero and Miranda had come to the island twelve years ago. When Miranda was only a baby, she hardly remembered having seen any human face except her father's. As for Caliban he looked hardly human; he was more like a fish than a man.

Prospero had another servant, a magic spirit named Ariel, whom he commanded by means of his magic. Before Prospero's arrival, lived on the island, a witch called Sycorax; the ugly Caliban was her son. This witch had imprisoned Ariel in the heart of a pine tree and left him there when she died. Prospero found him and he became Prospero's servant. Ariel carried out all Prospero's commands, whether it was to raise a storm in the sea or make thunder in the air.

Question:

- a) Miranda was the of Prospero.
(i) daughter (ii) sister (iii) wife
- b) When did they come there?
- c) Who was Ariel?
- d) How did Ariel help Prospero?
- e) Find the opposite of 'ugly' from the passage.

Unseen Passage-7

Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given below it. (2016)

One day a wonderful plate made of gold fell from heaven into the court of a temple. These words were inscribed on the plate. "A gift from heaven to him who loved mankind the best" The priests invited people to the temple and told them about gift from the heaven. All claimed that they loved mankind the best. Then each one got up and one by one narrated his own kind one deeds but as soon as he touched the plate, it turned into lead. The richest man in the city got up and spoke about his charity. But as soon as he touched the plate, it turned into lead. A poor farmer was also present there. He did not know about the plate. He sat in a corner quietly. People called him. He bowed to the priests and touched the plate. It shone more brightly. The priest awarded the plate to the poor farmer.

Question:

- a) From where did the plate of gold fall?
- b) Who was awarded the plate?
- c) What happened when the richest man touched the plate?
- d) The noun form of the word "invite" is
- e) The word "inscribe" means
(i) to write (ii) to read (iii) to paint

Unseen Passage-8

Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given below it. (2017)

It is an admitted fact that union or cooperation is strength, disunion is weakness. A united family, a united community, a united society, a united nation is strong. But those who are disunited or split up into fractions or groups are all weak. Take the case of a football or hockey team. If the members of the team play together and cooperate with one another, they will form a strong team. But if each member plays his own game, they will surely be defeated,

however strong the individual players may be. The same is true of an army To win a battle, an army must work as one man Napoleon's motto was "Divide and conquer" He tried to split up the armies fighting against him. Then he would overcome them one by one. Divided they were weak. A united team, a united army, a united nation is strong. "United we stand; divided we fall".

Question:

- a) What is the factor that assures strength?
- b) What happens if each member of a football team plays his own game?
- c) What moral does the passage carry?
- d) Divide and conquer was the motto of
 - (i) Churchill (ii) Hitler
 - (iii) Stalin (iv) Napoleon
- e) Give an antonym of the word "Weak".

Unseen Passage-9

Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given bellow it. (2017-19)

Helen Keller lost her eye-sight and hearing at the age of two because of an illness. She became deaf. She also lost the ability to speak, for we learn to speak by imitating what we hear. At first, it seemed impossible that she would never understand other's or be understood by them. Hers was thus a lonely world. But she was helped by a wonderful teacher named Miss Sullivan who had herself been blind as a child but recovered her eye-sight by an operation. Miss Sullivan volunteered to help Helen and taught her to speak, read and write. Helen later went to a university and gained a degree. She then spent the rest of her life working to help the blind and the deaf.

Question:

- a) How do we learn to speak?
- b) How did Miss Sullivan help Helen?
- c) What did Helen do for the blind and the deaf?
- d) When did Helen Keller lose her eye-sight and hearing?
 - (i) at birth (ii) at the age of two (iii) at the age of four
- e) Which word in the passage means 'One who is not able to see'?
 - (i) deaf (ii) sight (iii) blind

Unseen Passage-10

Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given bellow it. (2017)

It is a fact universally acknowledged that means justify the end. Therefore we all must remember that one of the keys to success is to pay as much attention to the means as to the end. The duty of every human being is to help others and do something good to the world and society Religious texts teach us that the giver and receiver both are equally blessed. It is our duty to be thankful to God that we have been allowed to exercise our power of benevolence and March in the world and thus become pure and perfect. The natural course of events dictates that every action has to reach its concluding phase. The act once performed is bound to bear fruit. No power in the universe can stop it from bringing its results.

Questions:

- a) What should be the relationship between means and end ?
- b) What is the secret of success?

- c) Who is more blessed the giver or receiver or both
- d) The fact is acknowledged
 - (i) universally (ii) really
 - (iii) fully (iv) truly
- e) Give the noun form of perform
 - (i) performed (ii) performance
 - (iii) perfect (iv) performing

Section -B (Writing)

I. Letter Writing

Question : 4

Ques 1 You are Pratibha Dubey, living at A-10 Astha Parisar, Adhartal, Jabalpur. Write a letter to your friend Aarti telling her about your summer holidays programme and invite her to join you. (Marks - 6)

Or

Q. Write an application to the Principal of your school asking three days leave as you are ill. (2016-2018)

Ques 2 You are Rohit Mishra, write a letter to your friend Deepak Verma inviting him to attend your younger brother's birthday party.

Ques 3 You are Rajnish Gupta studying in Govt. H.Sec.School Rewa. Write an application to your Principal for issuing Transfer Certificate as your father has been transferred to Shivpuri.

Ques 4 You are Sonam Dangi of class 10 of Govt. H.Sec. School Guna. Write an application to your Principal for sick leave for three days.

Ques 5 You are Ronak, residing at 432/4, Behind Govt. Hospital, Bhind. Write a letter to your friend Samina inviting her to attend your sister's marriage ceremony. (2016, 17, 18, 19)

Ques 6 You are Abhishek Sharma of Indore district. Write a letter to the Collector of your district to impose a ban on the use of loud speakers.

Note Making and Summary writing

Question : 5

Pollution is fouling environment. There are many types of pollution, like air pollution, water pollution, noise pollution and soil pollution. The causes responsible for pollution are smoke waste material and harmful chemicals from factories. Our water resource are polluted due to fertilizers, pesticides and harmful waste. Pollution is causing an imbalance in the environment.

Pollution is affecting nature severely. We are facing the problem of global warming. Destruction of Ozone layer, Shortage of drinking water, climate change etc. Air pollution causes lung cancer and heart disease.

Pollution problem is the biggest challenge before us. We can reduce pollution by less use of plastic bags, pesticides, Vehicles. It is our responsibility to protect our environment from pollution.

a) Read the above passage make notes (4)

b) Write summary (3)

Q. 6 Write an essay on any one of the following topics.

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- i. Importance of Games and Sports
- ii. My Hobby
- iii. Modern age of Science
- iv. Environment Protection

Section -C (Grammar & Translation)

Ques 7

Objectives

5x2 = 10

A. Fill in the blanks:

- 1- Ram is sitting —— Radha and Sapna (between/among)
- 2- ——moon walks slowly and silently (A/An/The)
- 3- Monday comes——Sunday (before/after)
- 4- We—— obey our teacher (ought to/ should/must)
- 5- The book is—— the table (on/upon)
- 6- I have read ——books (many/much)
- 7- Physics —— not a difficult subject (is/are)
- 8- She —— an apple daily (eat/eats)
- 9- The Chair was—— by the student (break/broken)
- 10- She—— her home work daily (do/does)
- 11- She is sitting ———the classroom (in, into)
- 12- I am very good —— English (at, on)
- 13- Ram prefers coffee —— tea (to, than)
- 14- Mona died - Malaria (from, of)
- 15- He is ———S.D.M. (a, an)

B. Fill in the blanks by choosing correct option

- (1) When I reached the station, the train had already —— (leave, left, leaving)
- (2) She is thinking of —— a car. (buy, buying)
- (3) Repair the —— window just now. (break, broken)
- (4) My younger brother used to —— tennis in his childhood. (play, playing)
- (5) My father is a ——teacher. (retired, retire)
- (6) I met a man ——leg was broken. (who, whose, which)
- (7) Ranu is —— football. (playing, play, played)
- (8) Mohan invites —— on his birthday party. (they, those, them)
- (9) When we reached the cinema hall, the film had —— (begin, begun, began)

- (10) Mamta felt tired she had been ——— in the pond since morning. (swim)
- (11) ——— the news, he felt disappointed. (Read, Reading)
- (12) This is very light box you ——— lift it. (can, could)
- (13) I used to ——— in the river when I was young. (swim, swimming)
- (14) They listened to the joke and ——— to laugh. (begin, began)
- (15) The moon ——— brightly in the sky. (shine, shines)
- (16) Poonam decided ——— alone. (to go, going)
- (17) She ——— taught in this school. (has, have)
- (18) The student ——— in this ground daily. (play, plays, playing)
- (19) It was ——— accident that she fell down. (a, an, the)
- (20) Will you please give me ——— money? (any, some)
- (21) I don't know ——— he will come or not. (whether, what)
- (22) ——— I comes in sir? (May, Can, Might)
- (23) He is ——— honest man. (a, an, the)
- (24) The student said, "Sir——— I drink some water please?" (May, Can)
- (25) He was absent ——— he was sick. (while, because, during)
- (26) You have to wait ——— the signal is green. (until, during, while)
- (27) Distribute the money ——— Ram and Shyam. (among, between)
- (28) He has been waiting for the bus ——— morning. (for, since)
- (29) Mohan met his friend ——— he was on holiday. (during, while, since)
- (30) I could not go to school yesterday ——— I was not well. (because, until, unless)
- (31) Divya wanted to know ——— she was doing. (where, what, while)
- (32) Her father is ——— M.L. A. (a, an, the)
- (33) Distribute these sweets ——— the children. (between, among)
- (34) The student has been suffering from fever ——— three days. (for, since, from)
- (35) We ——— go to school on time. (must, can)
- (36) He is ——— to by a car next month. (going, go, goes)
- (37) ——— the snake, he was afraid. (see, seeing, saw)
- (38) You are sitting ——— Sita and Gita. (among, between)
- (39) He is not suitable ——— this post. (to, at, for)
- (40) Mr. Sharma is a rich person ——— not happy. (but, and, or)
- (41) I could not watch the whole movie. I fell sleep ———the film. (while /during)
- (42) India was not independent ———15Aug 1947. (until/ because)
- (43) Mohan met his friend ———he was on a holiday. (during, while)
- (44) Two hours have passed ——— you took medicine. (since, for)
- (45) He was absent——— he was sick. (because, until)

Fill in the blanks using correct form verbs given in bracket.

- 1- It was dark, so I——a torch with me. (take)
- 2- When I reached the station the train had already—— (leave)
- 3- My brother is very strong. He—— lift 100 Kg of weight. (can/could)
- 4- She is thinking of —— a car. (buy/buying)

- 5- Repair the—— window just now. (broken/ break)
 - 6- My younger brother used to—— tennis in his child wood. (play/ playing)
 - 7- Mohan was very tired, So he—— bed early. (go)
 - 8- When we reached the cinema hall, the film had ——(begin)
 - 9- Nalini felt tired. She —— in the pond since morning. (swim)
 - 10- ——the news, he felt disappointed. (Read/Reading)
 - 11-I used to—— in the river when I was young. (swimming/swim)
 - 12- They listened to the joke and—— to laugh. (begin/began)
 - 13- The moon—— brightly in the sky. (shine/shines)
 - 14- Kamini decided—— alone. (to go/ going)
 - 15- ——dogs seldom bite. (Bark/Barking)
- (B) Choose the correct word from bracket and Fill in the blanks.
- 1- I could not go to school yesterday——. I was not well. (because, until, unless)
 - 2- Rama wanted to know—— she was doing. (where, what, while)
 - 3- Her father is—— university professor. (a/an/the)
 - 4- Distribute these sweets—— the children. (between/among)
 - 5- They invited—— to their party. (he, him, his)
 - 6- We——go to school in time. (can/ must/may)
 - 7-He is —— honest man. (a/an/the)
 - 8- He was sleeping—— he was sick. (while, because, during)
 - 9- You have to wait—— the signal is green. (until, during, while)
 - 10- Divide the money—— Ram and Mohan. (among/between)
 - 11- He has been waiting for the bus—— morning. (for/since)
 - 12- Mohan met his friend—— he was on summer vacation. (during/ while/ since)
 - 13- It was —— accident that she fell down. (a/an/the)
 - 14- Do you have—— money? (any/some)
 - 16- ——I take your pen? (May/ Can)

Q.8 Do as directed:**5 Marks**

- (1) The camel is one of the older domestic animals. (Write superlative degree of the underlined word)
- (2) It rained heavily yesterday. (Change into negative)
- (3) He is playing hockey. (Change into present perfect tense)
- (4) Rohit is my friend. He is sitting at the last bench. (Combine using 'who')
- (5) Mr. David lives in Mumbai. (Make a question beginning with 'Where')
- (6) Have/we/work/done/ours. (Arrange the words to make a meaningful sentence)
- (7) The student runs very fast. He can win the race. (Combine using 'so ——— that')
- (8) the/Taj Mahal/I/seen\have (Re-arrange the words into a meaningful sentence)
- (9) Ramesh shut the door yesterday. (Change into negative sentence)
- (10) Since you are not invited, you should not go to the party.
(Rewrite using 'because' in place of 'since')
- (11) Pankaj flies kite. (Change into Simple Past Tense)
- (12) That he is a doctor is certain. (Rewrite the sentence using 'It')
- (13) He is very lazy. He cannot go to morning walk. (Combine using 'so.... that')
- (14) If he does not take taxi, he will miss the train. (Rewrite using 'unless' in place of 'If')
- (15) They play cricket in the playground. (Change into Interrogative)
- (16) I do my homework. (Change into negative)
- (17) It is raining. (Change into Present Perfect Tense)
- (18) the/won/have/we/match. (Re-arrange the words into a meaningful sentences)
- (19) The two friends found a pot. The pot contained one thousand gold coins.
(Combine the sentences using 'which')
- (20) He does his work honestly. (Change into negatives)
- (21) He is too poor to pay the fees. (Rewrite using 'so..... that')
- (22) They are playing cricket. (Change the voice)
- (23) My friends go to school. (Change into Simple Past Tense)
- (24) I live in Bhopal. (Frame a question with 'where')
- (25) He saved money; His aim was to buy a car. (Rewrite using 'to + infinitive')
- (26) They play cricket. (Change into interrogative)
- (27) I do my homework. (Change into negative)
- (28) My father went to Bhopal yesterday. (make a question beginning with "where")
- (29) It was raining (Change into past perfect tense)
- (30) girl/was/a/town/Mamta/small (Rearrange the words to make a meaningful sentence)
- (31) I work hard. (Make negative)
- (32) (a) Rajesh does not know.
(b) He can solve the problem. (Combine the pair of sentences with "how".)
- (33) My friends go to school. (Rewrite using "simple past tense")
- (34) He is too poor to pay the fees. (Rewrite the sentence using "so.....that")

Ques 9**Translation:**

1.	वह पत्र लिखता है।
2.	मीना चित्र बनाती है।
3.	वह तीन घंटे से क्रिकेट खेल रहा है।
4.	मोहन के दो भाई हैं।
5.	क्या तुम अपना गृह कार्य कर चुके हो।
6.	वे स्कूल नहीं आये।
7.	श्याम कहीं रहता है?
8.	मोहन स्कूल जाता है।
9.	वर्षा हो रही है।
10.	आज छुट्टी है।
11.	तुम मेरे दोस्त हो।
12.	क्या तुम तैर सकते हो।
13.	मेरे विद्यालय में 20 कमरे हैं।
14.	तुम मेरे भाई हो।
15.	आज सोमवार है।
16.	शोर मत करो।
17.	मैं कार चलाती हूँ।
18.	ईमानदारी सबसे अच्छी नीति है।
19.	मेरी कक्षा में 50 विद्यार्थी हैं।
20.	सूर्य पूर्व से उदय होता है।
21.	दरवाजा बंद करो।
22.	कृपया अपनी किताबें खोलो।
23.	तुम कहीं रहते हैं ?
24.	तुम्हारा नाम क्या है ?
25.	भोपाल म.प्र. की राजधानी है।
26.	मैं खाना बना चुकी हूँ।
27.	सूरज पश्चिम दिशा में डुबता है।
28.	आप कैसे हो ?
29.	मैं खाना बनाती हूँ।
30.	क्या मैं अन्दर आ सकता हूँ ?

Translation

- 1) सुबह से वर्षा हो रही है।
- 2) वे एक घंटे से मैच खेल रहे हैं।
- 3) मेरे पास पांच पेन हैं।
- 4) सीता गाना गायेगी।

- 5) मैं कार चला सकती हूँ।
- 6) पिताजी अखबार पढ़ रहे थे।
- 7) शिक्षक ने मोहन को सजा दी।
- 8) वह पिछले माह से अंग्रेजी सीख रहा है।
- 9) मैंने कल एक फिल्म देखी।
- 10) क्या आप तैर सकते हैं?
- 11) लड़कियों गाना गायेगी।
- 12) माताजी खाना बना रहीं थीं।
- 13) वह अपना कार्य कर चुका है।
- 14) क्या आप आम खा चुकी है?
- 15) वर्षा हो चुकी थी।
- 16) आपकी उम्र कितनी है?
- 17) वह अपना गृह कार्य कर चुका है।
- 18) दादी मां कहानी सुना रही थीं।
- 19) वह मेरी सहायता करेगा।
- 20) मेरे पास दो किताबें हैं।
- 21) शिक्षक हमें पढ़ा रहे थे।
- 22) क्या तुम मेरी मदद कर सकते हो?
- 23) मैं 16 वर्ष की हूँ।
- 24) मैंने पांच कौपी खरीदी।
- 25) वह बस से आयेगा।
- 26) ईश्वर तुम्हारी मदद करे।
- 27) नया वर्ष आपको शुभ हो।
- 28) यह मोहन का घर है।
- 29) आज मेरा जन्मदिन है।
- 30) आज बहुत गर्मी है।
- 31) यह हमारा विद्यालय है।
- 32) अभी सात बजे हैं।
- 33) आज सोमवार है।
- 34) सूर्य पूर्व में उदित होता है।
- 35) अशोक एक महान राजा था।
- 36) मेरे पिताजी एक शिक्षक हैं।
- 37) वे सुबह से नदी में तैर रहे हैं।

Section-D Text Book (Prose, Drama, Poetry and work book)

Prose:	2 Extracts 2×5=10 marks 2 questions 2×3=6 marks
Drama:	1 questions 1×4=4 marks
Poetry:	1 Extracts 1×3=3 marks 2 questions 2×2=4 marks 1 questions 1×3=3 marks
Workbook:	5 questions 5×3=15 marks

Ques 10**EXTRACTS FROM PROSE**

1. Read the extract carefully and answer the questions that follow: (2017)

I met Swami Shivanand- a man who looked like Buddha, wearing a snow white dhoti and wooden slippers. He had an olive complexion and black piercing eyes, I was struck by his irresistible, almost childlike smile and gracious manner. I introduced myself to the Swamiji. My muslim name aroused no reaction in him. Before I could speak any further, he inquired about the source of my sorrow. He offered no explanation of how he knew that I was sad and I did not ask.

Questions:

- (a) The meaning of the word 'complexion' is :
(I) Difficult.
(II) Colour of a person's face.
(III) Graceful.
- (b) From which lesson the extract has been taken?
(I) One Step Ahead.
(II) Anger.
(III) Torch Bearers.
- (c) Give the name of the writer of the lesson:
(I) A.P.J. Abdul kalam.
(II) Pt. Nehru
(III) Wordsworth
- (d) Who did the author meet? Describe his appearance.

Ques 11 Read the extract carefully and answer the questions that follow:

The day of the race dawned. It turned out to be a close race. Towards the end Mamta caught up with the champion. Her eyes were fixed at the finishing line like Arjuna in the Mahabharat aiming at the fish's eye. Mamta too could see nothing else. And in the end she did win, though by a couple of seconds only. It was so unexpected that there was a moment's silence all around as she crossed the finishing line. Even the judges on the field were surprised that someone looking so frail and delicate could run so fast.

Questions:

- (a) The meaning of the word 'frail' is -
(I) weak and thin
(II) fat and strong
(III) fat and thin
- (b) Arjun was aiming at?
(I) The fish
(II) The fish's eye
(III) The fish's heart.
- (c) By what margin did Mamta win the race?
(I) a couple of seconds
(II) a couple of minutes
(III) one second
- (d) Why were the judges surprised?

Read the following extracts carefully and answer the question given below: (2017)

- (A) Sardar Kishan Singh was on the verge of losing his nerve. He continued delivering his speech in his delirious manner. When the milkman ran towards him and gave the dreaded news that the execution was over, Sardar Kishan Singh announced to the crowd, "Bhagat Singh has been executed. I am going to fetch his body. None of you should budge from here. I don't wish that in taking away the body of Bhagat Singh, I shall have to take away many more."

Question:

(a) From which lesson has the extract been taken?

(i) The Power of Determination, (ii) Salutation to The Nation, (iii) Children.

(b) If I say don't budge from here. I mean

(i) Don't move from here (ii) Don't play over here

(c) Who was executed?

(d) Who was going to fetch Bhagat Singh's body?

- (B) Mamta had been studying in a small school in the nearby town till then, as her parents could not afford to send her to any one of the public schools in the city. It was only because of the scholarship she had won from a trust that it had been possible for her to join this reputed convent school. Being away home, in a hostel, she yearned for some friends, but till now most of the girls had refused to accept a small town girl as their friend. (2015)

Question:

(a) From which lesson this extract has been taken:

(i) The New Player in the Team (ii) The Tribute (iii) One Step Ahead.

(b) Mamta could not join any public school because

(i) she was weak in studies. (ii) her parents could not afford to send her to school. (iii) she could not get scholarship.

(c) Mamta had been studying in a

(i) big school (ii) famous old school (iii) small school.

(d) Why did the girls in the school avoid Mamta's company?

Ques12

QUESTIONS FROM TEXTBOOK PROSE

Q.1 What was the duty of the little boy?

(2015, 2018)

Q.2 Why was the boy sent to hospital?

Q.3 What do you learn from the story "The Power of Determination" ?

Q.4 Who is known as Shaheed -e- Azam?

Q.5 What Slogans were raised by three revolutionaries?

Q.6 Describe how the three revolutionaries embraced death for the cause of India's freedom ?

Q.7 What was the challenge before Mamta?

Q.8 What were the qualities that helped Mamta become indispensable for the team ? (2016)

Q.9 Why did Dr. Kalam go to Shivananda Ashram ?

Q.10 Who were Subuddhi and Kubuddhi?

Q.11 Why was the writer invited to Bangalore?

Q.12 What was the reaction of the young girls and boys after the writer's lecture?

Q.13 What should we do if we love our country?

Q.14 What is the responsibility of a student when he/she leaves the school ?

Q.15 Which type of citizens does a country need ?

Q.16 What were the qualities of Subuddhi and Kubuddhi?

Ques 13

DRAMA (1/2 QUESTIONS)

Q.1 Who was Bhama Sah ? And what title did Pratap Singh give to Bhama Sah ? (2015, 2016, 2018)

Q.2 Describe the qualities of Maharana Pratap ? (2018)

Q.3 Describe the thoughts of Bhama Sah about his mother land?

Q.4 How did Rao Sakta react for Bhama Sah? (2017)

Ques 14

EXTRACT FROM POETRY

Read the extracts carefully and answer the questions given under it :

1X3=3

Lesson-1

(2015, 2018)

Change my darkness to Thy light
And my evil into good.
Touch me but once and I will change
All my clay into Thy gold.

Questions:

- (a) Name the poet of this poem
- (b) 'Light' stands for———
 - (i) electricity (ii) ignorance (iii) knowledge.
- (c) 'Darkness' stands for———
 - (i) night (ii) lord (iii) ignorance.

Lesson-4

2- In your hearts the birds and sunshine,
In your thoughts the brooklets flow,
But in mine is the wind of autumn,
And the first fall of snow.

Questions:

- (a) In the hearts of the children there is ———
 - (i) The moon and stars (ii) the birds and sunshine.
- (b) In the thoughts of the poet are———
 - (i) brooklets (ii) the wind of autumn.
- (c) Name of the poem

Lesson-4

- (e) Ye are better than all the ballads
That ever were sung or said,
For ye are living poems,
And all the rest are dead.

Questions:

- (a) Ye are better than all the———
(i) poems (ii) ballads (iii) songs
(b) 'Ye' stands for the———
(i) Children (ii) poet
(c) Name the poem.

Lesson-7

One angry moment often does
What we repent for years,
It works the wrong we never make right
By sorrow or tears.

Question:

- (a) The meaning of the word 'repent' is —— (1)
(i) to feel happy (ii) to feel sorry (iii) to feel excitement
(b) What we repent for
(i) sorrow (ii) tears (iii) angry moment
(c) Name the poem.

Lesson-7

(2017)

The hand of peace is frank and warm,
And soft as ring doves wing.;
And he who quells an angry thought
Is greater than a king

Question:

- (a) Quells means.....
(i) Suppress (ii) Succeed (iii) hungry
(i) Which word rhymes with 'king'.....
(ii) angry (ii) wing (iii) frank
(b) Who is greater than a king?

Lesson-11

O you that are so strong and cold
O blower, are you young or old?
Are you a beast of field and tree?
Or just a stronger child than me?

Question:

- (a) Name of the poem is

(b) 'Beast' means:

- (i) fruit (ii) flower (iii) animal

(c) Which are the rhyming words:

- (i) strong and cold (ii) tree and me (iii) Young and old

Lesson-11

(2019)

I saw different things you did,
But always you yourself hid.
I felt you push, heard you call,
I could not see you're self at all

Question:

- (a) The poet is talking about..... (1)
(i) the sky (ii) the wind
- (b) The Opposite word for 'different' is..... (1)
(i) push (ii) same (iii) wind
- (c) Name the poet.

Ques 15 Long answer type questions from poem.

Note: One out of two long answer type question.

- Q-1. Why does the poet want God to light the lamp? (2016, 2019)
- Q-2. What is the message of the poem "Light the Lamp of thy Love"?
- Q-3. When do the problems of the poet end and why?
- Q-4. Why does the poet say that the children are better than all the ballads?
- Q-5. What are the disadvantages of being angry?
- Q-6. How can anger be conquered?
- Q-7. What does the poet want to know about the 'blower' the wind?
- Q-8. What things should we adopt in our life according to poet?
- Q-9. What are the things suggested by the poet that we should leave? (2015)

Ques 16 QUESTIONS FROM TEXTBOOK POETRY

2 × 2 = 4

Short answer type question from poem

- Q-1. What does darkness stand for in the poem?
- Q-2. What does light stand for in the poem?
- Q-3. What happens when the poet looks at the children playing?
- Q-4. Where do the windows open? (2015, 2018)
- Q-5. What lies in the hearts of the children?
- Q-6. Who is greater than a king? (2015, 2018)
- Q-7. Who is noble, brave & wise? (2017)
- Q-8. Who takes the kites high? (2015, 2018)
- Q-9. How does the wind work? (2016)
- Q-10. What does the poet say about the memories of the dead people?

Ques 17-18 WORKBOOK BASED QUESTIONS**15 Marks**

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|-------|--|--------------|
| Q.1. | Why was the boy happy all the day? | (2019) |
| Q.2. | In what place does malaria occur most? | (2016, 2019) |
| Q.3. | How does a mosquito begin its life and where? | |
| Q.4. | What is the cart carrying? | |
| Q.5. | What is the main goal of our educational system? | (2016) |
| Q.6. | What does the poet get from the cow? | (2018) |
| Q.7. | What is the first requirement of good etiquette? | (2017) |
| Q.8. | What did Ashoka do? | (2015, 2018) |
| Q.9. | Why did Gandhiji travel in third class? | (2017) |
| Q.10. | Who came to meet Gandhiji at Mumbai railway station? | |
| Q.11. | Why is good health needed? | |
| Q.12. | What is the Red Cross Society? | (2018) |
| Q.13. | What is the aim of the Red Cross Society? | (2015, 2016) |
| Q.14. | Who founded the Red Cross Society? | |
| Q.15. | Who was Alfred Nobel? | (2017) |
| Q.16. | In what places malaria does not occur? Why | (2017) |
| Q.17. | What should be given due importance in the curriculum? | |
| Q.18. | What does modern etiquette include? | |
| Q.19. | What did Alfred Nobel introduce? | (2016, 2018) |
| Q.20. | Why do some students prefer sports to studies? | |

MOCK QUESTION PAPER**Class-10th****General English****Time: 3 hrs.****M.M.- 100****Section-A Unseen Passage - 1****Question-1****Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below. 1x5=5**

It is a fact universally acknowledged that means justify the end. Therefore, we all must remember that one of the keys to success is to pay as much attention to the means as to the end. The duty of every human being is to help others and do something good to the world and society. Religious texts teach us that the giver and receiver both are equally blessed. It is our duty to be thankful to God that we have been allowed to exercise our power of benevolence and march in the world and thus become pure and perfect. The natural course of events

dictates that every action has to reach its concluding phase. The act once performed is bound to bear fruit. No power in the universe can stop it from bringing its results.

Question:

Q.1 What should be the relationship between means and end?

Q. 2 What is the secret of success?

Q. 3 Who is more blessed-

- (i) The giver (ii) Receiver (iii) Both

Q. 4 The fact is..... acknowledged.

- (i) fully (ii) universally (iii) truly (iv) really

Q. 5 Give the noun form of 'perform' -

- (i) Performed (ii) Performance
(iii) Preformation (iv) Performing

Unseen Passage - 2

Question-2

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below: 1x5=5

Prevention is better than cure' and it is recognized that the only way to get rid of malaria completely is to get rid of the mosquitoes which cause it. Malaria is always associated with damp and marshy land. This is not because the land is damp, but because the stagnant water is, the breeding place of the mosquito, which begins its life as larva living in the water. Malaria does not frequently occur in the water. Malaria does not frequently occur in dry desert countries, because mosquitoes cannot breed there the only way to destroy mosquitoes is to prevent their breeding in stagnant water. This can be done by draining all ponds and pools, and by keeping them covered in the breeding season with a thin layer of kerosene oil, which by depriving the larvae of air, kills them.

Question-

Q. 1 In what places does malaria occur most?

Q. 2 How does a mosquito begin its life and where?

Q. 3 In what places malaria does not occur?

Q. 4 The is the breeding place of the mosquito.

- (i) flowing water (ii) dry desert
(iii) stagnant water (iv) clean water

Q. 5 Malaria does not occur in countries.

- (i) damp and marshy land (ii) dry desert (iii) dirty water

Unseen Passage – 3

Question -3

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions below 1x5=5

Helen Keller lost her eye-sight and hearing at the age of two because of an illness. She became deaf. She also lost the ability to speak, for we learn to speak by imitating what we hear. At first, it seemed impossible that she would never understand others or be understood by them. Hers was thus a lonely world. But she was helped by a wonderful teacher named Miss Sullivan who had herself been blind as a child but recovered her eye-sight by an operation. Miss Sullivan volunteered to help Helen and taught her to speak, read and write.

Helen later went to a university and gained a degree. She then spent the rest of her life working to help the blind and the deaf.

Question:

Q. 1 How do we learn to speak?

Q. 2 Who was Helen's teacher?

Q. 3 How did Miss Sullivan help Helen?

Q. 4 When did Helen Keller lose her eye-sight and hearing?

(i) At birth

(ii) At the age of two

(iii) At the age of four

Q. 5 Which word in the passage means 'One who is not able to see'?

(i) Deaf

(ii) Sight

(iii) Blind

Section - B Writing

Question-4

You are Shyam Sharma studying in Govt. HSS Guna. Write an application to your principal to issue your transfer certificate.

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Or

You are Manisha Verma residing at 20 Vijay Nagar, Bhopal. Write a letter to your friend Amit, inviting him to attend your brother's marriage.

Question-5

Read the following passage carefully and do as instructed in (a) and (b) below the passage

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The need for money originates from the fact that different people in society produce different things. This means that they depend on each other for goods and services. Let us take the case of a farmer who produces more food than he requires and a carpenter who lives by selling tables and chairs he has made. It will be obvious that unless some means of exchange will be for them to use farmer's goods, the farmer will not be able to get rid of his surplus food and carpenter will starve. Clearly the simplest means of exchange will be for them to use barter, in other words to exchange a certain amount of goods (farmer's grain) for a certain amount of another. (Carpenter's table or chair) obviously barter can work only in a very simple society. In an advanced society, we cannot go around for the things we need

Questions

Q. 1 On the basis of your reading of the above passage, make notes on it and supply a suitable title.

Q. 2 Now write a summary looking at the notes.

Question- 6

Develop an article on the topic 'Save Water' with the help of the given hints?

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- i. collect rain water on roof-top
- ii. store rain water in underground tanks
- iii. turn off taps while brushing teeth.
- iv. collect water after washing fruits, vegetables and cereals for gardening.
- v. do not over use bore well.
- vi. wash vehicles with water in a bucket.
- vii. reuse water after washing clothes, utensils etc.

Or

Write an essay in 200 words on any one of the following topics.

- i. COVID-19 in India
- ii. My Favorite Personality
- iii. Environment Protection
- iv. Use of Technology in Modern Age

Section - C Grammar

Question- 7

(A) Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct option from the bracket: (any five)

1x5=5

- i. Honesty is best policy. (a/any/the)
- ii. Sachin has two pens..... his pocket. (in/on)
- iii. She is..... football. (play/played/playing)
- iv. His father is M.P. (a/an/the)
- v. Ashu is sitting..... Ravi and Hari. (between/among)
- vi. I don't have money (some/any)

(B) Choose the correct word from bracket and fill in the blanks: (any five) 1x5=5

- i. I come in sir? (Can/May)
- ii. He does not his work. (do/does)
- iii. The boy did not come to school he was ill. (because/ so)
- iv. the news, he felt disappointed. (Read/Reading)
- v. I saw a man leg was broken. (who/whose)
- vi. you work hard, you will not pass (Unless/If)
- vii. She is fond of song. (to sing/ singing)

Question- 8

Do as directed: (any five)

1x5=5

- i. Radha does her homework. (Change into Negative)
- ii. You sing a song. (Change into Present Continues)
- iii. My brother is very weak. He cannot walk. (combine the sentence using 'So.....that')
- iv. Sohan tells a lie. (Make the sentence emphatic)
- v. She writes a letter. (Change into passive voice)
- vi. best/is/the/honesty/policy (Rearrange the words to make meaningful sentence)
- vii. They found a pot.

The pot contained one thousand gold coins. (combine the sentence using 'which')

Question- 9

Translate into English. (Any five)

1x5=5

- i. मेरे पास दो पेन हैं।
- ii. रहीम कार चला सकता है।
- iii. ईमानदारी सबसे अच्छी नीति है।
- iv. तुम कहाँ रहते हो ?
- v. सुबह से वर्षा हो रही है।
- vi. लड़कियाँ गाना गायेगी।
- vii. क्या तुम तैर सकते हो?

Question- 10

Read the following extract and answer the questions given below.

Kubuddhi was greedy and had a plan to cheat his friend of his share of the gold coins. He said "It is unwise to take all the gold to the city. When the friends will see so much money, they will ask us to lend some to them, or they may even steal it. We can always come back and take the money whenever we need it. Subuddhi agreed with Kubuddhi together they buried the money under an old banyan tree and returned to their homes with a part of their new found wealth.

question:

- | | |
|---|---|
| i. Name the lesson from which this extract has been taken. | 1 |
| ii. Find out the word which mean 'Money hungry' | 1 |
| iii. They buried the money | 1 |
| (a) Under the rock. (b) Under a mango tree (c) Under a banayan tree | |
| iv. What was the plan of Kubuddhi? | 2 |

Question- 11

Read the following extract and answer the questions given below.

Mamta has been studying in a small school in the nearby town till then, as her parents could not afford to send her to any one of the public schools in the city. It was only because of the scholarship she had won from a trust that it had become possible for her to join this reputed convent school. Being away from home, in hostel, she yearned for some friends, but till now most of the girls has refused to accept a small-town girl as their friend. Most of the girls in the schools came from rich families. They treated her as unwelcome guest who was too low in status by their standards.

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|---|---|
| 1. Mamta had been studying in a | 1 |
| (i) big school (ii) small school (iii) famous school | |
| 2. From which lesson this extract is taken? | 1 |
| (i) The Tribute (ii) The New Player in the Team (iii) One Step Ahead. | |
| 3. Mamta yearned for friend because | 1 |
| (i) she was away from home. (ii) she was close to her home. (iii) she liked friend. | |
| 4. Why did the girls in the school avoid Mamta's company? | 2 |

Question- 12 Answer the following question in about 30 words. 3

A) What did three revolutionaries do while going towards the place of execution?

Or

What was the effect of the doctor's words on the terribly burnt boy?

B) Why did Dr. Kalam go to Delhi? 3

Or

How did people live in the villages during the writer's childhood?

Question 13 Who was Bhama Shah? Describe his qualities. 4

Or

Describe the qualities of Maharana Pratap?

Question 14 Read the Stanza and answer the question give below.

Change my darkness to thy light Lord,

Change my darkness to thy light,

And my evil into good.

Touch me but once and I will change,
All my clay into thy gold.

Questions.

- | | | |
|------|---|---|
| i. | 'Darkness' in the stanza stands for | 1 |
| | (a) light (b) ignorance (c) lord | |
| ii. | 'Light' stands for | 1 |
| | (a) electricity (b) ignorance (c) knowledge | |
| iii. | Name the poet of the poem. | 1 |

Question- 15 Who is greater than a king? **3**

Or

What are the types of work of the wind as described in the poem?

Question- 16 Answer the following question in 20 words each. (any two) **2x2=4**

- i. Who takes the kites high?
- ii. Where do the windows open?
- iii. What would be a proper replacement for war culture be?

Question 17 Answer any three of the following questions in 30 words each **3x3=9**

- i. Why did the woman start running?
- ii. What are the things that seem moving faster than fairies and witches?
- iii. Who was Alfred Nobel?
- iv. In what places does malaria occur most?

Question 18 Answer any two of the following question in 30 words each. **3x2=6**

- i. Who founded the Red Cross Society and why?
- ii. What did Ashoka do?
- iii. What is the first requirement of good etiquette?

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English General
Section – A: Reading Comprehension
(3 passages x 5 Marks each = 15 Marks)

Unseen Passage-1

Ans. 1

- a) The men were standing in the older man's garden.
- b) The older man asked the young man to untie the string.
- c) The parents should be strict sometimes with their children.
- d) Same
- e) Bent over.

Unseen Passage-2

Answer:2

- a) Man's earliest inventions may have been the use of a stone to crack a nut and use of a stick to strike an enemy.
- b) The man who tamed fire was the greatest of early inventors.
- c) The early man made his first weapon by fastening a stone to the end of a stick.
- d) creatures
- e) (iii) Much more active.

Unseen Passage-3

Ans. 3

- a) People called Sardar Patel the 'Iron Man of India'.
- b) Sardar Patel had the skill for organizing affairs.
- c) He was kind and considerate for the people who were in the close contact with him.
- d) (iii) Administration
- e) Fortune

Unseen Passage-4

Ans.4

- a) Malaria occurs most in damp and marshy places.
- b) Mosquito begins its life as larva living in the water.
- c) Malaria does not occur in dry desert places.
- d) Stagnant water
- e) mosquito

Unseen Passage-5

Ans.5

- a) (iii) book worms
- b) Sports loving students envy the academically sound students, so they called them book worms.
- c) Sports loving students envy their fellows who shine academically
- d) Playing games makes us physically fit.
- e) (i) Academic.

Unseen Passage-6

Ans.6

- a) (i) daughter
- b) They came there twelve years ago.
- c) Ariel was a magic spirit.
- d) Ariel helped Prospero by raising storm in the sea.
- e) Beautiful.

Unseen Passage-7**Ans.7**

- a) The plate of gold fell from heaven.
- b) The poor farmer was awarded the gold plate.
- c) When the richest man touched the plate, it turned into lead.
- d) Invitation
- e) (i) to write.

Unseen Passage-8**Ans.8**

- a) Unity is the factor that assures strength.
- b) If each member of a football team plays his own game the team will surely be defeated, however strong the individual player may be.
- c) The moral is United we stand, divided we fall.
- d) Napoleon
- e) Strong

Unseen Passage-9**Ans.9**

- a) We learn to speak by imitating what we hear.
- b) Miss Sullivan taught her to speak, read and write.
- c) She spent the rest of her life working to help the blind and deaf.
- d) (b) at the age of two
- e) (c) blind.

Unseen Passage-10**Ans.10**

- a) Means should justify the end.
- b) The secret of success is to pay as much attention to the means as to the end.
- c) The giver and the receiver are both blessed.
- d) (i) universally
- e) (ii) performance

Section -B

Writing

I. Letter Writing

Answer: 4 (1)

A-10 Astha Parisar,
Adhartal Jabalpur

24 March 2021

My dear Aarti,

I have received your letter few days back. I was delighted to know that you have done your papers well and your vacation has started.

So, I invite you to come to my place and spend your holidays with me.

I am sure you will like this place very much. Hope to see you soon.

Your loving friend

Pratibha

OR

Answer
25 May, 2021

To,
The Principal,
Govt. H.S. School
Bhopal

Subject : An application for leave.

Sir,

I am a student of class Xth. I am ill. I cannot come to school for three days. I want three days leave.

Kindly grant me leave for three days.

Thanking you

Yours obediently,
Name:

Ans. 4 (2)

Invitation to attend birthday party

54, Sector -2D
Vijay Nagar, Indore

15thMarch,2021

Dear Deepak,

I am fine here and hope same for you. I would like to invite you to my brother's birthday party. He is celebrating his birthday on 20th March. I have invited all our friends. We will have great fun. Convey my regards to your parents. I am waiting for your reply.

Yours loving friend

Rohit

Ans.4 (3)

Application for Transfer Certificate

15thMarch,2021

To,
The Principal
Govt .H. Sec. School Rewa

Subject: To issue transfer certificate

Sir,

Most respectfully, I want to state that I am a student of class X of your school. My father has been transferred to Shivpuri. I cannot continue my studies here. Therefore, I request you to issue me transfer certificate.

Thanking you.

Yours obediently/faithfully
X y z

Answer 5 Note Making

Title- The Problem of Pollution

1. Types of Pollution

- 1.1 air, water, noise, soil**
- 1.2 Causes smoke, waste material**
- 1.3 Water pollution by fertilizers, pesticides**

2. Effects

- 2.1 severe effects on nature**
- 2.2 global warming, climate change**
- 2.3 lung cancer, brain disease**

3. How to reduce pollution

- 3.1 plastic bags, pesticides**
- 3.2 protect environment**
- 3.3 less use of fuel**

Summary –

Pollution problem is the biggest challenge before us. There are many types of pollutions like air, water, noise and soil. Nature is severely affected. We have problems global warming, ozone layer, drinking water etc. It is our duty to protect our environment.

Essay

Ans.6 (1)

Importance of Games and Sports

- 1. Introduction**
- 2. Type of Games**
- 3. Need**
- 4. Means of recreation**
- 5. Good for Health**
- 6. Develop leadership Quality**
- 7. Develop Sportsmanship**
- 8. Other Advantages**
- 9. Conclusions**

Games and sports play an important role in our life. It has been said that a healthy mind lives in a healthy body. Games and sports make us healthy and fit for work. Games and sports are very necessary in our life. They make us fit, active, fresh and social.. They teach us lesson of cooperation, duty and discipline, brotherhood and national unity. They are important for development of body as well as mind.

There are two types of games such as Indoor Games and outdoors Games. Indoor games can be played in the rooms and halls like cards, carom, ludo, chess etc. are the most common games. Outdoor games are played in the open places and play grounds like hockey, Cricket, Tennis, Kho-Kho etc..

Games and Sports are very necessary for life. They provide exercise to the body and make it active. In this way games and sports not only refresh the mind but improve digestion. They develop qualities of brotherhood and unity in people.

Games and sports are an important means of recreation. After their studies, students require some recreation in the evening. They make us happy and fresh. They remove our boredom and fill us with energy.

Games and sports are good for health. They keep diseases away. They make us more healthy and active. Physical fitness is important for everyone.

Games and Sports develop leadership quality. They teach us how to face problems and overcome them. Every student should take part in games and sports.

Ans. 6 (3) **Science is a good servant but bad master**

1. Introduction

2. In the field of medicine

3. In the field of agriculture

4. Means of transport and communications

5. Computer

6. Disadvantages of science

7. Conclusion

We are living in a world of science. Science has transformed modern life with its wonderful discoveries and inventions. A button is pressed and the room gets flooded with light, the fan moves, the A.C. cools or warms the room. We can preserve food items for many days.

Science has made human life simple and easy.

Human suffering has greatly been eliminated. Science has investigated into diseases and found cures for them. Artificial limbs can be fitted in the disabled bodies. Even kidneys and heart can be transplanted. Painless operations are being performed.

Science has made great inventions in the field of agriculture. Farming has become more productive and easy. Our crop production has increased with the help of new techniques. Science has provided us many means for transport and communication, some of which are bus, car, train etc. It is possible to travel long distance with the help of water ships and planes easily. Space travel has become a reality. It has also given us means of communication like mobiles, radio, television etc.

Computer is a wonderful invention of science. Computer is a machine that can easily do very complex calculations and complex work in minutes. We can easily get any information through Internet.

While science has made many big inventions, it has also given us a lot of problems like poisoning our environment. It has given us weapons like atom bombs. The man has become its slave. Science is a good servant but bad master. We should use this boon for our benefit.

Section -C (Grammar & Translation)

Answer. 7 Objectives

Answer:

1-between, 2- The, 3-after, 4-ought to, 5-on, 6-many, 7-is, 8-eats, 9-broken, 10-does, 11-in, 12-at, 13-to, 14-of, 15-an.

A. Fill in the blanks by choosing correct option

5x2 = 10

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|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Ans – left | 2. Ans – buying | 3. Ans – broken | 4. Ans – play |
| 5. Ans – retired | 6. Ans – whose | 7. Ans – playing | 8. Ans – them |
| 9. Ans – begun | 10. Ans – swimming | 11. Ans – Reading | 12. Ans – can |
| 13. Ans – swim | 14. Ans – began | 15. Ans – shines | 16. Ans – to go |
| 17. Ans – has | 18. Ans – plays | 19. Ans – an | 20. Ans – some |
| 21. Ans- whether | 22. Ans – May | 23. Ans – an | 24. Ans – may |
| 25. Ans – because | 26. Ans – until | 27. Ans – between | 28. Ans – since |

29. Ans – while 30. Ans – because 31. Ans – what 32. Ans - an
 33. Ans – among 34. Ans – for 35. Ans - must 36. Ans – going
 37. Ans – seeing 38. Ans – between 39. Ans – for 40. Ans - but
 41. Ans – during 42. Ans – until 43. Ans – while 44. Ans - since
 45. Ans - because

B. Fill in the blanks using correct form verbs given in bracket.

- 1- Ans. Took 2- Ans-left 3- Ans-can 4- Ans-buying
 5- Ans-broken 6- Ans-play 7- Ans-went 8- Ans-begun
 9- Ans- had been swimming 10- Ans-Reading 11- Ans- swim
 12- Ans-began 13- Ans-shines 14- Ans- to go 15- Ans- Barking

(B) Choose the correct word from bracket and Fill in the blanks.

- 1- Ans- because 2- Ans-what 3- Ans-a 4- Ans-among
 5- Ans-him 6- Ans- must 7- Ans-an 8- Ans-because
 9- Ans-until 10- Ans- between 11- Ans-since 12- Ans- while
 13- Ans-an 14- Ans-any 15- Ans- Can

Ans. 8 Do as directed:

- Ans.1 – oldest
 Ans.2 - It did not rain heavily yesterday.
 Ans.3 - He has played hockey.
 Ans.4 - Rohit who is sitting at the last bench is my friend.
 Ans.5 - Where does Mr. David live?
 Ans.6 - We have done our work.
 Ans.7 - The student runs so fast that he can win the race.
 Ans.8 - I have seen the Taj Mahal.
 Ans.9 - Ramesh did not shut the door yesterday.
 Ans.10 - You should not go to the party because you are not invited.
 Ans.11 - Pankaj flew kite.
 Ans.12 - It is certain that he is a doctor.
 Ans.13 - He is so lazy that he cannot go to morning walk.
 Ans.14 - Unless he takes taxi, he will miss the train.
 Ans.15 - Do they play cricket in the playground?
 Ans.16 - I do not do my home-work.
 Ans.17 – It has rained.
 Ans.18 -We have won the match.
 Ans.19 –The two friends found a pot which contained one thousand gold coins.
 Ans.20- He does not do his work honestly
 Ans.21 – He is so poor that he cannot pay the fees.
 Ans.22 - Cricket is being played by them.
 Ans.23- My friends went to school.
 Ans.24- Where do you live?
 Ans.25 – He saved money to buy a car.
 Ans.26- Do they play cricket?
 Ans.27- I do not do my homework.
 Ans.28- Where did your father go yesterday?
 Ans.29- It had rained.
 Ans.30- Mamta was a small-town girl.

Ans.31- I do not work hard.

Ans.32- Rajesh does not know how he can solve the problem.

Ans.33- My friends went to school.

Ans.34- He is so poor that he cannot pay the fees.

Ans. 9 Translation:

1.	He writes a letter.
2.	Meena draws a picture.
3.	He has been playing cricket for three hours.
4.	Mohan has two brothers.
5.	Have you done your home work?
6.	They did not come to school.
7.	Where does Shyam live?
8.	Mohan goes to school.
9.	It is raining.
10.	Today is a holiday.\It is a holiday today.
11.	You are my friend.
12.	Can you swim?
13.	There are twenty rooms in my school.
14.	You are my brother.
15.	Today is Monday./It is Monday today.
16.	Don't make a noise.
17.	I drive a car.
18.	Honesty is the best policy.
19.	There are fifty students in my class.
20.	The sun rises in the east
21.	Shut the door.
22.	Please, open your books.
23.	Where do you live?
24.	What is your name?
25.	Bhopal is the capital of M.P.
26.	Mother has cooked food.
27.	The sun sets in the west.
28.	How are you?
29.	Mother cooks food.
30.	May I come in?

Translation

- 1) It has been raining since morning.
 - 2) They have been playing match for an hour.
 - 3) I have five pens.
 - 4) Sita will sing a song.
 - 5) I can drive a car.
 - 6) Father was reading a news paper.
 - 7) The teacher punished Mohan.
 - 8) He has been learning English since last month.
 - 9) I saw a film yesterday.
 - 10) Can you swim?
 - 11) Girls will sing a song.
 - 12) Mother was cooking food.
 - 13) He has finished his work.
 - 14) Have you eaten a mango?
 - 15) It had rained.
 - 16) What is your age?
 - 17) He has done his home work.
 - 18) Grandmother was telling a story.
 - 19) He will help me.
 - 20) I have two books.
 - 21) Teachers were teaching us.
 - 22) Can you help me?
 - 23) I am sixteen years old.
 - 24) I bought five copies.
 - 25) He will come by bus.
 - 26) May God help you!
 - 27) A happy new year to you.
 - 28) This is Mohan's house.
 - 29) Today is my birthday.
 - 30) It is very hot today.
 - 31) This is our school.
 - 32) It is seven now.
 - 33) Today is Monday.
 - 34) The sun rises in the east.
 - 35) Ashoka was a great king.
 - 36) My father is a teacher.
 - 37) They have been swimming in the river since morning.
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Section-D Text Book (Prose, Drama, Poetry and work book)

Prose:	2 Extracts 2×5=10 marks 2 questions 2×3=6 marks
Drama:	1 questions 1×4=4 marks
Poetry:	1 Extracts 1×3=3 marks 2 questions 2×2=4 marks 1 questions 1×3=3 marks
Workbook:	5 questions 5×3=15 marks

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EXTRACTS FROM PROSE

Answer 10

1. Read the extract carefully and answer the questions that follow:

I met Swami Shivananddid not ask.

Answers:

- (a) Colour of a person's face.
- (b) (I) One Step Ahead
- (c) (I) A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
- (d) The author met Swami Shivanand who looked like Buddha, wearing a snow white dhoti and wooden slippers.

Answer 11

2. Read the extract carefully and answer the questions that follow:

The daycould run so fast.

Answers:

- a. weak and thin
- b. The fish's eye
- c. a couple of seconds
- d. The judges on the field were surprised that someone looking so frail and delicate could run so fast.

Read the following extracts carefully and answer the question given below :

- (A)
 - (a) (ii) Salutation to The Nation
 - (b) Don't move from here
 - (c) Bhagat Singh
 - (d) Sharda Kishan Singh was going to fetch Bhagat Singh's body
- (B)
 - (a) (i) The New Player in the Team
 - (b) her parents could not afford to send her to school
 - (c) small school
 - (d) Most of the girls in the school came from rich families. They treated her unwelcome guest who was too low in the status by their standards.

Answer 12

QUESTION FROM TEXTBOOK PROSE

Ans.1 The duty of the little boy was to start the fire and warm the room before his teacher and classmates arrived.

Ans.2 The boy was sent to the hospital for treatment.

Ans.3 We learn that by firm determination we can face any kind of trouble and conquer them. Nothing is impossible, if we have firm resolution.

Ans.4 Bhagat Singh is known as Shaheed -e- Azam.

Ans.5 The Slogans were "Inqalab Zindabad , Samrajyavaad Murdabad"

Ans.6 When they were taken to the gallows they sang patriotic songs in a jovial mood and raised slogans "Inqalab Zindabad , Samrajyavad Murdabad". When they reached the platform they kissed the rope and embraced death.

Ans.7 The challenge before Mamta was to win the inter-school trophy.

Ans.8 Her determination and hard work made her indispensable for the team.

Ans. 9 He went to Shivananda Ashram because he wanted to seek solutions to doubts that troubled him.

Ans.10 Subuddhi and Kubuddhi were two friends.

Ans.11 She was invited to Bangalore to deliver a lecture on Corporate Social Responsibility.

Ans.12 They were all emotional after the lecture. They offered to donate old clothes and other things for the people who were affected by the earthquake.

Ans.13 If we love our country, we should try to become a good citizen.

Ans.14 Each student who leaves the school has a flame to carry which he has to pass to others. He has been given knowledge and skill. He should pass on by using them in the service of the country.

Ans. 15 A Country needs good citizen who bear the flame of knowledge and skills.

Ans.16 Subuddhi was an honest man and led a good life and kubuddhi was a wicked man and led a life of drinking and gambling.

Answer 13

DRAMA (1/2 QUESTIONS)

Ans.1 Bhama Sah was the Chief Minister of Mewar. He had given all his wealth to Pratap Singh to save Mewar. He loved his motherland very much Pratap Singh gave him the title "Saviour of Mewar."

Ans.2 Maharana Pratap was the king of Mewar. He was a brave warrior. He loved his motherland very much. He devoted his entire life to save the honour of Mewar. He was defeated by Akbar but he did not submit to his supremacy. He was a great ruler and fighter. He was very humble and a great patriot.

Answer- 3

Bhama sah loved his mother land Mewar very much. He say that hi mother land has given him so much. Now its time for him to do whatever he can do for his mother land. There for he submits all is wealth to Pratap Singh. He says once he has used his sword for his mother land and he is ready to do so again.

Answer- 4

Rao Sakta delighted a lot when he came to know that Bhama Sah had come in the disguise for Brahmin. He joyfully arranged the meeting with Rana, Massage that Bhama Sah had come with some great benevolent purpose.

Answer 14 EXTRACT FROM POETRY

(Extracts from the poem)

Read the extracts carefully and answer the questions given under it : 1X3=3

Lesson-1

Change my darkness to Thy light
And my evil into good.
Touch me but once and I will change
All my clay into Thy gold.

Answer:

- a) Ravindranath Tagor
- b) (iii) knowledge.
- c) (iii) ignorance.

Lesson-4

2- In your hearts of snow.

Answer:-

- (a) (ii) the birds and sunshine.
- (b) (ii) the wind of autumn.
- (c) Name of the poem is 'Children'

Lesson-5

(a) Ye are better are dead.

Answer:

- (a) (ii) ballads (1)
- (b) (i) Children (1)
- (c) Name the poem is 'Children'

Lesson-7

One angry moment or tears.

Answer:

- (a) (ii) to feel sorry
- (b) (iii) angry moment
- (c) Name the poem Anger

Lesson-7

The hand angry thought

Ans:

- (a) (i) suppress
- (b) (ii) wing
- (c) One who quells an angry thought is greater than a king.

Lesson-11

O you that are child than me?

Ans:

- (a) Name of the poem is Wind.
- (b) (iii) animal
- (c) (ii) tree and me

Lesson-11

I saw different things you did,
But always you yourself hid.
I felt you push, heard you call,
I could not see you're self at all

Ans:

- (a) (ii) the wind
- (b) (ii) same
- (c) Name the poet is Virginia Wolf.

Ans. 15

Short answer type questions from poem.

Note: One out of two long answer type question

- Ans.1 The poet wants God to light the lamp to remove darkness of ignorance from his heart.
- Ans.2 The poem given us message that we should pray to God to light the lamp of hi love to remove the darkness of ignorance. We should pray to God to free us from the worries of life.
- Ans.3 The problem of the poet vanish away when he looks at the children playing.
- Ans.4 The poet says that children are better than all the ballads because they themselves are living poem.
- Ans.5 It makes the most beautiful face ugly under its influence we make mistakes for which we repent for rest of our lives.
- Ans.6 Anger can be conquered by quelling angry thoughts and keeping a cool head.
- Ans.7 The poet wants to know about the wind wether it is young or old; beast of field and tree or just a stronger child than poet.
- Ans.8 We should give up all the bad things and adopt new good things.
- Ans.9 We should leave sad memories of the past misery harmful old traditions, greed, sins etc.

Answer 16 QUESTIONS FROM TEXTBOOK POETRY

Short answer type question from poem

Ans. Darkness stands for ignorance in the poem.

Ans. Light stands for knowledge in the poem

Ans. When the poet looks at the children playing all his tensions and worries vanishes away.

Ans. The window open towards the sun.

Ans. The birds and the sunshine lie in the heart of the children.

Ans. One who quells an angry thought is greater than a king.

Ans. One who tries to conquer and rule himself is noble brave and wise.

Ans. The wind takes the kite high.

Ans. The wind works by hiding itself.

Ans. The poet says that we should give up the memories of the dead people because the grief saps the mind.

Answer 17-18

WORK BOOK BASED QUESTIONS

- Ans.1 The boy was happy all the day because he woke up before the morning.*
- Ans.2 Malaria occurs most in damp and marshy places.*
- Ans.3 Mosquito begins its life as a larve living in the water.*
- Ans.4 The cart is carrying man and load*
- Ans.5 The main goal of our educational system is to make students both academically sound and physically fit.*
- Ans.6 The poet gets cream from the cow.*
- Ans.7 Pleasing personalily with good appearance is the first requirement of good etiquette.*
- Ans.8 Ashoka planted shady trees on roads and in public places.*
- Ans.9 Gandhiji always travelled in third class because all poor people in India, travelled in third class.*
- Ans.10 Some Americans men and women came to meet Gandhiji at Mumbai railway station*
- Ans.11 Good health is needed to make work a pleasure.*
- Ans.12 The Red Cross Society is an international organisation to serve the mankind.*
- Ans.13 The aim of Red Cross Society is to help the mankind suffering from natural calamities, sick and the wounded during wars.*
- Ans.14 Sir Henri Dunant founded the Red Cross Society in 1863.*
- Ans.15 Alfred Nobel was a Swedish chemist*
- Ans.16 Malaria does not occur in dry desert countries, because mosquitoes can not breed there.*
- Ans.17 Games, and sports should be given due importance in the curriculum.*
- Ans .18 Modern etiquette includes clear idea of day-to-day topics and happenings in the society.*
- Ans.19 Alfred Nobel introduced dynamite a form of nitro glycerine.*
- Ans.20 Some students prefer sports to studies because it is better to spend time and energy in sports arena than in a class room.*
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