

BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION RAJASTAN AJMER
EXAMINATION-2023

English (Compulsory)

Subject code-02

Class IX

Time : 3.15 Hours

Marks : 100

Area of Learning	Marks
Reading	20
Writing	20
Grammar	20
Text Book : Beehive	30
Supp. Book : Moments	10

(1) Reading **20 Marks**

Two unseen passages for comprehension in about 300 words for both 10×2
(Besides comprehension question, lexical items should also be tested)

(2) Writing **20 Marks**

(i) Letter writing

Informal–personal, such as to family and friends.

Formal–letters to the editor/the principal of a school.

Email–formal letters to the principal of the school or to the editor of a
Newspaper or a Magazine. 07

(ii) Short Paragraph—speech or debate type, based on outline one out of two
(Limit : 60 to 80 words) 07

(iii) Short writing task in the form of dialogue or story on the basis of some hints
(Limit : 50 to 70 words) 06

(3) Grammar **20 Marks**

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| (i) Tenses (Simple Present, Past and Future Tense) | 05 |
| (ii) Subject-Verb Concord | 05 |
| (iii) Determiners | 05 |
| (iv) Prepositions | 05 |

(4) Text Book & Supplementary Reader

30+10 = 40 Marks

Prose—Beehive

20 Marks

- (i) One passage from the text book for comprehension (limit 200 words) 10
(Besides comprehension question, lexical items should also be tested)

(ii)

- (ii) Two short answer type questions (out of four, around 30 words each) 05
(iii) One long answer type question (out of two, around 60 words) 05

Poetry—Beehive

10 Marks

- (i) One out of two reference to context from the prescribed poems 04
(ii) Two out of three short answer type questions on interpretation of themes and ideas of the prescribe poems. 06

Supplementary Reader—Moments

10 Marks

- (i) One out of two long answer type questions regarding character, plot or situations occurring in the lessons. 04
(ii) Two out of four short answer type questions. 06

Prescribed Books :

- 1. Beehive**—NCERT's Book Published under Copyright
 - 2. Moments**—NCERT's Book Published under Copyright
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