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SECONDARY SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION, 2018

ENGLISH

Time : $3\frac{1}{4}$ **Hours**

Maximum Marks : **80**

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EXAMINEES :

(1)   Candidates must first write their Roll Nos. on the question paper.

(2)   **All** the questions are compulsory.

(3)   Write the answer to each question in the given answer-book only.

(4)   For questions having more than one part, the answers to those parts must be written together in continuity.

(5)   Write the correct serial number of each question as mentioned in the question paper.

Section – A

(Reading) 14

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow **(1 – 5)** :

Motu, the elephant, broke the silence, "I am fed up of the people who come here. They hurt my feelings. They make fun of me. They look at my tusks with greedy eyes and say they could fetch them good money."

Rangu, the crocodile spoke lazily, "I am getting scared myself. You know I feel very hungry. One morning some girls were feeding me with potatoes. A wicked boy pushed a stone in my mouth. My stomach ached for ten days."

Kalu, the bear, shook his head angrily. He began to relate his story, "One evening a group of naughty boys came and stood at my cage. They were carrying a large bread. They began to give me one slice after the other. When I was about to finish my last slice of bread, I bit something sharp. It turned out to be a blade. Seeing me in pain the boys clapped their hands and laughed."

Roaring, the tiger said worriedly, "These human beings think a tiger ought to do nothing except to sit around and roar round the clock. If they find me peacefully asleep, they throw stones at me. They try to make me angry so that I can roar at them."

(1) Name the animals referred in this passage. 1

(2) What did the girls give to eat to the crocodile ? 1

(3) How did the boys react when they see the bear in pain ? 1

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(4)   Why did the crocodile's stomach ached ?   **2**

(5)   Find out a word from the passage which mean -   **2**

    (i)   Piece

    (ii)   Afraid of or frightened

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below **(6 – 10)** :

A father, one day, asked his daughters, "What is the sweetest thing in the world ?"

"Sugar", said the elder daughter.

"Salt", said the younger daughter.

Her father thought that the younger daughter was making fun of him but she stuck to her opinion. The father was obstinate, but so was his daughter. A quarrel broke out between them over this small matter and he drove her out of the house saying, "As you think that salt is sweeter than sugar, you had better find another home where the cooking is more to your taste."

It was a beautiful summer day and as the young daughter sat singing sadly in the forest around her father's cottage, a young prince who had lost the way, while hunting a deer, heard her voice and came to ask her the way. Then, struck by her beauty, he fell in love with her, took her home to his beautiful palace and married her.

The bride invited her father to the wedding feast, without telling him that she was his daughter. All the dishes were prepared without salt and the guests began to complain as they ate the tasteless food. "There is no salt in the meal" they said angrily.

"Ah" said the bride's father.

"Salt is truly the sweetest thing in the world. But when my daughter said so, I turned her out of my house. If only I could see her again and tell her how sorry I am !"

Drawing the bridal veil aside from her face the happy girl went to her father and kissed him. Now properly salted dishes were served and all the guests were satisfied.

(6)   What question did the father put to his daughters ?   **1**

(7)   Whose answer did the father think to be right ?   **1**

(8)   What made the father feel sorry for his behaviour to his younger daughter ?   **1**

(9)   How did the young prince reach to the cottage of the girl ?   **2**

(10) Find out a word from the passage which means -   **2**

  (i)   A large home like a mansion =

  (ii)   Stubborn =

Section – B

(Writing)   **14**

(11) Imagine that you are Suman / Sumit living in Dungarpur. You are a student of Class – X. Your examinations are starting from March 21. Write an application to the collector of your district requesting him or her to ban the use of loudspeakers in your locality.   **1 × 5 = 5**

OR

You want to buy a new washing machine. Write an e-mail to Jain Electronics, Ramnagar asking him about the details of the washing machine. Jain Electronics' e-mail address is – jainelectronics2017@gmail.com.

(12) Write a short paragraph in about **60** words on the topic "Clean India Campaign."   **1 × 4 = 4**

OR

Write a short paragraph in about **60** words with the help of given outline on the issue – "Population Growth." (Outline – India, population, second in world, 1.31 billion, poverty, lack of awareness, illiteracy, unemployment, corruption, dearness, remedies, education, awareness)

(13) Write a paragraph in about **75** words on the topic, "An Educational tour."   **1 × 5 = 5**

OR

Last Sunday a house got on fire in your neighbourhood. Write a paragraph in about **75** words on "A House on Fire."

Section – C

(Grammar)   15

(14) Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs given in the brackets :   **8 × ½ = 4**

(i)   Generally I _____ (drink) tea but today I _____ (drink) coffee.

(ii)   The train _____ (leave) the station before I _____ (reach) there.

(iii) If Rashmi _____ (work) hard at present, she _____ (win) the match.

(iv)   Hardly _____ the hunter _____ (see) the tiger, when the tiger _____ (jump)

on him.

(15) Join the following sentences using the relative pronouns given in brackets :   **3 × 1 = 3**

(i)   I know Mrs. Vidya. Her son won the gold medal. (whose)

(ii)   This is the house. We stayed here when I was young. (where)

(iii) Give me the reason. You have not done your home-work. (why)

(16) Change the following sentences into passive voice :   **2 × 1 = 2**

(i)   My uncle is playing tennis at present.

Tennis _____ .

(ii)   I have completed my home-work.

My home-work _____ .

(17) Rewrite the following sentences into indirect speech :   **4 × 1 = 4**

(i)   He said to me, " Why did you go there ?"

He asked me _____.

(ii)   My father said to me, "work hard if you want to succeed."

My father advised me _____.

(iii) Nidhi said to Saloni, "Alas ! My purse has been stolen."

Nidhi exclaimed with _____.

(iv) Arun said to his sister, "You need not trouble me."

Arun told his sister _____.

(18) Fill in the blanks choosing suitable modals – from the bracket :   **4 × ½ = 2**

(may, ought to, should, will, shall)

(i)   You are ill. You _____ go to a doctor.

(ii)   _____ you give me your pen, please.

(iii) The sky is covered with clouds. It _____ rain today.

(iv) You _____ be beaten if you do not obey.

Section – D

(Text-Book)   **37**

(19) Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow :

During my stay at home, my elder brother would catch fish for me from the pond behind our house and would ask his wife to prepare a good fish, for I loved fish. When the catch was scanty, the dish would be prepared exclusively for me. He would say to his wife, "you must make the dish as delicious as possible using mustard paste for Babuli."

Even now, he is the same with the same tone of love and compassion.

(i)   How is it proved that Babuli loved fish ?   **1**

(ii)   Who used to catch fish from the pond ?   **1**

(iii) "You must make the dish _____" whom does the word "You" here refer to ?   **1**

(iv)   Find out a word from the passage which means – Not enough or Small in quantity.   **1**

(20) Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow :

In nature, animals are not influenced by media campaigns and they trust their own instincts. Nature has given each animal the power to monitor its own body and maintain normal health. As an example, salt is an essential element required by all animals. Wild animals in the forest (like rhinoceros, elephants or deer) try to find a place where salt is present in soil. They regularly lick the soil to get the exact amount of salt their bodies need.

(i)   What is special about animals ?   **1**

(ii) How do animals get the exact amount of salt their bodies need ?   **1**

(iii) Name the animals mentioned in the passage.   **1**

(iv) Write a word from the passage which means – The inborn tendencies.   **1**

(21) Answer any **one** of the following questions in about **60** words :   **1 × 3 = 3**

(i)   How does education contribute to over-power violence ? (On Violence)

(ii) How did workers of a shoe factory in Japan demonstrate their protest ? (What Is Amiss With US)

(22) Answer any **one** of the following questions in about **30-40** words :   **1 × 3 = 3**

(i)   How does Think – Tank describe the earth and the earthlings in starting ? (The Book That Saved The Earth)

(ii) How was the twentieth century often called the era of the books, according to the historian ? (The Book That Saved The Earth)

(23) Explain any **one** of the following stanzas with reference to the context :   **1 × 4 = 4**

    (i)   But soon a wonder came to light,

          That show'd the rogues they lied;

          The man recover'd of the bite,

          The Dog it was that died.

    (ii)   To love is to risk not being loved in return,

          To live is to risk dying,

          To hope is to risk despair,

          To try is to risk failure.

(24) Answer any **two** of the following questions in about **20-30** words :   **2 × 2½ = 5**

    (i)   What is the greatest hazard in one's life ? (Risks)

    (ii)   What inspiration do we get from the poem ? (My Good Right Hand)

    (iii) How is the lotus considered as a cultural symbol of the Indian society ? (The Lotus)

(25) Answer any **one** of the following questions in about **80** words :   **1 × 5 = 5**

    (i)   Draw a character sketch of Bholi. (Bholi)

    (ii)   Give a character sketch of Griffin in your own words. (Foot-prints without Feet)

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(26) Answer any **one** of the following questions in about **30-40** words : **1 × 3 = 3**

    (i)   Why was it difficult to rob Anil ? (The Thief's Story)

    (ii)   What were the belongings of Dursun Agha ? (Feast of The Dead)

(27) Answer any **one** of the following questions in about **20-25** words : **1 × 2 = 2**

    (i)   What were the warnings written by Samir on the door of his room ?

        (Growing up Pains)

    (ii)   Name the aircraft which Private Quelch identified.

        (The Man Who Knew Too Much)

(28) Mention eligibilities for permanent license. (Road Safety Education) **1 × 4 = 4**

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