



**ST. MARGARET SR. SEC. SCHOOL
MID TERM EXAMINATION 2023-24
ENGLISH SAMPLE PAPER
CLASS IV**

Time: 2 Hrs

M.M: 40

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS:

Read the questions carefully.

All the questions are compulsory.

Internal choice has been given in a few questions, answer accordingly.

Section-A [Reading]

Q.1. Read the given passage carefully

Exercise refers to the physical activity and mental exertion carried out to maintain physical health and mental fitness. It plays a vital role in our lives by helping us to stay fit. If we do not include exercise in our daily regime, we will be prone to different ailments as well as suffer from obesity. Even if a person escapes diseases, he/she will keep indifferent health, and may not be active. Young boys and girls should take sufficient exercise to counteract the effects of stress. More and more young people are being diagnosed with diabetes due to excessive stress and a lack of physical activity. The blood glucose levels of the body can also be kept under control with regular exercise. Exercise improves the efficiency of cardiovascular system which improves the flow of oxygen and nutrition in the body, thus reducing the risk of heart disease. Exercise helps release brain cells which help in the production of cells in hippocampus. Hippocampus is that part of the brain which helps in learning, and it also controls the memory. Exercising daily helps in improving muscle strength and making tendons and ligaments flexible. This helps in easy movement and protects one from sudden injuries. Strong muscles and ligaments decrease the chances of joint and lower back pain. Exercise is also known to cure indigestion, reduce ailments, increase physical strength and strengthen the body and mind.

On the basis of your reading of the passage, choose the correct answers for the following questions. (1x4=4)

1. What is exercise?

(a) physical activity (b) physical stress (c) physical laziness (d) physical sleep

2. How does physical activity help us?

(a) makes us rich (b) keeps us fit (c) gives good hair (d) we get strong teeth

3. What does exercise do to young boys and girls?

(a) makes us aware of stress (b) promotes stress (c) reduces stress (d) increases stress

4. We get diabetes when we

(a) do a lot of exercise (b) eat in class (c) talk in class (d) don't exercise

Q.2 Read the given passage carefully

Kavita's brother is very lazy. His name is Vishal and he is fourteen years old. He wakes up late every morning at around nine. He gets ready very quickly within 20 minutes.

His online classes start at 10 am and end at 3 pm. During his classes, he looks very sad and inactive. He has lunch around 1 o'clock. After having lunch, he rests for 20 minutes as the classes are closed for a while.

As the online classes end, he stands up and runs to play a cricket match. It's one of his favourite games. Some time back, he used to play football but due to an accident, he doesn't like that game.

He completes his homework at night and always eats dinner after completing his work.

On the basis of your reading of the passage, choose the correct answers for the following questions. (1X4=4)

1. What is the name of Kavita's brother?

(a) Karan (b) Shiva (c) Vishal (d) Vijay

2. At what time does Vishal take his lunch?

(a) 2 o'clock (b) 12 o'clock (c) 3 o'clock (d) 1 o'clock

3. After lunch, he rests for

(a) 20 minutes (b) 15 minutes (c) 10 minutes (d) 25 minutes

4. What is the name of his favourite game?

(a) football (b) hockey (c) cricket (d) swimming

Section B [Writing & Grammar]

Q3. Imagine you are Pakhi/ Pulkit residing at D - 85, Prashant Vihar Sector -14, Rohini, Delhi. Write a letter to your friend thanking her /him for giving you a digital wrist watch for your birthday. (6)

Q.4. Fill in the blanks with suitable collective nouns. (3x1/2 =1.1/2)

a. A _____ of monkeys.

b. A _____ of drawers.

c. A _____ of puppies.

Q.5. State whether the underlined nouns are countable or uncountable. (3x1/2=1.1/2)

a. Some water was kept in the jug.

b. I have twenty - six friends.

c. The goats were grazing.

Q.6. Identify the tense of the verb in the given sentence. (4x1/2=2)

a. We will be going for a picnic after the exams.

b. My mother is teaching me very nicely.

C. The old man was giving the beggar some money.

D. The dogs are barking.

Q.7. Underline the Adjective and state its kind (3x1/2=1.1/2)

a. The fat man was running on the road.

b. The king had enough soldiers to win the war.

c. Agrim distributed six balls to his friends.

Q.8. Circle the Proper Nouns the Common nouns. (4x1/2=2)

a. My house is big and spacious.

b. The Red Fort is very big.

c. Samir lives next door.

d. That garden is beautiful.

Q.9. Fill in the blanks with suitable pronouns. (4x1/2=2)

a. Sita is doing her homework now. You can call _____ later. (him /her)

b. The king ate his food. _____ was very tasty. It/ its)

C. My sister came for rakhi. _____ brought chocolates for me. (he/she)

D. The television in my room is not working. _____ needs some repairs. (it /its)

Q.10. Underline the verbs in the given sentences. (1/2x3=1.1/2)

A. The Principal called my parents today.

B. I like to swim in summer.

C. The monkey played with a football in the zoo.

Section –C [Literature]

Q11. Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow (1 x3=3)

`The mother thought for some time. Then she said, `Let me add my camels to your camels. So how many camels do you have now?`

- (a) What is the name of `the mother`?
- (b) How many camels did she add?
- (c) Now how many camels were there in all?

Q.12. Complete the given sentences.

(1/2x4=2)

- A. Abdullah bin Saad left behind _____ camels
- A. The tenth guest was _____
- B. Lord Yamanouchi and the tea master visited _____
- C. Abdullah's eldest son was _____

Q13. Answer any four out of five questions.

(1.2x4=6)

- (a) Who was the long - necked guest? What did he bring?
- (b) Who was Lord Yamanouchi? Which city did he and the tea master visit?
- (c) Who was Abdullah bin Saad? How many sons did he have?
- (d) Why was Shadow upset when Carly wished him a happy anniversary?
- (e) In the fox's wedding when did it start raining? What did the horse bring with him?

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Q14. Answer any one out of two questions.

(1x3=3)

(a) What did Rukaiya Khatoon do to solve the problem? Do you think the three sons were justified in quarrelling over the division of the camels?

OR

(b) What happened to Shadow and Carly in the end? Do you think Shadow is a nice likeable cat? Give reasons to support your answer.