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ANNUAL EXAMINATION 2023-24
SUBJECT: ENGLISH
CLASS: V
SAMPLE PAPER

Time: 1.5 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.

Once there was a miser who sold all his possessions and, with the money, bought a great lump of gold, dug a deep hole at the edge of the garden, and there he buried his gold. Once a day, thereafter, the miser went to the garden, dug up his gold, and embraced it lovingly. One of the miser's workmen wondered why his master spent so much time in the garden. One day, he hid behind a tree and soon discovered the secret of the hidden treasure. That night, when the miser was fast asleep, the workman crept into the garden and stole the lump of gold. When the miser found that his gold was gone, he tore his hair and cried aloud in his despair. A neighbour came running to see what the matter was, and the grief-stricken miser told him what had happened. Then the neighbours said, "Pray to stop your weeping. Go and find a stone. Place the stone in the hole and imagine that it is your lump of gold. The stone will serve your purpose, for you never meant to use the gold anyway." "To a miser, what he has is of no more use than what he has not."

On the basis of your reading of the passage, choose the correct answers for the following questions. (1x5=5)

1. How did the miser get the lump of gold?

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| a. By selling all he had | b. While digging the garden |
| c. From his ancestors | d. From his neighbour |

king horns. The next moment two big horns grew on the king's head.

On the basis of your reading of the passage, choose the correct answers for the following questions. (1x5=5)

1. What made the king unhappy in the story?

- a. The king's pride
b. The king's charity
c. The king's pride
d. The king's love for his people

2. Why did the king call himself the most handsome king in the world?

- a) Because he had a magical mirror.
b) Because his courtiers told him so.
c) Because of his vanity and pride.
d) Because of his good looks

3. What did the king pay more attention to than running his kingdom?

- a) His people's happiness.
b) Grooming himself and his appearance.
c) Playing cricket.
d) His outdoor activities

4. What did the god do to punish the king for his vanity?

- a) Gave him a beautiful crown.
b) Gave him horns on his head.
c) Gave him a handsome robe.
d) Gave him a long tail

5. Find a word from the passage which means very good looking.

- a. handsome
b. grooming
c. mirrors
d. cranky

Section B [Writing & Grammar

Q3. Write an application to the Principal of your school requesting him/her to allow you to practise badminton for one month during the zero period as your Zonal matches are next month. Imagine you are Lamesh /Latika residing at F - 192 Badli Village, Delhi - 94. You are studying in Sunrise Public School, School Block, Sector - 29. Rohini, Delhi - 85. (6)

Q4. State the kind of the underlined adverbs (1/2 x4 =2)

- (a) Our class performed gracefully during Nirmitti.
(b) We should drink a glass of milk daily.
(c) It is believed that God is present everywhere.
(d) Sometimes when I don't do my work mother scolds me.

Q5. Do as directed. Negative and interrogative sentences. (1 x2 =2)

- (a) We are going for a world tour after my annual exams. (Convert to negative sentence)
(b) Our school will provide cricket training for all the students. (Convert to interrogative sentence)

Q6. Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions. (1/2 x4=2)

- (a) I reached late to school _____ I woke up late.
(b) Shiva is slow _____ he works hard.
(c) Do you like the summer _____ winter season?
(d) We must always keep some salt _____ pepper at the dining table.

Q7. Fill in the blanks using correct forms of the verbs given in the brackets. (½ x5=2.5)

(a) I _____ (play) (Past Continuous Tense) when your call came.

(b) Heena _____ (read) (Present Continuous Tense) a book now.

(c) The chef _____ (read) (Past Perfect Tense) the recipe of the dish.

(d) I _____ (eat) (Present Perfect Tense) very tasty pasta from the school canteen.

(e) Ramesh and Toby _____ (complete) (Future Continuous Tense) their homework by tomorrow.

Q8. Write the correct modal (½ x3=1.5)

(a) Mohit you should/would brush your teeth regularly.

(b) You can/might go for the picnic if your parents allow you.

(c) Can/May you lend me your Maths notebook?

Section -C [Literature]

Q9. Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow. (1 x3=3)

"Why are you weeping then?"

a. Who asks this question and to whom?

b. Why is the speaker surprised?

c. Where was the speaker supposed to go?

Q.10. Answer any four out of five questions. (2x4=8)

1. What does E.V.A. mean?

2. What did the Wicked Witch of the West want Dorothy to give her? Why?

3. Why did the Happy Prince want to give the ruby to the seamstress?

4. What does the poet write on his paper boats? Why does he do so?

5. Describe the earliest spacesuits. Why are they orange now?

Q.11. Answer any one out of two questions. (1x3=3)

a. To whom and why does the Happy Prince send the sapphire from his eye? Why do you think that the swallow stayed warm with the Happy Prince?

OR

b. What did the Wizard give the Scarecrow, the Tin man, and the lion? Did they really help them?