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CLASS –VI ENGLISH

M.M-30

SYLLABUS-

- 1) Passage for reading comprehension.**
- 2) Grammar- Parts of Speech, Tenses, Verb Forms, Active and Passive Voice, Direct and Indirect Speech, Idioms and Phrases etc.**
- 3) Vocabulary – Spellings, Synonyms and Antonyms, Homophones, Homonyms, Analogy.**
- 4) General English- Books and Authors, Awards and Recognitions in Literature.**

NOTE-This is only a sample paper. The actual paper will contain 30 question of miscellaneous type on the syllabus mentioned above.

Q.1. Read the given passage and answer the questions that follow.

Wilma Rudolph was born into a poor home in Tennessee. At age four, she had double pneumonia with scarlet fever, a deadly combination which left her paralyzed with polio. She had to wear a brace and the doctor said she would never put her foot on the earth. But her mother encouraged her; she told Wilma that with God-given ability, persistence and faith she could do anything she wanted. Wilma said , I want to be the fastest women on the track on this earth.’ At the age of nine, against the advice of the doctors, she removed the brace and took the first step the doctors had said she never would. At the age of 13, she entered her first race and came away, way last. And then she entered her second, and third and fourth until a day came when she came first.

At the age of 15 she went to Tennessee State University where she met a coach by the name of Ed Temple. She told him, “I want to be the fastest woman on the track on this earth. “Temple said, “With your spirit nobody can stop you and beside, I will help you.”The day came when she was at the Olympics and at the Olympics you are matched with the best of the best. Wilma was matched against a woman named Jutta Heine who had never been beaten. The first event was the 100 meter race. Wilma beat Jutta Heine and won her first gold medal. The second event was the 200 metre race and Wilma beat Jutta and second time and won her second gold medal. The third event was the 400 metre

relay and she was racing against Jutta one more time. In the relay, the fastest person always runs the first lap and the both anchored their teams. The first three people ran and changed the baton easily. When it came to Wilma's turn, she dropped the baton. But Wilma saw Jutta shoot up at the other end; she picked the baton, ran like a machine, beat Jutta a third time and won her third

gold medal. It became history: That a paralytic woman became the fastest woman on this earth at the 1960 Olympics.

What a lesson to be learned from Wilma! It reaches us that successful people do it in spite of, not in the absence of, problems.

Q-1) Double pneumonia with scarlet fever is a (1)

- a) deadly combination
- b) deadly disease
- c) dangerous disorder
- d) deadly ailment

Q-2) Doctor said Wilma Rudolph would never (1)

- a) Be able to take her first step
- b) Run
- c) Run with a pace
- d) Go for cycling

Q-3) Wilma's mother said that with God-given ability (1)

- a) She is overconfident
- b) She would face problems
- c) She could do anything
- d) She would have to answer many

Q-4) It became history that a paralytic woman (1)

- a) Participated in Olympics
- b) Became the fastest women in this earth in 1960 Olympics
- c) Faced defeat but participated
- d) Can do wonders

Q-5) Successful people do it in spite of (1)
a) not in the presence of problems
b) not in absence of problems
c) quit
d) succeed

Q-6) Give the correct degree of comparison- Seema is _____ than Neha. (1)
a) Nice b) Nicer
c) Nicest d) More nicer

Q-7) Join the sentences with suitable conjunction- They are visiting the Thar desert. It is very hot there. (1)
a) Though b) So
c) And d) But

Q-8) Choose the correct Antonym to the word in the sentence-The President talked to the reporters in a very formal way. (1)
a) informal b) unformal
c) enformal d) diformal

Q-9) Choose the correct synonym to the word in the sentence-The journey was really tiring. (1)
a) Exhausting b) boring
c) Expensive d) dangerous

Q-10) Find the correct spelling - (1)
a) Succeed b) Suceed
b) Succed d) Scced

Q-11) Choose the correct synonym of the word –Beautiful (1)
a) Exquisite b) Ugly
b) Great c) Honest

Q-12) Choose the correct form of sentence- Oops! I forgot my pencil box today. (1)
a) Assertive b) Exclamatory
c) Imperative d) Interrogative

Q-13) Choose the correct form of sentence- Do not make any noise in the library. (1)

- a) Assertive
- b) Exclamatory
- c) Imperative
- d) Interrogative

Q-14) Complete the proverb- As you sow ,so shall you _____ (1)

- a) Reap
- b) sweep
- c) deep
- d) Leap

Q-15) Find the correct prefix to the word- Match (1)

- a) Dismatch
- b) Mismatch
- c) overmatch
- d) Prematch

Q-16) Find the correct suffix to the word- Friend (1)

- a) Friendly
- b) Friendliness
- c) Friendlisome
- d) Friendlike

Q-17) Supply correct idiom- It's raining like cat's and _____ (1)

- a) Sheep's
- b) Dogs
- c) Pigs
- d) Cows

Q-18) Choose correct verb- I _____ (go) to the city mall yesterday. (1)

- a) Went
- b) gone
- c) goes
- d) going

Q-19) Choose the correct passive voice for the sentence- Dr. Vinod had examined Mary (1)

- a) Mary had been examined by Dr. Vinod
- b) Mary was examined by Dr. Vinod
- c) Mary is examined by Dr. Vinod
- d) Mary is being examined by Dr. Vinod

Q-20) Choose the correct indirect speech for the given sentence- The teacher said to the students, "Complete your work now." (1)

- a) The teacher ordered the students to complete their work then.
- b) The teacher said the students to complete their work.
- c) The teacher enquired the students to do their work.
- d) The teacher requested the students to complete their work.

Q-21) Name the author of the book Khushwantnama-The Lessons of My Life (1)

- a) Khushwant Singh b) L.K.Adwani
c) Faraz Ahmad d) Nasiruddin Shah

Q-22) Name the author of the famous book-Unaccustomed Earth (1)

- a) Jhumpa Lahiri b) Sameer Kochar
c) Vijay Darda d) Narendra Yadav

Q-23) Name the author of the book-Making India Awesome (1)

- a) Dr.A.P.J Abdul Kalam b) Khushwant Singh
c) Shobha Dey d) M.K Gandhi

Q-24) Name the poet of the nobel prize winning work Gitanjali. (1)

- a) Khushwant Singh b) Sarojini Naidu
c) Rabindranath Tagore d) Salman Rushdie

Q-25) Name the author of the famous novel –Great Expectations (1)

- a) Jonathan Swift b) Keats
c) William Wordsworth d) Charles Dickens

Q-26) Which actor has been honoured with Dadasaheb Phalke Award after his death (1)

- a) Vinod Mehra b) Rajesh Khanna
c) Sri Devi d) Vinod Khanna

Q-27) Who is the author of the famous book ‘My Days’ (1)

- a) Jawaharlal Nehru
b) M.K.Gandhi
c) Khushwant Singh
d) R.K Narayan

Q-28) Choose amongst the given options the famous comedy of William Shakespeare consisting of lines-“Sweet are the uses of adversity”. (1)

- a) As You Like It
b) A Midsummer Night’s Dream
c) The Tempest
d) Twelfth Night

Q-29) Which award did R.N.Tagore get for his famous work 'Gitanjali' in the year 1913?(1)

- a) Grammy Awards**
- b) Oscars**
- c) Nobel Prize**
- d) Filmfare Awards**

Q-30) Who is the poet of the poem 'The Solitary Reaper'

(1)

- a) William Wordsworth**
- b) William Shakespeare**
- c) Robert Frost**
- d) John Donne**