

ANNUAL EXAMINATION, 2018-19

ENGLISH

Time : 3 hrs.

Class - V

M.M. : 80

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Name of the student _____ Section _____

General Instructions:

- Read all the questions carefully.
- Attempt all the questions.
- Revise your answers before submitting the answer sheet.

SECTION-A (READING: 15 MARKS)

A.1 Read the following passage given below and answer the questions that follow.

Mount Everest is the highest mountain on the Earth. Its peak is located on the border between Nepal and Tibet in China. It is a part of the great Himalayan Mountain range.

For many years, climbers tried and failed to reach the summit of Mt. Everest. In 1953, the British put everything they had into giving it one more try. They hoped that their climbers would reach the top in time for the coronation of Queen Elizabeth.

Ten different climbers from all over the world were chosen to make the trek. In April and May, supplies were relayed up the mountain, and camps were set every 1,000 to 2,000 feet.

When they returned home, journalists kept asking the two men who reached the summit first. Earth time they were asked, the response was the same, "We reached it together".

Fill in the blanks with the suitable information from the story. (5)

- i) _____ is the tallest mountain on the Earth.
- ii) The peak of the mountain is located on the border between _____ and _____.
- iii) The story took place in the year _____.
- iv) The camps were set every _____ feet.

A.2 Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow.

In Kamakura, a township in Japan, there sits a great bronze idol of the Buddha. The idol is almost 44 feet high. His face is 8 feet long and his thumbs are 3 feet thick . The idol sits and smiles gently to himself.

In the sea near the town, there lived a huge whale. He was bigger than all the other whales; in fact, it was larger than all the other sea creatures. Other creatures might have been more beautiful, clever, or more useful but no one

was as large as the whale. This made the whale believe that he was the king among all water creatures.

One day, the whale overheard some fishermen talking about the big statue in Kamakura. They spoke of the thousands of people who came to see the idol – apparently, it was the biggest thing in the world ! At first, the whale merely laughed. He said, ‘Nothing could be as big as I am !’ But then, he soon became rather vexed. Why were the people going to see the idol ? They should come to see him he thought. It became worse when all the other fish reported the same story to him.

He decided he must see the idol for himself. He wore magic boots and walked to the temple where the enormous idol sat. There was a sound of heavy foot steps and the immense idol came out. They asked the chief priest to measure who was bigger. The whale to his intense satisfaction, found that he was two inches taller.

Afer this incident the man in the dry-goods store and the dealer in wood and iron settled their own long-standing quarrel as to what was a foot. It was agreed that the ‘whale foot’ is two inches longer than the ‘metal foot’.

a) Answer the following questions. (3)

- i) Where is the bronze idol of Buddha located ?
- ii) What was the whale proud of ?
- iii) Which long-standing quarrel was settled after the incident ?

b) Tick the correct option. (2)

- i) The height of the idol is –
a) 44 feet b) 14 feet c) 34 feet
- ii) The whale walked to temple wearing his –
a) best clothes b) magic boots c) wrist watch

c) State whether the following statements are ‘True’ of ‘False’. (1)

- i) The face of the bronze idol is 8 feet long.
- ii) The whale found that he was two inches shorter than the idol.

d) Write the comparative degrees of the words from the passage. (2)

- i) bad ii) big

e) Fill in the blanks.. (2)

- i) The whale decided to see the _____ for himself.
- ii) The _____ was asked to measure who was bigger.

SECTION-B (WRITING : 20 MARKS)

- B.1 Attempt any one in approximately 80-100 words. (7)**
- a) Imagine you are Peter Rabbit. Write a diary entry about what happened on the day you disobeyed your mother and went into Mr. Mc Gregor's garden.
 - b) Imagine that you are the Lord of Tartary. Write a diary entry describing your experience of the night when you visited the kingdom's forest.
- B.2 Give a character sketch of any one of the following in approximately 120 words. (6)**
- a) Rikki-tikki
 - b) Seema from the story 'The Unforgettable Adventure'
- B.3 Write a travelogue about a place you travelled to recently. (100-120 words approx) (5)**
- B.4 Write a short paragraph on any one of the topics given below : (50-60 words approx) (2)**
- a) Republic Day Celebration in your school
 - b) Our Environment

SECTION-C (GRAMMAR: 20 MARKS)

- C.1 Choose the correct article. (2)**
- i) This is (a / an / the) shortest route to school.
 - ii) The grocer is (a / an / the) honest man.
- C.2 Fill in the blanks with a, an, or the. (1)**
- i) Prem built _____ house last month. _____ house has two storeys.
 - ii) There is _____ garden behind _____ house.
- C.3 Underline the adverbs in the sentences given below and write the type of adverb. (1)**
- i) He arranged his things neatly. _____
 - ii) I will visit my cousins tomorrow. _____
- C.4 Rewrite the sentences using an adverb from the box in place of the underlined phrase. (1)**
- easily, carefully, boldly, clearly
- i) I found the way without any difficulty.
 - ii) The child replied without fear.

- C.5 Form adverbs from the following adjectives. (1)**
i) merry ii) lazy iii) cruel iv) greedy
- C.6 Fill in the blanks with the 'ing' form of the verbs given in the brackets. (1)**
i) Mother is _____ (fry) the eggs in a pan.
ii) Virat is _____ (hit) every ball to the boundary.
- C.7 Change the sentence to past tense. (1)**
i) I buy milk from this store.
- C.8 Fill in the blanks with the appropriate form of the verbs in brackets to show the correct tense. (3)**
i) Maya ____ (drive) a new car. (Simple Past)
ii) Farah ____ (stay) with her grandparents in the vacations. (Simple Future)
iii) Why do you ____ (fight) with him ? (Simple Present)
- C.9 Circle the most suitable preposition. (2)**
i) The river flows (in / to / into) the sea.
ii) We waited (about / for / at) the train.
iii) She sat (between / beside / around) me.
iv) There is a small garden (beside / opposite / in front of) my house.
- C.10 Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions. (1)**
i) We cannot travel to the sun _____ it is very hot. (so, because)
ii) _____ the sun did not shine, there would be no life. (If, When)
- C.11 Join the re-write the sentence using a suitable conjunction. (1)**
i) Mother said, "Come inside. You will get sunburn".
- C.12 Write down the possessive forms of the following : (1)**
i) the games of the children
ii) the songs of the birds
- C.13 Rewrite the sentence using capital letters and appropriate punctuation mark. (2)**
i) america was discovered by christopher columbus
ii) look out there is a puppy on the road

C.14 Match the questions with the correct answer. (2)

Question	Answer
Do you know him?	I am quite well, thank you
May I borrow your umbrella ?	No, its just round the corner
How are you ?	I'm sorry. I can't lend it to you
Is the post office far from the market ?	Yes, I do. He's my cousin

SECTION-D (ENGLISH READER : 25 MARKS)

D1 Read the statements and answer the questions that follow. (ANY ONE) (2)

a) **'But are you sure that there is anything to be gained by killing people?'**

- i) Who said these words and to whom ?
- ii) Do you think the speaker is better than the one spoken to ? Why ?

b) **'Look at this piece of paper !'**

- i) Who said these words and to whom?
- ii) What did the piece of paper turn out to be ?

D.2 Answer the following questions. (ANY FOUR) (8)

- i) Why did Rikki-tikki feel dizzy when he was fighting Nag ?
- ii) Describe the life style of Jarawa.
- iii) How did Mr. Sen catch the bank robbers ?
- iv) How will the poet go for a royal inspection of his lands in Tartary ?
- v) What is ambergris, and why is it in great demand ?
- vi) What was Nagaina's plan to get rid of Rikki-tikki ?

D.3 Answer the following questions. (ANY ONE) (3)

- i) How does the author describe the Andaman-Nicobar archipelago ?
- ii) Who praised the children for their courage ? What reward did they get for helping the police arrest the robbers ?

D.4 Answer the following questions. (ANY ONE) (2)

- i) Do you think in this age of modernisation, preservation of the tribes is important ? Why or why not ?
- ii) Have you heard of the saying 'the family that eats together, stays together'? What are the things that you do together as a family ?

D.5 Tick the correct option. (2)

- i) The poet's throne was made of
a) ivory b) gold c) silver
- b) The only tribe unaffected by outsiders is -
a) the Jarawa b) the Sentinelese iii) the Shompen

D.6 Write 'T' for true statements and 'F' for false statements. (1)

- i) Rikki-tikki wanted to kill chuchundra.
ii) Nag did not want to kill Rikki-tikki.

D.7 Complete the sentences using the correct phrases given in the box. (2)

got a shock, get used to, get home

- i) I _____ when the kitten jumped on me.
ii) You can go to the party, but _____ quickly.

D.8 Match the formal word / phrase with its colloquial pair. (2)

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| i) lazy | a) kid |
| ii) a child | b) gotta |
| iii) mother | c) couch potato |
| iv) got to | d) mum |

D.9 Form adjective form the words given in brackets and fill in the blanks. (2)

- i) The _____ Prime Minister is on an official tour. (Canada)
ii) I love _____ food. (China)

D.10 Complete the phrases. (1)

- i) a speck of _____
ii) a cup of _____

