

Ist Term Examination 2022-2023

Class- 12th

Subject - English

TIME- 3hrs.

MARKS-80

Note :-

- 1- Attempt all Questions.
- 2- Write neat and clean.
- 3- Marks allotted against each Question.

"Section-A" Reading

Q.1 Read the following extract carefully and answer the questions :- (10)

Education is a sub system of the wider social system and has linkage with other sub system like economics, politics and religion. There exist a powerful influence on the goals of education. Education therefore must relate itself and change according to the needs of the society.

Globalization and modernization have brought a momentous change in our value system. Materialism, corruption, dishonest and other negative value system have to come to the fore. All formal and informal agencies of education like the home, school and community should realize the seriousness of the situation, values can't be taught they are caught. It means that we can't simply tell children about values and they will adopt them. Race for the degree and jobs has worsened the situation.

The whole system of education needs overhauling. Teaching at all levels must emphasize on moral education and character building. Intellect without wisdom can be suicide. It is expected that the new education policy will be useful in changing the situation.

Questions :-

- (1) Education a sub system of the wider social system is not influenced by
 - (a) Economics
 - (b) Religion
 - (c) Family
 - (d) Politics
- (2) The thing that our education system lacks is _____
 - (a) Physical education
 - (b) Science education
 - (c) Education of values
 - (d) Education of Geography
- (3) The agency of education is _____
 - (a) School
 - (b) Home
 - (c) Community
 - (d) All of these
- (4) Give Noun form of 'globe'
 - (a) Globalize
 - (b) Global
 - (c) Globalization
 - (d) Globe

- (5) Give opposite of " Wisdom".
- (6) Intellect without wisdom can be suicide means :-
 (a) We need no wisdom
 (b) We need no intellect
 (c) We need both (a) and (b)
 (d) None of these
- (7) How globalization and modernization have brought a momentous change in our vale system.
- (8) Formal education is squeezed between memory & mechanical explain?
- Q.2 (1) On the basis of your reading make notes, give suitable title. (2)
 (2) Write summary of the above passage. (2)

'Section-B' Writing

- Q.3 You have lost library book issued in your name returning home by local bus, write a Notice for the lost and found column of a local daily giving the particular of the book. (4)

OR

You are Raci/ Rachna as a president of the cultural forum of your school you have organised an inter- school competition on the occasion of the silver jubilee celebration. Draft a poster.

- Q.4 You are a manager of ABC Ltd. sector 30 Gurgaon. You need an efficient data entry operator for your office. Write an advertisement for the situation Vacant column of a local daily newspaper. (4)

OR

Write an Article on the topic " Should Women join Defence Service", Sign yourself as Kunal/ Kavita. <https://www.mpboardonline.com>

- Q.5 Write a letter to your father regarding him to send you a sum of Rs. 500/- for purchasing books. (4)

OR

Write a letter to the supervisor of MP electricity Board regarding the frequent break down in electricity supply in your area.

"Section-C" Grammar

- Q.6 Fill in the blanks : (Any 5) (5)
- 1- I have _____ reason to be angry. (all, every)
 - 2- We walked to met his house _____ the way from Mumbai. (on/of)
 - 3- I know him. (change the voice)
 - 4- Let us go to _____ market. (a, an, the)
 - 5- Are their _____ letter for me. (some/any)
 - 6- I was born _____ 1979. (Fill Preposition)
- Q.7 Do as Directed:- (5)
- 1- Combine the pair of sentence with conjunction 'so..... that'
 The tea is very hot
 We can't drink it.
 - 2- He says, " He spoke the truth" (Change the narration)

- 3- The farmers are ploughing the fields. (make a questions with 'what')
- 4- We _____ to respect our teacher. (could/ ought)
- 5- Sanjay shut the door. (change into Negative)

Section-D Text book

Q.8 Read the extract and answer the following :- (5)

My mother at sixty six.
Driving from my parents
home to cochin last Friday
morning, I saw my mother beside me
doze open mouthed her face as her like
that of a corpse & realized with pain.

Questions:-

- 1- Name the poem & the poet?
- 2- What do the parting words of the poet and her smile signify?
- 3- Which place poet talking about?
- 4- Antonyms of "open"
- 5- Why has the face ashen?

Q.9 (A) Read the following poem carefully and answer the questions:- (3)

Now we will count to twelve
and we will all keep still
For once on the face of the Earth
Let's not speak in any language,
let's stop for one second.
and not move our arms so much.

Question :-

- 1- The poet wants to count :-
(a) 10 (b) 12
(c) 15 (d) 11
- 2- Name the poem & the poet?
- 3- The poet wants no truck with.
(a) Silence (b) death
(c) Moving (d) Nothing

(B) Read the passage carefully and answer the question. (4)

Students on Ice, the programme. I was working with on the shokasky, aims to do exactly this by taking high school students to the ends of the world and providing them with inspiring educational opportunities which will help them foster a new understanding for our planet.

Question :-

- 1 Name of the programme:-
(a) Students of Ice (b) Antartica
(c) School Trip (d) None of these

- 2 Who is 'I' in the above lines:-
 (a) Narrator (b) Students
 (c) Poet (d) Kamlesh
- 3- Where the students went?
 (a) End of the world (b) Trip
 (c) on journey (d) All of these
- 4- What is the motive of this programme ?
- Q.10 Short answer Type question. (5x2=10)
 1- From where did the peddler get the idea of the world being a rattrap?
 2- How did Douglas overcome his fear of water?
 3- What is the belief in some premature culture about being photograph?
 4- What made the peddler finally change his ways?
 5- Why is Antarctica the place to go to understand the earth's present, past and future?
- Q.11 Short Answer type questions. (3x2=6).
 1- What will counting up to twelve? Keeping still help us achieve ?
 2- Why has the mother been compared to the late winter's moon?
 3- " The world's geological history is trapped" in Antarctica. How is the study of their region useful to us?
- Q.12 Short Answer type question. (2x2=4)
 1- Why should child labour be eliminated and how?
 2- justify the title " Keeping Quiet "
- Q.13 Long Answer : (3x2=6)
 1- What was the attitude of the average Indian in smaller localities towards advocates of " home rule" ?
 2- How did Franz react to the declaration that it was their last French lesson?
- Q.14 Long Answer : (Any 1) (3)
 1- justify the title " Keeping Quiet".
 2- The modern world is full of insecurity fear war, worry and stress. what attempt to cure come them?
- Q.15 Draw a character sketch of the Tiger King in your own words. (3)

OR

" Take care of the small things and the big things will take care of themselves"/ what is the relevance of this statement in the content of the Antarctic environment.

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