

SLIP TEST - 1

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

UNIT-1 A-READING

I. Read the following passage and answer the questions given there after. 5M

Water sports aren't Nick's only thing - he also plays golf with a club tucked under his chin, and is a huge fan of the English Premier League. His parents decided not to send him to a special school - a decision he said was very hard for him, but which may have been the best decision they could have made for him. When Nick was born his father was so shocked that he left the hospital room to vomit. His distraught mother couldn't bring herself to hold him until he was four months old. His disability came without any medical explanation - a rare occurrence called Phocomelia - and Nick and his parents spent many years asking why this cruel trick would happen to them. 'My mother was a nurse and she did everything right during pregnancy but she still blamed herself,' he said. *[Attitude is altitude]*

1. How does Nick play golf?
2.this cruel trick happen to them? What was the cruel trick mentioned here?
3. Nick mother was a []
 - a. doctor
 - b. nurse
 - c. computer operator.
4. What is a special school? []
 - a. school for differently abled
 - b. school for intelligent
 - c. school for players
5. Why did Nick's father go out of room when he saw Nick ?
 - a. to call doctor
 - b. to vomit
 - c. to distribute sweets.

- II. You read that Nick tried to kill himself. He told the same to his mother. That night his mother told his father the entire incident. Write a possible conversation between Nick's parents in this context. [or]

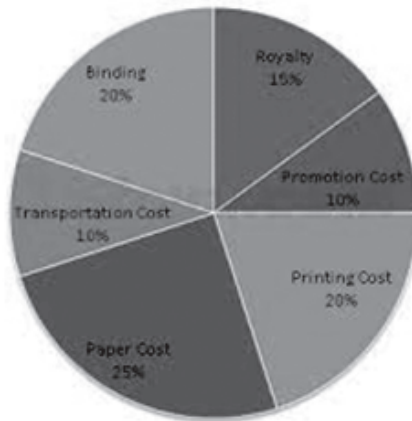
Write the diary entry of Nick on the day he tried to kill himself. 5M

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers. 5M

Nick has a small foot on his left hip [1] which helps him balance and enables him to kick. [2] He uses his one foot to type, write with a pen and pick things up between his toes.[3] 'I call it my chicken drumstick,' joked Nick, who was born in Melbourne [4], Australia, but now lives in Los Angeles [5]. 'I'd be lost without it.' [or]

Read the following pie chart and write sentences basing on the pie charts.

Expenditure Incurred in publishing a book



IV. Answer the following questions as directed

[Grammar]

5M

1. Nick has a small foot on his left hip. It helps him in writing. [combine with 'which']
2. The old man died on road. He was a millionaire. [Combine with 'who']
3. Show me the way to railway station. [Write in a polite form]
4. Your brother riding motorcycle without helmet. Advice him to wear helmet.
5. Bethany Hamilton taught surfing to Nick. [Change the voice]

V. Answer the following questions [Vocabulary]

- 1. Choose the synonyms from the box given for the under lined words of the paragraph and write in the blanks. 3M**

achievement, petrified, speedily, journal, completely, impressive, sluggish

I was terrified [1] at first, but once I got up there it felt absolutely [2] fantastic [3] and I caught some waves pretty well.' Nick quickly[4] learned how to do the 360 degree spins on his board - a feat [5] that got him on the cover of Surfer magazine [6] within 48 hours.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

2. Arrange the following words under correct heading.

2 M

optimistic, lazy, arrogant, generous, pessimistic, nervous, trusting, creative

Positive Qualities	Negative Qualities

SLIP TEST - 2

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UNIT-1 A-READING

I. Read the following passage and answer the questions given there after. 5M

'I realised why God had made us like this - to give hope to others. It was so inspirational to me that I decided to use my life to encourage other people and give them the courage that the article had given me.' 'I decided to be thankful for what I do have, not get angry about what I don't.' 'I looked at myself in the mirror and said: 'You know what the world is right that I have no arms and legs, but they'll never take away the beauty of my eyes.' I wanted to concentrate on something good that I had.' "The challenges in our lives are there to strengthen our convictions. They are not there to run us over", said Nick. In 1990 Nick won the Australian Young Citizen of the Year award for his bravery and perseverance.

[Attitude is altitude]

1. Which was the award that won by Nick?
2. How did Nick want to use his life?
3. According Nick, why God had made him like this..... []
a. to criticise others b. to give hope to others c. to make others slaves
4. The word 'convictions' means..... []
a. faiths b. troubles c. interests
5. Nick got courage from..... []
a. Bethany Hamilton b. a news paper article c. his parents

II. Nick met Bethany Hamilton to learn surfing. Write a possible conversation between Bethany Hamilton and Nick in that context. [or]

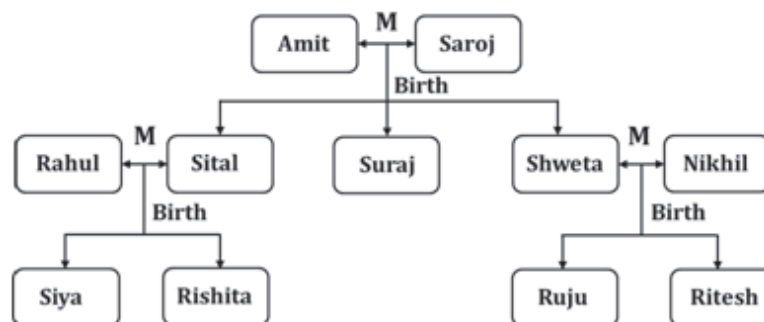
Nick got appreciation about his 360 degrees spin. He was very happy to get that appreciation. Now write the diary entry of Nick on the day his photo was published on the surfers' magazine.

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers 5M

He has visited different countries all over the world. The football fan is now a motivational speaker and has travelled to over 24 countries [1] speaking to groups of up to 110,000 people. He moved to Los Angeles in 2007, [2] and planed to continue to travel the world. In 2009, he visited South America and the Middle East. [3] In 2008, Kanae Miyahara, a beautiful young girl, whose mother was a Mexican and whose father was a Japanese, [4] attended to a meeting where Nick was the guest speaker in Texas. Kanae was attracted to Nick's message. [5] From that time they were in touch with each other to share their ideas on giving hope to the needy and they became close friends.

[or]

Read the following Tree diagram and write sentences about it.



M : Stands for Marriage

IV. Write the following as directed

5M

1. Sarvaani is a doctor. Shee works at RIMS, Ongole. [Combine with 'who']
2. I brought shells from beach. They look very nice. [Combine with 'which']
3. Nick spread the message. [Change voice]
4. Write the correct verb form.
Nick____[move] to Los Angeles in 2007 and _____[plan] to travel the world.
5. Can I help you? [Choose the correct expression]
a. request b. order c. advice d. offer

V. Vocabulary

1. Read the following passage and match the opposite words for the underlined words.

2M

His disability[1] came without any medical explanation – a rare[2] occurrence called Phocomelia – and Nick and his parents spent[3] many years asking why this cruel[4] trick would happen to them.

- | A | | B |
|---------------|-------|-------------|
| 1. disability | [] | a. earn |
| 2. rare | [] | b. kind |
| 3. spent | [] | c. common |
| 4. cruel | [] | d. few |
| | | e. strength |

2. Read the following dictionary entry and answer the questions

2M

per-se-ver-ance /,pɜːsɪ'vɪərəns; NAmE ,pɜːrsə'vɪr-/ noun
[U] (approving) the quality of continuing to try to achieve a particular aim despite difficulties: They showed great perseverance in the face of difficulty. ◊ The only way to improve is through hard work and dogged perseverance.

- a. What is the parts of speech of this word?
- b. What does the symbol [U] indicate?
3. Find out the wrongly spelt word and correct the spelling.

1M

permission, examination, occasion, assumption Ans:_____

SLIP TEST - 3

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UNIT-1 B-READING

I. a. Read the following passage and answer the questions that are given after 2M

Let me share someone's life history with you. This was a man who failed in business at the age of 21; was defeated in a legislative race at age 22; failed again in business at age 24; overcame the death of his sweetheart at age 26; had a nervous breakdown at age 27; lost a congressional race at age 34; lost a senatorial race at age 45; failed in an effort to become vice-president at age 47; lost a senatorial race at age 49; and was elected president of the United States at age 52.

1. At the age of 26 Lincoln _____ []
a. had a nervous break down b. lost his wife c. lost legislative race
2. According the passage the only success of Lincoln is _____
a. became the Governor b. became the President c. Became a Philosopher

b. Read the following Statement and answer the questions given there after. 3M

S.No	District	Positives Last 24 Hrs	Total Positives	Total Active Cases	Total Recovered	Total Deceased
1	Anantapur	631	24738	6966	17597	175
2	Chittoor	479	17576	7032	10367	177
3	East Godavari	1215	32938	14239	18471	328
4	Guntur	621	22339	7514	14592	233
5	Kadapa	439	13876	6391	7407	78
6	Krishna	146	10438	3651	6575	212
7	Kurnool	883	28314	9741	18322	251
8	Nellore	511	13731	6701	6930	109
9	Prakasam	450	8985	3322	5541	122
10	Srikakulam	354	11333	4548	6656	129
11	Visakhapatnam	620	20113	8081	11864	168
12	Vizianagaram	574	9380	5476	3816	88
13	West Godavari	722	18869	4111	14603	155
	Total AP Cases	7665*	232638	87773	142741	2116
14	Other States	0	2461	0	2461	0
15	Other Countries	0	434	0	434	0
	Total	7665	235525	87773	145636	2116

1. How many persons died due to COVID in Prakasam District according the table?
2. How many cases reported in the last 24 hours in Nellore District?
3. Among these three district which district has lowest positive cases in total? []
a. Srikakulam b. Vizianagaram c. Guntur

- II. There were many thefts in your locality recently. Thieves were breaking the locks and entering into houses. They were selecting the locked houses particularly. People of your locality are afraid of this. Write a letter of complaint to the Station House Officer of your locality and request him to provide night patrolling in your locality. [or] **5M**

Write the Biographical sketch of Smt Sarojini Naidu with the help of the following hints.

Date of Birth: 13-02-1879, Parents:Varada Sundari Devi, Aghore Nadh Chattopadhyay – wrote poems from school days – brilliant student in school – went to England for higher studies - became member of Royal Literary Society, London – married to Govindarajulu Naidu in 1898 – Participated in Freedom Movement - follows Gandhiji ideology - died on 02-03.1949.

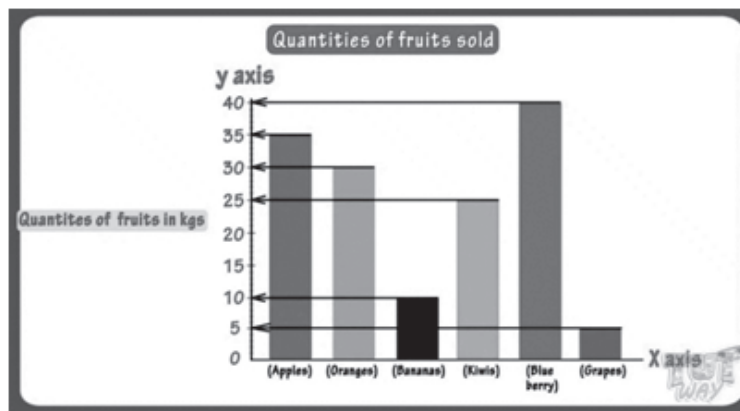
- III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers **5M**

Nick began travelling the world and in 2008 [1] he went to Hawaii and met surfing master Bethany Hamilton. [2] who had her arm bitten off by a shark when she was 12.[3]

'She was amazing,' said Nick. 'She taught me how to surf [4]and I was terrified at first, but once I got up there it felt absolutely fantastic [5] and I caught some waves pretty well.'

[or]

Write some sentences about the following Bar chart.



- IV. Write the following as directed [Grammar] **5M**

- The Mahabharatha is an epic. It was written by Vyasa. [Combine with 'which'] [1M]
- Kamakshi is my relative. I married her in 1998. [Combine with 'whom'] [1M]
- I will have completed the work. [Change the voice] [1M]
- Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions [2M]

I will come ___ [to/for] railway station ___ [by / on] foot.

- V. Vocabulary

1. Fill in the blanks with the **right form of words.** **3M**

The challenges in our lives are there to _____ [strength/ strong / strengthen] our convictions. They are not there to run us over", said Nick. In 1990 Nick won the Australian Young Citizen of the Year award for his _____ [brave / bravery / braveness] and perseverance. 'And once I was in a car and a girl at traffic lights was looking at me _____ [interestly / interest/ interestingly].

2. Complete the following word with 'au, ui, ee, ea, ai' **2M**

Nick q___ckly learned how to do the 360 degree spins on his board - a f___t that got him on the cover of Surfer magazine within 48 hours.

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UNIT-1 B-READING

I. a. Read the following passage and answer the questions that are given after 2M

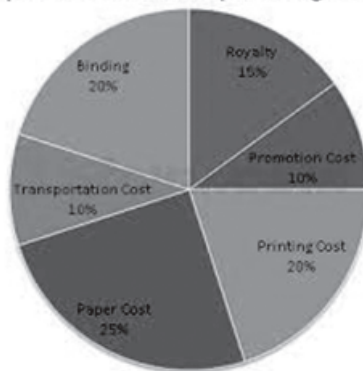
In 1913, Lee De Forest, the inventor of the triodes tube, was charged by the district attorney for using fraudulent means to mislead the public into buying stocks of his company by claiming that he could transmit the human voice across the Atlantic. He was publicly humiliated. Can you imagine where we would be without his invention?

Now answer the following

1. Lee De Forest was charged for_____ []
a. public humiliation b. open criticism c. using fraudulent means
2. Triode tube is used for _____ of human voice. []
a. conversion b. transmission c. radiation

b. Read the following pie chart and answer the questions given there after. 3M

Expenditure Incurred in publishing a book



1. Write any two fields of publishing a book has the same %age of expenditure?
2. What is the pie chart about?
3. Expenditure on _____ is highest in publishing. []
a. Binding b. Printing c. Paper

II. The Government of Andhra Pradesh prestigiously took up the programme AMMAVODI and depositing Rs.15000 into the mothers' accounts as a token of encouragement to send their children to schools regularly. You are also one of the beneficiaries. Write a letter to your friend about this programme. 5M

[or]

Write the Biographical sketch of Sri M.VENKAIHAH NAYUDU with the help of following hints.
Muppavarapu Venkaiah Nayudu – Date of Birth: 01-07-1949 – Place of Birth: Nellore, Parents:

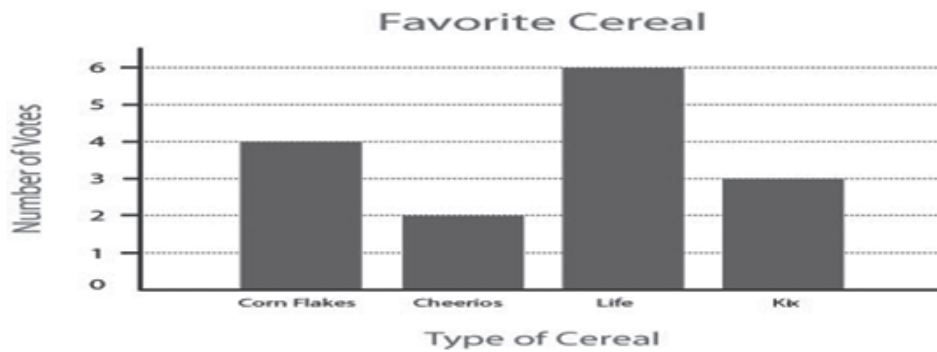
Ramanamma, Rangaiah, Wife: Mrs.Usha, - Politician – affiliated party: Bharatheeya Janatha Party, Positions: MLA, MP [for Rajya Sabha from Karnataka], - worked as Union Minister of Rural Development and Urban Development , Minister of Information and Broadcasting- Present: Vice President of India from 11-08-2017. – Established Swarna Bharath Trust at Venkatachalam, Nellore Dist. Andhra Pradesh.

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers

5M

Nick's father was a computer programmer and accountant [1] and he taught his little son how to type with his toe [2] at just 6 years old. His mum [3] invented a special plastic device [3] that meant he could hold a pen and pencil. Despite the risk of being bullied, his parents insisted on his attending mainstream school. [4] 'It was the best decision they could have made for me,' adds Nick, who later achieved a degree in Financial Planning and Real Estate. [5] [or]

Write sentences about the following bar chart.



IV. GRAMMAR – Write the following as directed

5M

- Nick's mother invented a device. It helps him to hold things. [Combine with 'which']
- Ravi gave Ram a pen.
- Write in polite form: Where is the post office?
- Your brother is watching late night movies. Advice him not to do it.
- What does the following expression mean? Doctor: You should take medicine.
 - suggestion
 - order
 - advice
 - request

V. VOCABULARY

a. Match the following one word substitutes with their meanings.

5M

A		B
1. omnipresent		a. one who hates women
2. inimitable		b. one who believes in God
3. misogynist		c. one who is present everywhere
4. thiest		d. a life history written by somebody else
5. biography		e. person who is above hundred years
		f. that which cannot be imitated

SLIP TEST - 5

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Time : 1 hr.

UNIT-2 A-READING

I. Read the following passage and answer the questions given there after. 5M

Mrs. Slater : (*sharply*) Victoria, Victoria! D'ye hear? Come in, will you?

(*Victoria, a precocious girl, dressed in colours, comes in.*)

Mrs. Slater: I'm amazed at you, Victoria. I really am. Be off now, and change your dress before your Aunt Elizabeth and your Uncle Ben come. It would never do for them to find you in colours with grandfather lying dead, upstairs.

Victoria: What are they coming for? They haven't been here for ages.

Mrs. Slater: They're coming to talk over poor grandpa's affairs. Your father sent them a telegram as soon as we found he was dead. (*A noise is heard*)

Henry: I'm wondering if they'll come at all. When you and Elizabeth quarrelled, she said she'd never set foot in your house again.

Mrs. Slater: She'll come fast enough after her share of what our father's left. You know how hard she can be when she likes. Where she gets it from I can't tell.

Now answer the following.

1. What type of girl was Victoria?
2. 'They're coming to talk over poor grandpa's affairs'... What does "affairs" mean?
3. "..... here for ages".... the meaning of the phrase 'for ages' is..... []
a. in recent times b. for a long time c. since the childhood.
4. " never set foot...." the meaning of the phrase 'set foot' is.... []
a. enter into b. go out c. setting the foot clean
5. The telegram was sent by..... []
a. Henry slater b. Amelia Slater c. Abel Merry Weather

- II. Mr.Abel Merry Weather went out of home. He reached Ring-o-bells. Write possible conversation between Mr.Abel and Mrs.John Shorrocks before their marriage. You can include the behaviour of daughters of Mr.Abel. 5M

[or]

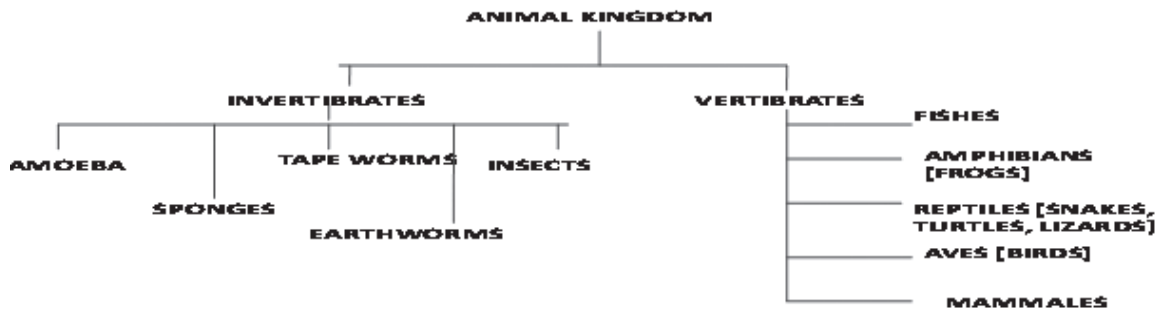
Write the diary entry of Victoria on the day Mr.Abel went out.

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers 5M

(Henry and Mrs. Slater, very hot and flushed, [1] stagger in with a pretty old-fashioned [2] bureau containing a locked desk. They put it where the chest of drawers was [3], and

straighten the ornaments, etc. There is a knock at the door[4]. The knocking is repeated.) (Victoria ushers in Ben and Mrs. Jordan. The latter is a stout, complacent woman with an irritating air of being always right[5]. She is wearing an outfit of new mourning. Ben is also in complete new mourning. He is rather a jolly little man, but at present trying to adapt himself to the regrettable occasion..) [or]

Read the following Tree diagram and write few sentences about it.



IV. GRAMMAR – Re write the following sentences as directed 5M

1. Sarvaani ___[drink] the milk and then ___ [go] out. [Write correct verb forms] 2M
2. Bumrah bowled Kohli in the T20 match. [Change Voice]
3. Your friend is putting a lot of weight. Advise him to walk every day.
4. Write in polite form: Give me your note book.

V. VOCABULARY

1. Arrange the following under correct heading. 4M

crisis, syllabus, thesis, fungus, crises, syllabi, theses, fungi

Singulars	Plurals

2. Find out the wrongly spelt word and correct it. 1M
 - a. mosque, sustainabel, triumph, majority. Ans: _____

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UNIT-2 A-READING

I. Read the following passage and answer the questions given there after. 5M

Mrs. Jordan : Well, Amelia, and so he's gone at last.

Mrs. Slater : Yes, he's gone. He was seventy-two a fortnight last Sunday. *(She sniffs back a tear.)*

Ben *(chirpily)* : Now, Amelia, you mustn't give way. We've all got to die some time or other.

Mrs. Jordan : And now perhaps you'll tell us all about it.

Mrs. Slater : Father had been merry this morning. He went out soon after breakfast to pay his insurance.

Ben : My word, it's a good thing he did.

Mrs. Jordan : He always was thoughtful in that way. He was too honourable to have 'gone' without paying his premium.

Henry : And when I came in I found him undressed sure enough and snug in bed.

Mrs. Slater : And when we'd finished dinner I thought I'd take up a bit of something on a tray. He was as if he was asleep, so I put the tray down on the bureau-*(correcting herself)* on the chest of drawers – and went to waken him. *(A pause)* He was quite cold. *(A pause. They wipe their eyes and sniff back tears.)*

Mrs. Slater : *(Rising briskly at length; in a business-like tone)* Well, will you go up and look at him now, or shall we have tea?

Now answer the following questions

1. he's gone at last. What does the phrase mean?
2. now perhaps you'll tell us all about **it**. What does it mean?
3. Mrs.Slater and Mrs. Jordan are []
a. cousins b. sisters c. friends
4. Mrs.Slater first said 'on bureau' and corrected as 'on chest'. Because..... []
a. She was in worry about her father's health.
b. She always thinks of a bureau to buy
c. By mistake she said the truth.
5. ... it's a good thing.... The good thing here is..... []
a. sleeping in bed. b. going out for a walk c. paying premium

II. Mr. Abel went out. The two ladies were quarrelling. Write a possible conversation between the two ladies [Amelia and Elizabeth] in this context. 5M

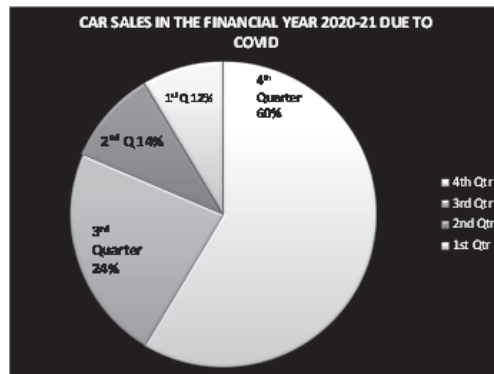
[OR]

Write the diary entry of Abel Merry Weather on the day he left home.

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers 5M

(They look at the door[1]. A slight chuckling is heard [2] from upstairs. The door opens, revealing an old man clad in a faded but gay dressing-gown. He is in his stockinged feet. Although over seventy, he is vigorous and well coloured[3]. His bright, malicious [4] eyes twinkle under his heavy, reddish-gray eye brows[5]. He is obviously either the old man ABEL MERRYWEATHER or else his ghost.) [or]

Write a few sentences about the following pie chart.



IV. GRAMMAR

5M

Rewrite the sentences as directed.

- They thought that he was dead. They shocked to see him alive. [Combine with 'As']
- Henry was hen pecked. He could not deny Amelia. [Combine with 'Since'].
- They brought the bureau from upstairs.
- 'Er-Fred – Alb – Isaac.' The speaker of this phrase is []
 a. confident b. arrogant c. in confusion d. honest
- Your uncle is suffering from fever. Advise him to consult a doctor.

V. VOCABULARY

5M

1. Put the following words under correct heading.

datum, errata, diagnosis, data, phenomenon, erratum, phenomena, diagnoses 4M

Singulars	Plurals

2. Choose the correct word ending.

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- I was keeping it for a pleas____[ent/ant] surprise.
- We shall be very glad to see you at the cerem_____ [ony/any].

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UNIT-2 B-READING

- I. a. Read the following passage and answer the questions given there after. 2M

Abel : What's the matter with little Vicky?

(He sees Ben and Mrs. Jordan) Hello! What brings you here? How's yourself, Ben?

(Abel thrusts his hand at Ben who skips back smartly and retreats with Mrs. Jordan to a safe distance below the sofa.)

Mrs. Slater : *(approaching Abel gingerly)* Father, is that you? *(She pokes him with her hand to see if he is solid.)*

Abel : Of course it's me. Don't do that, Amelia. What the devil do you mean by this tomfoolery?

Mrs. Jordan : You took us by surprise, father. Are you keeping quite well?

Now answer the following:

1. Why did Ben skip back when Mr. Abel thrusts his hand at him? []
a. He could not bear b. He thought that it was a ghost c. He did not like him.
2. 'tomfoolery' means..... []
a. gentle behaviour b. rude behaviour c. foolish behaviour

b. Read the following statement and answer the questions given there after. 3M

STATEMENT SHOWING THE MARKS OBTAINED BY SOME STUDENTS

S.No.	Name of the student	English Marks /100	Mathematics Marks / 100
1.	MOUNIKA	85	98
2.	HEMALATHA	82	100
3.	SARVAANI	86	100
4.	HARINI	75	95

Now answer the following:

1. What is the table about?
 2. Who got highest total ?
 3. Select the true statement: []
a. No one got 100 marks in Mathematics b. No one got below 70 in English
c. Two students got highest total
- II. You are residing in a village named Mulaguntapadu. You are preparing for examinations. There is a place of prayers near your house. There they are using the loud speakers even in the late night. It is disturbing you. You requested the people to reduce the volume. But

they gave a deaf ear. Write a letter of complaint to your Village Panchayath Secretary and request him to remove the loud speakers. [OR]

Write the biographical sketch by using the following hints. 5M

Name: Kandukuri Veeresa Lingam, Place of Birth: Rajamahendravaram, Date of Birth: 16 04-1848, lean and unhealthy in child hood – but bold - intelligent in studies – ran magazines - first novel writer in telugu – Rajasekhara charitra – fought on social evils like sati, child marriage etc. – fought for widow re marriage – girl child education – got reputation as reformer.

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers 5M

Abel : To Mrs. John Shorrocks who keeps the 'Ring-o-Bells'. We've had it fixed up a good while now, but I was keeping it for a pleasant surprise [1]. (He rises.) I felt I was a bit of a burden to you, [2] so I found someone who'd think it a pleasure to look after me. [3] We shall be very glad [4] to see you at the ceremony. (He gets to the door.) Till Monday, then. Twelve o' clock at St. Philip's Church. (opening the door) It's a good thing you brought that bureau downstairs, [5] Amelia. It'll be handier to carry it across to the 'Ring-o-Bells' on Monday. (He goes out.) [OR]

Write a few sentences about the following table.

An Imaginary Table showing the death of people due to Covid and other diseases.

S.No.	Name of the District	People died of Covid	People died of other diseases
1.	ANANTHAPUR	8	98
2.	CHITTOOR	5	100
3.	EAST GODAVARI	4	100
4.	GUNTUR	7	95

IV. GRAMMAR 5M

Rewrite as directed

- Lakshmi is a Teacher. She teaches us English. [Combine with 'who']
- Ravi _____ [complete] the homework and ____ [go] out. [Write correct verb forms]
- Sarvaani goes to school _____ [in spite of / in view of / along with] Vyshnavi.
- Lakshmana cut the paper into pieces. [Change Voice]
- You want to leave the class early. Ask your teacher permission in a polite way.

V. VOCABULARY 4M

1. Choose correct synonym from the given words in the box.

grief, annoying, adjust, attire, proud, situation

Victoria ushers in Ben and Mrs. Jordan. The latter is a stout, complacent [1] woman with an irritating [2] air of being always right. She is wearing an outfit [3] of new mourning [4] Ben is also in complete new mourning. He is rather a jolly little man, but at present trying to adapt himself to the regrettable occasion.

2. Fill in the blanks with 'oo/ou/ee/ea/ai/ia. 1M

we'll look thr__ __gh his bits of things and make a list of them. There's all the furniture in his r__ __m.

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UNIT-2 B-READING

I. READ THE FOLLOWING PASSAGE AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

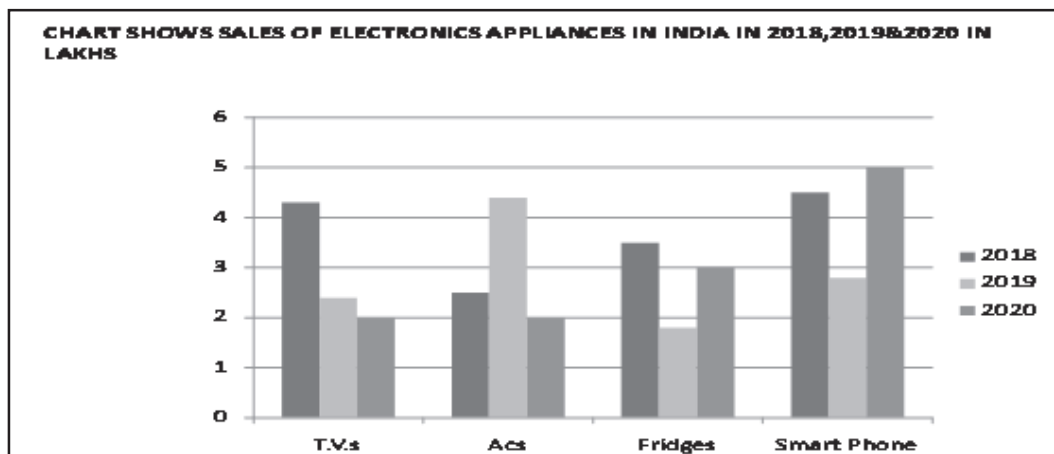
2M

Abel : It didn't take you long to start dividing my things between you. I'll tell you what I'm going to do. Since your mother died, I've lived part of the time with you, Amelia, and part with you, Lizzie. Well, I shall make a new will, leaving all my bits of things to whoever I'm living with when I die. How does that strike you?

1. Abel wrote will that leaving his things to whom []
 - a. he loves most
 - b. he is living with when he died
 - c. he got help in his childhood.
2. The new will of Abel kept the ladies in..... []
 - a. sorrow
 - b. happy
 - c. unhappy

b. Read the following table and answer the questions given there after

3M



1. What is the chart about?
2. In 2019 highest sales recorded for which of the following..... []
 - a. TVs
 - b. ACs
 - c. Smart phones
3. All time lowest sales recorded for..... []
 - a. TVs
 - b. ACs
 - c. Fridges

II. Due to unavoidable circumstances you could not appear for CEEP 2021 which is held for admission into polytechnic colleges. You are interested in to join in Polytechnic. A college named Narasimha Polytechnic College, Ongole advertised for the candidates who applied but could not appear for the test to get admissions in their college. Write a letter to the principal of the college and request him/her to give admission to you.

OR

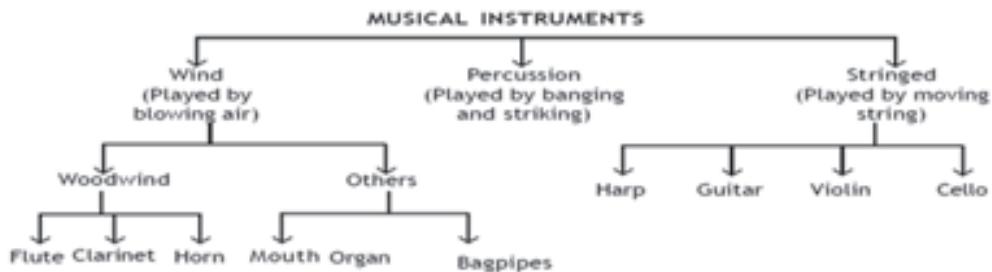
Write a biographical sketch by using the following hints.

Narendra Damodar Das Modi – Indian Politician- Prime Minister of India – Date of Birth 17-09-1950 - Place of Birth: Vadnagar, Gujarath. – Parents: Mulchand Modi and Hiraben, -Helped his father to sell tea-Party associated: Bharatheeya Janatha Party - Now in office as Prime Minister of India since 2014 – worked as Chief Minister of Gujarath from 2001-2014 – Notable actions: demonitisation of old 500 and 1000 rupee notes, bringing back Soldier from Pakistan – Started programme Manki Bath and Pariksha pe charcha .

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers 5M

Mrs. Slater asked Henry to have her father's slippers. [1] She said whenever she saw them they remember that her father can never use them. [2]. It hurts her heart. She also said that they had to shift the bureau from upstairs. [3] And they had to shift the old chest to upstairs [4] where the bureau was there then. Mr.Henry said that her sister may come at any moment. [5] [or]

Write few lines about the following:



IV. GRAMMAR 5M

Write the following as directed

1. His daughters did not look after Abel well. He wanted to marry. [Combine with As]
2. Henry stunned. Victoria asked if he was pinching the bureau. [Combine with Since]
3. Victoria asked Henry if he was pinching the bureau. [Change the voice]
4. Henry and Amelia were shifting the bureau from upstairs. [Change the voice]
5. I can't do the work. []

- a. denying
- b. expressing ability
- c. expressing inability
- d. accepting

V. VOCABULARY : 1. Match the opposite words of the underlined words. 4M

Victoria ushers in Ben and Mrs. Jordan. The latter is a stout, [1] complacent woman with an irritating [2] air of being always right. She is wearing an outfit of new mourning. Ben is also in complete new mourning. He is rather a jolly[3] little man, but at present[4] trying to adapt himself to the regrettable occasion

A		B
1. stout		a. absent
2. irritating		b. past
3. jolly		c. thin
4. present		d. pleasant
		e. sorrowful

2. Choose the correct word ending. 1M

Mrs.Jordan searched for the ornam____[ents/ants] .

SLIP TEST - 9

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

UNIT-3 A-READING

I. READ THE FOLLOWING PASSAGE AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS 5M

On my way home from the bus stop, my trunk had been carried by a porter. The problem now was we couldn't find anyone who could help me carry the trunk to the bus stop. At another time of the year, we would have easily found someone to help me, but now most of the villagers were busy in the fields. Nobody had time to spare for me. In fact, carrying the trunk should not have been such a worry for me except that my education had made me shun physical labour. After all, I was a government officer and the idea of people seeing me carry my own luggage was not at all amusing. Otherwise, for a young man like me it should not have been an issue to carry a 20-kilo chest on my back. Finally, my father came up with a solution. 'Don't worry. I myself will see you off at Dirang.' I protested. How could I allow my old father to carry my trunk? What would people think? What would they say? But I failed to dissuade him. It was decided that father would carry the chest.

Now answer the following Questions

1. What was the problem faced by the writer?
2. Why didn't the writer carry his trunk?
3. No body had time to spare, because.... []
 - a. they were busy with their personal works.
 - b. they had field works
 - c. they were engaged in construction works.
4. While coming home, the luggage was..... []
 - a. brought by a friend
 - b. carried by a porter
 - c. transported by vehicle.
5. As per the passage the time at the village was []
 - a. festival time
 - b. harvest time
 - c. fair time.

II. The writer had to leave his wife at his village. Write a possible conversation between the writer and his wife in this context. 5M [OR]

The writer had left his wife at his village. He went to his work place. Write the diary entry of the wife of the writer in this context. You can include the psychological feelings of a new daughter in law of the home and about her home and parents in law.

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers **5M**

However, I finally did decide to go.[1] I did not have much to carry by way of luggage – just a trunk. Ours is a hilly terrain,[2] without any motorable roads – and there is no certainty that we are ever going to have any roads. In any case, while coming home we do not carry bedding. Besides, I had come home this time round for a special purpose: to get married.[3] My parents had arranged my marriage,[4] according to the customs of our tribal society.[5]. [or]

Write few sentences about the following :

Ground water utilization

State	% of forest area (2005)	% total cropped area (2005-06)	Level of ground water utilisation as on 2003 (%)
Andhra Pradesh	23.20	48.58	28.56
Assam	34.21	47.57	9.62
Bihar	6.87	78.64	46.35
Chhatisgarh	44.21	42.50	5.93
Gujarat	9.67	57.67	55.17
Haryana	3.53	147.12	85.57
Himachal Pradesh	66.52	16.89	12.61

IV. GRAMMAR **5M**

1. His father was ready to carry trunk. No one was available to carry. {combine with 'As}
2. He recently got married. He did not want to leave his wife. [Combine with 'since;]
3. Who gave me vaccine? [Change voice]
4. I am afraid, it may not happen. – Meaning of the expression is... []
 - a. fearing
 - b. expressing ability
 - c. expressing inability
 - d. doubting
5. Your brother is not wearing mask during this covid times. Advise him to wear mask.

V. VOCABULARY

5M

small, pebbles, uneven, trouble, exhausted, fast

Read the paragraph and write the synonyms of the underlined words using the words given in the box. 4M

Having waked fast I was tired [1]. Moreover I had to cross two hills on the way up to the spot. I quickly [2] sat down on a rock. My father laughted at my plight[3]. So this little[4]distance has tired you?

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____

guilt /gilt/ noun, verb

■ **noun** [U] **1** ~ (about sth) the unhappy feelings caused by knowing or thinking that you have done sth wrong: *She had feelings of guilt about leaving her children and going to work.* ◊ *Many survivors were left with a sense of guilt.* ◊ *a guilt complex* (= an exaggerated sense of guilt) **2** the fact that sb has done sth illegal: *His guilt was proved beyond all doubt by the prosecution.* ◊ *an admission of guilt* **OPP** **innocence** **3** blame or responsibility for doing sth wrong or for sth bad that has happened: *The investigation will try to*

Study the above dictionary entry and answer the following:

1M

SLIP TEST - 10

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

UNIT-3 A-READING

I. READ THE FOLLOWING PASSAGE AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

5M

Father had provided for my education, and I had been able to realize his dreams. My parents were truly proud of me. It was through me that they had earned a greater degree of admiration and respect from the villagers. My father would not like to see me carrying a trunk on my back and would be very hurt if I did so. I concluded that it would be better to let him carry it. Father was used to carrying luggage anyway. He was stronger and more skilled than I in these matters. I had never got used to physical labour having stayed in hostels right from my childhood. So, in spite of my youth and strength,

Now answer the following :

1. How did their parents get admiration, according to the writer?
2. Why did the writer conclude it would be better to let his father to carry the trunk?
3. The writer said that he was physically useless. Because.... []
 - a. He is old to do physical labour
 - b. he is weak
 - c. he never did physical labour
4. According to the writer, his father will hurt if..... []
 - a. he goes to work
 - b. he carries the luggage.
 - c. he walks fast.
5. Find the true statement []
 - a. The Narrator had strength but did not carry luggage.
 - b. The Narrator's father did not allow any one to carry luggage.
 - c. As the narrator did not help the villagers they did not come to carry luggage.

II . The writer got into debts and wanted to go for work after six months. He told the same to his wife. Write possible conversation between narrator and his wife. 5M

[or]

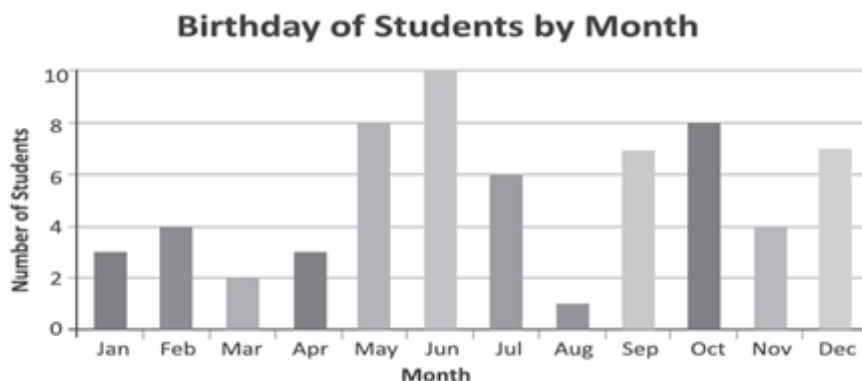
Write the diary entry of the narrator on the day he joined the job after log leave.

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers 5M

I gave him the can of wine[1]. He poured himself a mug and handed me the can. He drank all of it at one go[2]. He then arranged the belt that was attached to the trunk carefully on his forehead. So, this was the picture: my father carrying my luggage on his back and me following him with a tiny bag in my hand. We were walking up a narrow hilly road[3], and neither of us uttered a word as if we were strangers who spoke different languages. I did not know what was going on in his mind. From time to time it crossed my mind that it was

improper for me to let father carry the luggage[4]. I wanted to tell him that I would like to carry the trunk myself[5]. [OR]

Write few sentences about the chart given below:



IV. GRAMMAR

5M

- The narrator got a job. He studied hard. [Combine with 'Since']
- The bus from Tawang did not arrive yet. They have time to talk. [Combine with 'As']
- The Narrator gave his father a pair of shoes. [Change the voice]
- Let us go to movie to night. What does the sentence mean? []
 - request
 - order
 - offer
 - suggestion
- Write in a polite form: I can't give my pen.

V. VOCABULARY

5M

- Arrange the following under correct heading. **2M**
bye bye, dilly dally, chit chat, tata, papa, haha, ping pong, tick tock

Duplicatives	Alliteratives

- Match the following: **2M**

A

B

- | | |
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> manuscript publisher autobiography Biography | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> One who can do any thing for money a life history written by some body else A life history written by one self one who cannot be corrected a hand written document a person who brings out books. |
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- Fill in the blanks with ee, ea, ai, ia, ie, ou

2 x ½ = 1M

I was w__ _ ring a p__ _ r of hunting boots.

SLIP TEST - 11

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

UNIT-3 B-READING

I. a. READ THE FOLLOWING STANZA AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

3M

Once upon a time, son, they used to laugh with their hearts and laugh with their eyes: but now they only laugh with their teeth, while their ice-block-cold eyes search behind my shadow. There was a time indeed they used to shake hands with their hearts: but that's gone, son. Now they shake hands without hearts: while their left hands search my empty pockets.

1. Once upon a time how did they laugh?
 - a. with their teeth
 - b. with their heart
 - c. with their lips
2. How are they shaking hands now?
 - a. with their hearts
 - b. with their hands
 - c. without their hearts
3. Ice block cold eyes.... meaning is....
 - a. with cool looks
 - b. without emotions
 - c. with charming and energetic looks

I. b. Read the following diagram and answer the questions.

2M

How much water do we use?'



1. What is about the pie chart?
 2. What percentage of water is used for toilets?
- II. You passed your SSC Examinations 2021. You wish to join Intermediate. For that you need your Transfer Certificate, Study Certificate, Conduct Certificate and SSC Marks Memorandum. Write a letter to the Head Master / Principal of your School and request her/him to issue the certificates and enable you to join Intermediate. 5M

(Or)

Write a biographical sketch of Srinivasa Ramanujan basing on the following hints.

Srinivasa Ramanujan – Mathematical genius – Born 22-12-1887 – Place of Birth : Erode, Tamilnadu – Parents: Srinivasa Iyengar, Namagiri Devi - Father was a clerk – middle class

family - Ramanujan brilliant student but shy person – used to solve problems of mathematics with lightening speed - but failed in all subjects except mathematics – worked out all the problems of “Synopsis of pure Mathematics” by Carr - Joined Cambridge University – went to England - got excellent results at Cambridge - died on 26-04-1920 at 33 years only .

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers. 5M

Father wanted to say something[1] but the bus started moving. I saw my father gradually receding into the distance. [2]. I saw that the road we had come by looked like a giant motionless rope. [3]. Father would use the same road to go back home. Simultaneously our journeys started in two opposite directions. [4] with me seated in the luxurious seat of a bus and father walking back with weary legs on the pebble-strewn road. [5]

[OR]

Study the following Table. And write few sentences about the table.

2018 Olympic Games Medal Count Gold Medals Silver Medals Bronze Medals Total

COUNTRY	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	TOTAL
NORWAY	14	14	11	39
GERMANY	14	10	7	31
CANADA	11	8	10	29
UNITED STATES	9	8	6	23

IV. GRAMMAR - Rewrite the sentences as directed. 5M

- Give me an old pair of shoes. *[Change voice]*
- I looked at father’s bare feet. *[Change voice]*
- Your friend is planning to visit Chardhams in Uttarkhand. Advise him to learn some Hindi words.
- After I ____ [decide] to go to my work place, I ____ [inform] the same to my family.
[Fill in the blanks with correct verb forms]
- May I help you? []
a. suggestion b. offer c. request d. order

V. VOCABULARY 5M

- Complete with correct word endings. 2 x 1= 2M**
Ours is a hilly terrain, without motor ____ [able/abel] roads. My parents earned a greater degree of admira ____ [sion/tion] from villagers.
- Find wrongly spelt word and rewrite it correctly. 1M**
society, problem, offiser , science : _____
- Fill in the blanks with the right form of word given in brackets. 2M**
My parents had arranged my ____ [married / marriage] according to the customs of our ____ [tribal / tribe].

SLIP TEST - 12

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

UNIT-3 B-READING

1. a. READ THE FOLLOWING STANZA AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

3M

And I have learned too
to laugh with only my teeth
and shake hands without my heart.
I have also learned to say, 'Goodbye',
when I mean 'Good-riddance';
to say ' Glad to meet you',
without being glad; and to say 'It's been
nice talking to you', after being bored.

1. What did the poet learn?
a. to laugh with his heart b. to laugh with his teeth
c. to laugh with his mouth
2. The writer says____ after being bored.
a. nice talking to you
b. good talk with you
c. bored with you.
3. The writer learned to shake hands____
a. with heart
b. with hand
c. without heart

I. b. READ THE FOLLOWING BAR CHART AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

2M



1. How many fruits compared in the table?
 2. Which fruit is liked by most of the people?
- II. You have observed many people spitting everywhere and littering in public places. You think there is a need to educate everyone on the cleanliness of public places. Such actions will cause health hazards to people. Diseases also spread because of such bad habits among the public. You think that public behavior should be included in the syllabus for students. **Write a letter to the Editor of 'The Hindu' newspaper describing the importance of inculcating good habits among people.** 5M

[OR]

Write the biographical sketch of Sri Bala Gangadhara Tilak basing on the following hints.
Balangadhara Tilak – Date of Birth: 27th July 1856 – Place of Birth: Ratnagiri, Maharashtra

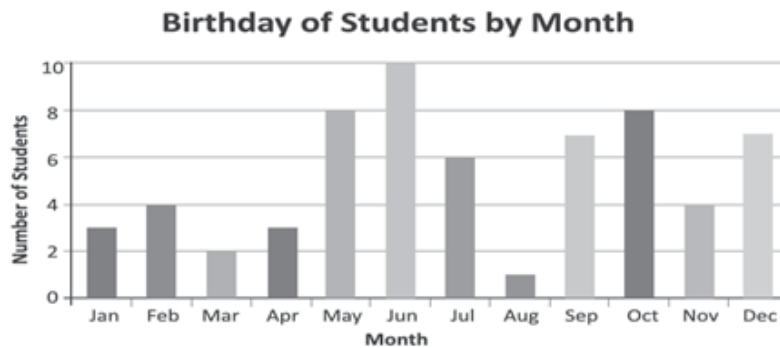
- Father name Ganghadhar Panth - a School Master - Belonged to orthodox family - learnt Sanskrit - married at the age of 16 years - Wife name Tapi - Obtained Bachelor of Law Degree from Deccan College, Poona in 1877 - Opposed British Rule - Published Journal Kesari - Writer of many books - started Ganesh Pandals for unification of people against british - Swaraj is my brith right - was is famous slogan - called by people as Lokamanya.

III. Read the following passage and frame the questions for which the underlined parts are answers. 5M

A large crowd gathered at our place [1] the day I was to leave[2]. People had come to wish me luck[3]. It was 10.20 [4]when I left for Dirang. My father had already left. As I had to do a bit of catching up, I walked fast. Three kilometres down the road, I caught up with my father. Father said, 'You are late. [5]Would you like to rest for sometime?'

[OR]

Write a few sentences about the following bar chart.



IV. GRAMMAR 5M

- He wanted to stay at home for some more days. He wanted to apply for leave. [Combine with As]
- There was no bus from the village. They started walking to catch Bus at Dirang. [Combine with Since]
- A porter had carried my trunk when I came home. [Change the voice]
- You to a stranger: Where is the State Bank of India?
- I'd glad if you attend my marriage. []
 a. advice b. showing inability c. invitation d. refusal of invitation

V. VOCABULARY 5M

- Put the following under correct heading 4M
 ding-dong, boo-boo, chop-chop, tip-top, chit-chat, chuk-chuk, tat a, see-saw

Duplicatives	Alliteratives

- Completing the spelling of the words choosing from 'ae, ea, oo, ou, ai, ia, io, ue, au, ie'. **1M**
 Time flew, and five months into my marr__ __ge , I r__ __lised it.

SLIP TEST - 13

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

Question (6-8): Read the following poem carefully.

1. Read the following passage carefully.

There in the West the song thrush warbles
A long wait now to find a partner
The eggs are laid, there are not much.
These chicks could be the last ones ever
The last to fly and sing and mate.
Our grandchild knows the song thrush never
Or will the dreamer wake ? *[Or will the Dreamer Wake]*

Now, answer the following questions.

3 x1 = 3

6. Why does the thrush weave her nest ?

- a) to lay eggs in it b) to find a partner
c) to fly d) to sing

7. Why does the thrush bird warble ? _____

- a) it has no chicks b) to call her partner
c) it was wounded d) afraid of its race's future

8. The grand child in this poem symbolizes _____

- a) destructor b) creator
c) future generation d) representing human kind

He remembered his mother's recipe and went out selling. How many doors did he have to knock on before he got his first order ? It is estimated that he had knocked on more than a thousand doors before he got his first order. How many of us quit after three tries, ten tries, a hundred tries, and then we say we tried as hard as we could ?

[Every Success is a story of great failures]

Now answer the following questions.

2 x1 = 2M

9. Who is the man mentioned here in the passage ?

- a) Colonel Sanders b) Thomas Edison c) Abraham Lincoln

10. Which quality of the man made him successful ?

- a) Persistence / Perseverance / Determination
b) lethargy / passiveness
c) being good / helping others

3.A) Write a letter to your friend about the impact PUBG mobile game addiction.

Craze for game spread among all age groups, hampers their quality of life and work, ruins relationships, results in many crimes of murder and suicides.

[Or]

B) Write the biographical sketch of Raghuram Rajan, former Governor of RBI, in your own words in not more than 100-120 words. Clues have been given.

Former governor -RBI – 23rd born February 3, 1963 – Bhopal – Madhya Pradesh – Tamil Family – father was senior bureaucrat – graduate from IIT Delhi in 1985-management degree from IIM – Ahmedabad in 1987 – doctoral degree in 1991 from MIT – HKUST (Hongkong University of Science and Technology) – vegetarian – loves swimming, squash, tennis, running – married to Radhika Puri – she is a lecturer of law – at Chicago Law School – he served as the Chief Economic Advisor to Finance Ministry – was the youngest Chief Economist – at IMF in 2003 – prestigious awards – Fischer Black Prize – Best Central bank Governor Award – Deutsche Bank Prize for financial economics.

4. Find the wrongly spelt word and correct in spelling **2 x 1 = 2**

a) timbre, flora, fauna, industry _____

b) piece, hospital, confidence, region _____

5. Read the given Dictionary Entry and answer the questions that followed. **2 x 1 = 2**

Tom – fool – ery / tom'fu:l?ri; /NAmE ta : m/noun [w]

(old – fashioned) silly behaviour [syn] foolishness.

a) What is the part of speech of the given word ?

b) Give the synonym of the word given.

6. Change the following sentence into passive voice. **1 x 1 = 1 M**

Wangari Maathai taught civic education to African Women.

7. Combine the sentence using 'who'. **1 x 1 = 1 M**

Suresh had left the school just now. He is my best friend.

8. Combine the sentence using the adverb 'since'. **1 x 1 = 1 M**

Saruani passed in distinction. She studied hard.

9. Fill in the blank with right form of the word from brackets. **2 x 1 = 2 M**

One thing we _____ (a) [note / noted] is that not only did the rain patterns _____ (b) [change / changed].

10. Fill in the blank iwth "ou, iu, uo, ui". **2 x ½ = 1 M**

We have not shared our (a) res _ _ rces (b) Eq _ _ tably.

SLIP TEST - 14

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

SECTION - A

I. *Read the following passage carefully.*

- NHK Radio** : What transformations did you see ?
W.M. : One of the bigger transformations that I was was the ability of an ordinary woman to get to understand and able to plant trees that in five or ten years, became big trees and she was able to cut them and be able to give herself energy; to be able to sell those trees and give herself an income; to be able to feel confident that she had done something for herself. That sense of pride, sense of dignity that they are not begging, that they are doing things for themselves was very empowering. That transformation was very powerful.

The other transformation is of the landscape.

Now, answer the following questions.

5 x 1 = 5m

1. What gave the illiterate woman a sense of dignity and pride ?
2. What transformation was very powerful ?
3. **As a result of planting trees _____ came back to their land.**
a) more people b) trees c) Birds and rabbits
4. **The transformation of the landscape has _____**
a) rehabilitated the environment
b) Destroyed the environment
c)
5. **What type of the text is given paragraph ?**
a) Interview b) Description c) Narration

(2-7) : Read the poem carefully.

3 x 1 = 3

There in the west the song thrush warbles
She weaves her nest to hold her clutch
A long, now wait to find a partner
The eggs are laid, there are not much.

6. **What is warbling ?**
a) weaver bird b) thrush c) west bird
7. **Why does she weave her nest ?**
a) to hold her clutch b) to lay eggs c) to sing a song
8. **'The west' refers to _____**
a) The Asian continent b) The European continent
c) The American continent

(9-10) : Read the passage.

Mrs. Slater : He's out of his senses. (General information)

Abel : I say I'm going to get married.

Mrs. Slater : Who to ?

Now, answer the following.

2 x 1 = 2

9. Who is 'He' in the 1st line of our text ?

- a) Mr. Slater b) Mr. Henry c) Abel Merry Whether

10. To whom is Abel going to get married ? _____

- a) John Shorrocks
b) Tattershall
c) Mrs. Abel Merry Whether

SECTION - B (Grammar & Vocabulary)

Note : Answer all the questions of Section - B in the same order at one place in your answer book.

11. Combine the following using 'who'.

Wangari Maathai started The Green Belt movement.

She also fought for equal rights for women in Africa.

12. Change the following sentences into passive voice.

Our efforts will inspire other people to stop wasting their resources.

13. Combine the sentences using 'As'.

It was their need. They learnt it quickly.

14. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions given in brackets.

a) She had always been bad _____ languages (at / in / with)

b) Kumar was afraid _____ his enemies. (of / with / by)

15. Fill in the blanks with suitable forms of the verbs given in brackets.

The thrush bird _____ (lay) eggs after it _____ (weave / woven) the nest.

16. Your friend takes things light. Advise him to take things seriously.

Advise him the appropriate request.

17. Change the following into polite request.

You to your friend, "show me the house of Srikanth".

18. What do the following sentences mean ?

Choose the right answer and write in your answer book.

a) It is very kind of you.

- a) thanking b) requesting
c) complaining d) congratulating

b) Won't you help me, please ?

- a) making a offer
- b) making a request
- c) asking permission
- d) agreeing to a request

19. Arrange the following under correct headings.

[Plaintive, warbles, indigenous, so sing, sad, fresh, native]

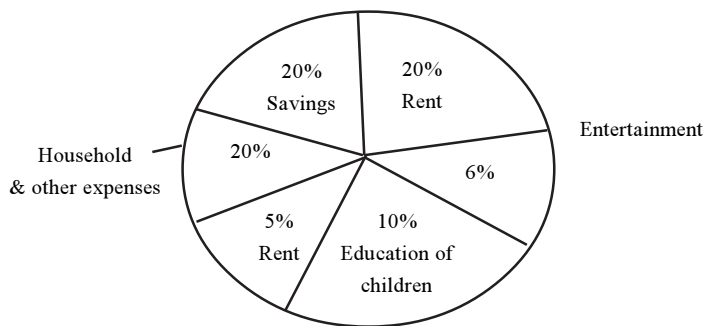
<u>Word</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.
4.	4.

20. Complete the following words with 'eo, ee, oo, oe'.

I told them to (a) l _ _ k for old broken pots and put s _ _ ds there.

21. Study the following diagram.

Gowtham's Expenditure (30,000)



Now, write a paragraph describing the information depicted in the diagram given.

SLIP TEST - 15

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

I. Study the table and answer the questions below.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS IN A YEAR

Country	Days
India	17
Switzerland	18
USA	13
Newzealand	12
Belgium	12
Finland	11
Australia	10
France	10
Brazil	8
Holland	8
UK	8

Now, answer the following questions.

5 x 1 = 5m

1. Which people enjoy a large number of holidays ?

Ans:

2. Name the country that has eleven public holidays ?

Ans:

3. In the given countries which have the same number of public holidays ?

- a) Switzerland, Australia b) Newzealand, Belgium c) France, UK

4. Which country has 8 public holidays other than Holland and U.K ? _____

- a) Brazil b) France c) Australia

5. Find the correct statement reading the above table.

- a) All countries have more than 10 public holidays
b) Maximum countries have 8 holidays.
c) Next to India, Australia gives more public holidays.

2. Read the passage carefully and write the synonym for the underlined word from the words given in the box.

4 x 1 = 4

(ample, style, desert, maintain, scarcity, winder)

The forested mountains were the source of water and the source of rain, so when you deforest (a) you cause a shortage (b) of water and a change of rainfall (c) patterns and therefore

people are not able to get food and water. Therefore, in order to have a good environment that can sustain (d) their livelihoods, it is important to have good Government that accounts to them, that protects their interests, that is concerned about their lives.

- a) b)
c) d)

3. **NHK Radio** : How did you become aware (a) of Environment

W.M. : From the we started (b) we were trying to respond to the basic needs of people in the rural (c) areas and people were asking for clean (d) drinking water.

Now, match the words under A with their Antonym under B.

4 x 1 = 4

A

- 1) Aware
2) started
3) rural
4) clean

B

- a) dirty
b) urban
c) hostile
d) unaware
e) stopped
f) inaware

4. **Complete the word with the correct suffix given in brackets.**

2 x 1 = 2

For me, my (a) _____ (greater / greatest) activity is to plant a tree. We plant the future for (b) _____ (ourselves / our children), for the birds.

5. **Answer any one of the following.**

10 x 1 = 10

A) In the lesson "Environment" Wangari Maathai taught women to plant trees and earn their livelihood.

Imagine that you are one of the women who were guided by Maathai.

Write a diary entry expressing.

How you felt earlier

Transformation in your life

how you feel now

your future plans

(Or)

B) Our honourable Chief Minister Shri Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy has launched the 'Nadu-Nedu' programme which seeks to transform government schools into vibrant and competitive institutions. The programme has created a new leaf over education sector and will provide opportunities to weaker sections and under privileged.

Now, write a letter to your friend describing the transformation that was brought about in infrastructure many other under programmes.

SLIP TEST - 16

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

I. Read the following table carefully.

Name of the Quiz programme	% of viewers
1. Bournvita	40%
2. Sports Quiz	60%
3. Spelling 'B' Quiz	45%
4. General Knowledge Quiz	50%

Now, answer the following questions.

5 x 1 = 5m

1. What does this table show ?
2. What is the most popular Quiz ?
3. The percentage of viewers of General Knowledge Quiz is _____
a) 40% b) 60% c) 50%
4. The percentage of viewers of Bournvita Quiz
a) 50% b) 40% c) 45%
5. Which one among these is correct ?
a) Sports Quiz has the least number of viewers
b) 45% of viewers watch Bournvita Quiz
c) The number of viewers of the spelling 'B' Quiz is less than that of General Knowledge Quiz.

2. Combine the sentences using 'which' 1M

This is a good film. I saw it yesterday.

3. Combine the sentences using the adverb 'beside' 1M

Sekhar teaches English. He writes novels.

4. Change the following sentence into passive voice. 1M

We destroyed our local flora and fauna.

5. Fill in the blanks using compound prepositional phrase given in brackets.

Call the police _____ (in spite of / in case of / in addition to) a theft.

6. Match the following one word substitute with their meanings. 1 M

PART - A

- 1) Fatalist
- 2) Philanthropist
- 3) Misogynist
- 4) Versatile

PART - B

- a) A person of many talents
- b) one who hates women
- c) one who believes in God
- d) one who spends too much
- e) one who devotes his service for the love of mankind
- f) one who believes in fate.

7. a) Write a conversation between Wangari Maathai and people in the rural areas about their basic needs.

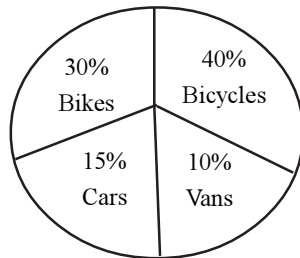
Or

- b) Write your feelings about the extinction of animals in your diary. As a dreamer what sort of reformative steps will you take / Want to be awake or asleep in this regard.

8. a) Study the following diagram.

5 x 1 = 5

Percentage of vehicles crossing the Bridge during peak hours.



Now write a paragraph describing the pie-chart.

(Or)

- b) Read the passage carefully.

The (a) forested mountains were the source of water and source of rain, so when you deforest (b) you cause a shortage of water and a change of rainfall patterns and therefore people are not able to find food and water. Therefore, in order for them to have good environment (c) that can sustain their livelihoods, it is important to have a good government that accounts to them, that protects them, that is concerned about their lives.

NHK Radio : How is peace connected to good environment ?

W.M. : Many wars that are fought are (d) fought over natural resources. Some wars are fought because (e) the environment is so degraded that it is not able to support communities.

Now, write 'wh' questions focussing on the underlined sentences as answers.

SLIP TEST - 17
Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

I. Read the following passage carefully.

I was born into a middle-class Tamil family in the Island town of Rameswaram in the erstwhile Madras State. My father, Jainulabdeen, had neither much formal education nor much wealth; despite these disadvantages, he possessed great innate wisdom and a true generosity of spirit. He had an ideal helpmate in my mother, Ashiamma. I do not recall the exact number of people she fed every day, but I am quite certain that far more outsiders ate with us than all the members of our own family put together.

Now, answer the following questions.

5 x 1 = 5 M

1. Where was Abdul Kalam born ?

Ans:

2. Which action of Jainulabdeen shows that he was kind and generous ?

Ans:

3. What does the word 'erstwhile' mean

- a) present b) former c) latter

4. What were the disadvantages spoken by the narrator ?

- a) Having no formal education and much wealth
b) Having no informal education and much wealth
c) Having good education but no wealth

5. Why is 'Ashiamma' called an ideal helpmate ?

- a) she served him in all works
b) she supported him in serving others
c) she took care of the children

6. Combine the sentences using 'who'

1 x 1 = 1 M

The dog bit the burglar. He was trying to break into the house.

7. Combine the sentences using adverb linker 'As'

1 x 1 = 1 M

I shifted to my seat in the last row. I saw Ramanadha Sastry weeping.

8. Change the sentence into passive voice.

1 x 1 = 1 M

We told our respective parents about the incident.

9. Fill in the blanks with the correct prepositions given in the brackets.

2 x ½ = 1 M

- a) _____ English, I love Hind. (Beside / Besides)
b) She has put _____ a lot of weight recently (on / in / up)

10. Fill in the blanks with the suitable verb forms given in brackets.

2 x ½ = 1 M

- a) The house _____ (be, build) in the middle of the nineteenth century.
b) After she _____ (complete) her studies, she _____ (get) the job.

11. Your brother is working up till mignight. Advise him not to do so. **1 x 1 = 1M**
12. You to the banker "Tell me how to fill this form" **1 x 1 = 1M**
13. We have nothing to do this evening. Shall use watch a film ? **1 x 1 = 1M**
- a) Question () (b) request ()
- b) Suggestion () (d) offer ()
14. **Complete the following using vowel cluster.** **2 x ½ = 1 M**
- Ind _ _ ns will b _ _ ld their own India.
15. **Complete the words with the letter given in brackets.** **2 x ½ = 1 M**
- My aust ____ (ere / are) father used to avoid all ineseen ____ (sial / tial) comforts.
16. A) Mr. Rakesh is working in a city as an officer in a Government department recently he has been to his village, are note one. There is no transport facility to his village. He faced many difficulties to reach his village.
- Imagine that you are Mr. Rakesh and write a letter to your local MLA to provide public transport facility to your village.

(Or)

B) Write a biographical sketch on Medha Parkar.

Birth	:	1 st October, 1945
Name	:	Medha Patkar
Profession	:	Social activist
Place of Birth	:	Mumbai, Maharastra
Parents	:	Indu, Vasant Kanolkar
Qualifications	:	M.A
Known for Awards	:	Narmada Bacho Andolan, Great livelihood Award, Human Rights Depender Award, Mahatma Phule Award, Green Ribbon Awards.

SLIP TEST - 18

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

I. Read the following passage carefully.

Let us unite
And fight against those who incite
Let us not be misled
By those who want to see us dead
We are a strong United Nation
All we need is a bit of dedication.

Choose the correct answer.

3 x 1 = 3

1. Who do incite us ?

- a) Those who want political power
- b) Those who want to see us dead
- c) Those who want to make money

2. What is lacked by us ?

- a) violence
- b) Unitedness
- c) A bit of dedication

3. Incite means _____

- a) encourage somebody to be violent by making angry
- b) encourage somebody to be calm by pacifying
- c) encourage somebody to be neutral

2. Read the following lines.

2 x 1 = 2

There is no reason to be proud
and be on high cloud
we have to go a long way
we have to think seriously
Else we end up miserably

Choose the correct answer.

1. Be "on" high cloud" means

- a) Be very happy
- b) fly over the clouds in a plane
- c) stay on the sky scraper

2. "We have to go a long way" means

- a) There is nothing to do for development
- b) There is a lot to do for development
- c) There is a long path for our journey

3. Combine the sentences using 'who'.

1 x 1 = 1

I always sat next to Ramanath Sastry. He wore the sacred thread.

4. Rewrite the following sentence into passive voice 1 x 1 = 1

No one can shake our roots.

5. Combine the sentences using 'As'. 1 x 1 = 1

The teacher tried to poison the young minds.

He was asked to apologize.

6. Fill in the blank with the right form of the word given in the brackets. 2 x ½ = 1

Our area, being (a) _____ (isolation / isolated), was (b) _____ (complete / completely) unaffected by war.

7. Give the opposites of the underlined words. 2 x ½ = 1

The (a) first casualty came in the form of (b) suspension of the train halt at Rameswaram station.

A

- 1) First
- 2) suspension

()
()

B

- a) renewal
- b) attach
- c) last
- d) collect

8. Find the wrongly spelt word and write its correct spelling. 2 x 1 = 1

- | | | | | |
|---------------|---------|-------------|------|-------|
| a) Pleasure | lovable | suspend | halt | _____ |
| b) confronted | isolate | intolerance | quit | _____ |

9. Put the following under correct heading. 4 x ½ = 2

[although, they, those, these, however, besides, this]

Pronouns

- 1)
- 2)

Linkers

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

10. Complete the following using vowel cluster.

It was a f _ _ rly large pucca h _ _ se.

11. Answer any one of the following. 10 x 1 = 10

a) The train halt at Rameswaram was suspended. The newspaper bundles were thrown out of the moving train. The only newspaper distributor, Samsudding was unable to catch the bundles. He asked the help of Kalam.

Now write a possible conversation between Kalam and Samsuddin.

b) Siva Subramania Iyer invited Kalam for a meal. At first his wife was horrified, later she realised the ability of accepting everyone equally.

Imagine yourself as Kalam and make a diary entry of your feeling after the incident.

SLIP TEST - 19

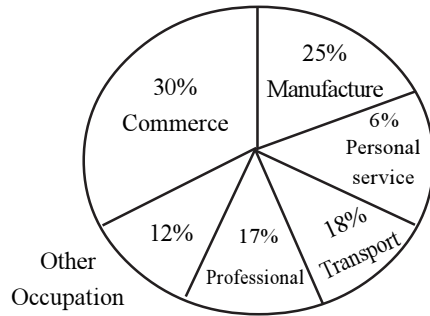
Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

I. Study the following Pie-chart carefully.



Now answer the following questions.

5 x 1 = 5 M

1. What does the pie chart show ?
2. What is the percentage of professionals in the city ?
3. Who occupies 20% of wage earners in the city ? _____ ()
 a) commerce b) professionals c) transport
4. The least percentage of wage earners are _____ ()
 a) Manufacture b) other occupation c) personal service
5. Which is correct statement among the following ? _____ ()
 a) personal and professional earners occupy the same percent of manufacture
 b) The other occupation wage earners are 12%
 c) The 2nd highest wage earners are professionals

2. Read the dictionary entry and answer the following questions. 2 x 1 = 2 M

Dex - Fer - ous (also dex -trous) /'deskrɔs/ adj (formal) skilful with your hands; skillfully done,
 dexterously (also dextrously) adv.

1. What is the adverb form of dextrous ?
2. What is meaning of the word given ?
3. Match the following one word substitute with their meanings. 4 x ½ = 2M

A

- 1) Ambiguous
- 2) Inimitable
- 3) centenarian
- 4) Epitaph

B

- a) words inscribed on a tomb
- b) a person who is above 100 yrs.
- c) one who believes in God
- d) A public speaker
- e) that which can't be imitated
- f) A sentence whose meaning is unclear

4. Put the given words under correct headings.

4 x ½ = 2M

[improper, recycle, necessarily, employment, misbelief, discovery, examination, intention]

Prefix	Suffix
1)	1)
2)	2)
3)	3)
4)	4)

5. Change the sentence into passive voice.

1 x 1 = 1M

Lakshmana Sastry summoned the teacher.

6. The express has just arrived. It started from Delhi yesterday. (which)

1 x 1 = 1M

7. Now cow endlessly chewed. No horse neighed. (Use neither - nor)

1 x 1 = 1M

8. Fill in the blanks with preposition from brackets.

2 x ½ = 2M

- a) He is very fond _____ (of / with / at) Jimmy
 b) This property belongs _____ (by / from / to) me.

9. A) Study the following diagram.

10 x 1 = 10M



Now, write a paragraph describing the information depicted in the diagram given.

(or)

B) Read the passage and write 'wh' questions focussing on the underlined part as an answer.

One day when I was (a) in the fifth standard at the Rameswaram Elementary school (b) a new teacher came to our class. I used to wear a cap which marked me as a Muslim, and I always sat (c) in the front row next to Ramanadha Sastry, who wore the sacred thread. The new teacher could not stomach (d) a Hindu priest's son sitting with a Muslim boy. In accordance with our social ranking as the new teacher saw it. I was asked to go and sit (e) on the back bench

SLIP TEST - 20

Third Language - ENGLISH

Class : X

Max.Marks : 25

Time : 1 hr.

I. Study the following poem arefully.

Let us control the riots
which leave us with no choice
but to having our heads in shame
and say we have miserably failed
we have the power to win
so why not end this din ?

Now answer the following questions.

5 x 1 = 5 M

1. **We have no choice but to hang our heads in shame because of _____** ()
 - a) corruption in society
 - b) regional fights
 - c) riots and violence that leave many people dead
2. **Why should we end this din ?** ()
 - a) developed and economic growth
 - b) scientific growth
 - c) Unity and harmony in the country
3. **'Din' means** ()
 - a) a loud unpleasant noise that lasts long
 - b) a sad situation
 - c) an earnest request
4. **'Riots' means _____** ()
 - a) a non-violent / tranquil situation
 - b) a violent public disorder
 - c) A correct thing
5. **What is the theme of the poem given ?** ()
 - a) Bio-diversity
 - b) Nation and Diversity
 - c) Attitude is Altitude

SECTION - B (Grammar & Vocabulary)

6. He tells lies. He deserves to be punished (who)
7. "Maya Bazaar" was interesting. People watched it repeatedly. (since)
8. Ramanadha Sastry wore a sacred thread (change it into passive voice)
9. a) I myself will see you _____ at Divang (of / off / for)
b) Sindhu is dedicated _____ her job (to / in / with)

10. Fill in the blanks with suitable verbs.

My friend _____ (eat) up all the biscuits before _____ (come).

11. What do the following sentences mean ?

a) It's time you slept. You have to wake up early tomorrow.

- a) scolding () (b) suggesting ()
b) ordering () (d) criticising ()

b) Shall I do it for you.

- a) seeking information () (b) suggesting ()
b) warning () (d) offering help ()

12. Fill in the blanks with the right suffix from the brackets.

- a) We lived in our (a) ancest _____ (b) (rel / ral) house.
b) A days collection would fetch me prince (b) _____ (li / ly) sum.

13. Find out the wrongly spelt word and correct the spelling.

- a) system, confronted, imminent, perturbed (A) _____
b) Optimism, hesitant, mingle, rebel (A) _____

14. Put the words under correct headings.

(Syllabi, syllabus, fungus, Data, crisis, datum, fungi, orises)

Singular	Plural
1)	1)
2)	2)
	3)
	4)

15. He told me as if thinking a loud (a) "Abul, I know you have to go away (b) to grow. Does the seagull not fly across (c) the sun, alone and without (d) a nest ?

"Match the words under 'A' with their antonyms under 'B'

A

- 1) a loud
2) away
3) across
4) without

B

- a) within
b) partly
c) with
d) near
e) far away
f) along

16. Answer any one of the following.

10 x1 = 10 M

Write a letter to your friend describing the pandemic situation you have undergone during corona, National Disaster – house arrest _ Quarantine – lock down – No work no pay for all workers – no schools – fear it created – Backed our country's economic – measures taken to get prevented – masks – santizers – social distancing.

[Or]

Write a biographical sketch on your favourite motivational speaker.