

SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT, OCTOBER- 2018

Class: 10th Std

Subject: English

Marks: 90

Time: - 2.30 mints

Section – A

Prose

I. Four alternatives are given for each of the following question/ incomplete statements. Write the correct or the most appropriate answer in the space provided. (3×1=3)

1. Nightmare means

(a) Male horse

(b) frightening dream

(c) race horse

(d) dream

2. 'There's a Girl by the Tracks?' is the extract which describes

(a) Small story

(b) a terrible accident

(c) people of Mumbai

(d) Metropolis

3. Ambedkar described the civil disobedience, non – corporation and Satyagraha as the

(a) Grammar of anarchy

(b) rebellion

(c) revolution

(d) opposition

II. Answer the following questions in *two* or *three* sentences each: -

(4×2=8)

4. What Swami would like to become when he is grown - up?

5. Who helped Baleshwar at last?

6. Why was Don Anselmo insulted?

7. Babasaheb was greatly influenced by whom and why?

III. Read the following Extracts and answer the question that follows: -

(3×3=9)

8. "Chacha, can I borrow your Mobile?"

(a) Who is the speaker?

(b) Who does 'Chacha' refer to?

(c) Why did he borrow the mobile?

9. "A month later my friends moved into Rio –en Medio, but one day they came back to complain"

(a) Who were the friends here?

(b) Why did they came back to complain?

(c) Who does 'My' refer to?

10. "He had the rare gift of unraveling"

(a) Who does 'He' refer to?

(b) Who had the rare gift of unraveling?

(c) What was the rare gift he had?

IV. Answer the following questions in about *eight* or *ten* sentences each: -

(1×4=4)

11. Why Swami's mother said not to risk his life again?

Or

What did Jawaharlal Nehru described Dr. Ambedkar. What did he say about him?

Poetry

V. Four alternatives are given for each of the following question/ incomplete statements. Write the correct or the most appropriate answer in the space provided. (1×1=1)

12. 'You cannot put a fence, around the planet earth'. Here, expression of the speaker is.....

(a) Self assertion

(b) weakness

(c) proud

(d) suffocation

VI. Answer the following questions in *two* or *three* sentences each: -

(2×2=4)

13. Why the poet said his grandma is genius?

14. How the mother's forehead opened?

VII. Read the following Extracts and answer the question that follows: -

(3×1=3)

15. "It blessed him that gives, and him that takes,
T' is mightiest in the mightiest; it becomes"

(a) What does 'it' refer to?

(b) How is he blessed?

(c) What does 'Mighty' mean in the context?

VIII. Quote from memory the *six* lines of the poem beginning with: -

(1×4=4)

16. The throne monarch
.....
..... temporal power,
The attribute to
..... sceptred sway;

IX. Answer the following questions in about *eight* or *ten* sentences each: -

(1×4=4)

17. What was asked by grandma to her son and how does her son reacts?

Or

Why the mother does reject all the options of poet?

Supplementary Reading

X. Answer the following questions in *two* or *three* sentences each: -

(2×2=4)

18. How did the mother respond to the Sun Inspector's speech?

19. When Dicky Dolma's desires came to grow more?

Vocabulary

XI.20. Combine the word in Column 'A' with its *collocative* word 'B'

(1×1=1)

A
Land

B
quake, house, lord, rain

21. Fill in the blank with suitable prefix to the italicized and underlined word.

(1×1=1)

Parents should *encourage* their children in sports but some of them

22. Fill in the blank with the appropriate word given in brackets

(1×1=1)

Arun..... the horse to the railway station.

(rode / road)

23. Which word has one syllable?

(1×1=1)

Burglar, Hunger, Concert, School

Section – B
Reading

XII. Read the passage and answer the questions: -

(4×1=4)

King Ashoka was a kind, wise and righteous ruler. He spent all his time in thinking of the welfare of his subjects. He had a strong desire to make his subjects happy. His subjects could meet him at any time and at any place. He had trees planted on either side of the roads; he had well dug by the road – side; he had rest houses built for both men and animals. He was respected by everyone.

24. Pick up a sentence from the passage which shows Ashoka was liberal with his subjects.
25. How did Ashoka usually spend his time?
26. What kind of a ruler was Ashoka?
27. Write any two works of Ashoka which he did for the welfare of his subjects.

28. Rearrange the jumbled words into a meaningful sentence.

(1×1=1)

Sight / what / beautiful / a / ! / it / is

Read the following conversation and answer the questions that follow :

(2×1=2)

Suma : Hello, may I speak to Anitha?
Asha : Anitha is not at home; may I know who is speaking?
Suma : I am Suma, Anitha's classmate. Please tell her to meet me near the Central Library at 6 P.M

29. Which word in the given conversation means 'A place where books are available for people to use or borrow?'
30. What message has Suma left for Anitha?

31. Look at the two pictures, write a sentence using 'brighter than' based on what you see?

(1×1=1)



Writing

XIII. 32. Below is a profile of Mr. Ramakrishna the school clerk. Write the information in the form of a paragraph.

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Age : Around 40 years
Height and weight : 6 feet, solid built
Family : Small – one male and a female-college –going
Reason for his popularity : Helpful, best gardener
Education : B.Com graduate
Hobbies : Gardening, bee keeping, coin collection

33. Write a letter to the General Manager of KMF Dairy, Bengaluru, and requesting permission to visit the Dairy
(1×4=4)

Editing

34. The following paragraph has two errors. Edit the paragraph and rewrite the paragraph in the space provided. Clues are given. 2

Last Sunday, jacky and I went to the beach. When we arrived, we thought it was going to rained. Luckily, the sky cleared up.

- (a) Use capital letters wherever necessary.
- (b) Verbal mistakes to be corrected

Grammar Use (Language Use)

35. Fill in the blanks using the appropriate linking words given in brackets. (1)
(and, so, because, but)

Kumar is an engineer. He earns a lot of money, doesn't save, his wife is upset.

36. Read the conversation and choose the language function of the italicized sentence. (1)

Class Teacher : Who will tell a story?
Students : Sir, Heena.
Class Teacher : Heena, please tell a story.

- (A) Order
- (B) Request
- (C) Obey
- (D) Advice

37. Read the following conversation and rewrite into a reported speech. (2)

Raju : Shabil, how are you?
Shabil : I'm fine, thank you. How about you?
Raju : Fine, thank you Shabil.
I would like to go abroad. I need your help to get a passport.
Will you please help me?
Shabil : Yes, I will help you.

38. Fill in the blanks with appropriate preposition and article. (1)

Santhosh is intelligent boy. He is studying X std.

39. Fill in the blanks choosing the right form of verbs given in brackets. (2)

Janaki is my friend. She (be + work) in a bank. Every day she (go) to the bank at 9.30 AM by bus.

40. Read the conversation. (1)

Ram : Mummy, where is Shobha and Meera?
Mother : *They are playing chess.*

The passive form of the italicized sentence is.

- (A) Chess has been playing by them
- (B) Chess was being played by them.
- (C) Chess is being played by them.
- (D) Chess had been played by them

41. Read the conversation.

(1)

Philip : Good Morning John. How are you?
John : Very Good Morning. I'm fine, thank you.
Philip : Where are you going?
John : I am going to medical store to bring medicines.

Which one of the following is infinitive?

- (A) going (B) am
(C) to bring (D) going to

42. Sana is not interested in Music,

(1)

The question tag to be used above is

- (A) isn't he? (B) hasn't he?
(C) is he? (D) has he?

Reference skill

43. A message reads like this "Try it jst 1s again" What does it mean? Write it in the normal way?

(1)

44. Arrange the following words in the order and which they are put in a dictionary.

(4×1/2=2)

Altitude, Attitude, Alternate, Aptitude

45. Which source of information would you refer to know the synonym of 'Happiness'?
(Choose one of the following)

(1)

Thesaurus, Atlas, Magazine, Encyclopaedia

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Key Answers

Main Q. No.	Sub Q. No.	Unit	Key Answers	Sub Marks	Main Marks
I	1.	1	(b) frightening dream	1	
	2.	2	(b) a terrible accident	1	
	3.	4	(a) Grammar of anarchy	1	
					3
II	4.	1	Swami would like to become an engine driver, a railway guard, or a bus conductor later in life.	2	
	5.	2	A Temp – Truck driver, middle – aged man who spoken Gujarati, stopped out to help him.	2	
	6.	3	Because, Don Anselmo did not like to have spoken in that manner. He knew these Americans are good people and that is why he agreed to sell to them but he do not care to be insulted	2	
	7.	4	Babasaheb was greatly influenced by the life and work of Mahatma Phule, the votary of a class’s society and women’s uplift.	2	
					8
III	8.	2	(a) Baleshwar Mishra	1	
			(b) The Tempo – Truck driver	1	
			(c) He wanted to inform about Roma’s Hospitalization	1	
	9.	3	(a) The friends here were the Americans.	1	
			(b) The children were overrunning their property	1	
			(c) ‘My’ refer to the narrator	1	
	10.	4	(a) ‘He’ refer to Dr. Ambedkar	1	
			(b) ‘Dr. Ambedkar had the rare gift of unraveling.	1	
			(c) He had the rare gift of unraveling the most complicated legal concepts in a language, which the laymen understood.	1	
					9
IV	11.	1	Swami was an innocent and discourages boy. His father ordered him to sleep alone in his office room. But any change in his sleeping arrangement trembles and awake him all night. He had a many dreams of ghosts and tiger. Moreover, even he met with an incident of house – breaker. Therefore, Swami’s mother told not to risk his life again.	4	
					4
V	12.	3	(c) small pox	1	
					1
VI	13.	1	Poet said his grandma is genius because she could climb trees. May be the tree are spreading or high. She would be up their branches in a trice. Therefore, the poet described his grandma as genius.	2	

	14.	4	The mother's forehead opened like earth's destiny yielding the sun – god and cancel all the sorrow.	2	
					4
VII	15.	2	(a) Mercy (b) He is twice blessed. It benefits both persons who gives and Takes (c) Powerful / Strong	1 1 1	
					3
VIII	16.	2	The Throne monarch better than his crown. His sceptre shows the force of temporal power, The attribute to awe and majesty, Wherein doth sit the dread and fear of kings; But mercy is above this sceptred sway;	4	
					4
IX	17.	1	After being stronger, grandma sat up and said no longer she will lie on the bed and she called her son and asked that she wanted a house in a treetop. Her son knew his duties so he said that's all right, you will have what you want, and he said that to start the work tonight. This was the reactions of her son when she asked something.	4	
					4
X	18.	1	The mother realized the sincerity of the Sub Inspector and showed him where they had hidden the machine. She allowed the machine to be taken away and all the evidences wiped out.	2	
	19.	2	Dicky Dolma's desire came to grew more when she came to knew about the newly opened mountaineering institute in Manali and the various courses being conducted there.	2	
					4
XI	20.	V	Land - Lord	1	
	21.	V	Discourage	1	
	22.	V	Rode	1	
	23.	V	School	1	
					4
XII	24.	R	His subjects could meet him at any time and at any place.	1	
	25.	R	He spent his time thinking about the welfare of his subjects.	1	
	26.	R	Ashoka was a kind; wise and righteous ruler.	1	
	27.	R	He had trees planted on either side of the roads; he had wells dug by the roadside; he had rest – houses built for both mean and animals.	1	
					4
	28.	R	What a beautiful sight it is!	1	
	29.	R	Library	1	
	30.	R	Anitha should meet Suma near the Central Library at 6 P.M	1	
	31.	R	Sun is brighter than Moon	1	
					4

XIII	32.	W	Mr. Ramakrishna is 40 years old. He is a school clerk. He has solid built physique and six feet tall. He is happy with his small family –wife, a son and a daughter. Both his children are college going. He is a commerce graduate. Gardening, bee keeping and coin collection are some of his hobbies. He is a very popular person in his locality because; he is helpful and soft spoken. He is not only a loving father but also an ideal gentleman among his neighbors.	4	
	33.	W	<p>Vandana</p> <p>16th October, 2018.</p> <p>Sir, Sub:- Permission to visit the Dairy, I write this in order to.....</p> <p>Please do come and enjoy with us. I hope you will not disappoint me.</p> <p>Yours Sincerely, Vandana.</p>	4	
					8
	34.	E	Jacky rain	2	
					2
XIV	35.	L.U	But, so	1	
	36.	L.U	(B) Request	1	
	37.	L.U	Raju and Shabil greeted each other. Raju requested Shabil that he would like to go abroad and he needed his help to get a passport. Shabil replied that he would help him.	2	
	38.	L.U	An, in	1	
	39.	L.U	Is working goes	1 1	
	40.	L.U	(C) Chess is being played by them	1	
	41.	L.U	(C) to bring	1	
	42.	L.U	(C) is he?	1	
					10
XV	43.	R.S	Try it just once again	1	
	44.	R.S	Alternate, Altitude, Aptitude, Attitude	2	
	45.	R.S	Thesaurus	1	
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Sl No	Content Name	Remembering					Comprehension					Expression					Appreciation					Total Question	Total Marks
	Prose	MC	VSA	S.A 1	S.A 2	L.A	MC	VSA	S.A 1	S.A 2	L.A	MC	VSA	S.A 1	S.A 2	L.A	MC	VSA	S.A 1	S.A 2	L.A		
1.	A Hero	1(1)						1(2)														2	3
2.	There's a Girl by the Tracks!						1(1)	1(2)	1(3)													3	6
3.	Gentleman of Rio en Medio								1(3)									1(2)				2	5
4.	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar						1(1)		1(3)				1(2)		1(4)							4	10
	Poetry																						
5.	Grandma Climbs a Tree																	1(2)		1(4)		2	6
6.	Quality of Mercy				1(4)				1(3)													2	7
7.	I am the Land						1(1)															1	1
8.	The Song of India							1(2)														1	2
	Supplementary Reading																						
9.	Narayanapur Incident												1(2)									1	2
10.	On Top of the World												1(2)									1	2
	Vocabulary		3(3)										1(1)									4	4
	Reading							8(8)														8	8
	Writing														2(8)							2	8
	Editing												1(2)									1	2
	Grammar Use							7(8)					1(2)									8	10
	Reference Skill		2(3)										1(1)									3	4
	Total	1(1)	5(6)		1(4)		3(3)	18(22)	4(12)				7(12)		3(12)			2(4)		1(4)		45	80