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For the SSLC Students
A Set of 5 Question Papers
AS PER THE REVISED SYLLABUS

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SSLC Examination 2020 – 21

Question Paper Set - 1

Based on the revised 2nd Language English syllabus

Sub Code: 31E

Marks: 80

Time: 3.00 hours

- I. Four alternatives are given for each of the following questions/ incomplete statements. Only one of them is correct or most appropriate. Choose the correct alternative and write the complete answer with its letter of alphabet. 04 x 01 = 04**

- 1. Choose the appropriate question tag and fill in the blank:**

Tejas is Light Combat Aircraft.

- a) Is it? b) Isn't it? c) Does it? d) Doesn't it?

- 2. Read the given conversation and choose the language function for the underlined sentence:**

Chaithra: Why were you absent yesterday?

Dhanya: My brother met with an accident.

Chaithra: Oh! I'm really sorry. Don't be upset. He will be alright soon.

- a) Expressing sympathy b) Expressing gratitude
b) Expressing condolence d) Seeking help

- 3. Read the conversation and fill in the blank with the correct 'If Clause' choosing from the given alternatives**

Mahesh: Hello, Murugesh a how are you?

Murugesh: All good. Thank you, how do you do?

Mahesh: I am also fine, did you return Vinod's book?

Murugesh: If I had met him last week, Igiven her the book.

- a) Would have c) should've
b) Wouldn't have d) Shouldn't have

- 4. Read the conversation and choose the correct infinitives and write in it in the answer booklet.**

Father: Imran, when is the parent meeting in your school?

Imran: Dad, it is on 12th March

Father: Inform me one day early to adjust my schedule.

Imran: Ok, Dad. Don't miss it please.

- a) Inform b) is c) to adjust d) miss

II. Do as directed

12 x 01 = 12

- 5. Fill in the blank with appropriate tense forms of the verbs given in brackets.**

ISRO (have + launch) Chandrayan - 2 on July 22, 2019.

- 6. Fill in the blank with appropriate preposition.**

Global warming has raised the importance _____ afforestation drastically.

- 7. Fill in the blank with suitable linker.**

COVID 19 spreads fast due to direct, indirect, or close contact _____ infected people.

- 8. Fill in the blanks choosing the appropriate word given the brackets.**

Ajit couldn't solve _____ of the _____s in the classroom. (some, sum)

- 9. Combine the word in column 'A' with its collocative word in column 'B'**

A

B

Break

(past, first, fast, last)

- 10. Give one word answer.**

An act or event that does not follow the laws of nature and is believed to be caused by God

11. Which one of the following words has two syllables?

Sense, See, School, memory

12. Write the correct form of the word given in the brackets.

Baleshwar pulled the chain _____. (impulsive)

13. Frame the question to get the underlined word as answer

Article 370 was removed on 5th August 2019.

14. Read the following conversation and change the underlined sentence into passive voice

Maresh: Who won the match yesterday?

Manjula: Sneha has answered all the questions in the examination.

15. Change the following sentence into comparative degree.

Mount Everest is the tallest peak in the world.

16. Use the word 'grab' as verb in a sentence of your own.

III. The following paragraph has two errors. Edit the paragraph and rewrite it in the answer book. Clues are given 01 x 02 = 02

17. Jawaharlal Nehru chose Dr. Ambedkar to be a first Law Minister of independent India

a) Article to corrected

b) Punctuation mark to be used.

IV. Answer the following questions in 2-3 sentences each

07 x 02 = 14

18. How do you say that Baleshwar had a good memory?

19. What were the influences Dr. Ambedkar had in his early days?

20. Ananth was a talented boy. Justify the statement.

21. Why did Smita decide to go to the concert?

22. How did the blind boy make his day or night?

23. How does the student organize the protest march against the British?

OR

Why does the writer describe the 'introvert' Haneef?

24. What was there in the mysterious parcel?

OR

Life for Haneef in the beginning was never a smooth sail. Why was it so?

V. Answer the following questions in 5 - 6 sentences each

02 x 03 = 06

25. How do say that Don Anselmo and the Americans were generous in their own way?

26. Why do you think that Jazz player keeps his head down?

VI. Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow.

04 x 03 =12

27. "Don't cover the face. Are you really very sleepy?"

a) Who is referred 'you' here?

b) Who said this?

c) Why was the other person covering his face?

28. "Whom can I call?"

a) Who is 'I' here?

b) Who does he want to call?

c) Whom did he ask?

29. "Why do you take away his source of entertainment?"

a) Who said this?

b) Who was it said?

c) Why did the speaker say so?

30. 'Is there no song that I can sing of you'

- a) Who is word 'I' refer here?
- b) Who was it said?
- c) Why did the speaker say so?

VII. Given below is a profile, write a paragraph using the clues given below.

01x03 = 03

Name: Smt. Manorama.

Age: 48 years

Qualification: M.A in Music

Occupation: Teaches Music to children of all ages

Reasons for popularity: Cheerful, gives for individual popularity attention

Hobby: Doll making

Achievements: Dolls displayed at exhibitions. Performs at musical concerts

VIII. Develop the story using the clues given below

01 x 03 = 03

A farmer - three sons - always quarrel - decides to teach them a lesson - gives them a bundle of sticks to break - none could break, advises them to untie the bundle and break - could break the sticks - moral.

IX. Study the picture given below. Write a description or an account of what the picture suggests to you in a paragraph.

01 x 03 = 03



X. Quote from memory

01 x 04 = 04

34. Quality of _____

_____ it becomes

Or

With heavy sighs _____

_____ can know.

35. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow. 01 x 04 = 04

People think that the ass is a stupid animal. But there was once an ass that had sense enough to save the life of his master. Tom Brown was a peddler who went from village to village. His goods were carried on the back of his ass. Tom was lame and limp along holding on the tail of his ass. Thai tail was thus of a great help to him in walking. One day in winter, there was a great snow storm. Tom and his ass lost their way and tumbled together in a deep pit. The ass got out of the pit making his way through the dense masses of snow but his master being lame, could not do so. Tom was hidden in the snow and would soon have lost his life. The ass forced away through the snow back again into the pit and stood there. So his master could get a good grip of his tail. So Tom was pulled out. There was a light in the distance. Holding fast the tail of his ass, Tom managed to reach a cottage and put up there for the night where he was looked after by the cottagers.

- 1. What is the general idea of the people about the ass?**
- 2. Why did Tom hold on the tail of his ass while walking?**
- 3. Why was Tom on the point of death?**
- 4. The person who goes from place to place selling goods is called a _____.**

36. Answer the following question in about 8 – 10 sentences 01 x 04 = 04

According to the poet, his grandmother was a genius. Substantiate this system

OR

Why was the poet quarrelsome with mother India in the poem "The Song of India"?

37. Write an essay on any one of the following 01 x 04 = 04

- a) Importance of Sports
- b) Values for Life
- c) Mobile phones

38. Write a letter using the information given below 01 x 05 = 05

Imagine that you are Sreenath of X Standard Vivekananada School Bilagi. Write an Application to Headmaster requesting him to issue Transfer certificate.

12. Write the correct form of the word given in the brackets.

Vivek _____ (to have + cancel) the reservation due to his sickness.

13. Frame the question to get the underlined word as answer

The Statue of Unity is a colossal statue of Indian statesman.

14. Read the following conversation and change the underlined sentence into passive voice

Manoj: I have travelled the length and breadth of the country.

Suresh: That's great news but have you written a travelogue?

15. Change the following sentence into superlative degree.

No other monument is as beautiful as Taj Mahal.

16. Use the word 'attend' as verb in a sentence of your own.

III. The following paragraph has two errors. Edit the paragraph and rewrite it in the answer book. Clues are given 01 x 02 = 02

17. if you wanted to get on life, you have to read a lot.

a) Verb form to be corrected

b) Capital letter to be used.

IV. Answer the following questions in 2-3 sentences each 07 x 02 = 14

18. How did the Gujarati tempo truck driver help Baleshwar?

19. Why did Neharu call Ambedkar 'the symbol of revolt'?

20. Why did the father want Swami to sleep alone in the office room?

21. How did the mother and granny support Swami?

22. 'Mercy is twice blessed' justify.

23. How did the police help Mohan and his family? OR

What made Haneef and his brother independent at a very young age?

24. Why were Babu and Manju disappointed at the procession? OR

How do you say that Hanif was a young man with varied talents?

V. Answer the following questions in 5 - 6 sentences each 02 x 03 = 06

25. How do say that Don Anselmo was a man of principles?

26. What made the Jazz player look like a bird of divinity at last in the poem?

VI. Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow. 04 x 03 =12

27. "You want to do this very badly, don't you?"

a) Who said this?

b) Who is the word 'you' refer?

c) When did the speaker say so?

28. "Sister, are you ok?"

a) Who is 'you' here?

b) Why did the speak say?

c) Where are they?

29. "I must hear him and see him"

d) Who said this?

e) Who was it said?

f) Why did the speaker say so?

30. 'Sing of the millions that toil'

- d) Who is word 'millions' refer?
- e) Who said this?
- f) Why did the speaker say so?

VII. Given below is a profile, write a paragraph using the clues given below. 01x03 = 03

31. Name: Major Dhyan Chand.

Born: 29 August 1905

Birth place: Prayag

Nick name: The Wizard

Sport: Hockey

Awards: Padma Bhushan

Died: 3 December 1979

VIII. Develop the story using the clues given below 01 x 03 = 03

32. Summer day – A lion and a boar – water – drink – began arguing and fighting – tired and stopped – vultures waiting – realized – mistake – together – drink – left happily.

IX. Study the picture given below. Write a description or an account of what the picture suggests to you in a paragraph. 01 x 03 = 03

33.



X. Quote from memory 01 x 04 = 04

34. Quality of _____

_____ it becomes

Or

O say _____

_____ blind boy.

35. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow. 01 x 04 = 04

Chungneijang **Mary Kom** Hmangte, popularly known as **Mary kom**, born in Manipur, is an Indian Olympic boxer. **Mary kom's** the **most** important **achievements** were that was **the** only woman boxer to have won a medal in each of **the** seven world championships and also was a six-time World Amateur boxing champion. Strong women **can** be stunning too! It may be hard to believe that the hard-core woman, who rules every fight she gets into, is a beautiful women form inside out. '**Mary Kom**' **can** help you believe it. ... You haven't lost till you quit trying. Obstacles cannot stop the determined.

1. What are the achievements of Mary Kom?
2. What do you learn from the life of Mary Kom?

36. Answer the following question in about 8 - 10 sentences 01 x 04 = 04

How did grandma claim her right to live in the tree house in the poem 'Grandma Climbs Tree'?

OR

How does the poem "The Song of India" bring hope to the poet at the end of the poem?

37. Write an essay on any one of the following 01 x 04 = 04

- d) Our traditional games
- e) Environmental pollution
- f) Preventive measures of COVID 19

38. Write a letter using the information given below 01 x 05 = 05

Imagine that you are Radh/ Ravi, X class, Jnanabharati High School, Badami
Write a letter to your father describing your Annual exam preparation.

Or

Write a letter to your class teacher asking for 3 days leave on the pre text of your brother's marriage.

Question Paper Set – 3

Based on the revised 2nd Language English syllabus

Sub Code: 31E

Marks: 80

Time: 3.00 hours

I. Four alternatives are given for each of the following questions/ incomplete statements. Only one of them is correct or most appropriate. Choose the correct alternative and write the complete answer with its letter of alphabet. 04 x 01 = 04

1. Choose the appropriate question tag and fill in the blank:

Pramod never went to Dehli.

- a) Wasn't he? b) Didn't he? c) Does he? d) Did he?

2. Read the given conversation and choose the correct infinitive:

Geeta : How are you Shreya ?

Shreya : I am fine. Thank you.

Geeta : Did you watch the movie Avtar?

Shreya : No, but I am planning to see it on Saturday.

Geeta : Good, please go along with your family.

- a) did b) planning c) to see d) go

3. Read the conversation and fill in the blank with the correct "If Clause" choosing from the given alternatives

Gagan: Hello Praveen, how are you?

Praveen: I'm fine here. Thank you, how about you?

Gagan: I am also fine; did you attend the online class yesterday?

Praveen: No, if I had got the link, Ijoined it.

- a) Would have b) should've c) Wouldn't have d) Shouldn't have

4. Read the given conversation and choose the language function for the underlined sentence:

Vivek : Hello Tilak, what are you doing now ?

Tilak : I am doing my post-graduation in English.

Vivek : Is it ? Could you please teach me some grammatical structures in English language ?

Tilak : OK my dear friend.

- a) request b) advice c) offering help d) accepting

II. Do as directed

12 x 01 = 12

5. Fill in the blank with appropriate tense forms of the verbs given in brackets.

Nakula _____(be+send) to fetch some water by Yudishtira.

6. Fill in the blank with appropriate preposition.

Tagore was awarded the Nobel Prize in 1913_____ his book, "Gitanjali".

7. Fill in the blank with a suitable linker.

_____ Girish was a newcomer, he became very friendly with everyone. (*and, although, till*)

8. Fill in the blanks choosing the appropriate word given the brackets.

Two young boys _____ the bike recklessly on the_____. (road/ rode)

9. Combine the word in column 'A' with its collocative word in column 'B'

A

B

Freedom (boxer, fighter, wrestler, swimmer)

10. Give one word answer.

A frightening dream

11. Which one of the following words has two syllables?

Sense, See, Ago, Black

12. Write the correct form of the word given in the brackets.

Lata sings _____. (melody)

13. Frame the question to get the underlined word as answer

Sagar went to Belagavi yesterday.

14. Change the sentence into passive voice.

India can win the match.

15. Change the following sentence into comparative degree.

SP Balasubramanyam was more popular than any other singers in South India.

16. Use the word 'thought' as verb in a sentence of your own.

III. The following paragraph has two errors. Edit the paragraph and rewrite it in the answer book. Clues are given

01 x 02 = 02

17. surrender had to repeat the question three times before Satish hear him.

Clues

1. Capital letter to be used
2. Verbal mistake to be corrected

IV. Answer the following questions in 2-3 sentences each.

07 x 02 = 14

18. Why did Baleshwar revisit the spot where Roma had fallen?

19. How do you say that Ambedkar had a great thirst for books when he was a student?

20. For a moment, Smitha had forgotten something. What was it?

21. "They had come with high hopes", what hopes did Anant's parents have?

22. How did the blind boy make his day or night?

23. What do you think is the writer of the incident trying to impress upon the readers? **OR**

Life for Hanif in the beginning was never a smooth sail. Why was it so?

24. What was there in the mysterious parcel? **OR**

The absence of mother from home taught the children something. What was that?

V. Answer the following questions in 5 - 6 sentences each

02 x 03 = 06

25. At last, the problem of ownership of Americans was resolved, but it took a long time. What might be the reason for it.

26. Give a short description of the Jazz player.

VI. Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow.

04 x 03 = 12

27. "I don't like the way you are being brought up."

- a) Who is referred to 'you' here?
- b) Who said this?
- c) Why doesn't he like the way?

28. "Oh! I couldn't thank him."

- a) Who is 'I' here?
- b) Who did he want to thank?
- c) Why did he want to thank?

29. "We must always be optimistic about his chances of recovering."

- a) Who said this?
- b) Who does the word 'his' refer to?
- c) Why did the speaker say so?

30. 'What song shall I sing of you, my Mother?'

- a) Who is word 'I' refer here?
- b) Who was it said to?
- c) Why did the speaker say so?

VII. Given below is a profile, write a paragraph using the clues given below. 01x03 = 03

31.

Known in Bengal as : Gurudeva
Birth : 7th may 1861
Parents : Debendranath Tagore Sarala Devi
Occupation : Writer, Painter, Singer
Notable works : Gitanjali, Jana Gana Mana, Rabindra Sangeet etc.
Award : Nobel Prize for Literature in 1913
Death : 7th August 1941

VIII. Develop the story using the clues given below 01 x 03 = 03

32. _____ a farmer _____ a magic goose. _____ laid a golden egg. _____ farmer sold _____ a good price _____ became rich _____ built a large house _____ lived _____ with wife and children, _____ good food to eat. _____ fine clothes _____ one night a bad idea _____ could be very rich _____ golden eggs from the body of the goose. _____ one morning _____ killed the goose _____ tore her body _____ went mad _____ goose was dead _____ not get golden eggs _____ moral.

IX. Study the picture given below.

33. Write a description or an account of what the picture suggests to you in a paragraph.

01 x 03 = 03



X. Quote from memory

01 x 04 = 04

34. The throned monarch _____

_____fear of kings;

Or

My day or _____,

_____play;

And _____

_____day.

35. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow. 01 x 04 = 04

A child playing on the street was hit by a speeding vehicle. The child was lying in a pool of blood. It was shifted to a hospital. The doctors who examined the child told its parents that the child needed immediate blood transfusion and they must arrange for four bottles of blood immediately. The eager parents offered good money for buying blood. Many young men did give blood but none accepted the money offered. They bluntly told the parents that blood could not be bought with money and that it should be donated by one person to another.

1. Where was the child playing?
2. Why was the child shifted to a hospital?
3. How many bottles of blood did they need?
4. What did the young men tell the parents after giving the blood?

36. Answer the following question in about 8 - 10 sentences

01 x 04 = 04

Write the summary of the poem, Grandma Climbs the Tree.

OR

Why was the poet quarrelsome with mother India in the poem "The Song of India"?

37. Write an essay on any one of the following

01 x 04 = 04

- a) Indian Festivals
- b) Importance of Health
- c) Online Classes

38. Write a letter using the information given below

01 x 05 = 05

Imagine that you are Prasanna/ Rekha of X Standard Sharada School Hubli. Write a letter to your friend asking about his preparation for the annual exam.

Question Paper Set - 4

Based on the revised 2nd Language English syllabus

Sub Code: 31E

Marks: 80

Time: 3.00 hours

I. Four alternatives are given for each of the following questions/ incomplete statements. Only one of them is correct or most appropriate. Choose the correct alternative and write the complete answer with its letter of alphabet.

04 x 01 = 04

1. Choose the appropriate question tag for the following question.

Hardly I believed this news.....?

- A) didn't I? B) had I? C) did I? D) does it?

2. Read the following conversation and choose the language function for the underlined sentence.

Sudhanva: Hi, sudhiksha! Where are you going?

Sudhiksha: Hello, I am going to library to borrow some book.

Sudhanva: Will you please take my books to submit to the library ?.

Sudhiksha : Ok, by all means, .

- A) Asking for help B) Ordering C) Offering help D) Giving direction

3. Fill in the blank choosing the appropriate 'if' clause?

Teacher: Meera, why are you coming late everyday to school?

Meera: Sorry miss, I come early from tomorrow.

Teacher: If you come late again from tomorrow , I _____ tell your parents.

- A) will have B) will C) would D) would have

4. Read the conversation and choose the passive form of the underlined sentence :

Sumedh: Hi Srinidhi, do you like sweets?

Srinidhi: No, I don't like sweets

- A) Sweets are liked by me C) Sweets don't liked by me
B) I am not liked by sweets D) Sweets are not liked by me

II. Do as directed

12 x 01 = 12

5. Combine the word in column -A with its collocation word in column B:

A

B

Just

(went, come, pass, work)

6. Which of the following has words has two syllables.

Computer, commerce, committee, connection

7. Write the correct form of the given in bracket.

I request you to do _____ (correct) now only.

8. Fill in the blank using suitable article

_____ Chalukya Empire was established in Badami.

9. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

The work was completed by him successfully

10. Fill in the blanks with appropriate preposition:

The police is watching the thief _____ the window.

11. Fill in the blank with appropriate tense form of the verb given in the bracket :

The ball was _____ (catch) by the boundary fielder.

12. Fill in the blank with appropriate linker.

I met Parvati _____she was coming to school.

13. Use the word 'courage' in your own sentence.

14. Change in to comparative degree:

India is one of the most populated countries.

15. Frame a question to get underlined word as answer.

Sita took two books from the shelf

16. Read the following conversation and change the underlined sentence into reported speech.

Sahana: Hi Sanju, will you please post this letter?

Sanju: oh, sorry! I am busy.... Why didn't you ask your brother for this work?"

Sahana called Sanju and asked him to post her letter. But Sanju was busy. So he asked her_____

I) The following paragraph has two errors. Edit the paragraph and rewrite it in the answer booklet.

17. The son jeered and said his mother "Don't advise me. I know how for run home. You should keep mum"

a) Spelling mistake to be corrected

b) Preposition to be corrected

IV) Answer the following questions in 2-3 sentences each:

07X02 = 18

18. Baleshwar says, " Oh, I couldn't thank him". Who do you think he wanted to thank? Why?

19. How do you say that the Americans were generous?

20. After independence members of Scheduled Castes have found doors open to them. How?

21. Why do you think Anant's family come to Bombay? What was the response of the doctors of the cancer hospital?

22. What did Satish see at the far corner of the garden? Why did it attract him?

23. What was there in the 'mysterious parcel'? What suspicion did the police have about that?

24. The absence of mother from home taught the children something. What was that?

V) Answer the following questions in 5-6 sentences each :

02X03=06

25. Swami planned to escape from sleeping alone in the office room. What are that plans?

26. Describe the jazz player

VI) Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow.

04x03=12

27. "We have all learned to love these Americans"

- a) Who said this?
- b) Who was this said to?
- c) Who were 'these Americans'?

28. "I have no doubt that, whether we agreed with him or not in many matters"

- a) who spoke these words?
- b) Who is termed as 'him' in the above sentence?
- c) When did the speaker say so?

29. 'His life of achievement is ample proof that physical disability is no barrier to Success'

- a) Whose life is referred here?
- b) Give any two proof of his achievements.
- c) What was the physical disability the person suffered from?

30. 'Poor granny! For her it was like a brief season in hell'

- a) Who is referred here as Poor granny?
- b) What is like a brief season in hell?
- c) What is the reason for such situation for granny?

VII) Given below is the profile of Ramachandra. Write a paragraph using the clues given below:

01x03=03

| | | | |
|-----|-----------------------|---|--|
| 31) | age | : | 46 |
| | place | : | Haveri |
| | Qualification | : | Msc.B.Ed |
| | Occupation | : | Government High School teacher at Hedigond, |
| | Spouse | : | Sridevi, house wife |
| | Children | : | two sons, school going |
| | Hobbies | : | reading and yoga |
| | Reason for popularity | : | best teacher, hard worker, student friendly. |

VIII) Develop a story using the clues given below:

1x3=3

32) Once upon a time-----king Midas-----greedy of gold----- went for tapas to---
-----Lord asked for boon-----Midas asked----- if he touch all should turn to gold ----
-----Lord gave-----Midas happy-----touched all-----turned to gold-----touched
daughter -----turned to gol-----felt sad-----did tapas aga-----Lord withdrew the boon.

IX) Study the picture given below:

33. Write a description or an account of what the picture suggest to you in a paragraph.



X) Quote from memory**01 x 04 = 04**

34. The throned-----

-----power

The attribute-----

-----kings

Or

My day-----

-----play

And-----

-----day

XI) Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:**02x02=04**

35. Domestic cats belong to the family of tigers, whereas domestic dogs belong to the family of wolves. Cats are very familiar with the area they live in. It helps them to find the best place to hunt. Hence a domestic cat remains faithful to its home area and it hunts alone. Wild dogs hunt in groups, share their food and co-operate with one another. Hence domestic dogs are faithful to their masters. Their body language too is unique in many ways. Cats arch their back and try to look large when they are angry, whereas dogs pull their lips back and show their teeth when they are angry. Cats and dogs do have some special skills. A cat can fall from a significant height but still survive without much injury. A dog guards the property as it is faithful to its master. It can sense any smell in no time.

a) Which families do the cats and the dogs belong to?**b) How do the both animals act when they are angry?****XII) Answer the following questions in about 8-10 sentences:****01x04=04**

36. About what does the poet V.K.Gokak want to sing for the Motherland?

Or

Describe the tenacity of the grandmother in attachment with the tree

XIII) Write an essay on *any one* of the following:**01x04=04**

37. a. Farmer – the backbone of India

b. Technology and nation

c. Pollution and duties.

XIV) Write a letter using the information given below :**01x05=05**

38. Imagine that you are Aditya/Adya studying in Government High School,
Basavakalyan.

Write a letter to your friend about the celebration of 'Gandhi Jyanti ' in you school

Or

Write a letter to the Post Master, Head Post Office of your area in request to open a saving account

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Time: 3.00 hours

- $$12 \times 1 = 12$$

12. Fill in the blank with appropriate tense form of the verb given in bracket :
Vinod (be + go) to Bangaluru to meet his friend today.
13. Use the word ' win ' as verb in a sentence.
14. Change into comparative degree :
Suma is the wisest girl in the class.
15. Rearrange the following jumbled words into meaningful sentences.
In / 5 ' O ' clock / get / morning / I / up / the / at
16. Read the following conversation and change the underlined sentence into reported speech :
Santosh : Where did you go yesterday?
Suresh : I went to Bangaluru to meet my sister.
Santosh asked Suresh where he had gone the previous day.
Suresh replied that

III. The following paragraph has two errors. Edit the paragraph and rewrite it in the answer booklet : 02 × 01 = 02

17. Baleshwar Mishra has a very different story. The lanky youngster from mirzapur, UP, is a unemployed high-school dropout who'd recently come to Mumbai.

Clues:

- a) Capital letter to be used.
- b) Article mistake to be corrected.

IV. Answer the following questions in 2 - 3 sentences each: 07 × 02 = 14

18. As the night advanced, Swami felt that something terrible would happen to him.
What would it be?
19. How did the doctors at Devine Speciality Hospital treat Roma?
20. Write a short note on Dr. Ambedkar's idea of the three pillars of the state.
21. What did the doctors say to Anant's parents? Were they words of hope or words of Despair?
22. Why is the poet 'querulous'? What does he want to do?
23. What was there in the 'mysterious parcel'? What suspicion did the police have about that?
- OR Why had Patil, the sub-inspector come to Mohan's house? Who believed him? What was the result?
24. The absence of mother from home taught the children something. What was that?
- OR What were the dreams of Hanif? Do you think they were fulfilled?

V. Answer the following questions in 5 - 6 sentences each: 02 × 03 = 06

25. "I did not sell the trees because I could not, they are not mine." How did the old man Support this statement?
26. How does the blind boy react to the feelings of people about him?

VI. Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow: 04 × 03 = 12

27. "I think it is an astonishing thing that a stranger jumped off a train and risked his life for me"

- a) Who is the speaker here?
- b) Who is the stranger?
- c) How did the stranger help the speaker?

28. "They had come with high hopes."

- a) Who does 'they' refer to?
- b) What were their high hopes?
- c) Why were their hopes not fulfilled?

29. "We must always be optimistic about his chance of recovering."

- a) Who said these words?
- b) Who was it said to?
- c) What made him say so?

30. "Shall I sing of the Himalayas with their snow - born peaks, of the three seas that wash your palm? "

- a) Whom does 'I' refer to?
- b) How are the Himalayas described here?
- c) Name the three seas.

VII. Given below is a profile. Write a paragraph using the clues given below: 01×03= 03

31. Dr. Rohan
- | | | |
|----------------|---|---|
| Age | : | 35 Years |
| Place of work | : | Rohan's Childrens' Hospital. |
| Specialization | : | Child Specialist. (Pediatrician) |
| Achievement | : | Performed surgeries for newly born kids. |
| Future plans | : | To conduct free medical camps in every taluk head quarters. |

VII. Develop a story using the clues given below : 01 × 03 = 03

32. Two notorious thieves_____ on the lookout for a prey_____ consider themselves very clever _____ enters a rich man's house._____ find the safe open _____ happy at their unexpected luck_____ pile up everything _____
Come on _____ man with a gun was trapped.

VIII. Study the picture given below : 01×03=03

33. Write a description or an account of what the picture suggests to you in a paragraph.



IX. Quote from memory :

1 × 4 = 4

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Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:

1 × 4 = 4

35. Lal Bahadur was born on October 2, 1904. [Gandhiji was born on the same date in 1869] at Mughal Sarai. His parents were Sharada Prasad and Dulari Devi. As a boy, Lal Bahadur was brave, kind and full of courage and vitality. Once he and his uncle went for a stroll. It was getting dark. An old man who was selling mangoes saw them. He said, "It is getting dark, I will sell these at one anna for a hundred mangoes". Lal Bahadur and his uncle agreed to buy. The vendor started counting fruits, '1, 2, 3, 4 ...' When he reached 50, Lal Bahadur asked him to stop. He gave the vendor one anna. Later his uncle asked him, why he had done so. Lal Bahadur replied, 'A hundred mangoes for an anna is too cheap. He was prepared to suffer a loss because it was getting dark. It was hard on him. Therefore I gave him one anna instead of half an anna'. This shows how kind Lal Bahadur was.

- a) What kind of boy was Lal Bahadur?
- b) How many mangoes did the vendor have?
- c) Who were his parents?
- d) Why did the vendor sell his mangoes for one Anna?

XI. Answer the following question in about 8 - 10 sentences:

01×04=04

36. Summarize in your own words the substance of the poem 'Grandma climbs a tree'.

OR

Describe the physical appearance of Jazz player . What special skill did he have?

XII. Write an essay on any one of the following:

01×04=04

- 37.
- a) Use of technology in Education.
 - b) Importance of Sports and Games in our life.
 - c) Flood

XIII. Write a letter using the information given below:

01×05=05

38. Imagine you are Pramod / Pramila studying in Government High School, Vijayapur. Write a letter to your friend inviting him / her to attend the Annual day of your school.

OR

Write a letter to the Editor of the newspaper, complaining about the poor road conditions in your area.