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SET I

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Reading Time: 8.00-8.15 am

Writing Time: 8.15 am- 11.15 am

General Instructions:

- *This paper contains two sections. All sections are compulsory.*
 - Section A - Reading – 20 marks
 - Section B - Writing & Grammar – 20 marks
 - Section C - Literature – 40 marks
- *Read all the questions carefully*
- *Attempt all questions based on the specific instructions for each one.*
- *Write the correct question number for each answer*

SECTION A:Reading Skills (20 marks)

1. Read the following passage carefully :

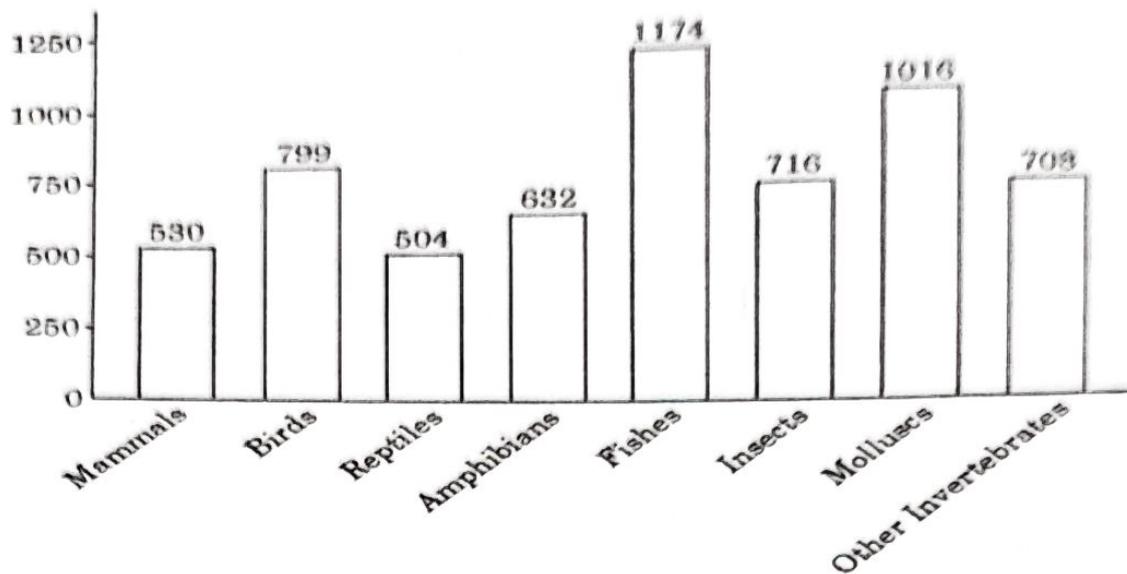
10 Marks

1. There was a time when human interference was minimum, the number of wild animals was quite high and there was no problem of their protection or conservation. Due to the irrational use of natural and biotic resources of the Earth in the past, most of the wildlife has been destroyed beyond retrieval. According to an estimate, in India about 200 species of wild animals and birds have become extinct and another 2500 are on the verge of extinction. Some of them are black buck, chinkara, wolf, swamp deer, nilgai, Indian gazelle, antelope, tiger, rhinoceros, gir lion, crocodile, flamingo, pelican, bustard, white crane, grey heron, mountain quail, etc.

In India, the Government and NGOs are taking keen interest in protection of wildlife. The Wildlife Protection Act, 1972, has several provisions for the conservation of wildlife. As many as 165 game sanctuaries and 21 national parks have been deployed to protect the natural habitat and wild animals. Apart from this, Wildlife Conservation Week is also celebrated from 1st to 7th October every year. But still there is a long way to go in this direction.

Preservation of wildlife does not mean a blanket protection to all faunal and floral species; rather it implies a proper, judicious control over the multiplication of plants and animals which interact together to provide a proper environment to man whose very existence is in peril today. It is our urgent duty to protect the natural splendour of ecosystems and to evolve a system of coexistence with every living creature upon the Earth.

*Based on IUCN Red List data



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(d) preserve only car
v) Wh...

Based on your understanding of the passage, answer the questions given below :

i.) The passage says that "*Preservation of wildlife does not mean blanket protection to all species.*" Explain how this statement reflects the relationship between ecological balance and species control. 2

ii) Select the appropriate options to fill in the blanks. 1

Select the most appropriate pair of words to complete the sentence meaningfully:

Most of the wildlife has been _____ beyond _____ due to the reckless exploitation of natural resources on Earth.

- (a) eliminated, recognition
- (b) destroyed, retrieval
- (c) damaged, protection
- (d) erased, imagination

iii) Complete the following analogy correctly with a word/phrase from the passage. 1

Flowers : Garden : : _____ : Sanctuaries

iv) Select the correct option to complete the sentence. 1

1 The author suggests that *judicious control* over the multiplication of plants and animals is essential because it helps to –

- (a) maintain ecological balance necessary for human survival
- (b) ensure that all species are given equal protection

- (c) promote rapid growth of flora and fauna without limitation
- (d) preserve only rare species while ignoring the common ones

v) Why does the author believe that human existence itself is "in peril" if wildlife is not preserved? Support your answer with reasoning from the text. 2

vi) Choose the correct option: 1

Assertion (A): Celebrating Wildlife Conservation Week alone can reverse the loss of biodiversity.
Reason (R): Awareness campaigns are an important part of long-term wildlife protection.

Choose the correct option :

- (a) Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true, but R is false.
- (d) A is false, but R is true.

vii) "Spending money on wildlife conservation is less useful than investing in technology." This statement is a _____ (fact/opinion) and it is _____ (objective/subjective). 1

viii) Give a synonym for the word 'implies'. 1

2. Read the extract given below:

(10 Marks)

1. In recent years, there has been a surge in both group and solo travel among young adults in India. A survey conducted among young adults aged 18-25 aimed to explore the reasons behind their travel preferences and recorded the percentage variation for 10 common points that influence travel choices.

2. Among those who prefer solo travel, the most common reason cited was the desire for independence and freedom (58%), followed closely by the opportunity for introspection and self-discovery (52%). Additionally, solo travellers appreciated the ability to customize their itinerary to their preferences (44%) and the chance to meet new people on their own terms (36%).

3. On the other hand, those who prefer group travel often cited the desire for socializing and making new friends (61%) as their primary reason. Group travel also provided a sense of security and safety in unfamiliar places (52%) and allowed for shared experiences and memories with others (48%). Additionally, group travellers enjoyed the convenience of having pre-planned itineraries and organized transportation (38%).

4. Interestingly, both groups had similar levels of interest in exploring new cultures and trying new experiences (40% for solo travellers, 36% for group travellers). Similarly, both groups valued the opportunity to relax and escape from the stresses of everyday life (36% for solo travellers, 32% for group travellers) However, there were also some notable differences between the two groups. For example, solo travellers placed a higher priority on budget-friendly travel options (38%)

compared to group travellers (24%). Conversely, group travellers were more likely to prioritize novelty and comfort during their travels (28%) compared to solo travellers (12%).

Answer the following questions, based on given passage.

I. Infer two possible ways that the survey, mentioned in paragraph (1) could be beneficial.
Answer in about 40 words.

II. Which travel choice point of the survey would influence tour operators to incorporate group dinners, social events, and shared accommodations in their itinerary?

- A) Freedom to customise itinerary B) Luxury and comfort
C) Security and safety D) Desire for making new friends

III Assertion (A): The top reasons for solo and group travel reflect that young adults seek both self-growth and social connection.

Reason (R): Solo travellers prefer independence and reflection, while group travellers prioritise shared memories and friendships.

Choose the correct option:

- A. Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
B. Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.
C. A is true, but R is false.
D. A is false, but R is true.

IV Which of the following is an example of an opportunity for self-discovery, as mentioned in paragraph

- i) Trying new cuisine ii) Hiring a tour guide
ii) Purchasing local artifacts iv) Advance booking travel tickets

V Which of the following best describes the writer's tone in paragraph (6)?

- A. Critical and disapproving B. Balanced and analytical
C. Persuasive and promotional D. Casual and humorous

VI The similar percentage of both solo and group travellers interested in exploring new cultures and experiences may be due to their _____.

VII In paragraph (4), the word "escape" is used in the phrase "escape from the stresses of everyday life." Select the option that uses "escape" in a different sense from the one in the passage.

- A. Travelling gave her an escape from her busy schedule.
B. The prisoner tried to escape through the broken window.
C. Weekend getaways are my favorite form of escape.
D. Reading novels offers a mental escape from reality.

VIII How can the differences in budget priorities between solo and group travellers impact the types of accommodations and activities offered by the travel industry in India? 2

Section B: Creative Grammar and Writing Skills (20 M)

3. Attempt any 10 out of the following 12 questions:

(10x1=10)

i) His offence was grave but he ___ with a fine.

a) got back b) got through c) got over d) got off

ii) Report the dialogue between Priti and Meeru, by completing the sentence.

Priti : Life's pretty dull. I need a job.

Meeru : What kind of job are you interested in ?

In response to Priti's claim that she needed a job, Meeru _____.

iii) Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

Honesty not only succeeds in the long run and also brings about mutual trust and confidence.

Error	Correction

iv) Samiksha shared some information with Sameer regarding the annual blood donation camp. Report Sameer's question:

Was the process painful? Can I do it too?

v) Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

More of the fun and excitement in our lives comes from using our imagination.

Error	Correction

vi) Fill in the blank with the correct form of verb given in the brackets.

I'm so happy to see my plants again! They _____ (grow) so much since I last saw them.

vii) Rachita shared some information with Reena about the trek in the mountains. Report Reena's question.

Was the trek difficult?

viii) Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

Both the boys had got a scolding but either of them paid heed.

Error	Correction

ix) Students _____ attend all compulsory lectures _____ a certificate.

- a) must, to get b) should, for getting c) can, in getting d) might, to get

x) Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

Which kind of person does something like that?

Error	Correction

xi) Interviewer: Was shooting in Kashmir challenging?

Santosh : Filming in any place is difficult, but in Kashmir it was even more difficult.

The interviewer asked Santosh if the shooting had been challenging in Kashmir. Santosh replied that filming _____.

xii) She had already begun eating her dinner by the time I there.

- (a) reached (b) had reached (c) was reaching (d) had been reaching

4 Attempt any one from the following

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A You are Abhimanyu Sikri, resident of 119, Nilgiri Apartments, Kirti Nagar, Delhi. You purchased a wardrobe made of recycled wood shaving; from M/s Pawan Sales, Ramesh Nagar, Delhi. Write a letter of complaint to the Sales Manager asking for replacement of the product which you purchased 15 days ago. You have found that doors do not shut and the paint is uneven. (word limit 100-120 words)

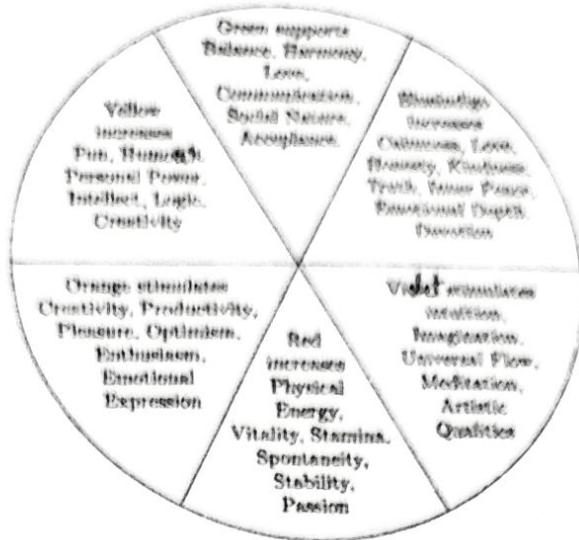
Or

B You are Mohammad Ali/Sahiba Ali, residing in 1545, Kirti Nagar, New Delhi. Write a letter to the Deputy Commissioner of Police, drawing his attention to the deteriorating law and order situation in the city.

5 Attempt any one from the following:

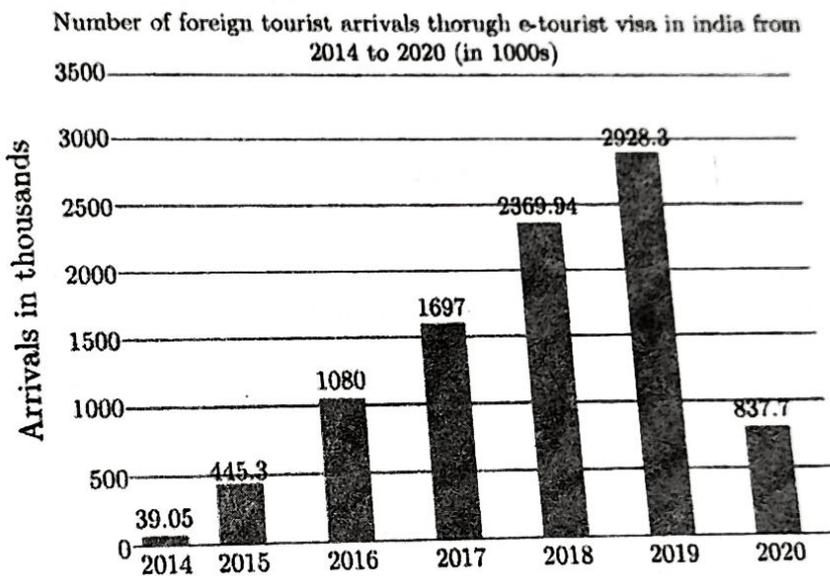
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A A. Colours play a very important role in our life. They have a healing power also. Read the pie chart given below and write an analytical paragraph in 100-120 words.



OR

B) For a tourist, the ease of travelling to a country makes travel pleasurable and smooth. It makes a visitor go back to the destination again. In order to make the trip to India worth its while, the GOI has introduced a visa-on-arrival facility for travellers from many countries and the list keeps getting longer every year. Analysing the data in the graph below, write an analytical paragraph. Give it a suitable heading.



Section C: Literature (40 m)

6. Attempt any one from (A) or (B): given below:

Read the following extract and answer the questions that follow:

(5marks)

A. "Not from weeping nor from grieving will anyone obtain peace of mind; on the contrary, the more one weeps, the more he will be the greater and his body will suffer. He will make himself sick and pale, yet the dead are not saved by his lamentation. He who seeks peace should draw out the arrow of lamentation, and complaint, and grief. He who has drawn out the arrow and has become composed will obtain peace of mind; he who has overcome all sorrow will become free from sorrow, and be blessed." (The Sermon at Benares)

1) What does the phrase "draw out the arrow of lamentation" symbolically suggest?

- A. Removing physical pain caused by loss
- B. Letting go of sorrow and emotional attachment
- C. Punishing oneself for past actions
- D. Seeking help from others for peace

II) The word "composed" in the passage means "calm and self-controlled."

Choose the sentence where **composed** is used with the same meaning as in the extract. (1 mark)

- A. The poet **composed** a new song for the ceremony.
- B. She **composed** herself before delivering the difficult news.
- C. The artist **composed** a painting full of vibrant colours.
- D. The scientist **composed** the data into neat charts.

III) Buddha compares grief to an **arrow** that must be drawn out. How does this metaphor deepen the reader's understanding of the process of overcoming sorrow? 2

Assertion (A): According to the Buddha, lamentation and grief only increase human suffering.

Reason (R): Weeping and mourning can bring the dead back to life. 1

Choose the correct option:

- A. Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
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- D. A is false, but R is true.

Or

B) Read the following extract and answer the questions that follow :

"I was still a thief when I met Anil. And though only 15, I was an experienced and fairly successful hand. Anil was watching a wrestling match when I approached him. He was about 25—a tall, lean fellow—and he looked easy-going, kind and simple enough for my purpose. I hadn't had much luck of late and thought I might be able to get into the young man's confidence.

'You look a bit of a wrestler yourself,' I said. A little flattery helps in making friends.

'So do you,' he replied, which put me off for a moment because at that time I was rather thin."

(a) What does the phrase "simple enough for my purpose" reveal about the narrator's perception of Anil? 2

(b) How does the narrator's use of flattery serve as a reflection of his personality and social skill? 1

(c) Choose the sentence where **confidence** is used with the **same meaning** as in the passage. 1

- A. She spoke with great **confidence** during the debate.
- B. He gained **confidence** after practising every day.
- C. The spy won the general's **confidence** and learned his secrets.
- D. The student's **confidence** impressed the interviewers.

(d) What quality of Anil is hinted at through his calm and witty response, "So do you"? 1

7. Attempt any one from (A) and (B) given below:

(5marks)

(A) Read the following extract and answer the questions that follow :

I sit inside, doors open to the veranda
writing long letters
in which I scarcely mention the departure
of the forest from the house.
The night is fresh, the whole moon shines
in a sky still open
the smell of leaves and lichen
still reaches like a voice into the rooms." (The Trees)

(a) The poet writes "long letters" but hardly mentions the "departure of the forest." What does this omission reveal about her emotions? 2

(b) How does the poet use sensory imagery in the given extract to suggest the continued presence of nature? 1

(c) Choose the sentence where the word **departure** is used with the same meaning as in the poem. 1

- A. The sudden **departure** of birds marked the coming of a storm.
- B. His **departure** from traditional music shocked his fans.
- C. The novel shows a clear **departure** from realism.
- D. She was upset by his **departure** from the usual routine.

(d) **Assertion (A):** The poet senses the presence of nature even after the trees have left the house. 1
Reason (R): The smell of leaves and lichen continues to enter the rooms, symbolizing the bond between humans and nature.

Choose the correct option:

- A. Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
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OR

B) Read the following extract and answer the questions that follow :

*"Ink trickled down to the bottom of the household
A little mouse blink strategically mouseholed.
But up jumped Custard, snorting like an engine,
Clashed his tail like irons in a dungeon,
With a clatter and a clank and a jangling squirm,
He went at the pirate like a robin at a worm."* (Custard the Dragon)

- (a) How does Custard's reaction in these lines contrast with the earlier impression the poet creates of him? 2
- (b) The line "He went at the pirate like a robin at a worm" conveys both humour and bravery. Explain how. 1
- (c) Choose the sentence where **snorting** has the **same meaning** as in the extract. 1
- A. The bull was **snorting** angrily before charging at the matador.
B. The child was **snorting** with laughter at the funny cartoon.
C. He was **snorting** in disbelief when he heard the news.
D. She kept **snorting** softly while reading through her notes.
- (d) Fill in the blank: 1
The last two lines of the stanza is an example of the poetic device (a) _____, as it (b) _____

8. Answer any four of the following questions in about 40 50 words each : (4x 3=12)

- (a) How does the use of repetition in the poem 'Amanda!' highlight the speaker's expectations and Amanda's responses?
- (b) Mandela says, "The oppressor and the oppressed alike are robbed of their humanity." Explain how this paradox defines the true meaning of freedom as described in the lesson. (A long walk to freedom -Nelson Mandela)
- c) How does the line 'and then moves on' reflect the transient nature of the fog thereby contributing to the poem's deeper message about life's impermanence? (The fog)
- d) Across "the lesson 'The glimpses of India' the writers describe regional identity through everyday details. How do food and drink become symbols of India's unity in diversity?
- e) What does Anne write in the diary about herself and her sister? (From the Diary of Anne Frank)

9. Answer any two of the following questions in about 40 50 words each : (2x 3=6)

- a) Comment critically on the role of the Surgery in the 'The Triumph of Surgery.' (The Triumph of Surgery)

) How did Matilda's life change over the period of ten years and how was she affected?

(The Necklace)

) What happened to the people who tried to help the constable in catching the invisible man?

(Footprints without Feet)

10. Answer any one of the following questions in about 100-120 words : (6X1=6)

(a) Imagine you are giving a speech about moments when you proved your courage or moral strength. Compare your experience with Custard the Dragon's bravery and Anne Gregory's honesty and integrity. Highlight how people's perceptions differed from your true character and the lesson you learned.

OR

(b) Give a speech about lessons you learned from your comparison of Valli's independence from "Maadam rides the bus" with Mijbil's courage and ability to adapt. Highlight why courage and adaptation is important both in human and animal experiences.

11. Answer any one of the following questions in about 100-120 words : (6x1=6)

A) Write a speech on the topic "Frugality in Life is the Correct Way to Live." Refer to examples from Matilda's life in 'The Necklace' to illustrate how her choices led to unnecessary suffering and loss. Highlight how practising simplicity and contentment could have changed her destiny.
. Or

B) All three protagonists Ausable from 'the midnight Visitor', Horace Danby from 'A question of Trust' and Hari Singh from "The Thief's story" are professionals. Analyse how their approaches to their professions and their interactions with others reveal a subtle and significant distinction between a clever mind, a simple con artist and a character capable of redemption.



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SECTION A
Reading-10 Marks

[10]

I. Read the following passage carefully:

- (1) Saffron is a spice that's long been revered across the globe, captivating hearts and palates with its deep-red hue and complex flavour. It is one of the most prized spices that you can find on this planet. Just like gold is among the most valuable metals in the world, saffron means the same in the world of spices. Also known as 'kesar' in Hindi, it has a rich history and is often called an ancient spice. Saffron has been used since ages in various foods made for the royals and the elite as it contains medicinal properties.
- (2) Originating from the delicate stigma of the saffron crocus flower, it transforms the ordinary into the extraordinary, infusing dishes with a subtle, earthy sweetness that adds a special taste to the palate. Saffron has a strong exotic aroma and a unique flavour and is used to colour and flavour many Mediterranean and Asian dishes, particularly rice, fish and English, Scandinavian, and Balkan breads.
- (3) Saffron forms the backbone of several iconic dishes from around the world, such as the Spanish rice, seafood dish Paella, the French stew Bouillabaisse, Italian rice dish Risotto Milanese, the Indian ice cream Kesar Kulfi, rice dish Biryani, and baked Iranian rice Tachin. Saffron's rich red colour is attributed to crocin; its bitter taste, to picrocrocin; and its distinctive aroma, to safranal.
- (4) Saffron is cultivated chiefly in Iran but is also grown in Spain, France, Italy, and parts of India. A labour-intensive crop, the three stigmas are hand-picked from each flower, spread on trays, and dried over charcoal fires for use as a food flavouring and colouring agent.
- (5) Most historians speculate it was first domesticated in Iran, but south-western Greek islands remain strong contenders. Traders, conquerors, and world explorers introduced it to China, India and the Middle East. From there, it travelled to Mediterranean Europe.
- (6) The high retail value of saffron is maintained in world markets because of labour-intensive harvesting methods, which require some 444,000 hand-picked saffron stigmas per kilogram — equivalently, 150,000 crocus flowers per kilogram. Forty hours of labour are needed to pick 150,000 flowers. Almost all saffron grows in a belt from Spain in the west to India in the east. Iran is responsible for around 88% of global production. Afghanistan comes second, and Spain is the third largest producer, while the United Arab Emirates, Greece, the Indian subcontinent and Morocco are among minor producers.

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(7) Given its high price, adulteration is quite common, unfortunately. Adulterants like beetroot or pomegranate are used to enhance red colour, silk fibres, oil, or wax are used to add bulk, and powdered saffron can be adulterated with turmeric and paprika

Answer the following questions, based on the above passage:

(i) What is the tone of the writer in the given lines? Rationalise your response in about 40 words. [1]
"Saffron is being used since ages in various foods made for the royals and the elite as it contains medicinal properties." Paragraph (1)

(ii) Which of the following statements best describes the comparison made in the sentence? [1]
"Just like gold is among the most valuable metals in the world, saffron means the same in the world of spices."
(A) Gold and saffron have similar physical properties.
(B) Gold and saffron have equal monetary value.
(C) Saffron is considered the most valuable spice, similar to how gold is valued among metals.
(D) Gold and saffron are both rare commodities in the global market. Paragraph (1)

(iii) List any two points why saffron is revered across the globe. Paragraphs (2) and (3) [2]

(iv) Fill in the blank from the given options: [1]
In the phrase 'backbone of several iconic dishes', the word 'iconic' refers to _____
(A) delicately cooked
(B) widely recognized
(C) peculiar and rare
(D) strange and infamous Paragraph (3)

(v) Complete the sentence appropriately: [2]
Saffron has a labour-intensive cultivation process which involves _____. Paragraph (4)

(vi) State whether the following statement is True or False: [1]
According to historians, saffron was first used in the kitchens in Iran. Paragraph (5)

(vii) Which of the following statements best describes the reason for saffron's high retail value? [1]
(A) Due to its magical or mystical properties.
(B) Because it can only be grown in specific regions.
(C) Due to its labour-intensive cultivation process and its relatively low yield per plant.
(D) Because traders, conquerors, and world explorers hoard it. Paragraph (6)

(viii) Support the writer's view with evidence from the text that saffron is often adulterated Para (7) [1]

2. Read the following passage carefully: [10]

The North-East of India is a melting pot of variegated cultural mosaic of people and races, an ethnic tapestry of many hues and shades. Yet, these states are less explored as compared to the rest of the country. The new generations of travellers who are 'money rich and time poor' are increasingly looking for unique experiences --a phenomenon being called the emergence of the 'experience economy'. For this new and growing breed of tourists, the North-East with its variety and uniqueness holds immense attraction. A study conducted in 2020 by Dr. Sherap Bhutia, revealed that the foreign tourist arrival in the

North-East increased from 37,380 persons in 2005 to 118,552 in 2014. The overall growth rate of tourists (both domestic and foreign) in the North-East was as high as 26.44% during 2005-06. A high and positive growth of 12.53% was registered in foreign tourist visits to North-East States of India during 2012 from 2011, which further rose to register a growth of 27.93% during 2013 from 2012. Foreign tourist arrivals in the North-East witnessed a growth of 30.77% during 2014 from 2013, according to data provided from the Ministry of Tourism, Government of India.

The study recommendations for tourism planners included the need to concentrate on some key areas like enhancement of tourist facilities, tourism financing, focus on community involvement and others for the formulation of a sustainable tourism strategy in the North-East States of India.

Questions:

(i) Infer one reason for the following, based on information in paragraph 1. [1]

The rate of tourism in the North-East of India puzzles tourism officials.

(ii) Complete the following analogy correctly with a word/ phrase from paragraph 1. [1]

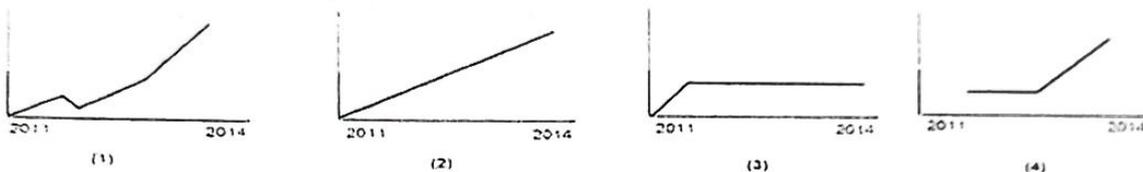
aroma: cooking:: _____ : painting

(iii) Select the correct option to complete the following sentence. [1]

Travellers advocating the 'experience economy' seek a holiday package with _____ (Paragraph 1)

- A. grand facilities, expensive hotels and excellent services to pamper them.
- B. a wholesome experience within the budget they have planned for.
- C. places and cities to buy things from and opportunities spend money.
- D. cost-effective services, affordable accommodation and many days of touring.

(iv) Select the chart that appropriately represents the trend of foreign tourist travels in the North-East, from 2011-2014, as per paragraph 2. [1]



- A. Option 1
- B. Option 2
- C. Option 3
- D. Option 4

(v) Substitute the word 'witnessed' with ONE WORD similar in meaning, in the following, sentence from paragraph 2: *Foreign tourist arrivals in the North-East witnessed a growth of...* [1]

(vi) List any 2 examples of 'tourist facilities' as referred to, in Paragraph 3. [2]

(vii) List one reason why the researchers recommend that the formulation of a tourism strategy in the North-Eastern States of India be sustainable. [2]

(viii) Select the option that titles paragraphs 1-3 appropriately, with reference to information in the text. [1]

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| 1 Full Speed Ahead! | 1 Winds of Change | 1 Inspecting Trends | 1 Cause & Effect |
| 2 Ups and Downs | 2 Numbers Don't Lie | 2 Statistically Speaking | 2 Dynamic Data |
| 3 Cause for Concern | 3 Time for Action | 3 Let's Investigate | 3 Dependable Facts |
| (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) |

SECTION B
Grammar and Creative Writing Skills-20 Marks

3. Complete any ten of the following twelve tasks, as directed. Each question carries one mark.

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(i) Fill in the blank by using the correct form of the word in the brackets, for the given portion of a letter.
 Thank you for exceeding company expectations and _____ (inspire) your team with your spectacular work ethic.

(ii) Read the given sentence from a movie review article. Identify the error and supply the correction in the sentence.

The movie doesn't let you rest and is packed with engaged action sequences.

Use the given format for your response.

Error	Correction

(iii) Akshat and Niharika had a conversation about the felicitation of Akshat's achievements. Report Niharika's question: What will you be wearing for tomorrow's function?

(iv) Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option, to complete the disclaimer given before a documentary film:

The film has been created by taking creative liberties and dramatizing the events _____ (about/for/on) cinematic expressions.

(v) Identify the error and supply the correction for the given sentence from a comment posted by an admirer of a reporter.

The report was well document, so no one could claim that it was just one person's opinion.

Use the given format for your response.

Error	Correction

(vi) Complete the given narrative by filling in the blank with the correct option.

Now that many employees have shown high productivity working from home, will their bosses hereafter _____ them to take working vacations?

- (A) expecting
- (B) expected
- (C) have expected
- (D) expect

(vii) Identify the error and supply the correction for the following note in a smart watch's instruction manual:

When the watch is connected to the mobile phone, the watch may automatically calibrate and synchronize with the time of the mobile phone.

Use the given format for your response.

Error	Correction

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letter:

Read the dialogue between Karan and his teacher regarding his absence from school.

Teacher: Karan, why were you absent yesterday?

Karan: Yesterday I had cold and fever, sir. I couldn't inform you beforehand.

Teacher: That's okay. Take care of your health.

Select the correct option to complete the reporting of the above dialogue.

The teacher asked Karan _____.

Karan replied that he had cold and fever the previous day and added that he couldn't inform the teacher beforehand. The teacher advised him to take care of his health.

- (A) why did he remain absent the previous day
- (B) why he had been absent the previous day
- (C) the reason he was absent
- (D) why was he absent yesterday

(ix) Select the option that identifies the error and supplies the correction for the opening line, from a Terms and Conditions document.

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Option No.	Error	Correction
(A)	efforts	effort
(B)	ensure	ensuring
(C)	could	should
(D)	of	for

(x) Report the following dialogue between a hawker and his customer, by completing the sentence.

Hawker: Do you want any tomatoes?

Customer: Yes, indeed! Although they are a bit expensive, I like to add tomatoes to my diet.

The hawker asked the customer whether she wanted any tomatoes. The customer answered in the affirmative and explained that _____.

(xi) Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the part of the grievance posted by a citizen on a social media platform.

Crossing this stretch at any time of the day is a challenge. Even during afternoons, there _____ ice-cream vendors on the road with people crowding around their carts.

- (A) were
- (B) are
- (C) have been
- (D) would be

(xii) Complete the line from a Save the Planet song, by filling in the blank with the correct option.

Let's see what we can do

To save the planet for me and you

E is for environment, keep it clean

If we _____ together, we'll make the best team.

- (A) will be standing
- (B) stand
- (C) had stood
- (D) are standing

Creative Writing Skills

Note: All details presented in the questions are imaginary and created for assessment purposes only.

a. Attempt *any one* from A and B given below:

A. You recently purchased a washing machine from Electro World Pvt. Ltd., but it has not been functioning properly despite being under warranty. Write a letter of complaint to the Customer Service Manager requesting immediate repair or replacement.
(You are Sanya Kapoor of 12, Park Avenue, Mumbai.)

B. You are disturbed by the poor maintenance of your neighbourhood park — broken benches, litter everywhere, and no safe space for elderly people. Write a letter of complaint to the RWA highlighting these issues and suggesting improvements.
(You are Kavya Menon of 19, Lotus Residency, Mysuru.)

If the given answer is not the best answer, please write your own answer.

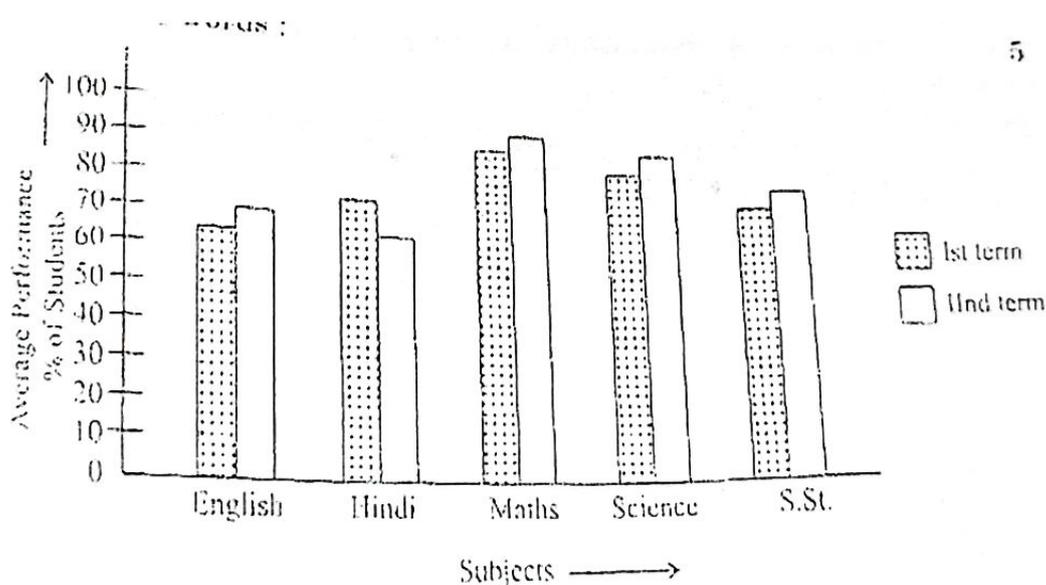
5. Attempt *any one* from A and B given below:

[5]

A. In the past few years, the teaching-learning process has taken a leap and gone beyond the four walls of the classroom. Today, it has become possible to learn not just by sitting in a physical classroom, but from anywhere. Given below is a chart depicting the differences between E-learning and Classroom learning. Write an analytical paragraph in about 120 words, assessing the benefits and drawbacks of both, by selecting features that support your analysis.

E-Learning	Classroom Learning
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accessible anytime anywhere 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Same place, same time
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at your own pace 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • caters to the needs of the class
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • no travel costs, saves time 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • transportation cost and time consuming

B. The given bar graph shows a comparative analysis of students' performance in different subjects in the terminal exam. Write an analytical paragraph on the variations in the performances of students in about 120 words:



SECTION C

Literature 40 Marks

Read the given extracts carefully and answer any one from A or B.

"Then the Buddha said: 'The life of mortals in this world is troubled and brief and combined with pain. There is no means by which those who are born can avoid dying. As ripe fruits are early in danger of falling, so mortals when born are always in danger of death.'"

Questions:

- (a) What truth about life does the Buddha convey through this statement? [1]
- A. Life is joyful and everlasting.
 - B. Death is uncertain and can be escaped through prayer.
 - C. Life is temporary and every living being must face death.
 - D. Only the sinful are destined to die.

- (b) The word "mortals" in the passage means "people who are alive." [1]
- Choose the sentence where *mortals* is used with the same meaning as in the extract.

- A. The sculptor shaped mortals out of clay.
- B. The story speaks about the fate of mortals and gods.
- C. The shop sold mortals of fine brass.
- D. The child made mortals for a school project.

- (c) How does the comparison between *ripe fruits* and *mortals* help the reader grasp the idea of impermanence? [2]

- (d) Study the following statements: [1]

Assertion (A): According to the Buddha, death is inevitable for all living beings.

Reason (R): Those who are born must die one day, just as ripe fruits are bound to fall.

Choose the correct option:

- A. Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
- B. Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- C. A is true, but R is false.
- D. A is false, but R is true.

OR

B. "Valli would stare wistfully at the people who got on or off the bus. Her greatest wish was to ride on that bus. This wish became stronger and stronger until it was an overwhelming desire. Valli watched the bus every day and listened carefully to conversations about it. Over many days and months, she gathered all sorts of details about the bus journey — the fare, the distance, and the time it took to travel to the town and back."

- (a) What does the word "wistfully" tell us about Valli's attitude towards the bus and its passengers? [1]
- (b) How does Valli's way of collecting information reflect her intelligence and determination? [2]
- (c) The word "overwhelming" means — [1]

- (i) Exciting but temporary
- (ii) Too strong to resist
- (iii) Unclear or doubtful
- (iv) Ordinary and dull

- (d) Assertion (A): Valli's desire to ride the bus grows gradually. [1]
- Reason (R): She is fascinated by the people and the movement of the bus, which symbolizes adventure.
- Choose the correct option:

- A. Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
- B. Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- C. A is true, but R is false.
- D. A is false, but R is true.

7. Attempt *any one* from (A) and (B) given below:

A. Extract:

"All night the roots work
to disengage themselves from the cracks
in the veranda floor.
The leaves strain toward the glass,
small twigs stiff with exertion,
long-cramped boughs shuffling under the roof
like newly discharged patients
half-dazed, moving to the doors."

Questions

- (a) What does the poet suggest through the image of "roots working to disengage themselves"? [2]
- (b) How does the simile "like newly discharged patients" deepen the reader's understanding of the trees' condition? [1]
- (c) The word "strain" is used to describe the leaves pushing toward the glass. Choose the sentence where *strain* is used with the same meaning as in the poem. [1]
- A. She strained the pasta before serving it.
B. The athlete strained a muscle while running.
C. He strained to hear the faint sound of music.
D. The tea was strained to remove the leaves.
- (d) Assertion (A): The poet compares the trees to patients who are weak but hopeful after being freed.
Reason (R): This symbolizes nature's struggle for independence and renewal.
Choose the correct option: [1]
- A. Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
B. Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.
C. A is true, but R is false.
D. A is false, but R is true.

OR

B. Extract: "I heard an old religious man
But yesternight declare
That he had found a text to prove
That only God, my dear,
Could love you for yourself alone
And not your yellow hair."

Questions

- (a) What does the "old religious man" symbolize in the context of the poem? [2]
- (b) What contrast is presented between human love and divine love in this extract? [1]
- (c) The word "declare" in the poem means "to state something firmly." [1]
- Choose the sentence where *declare* is used with the same meaning as in the poem. [1]
- A. He declared the results of the election last night.
B. She declared her love for nature through her paintings.
C. The minister declared the country a republic.
D. The customs officer asked if I had anything to declare

Choose the correct option:

Assertion (A): The poet concludes that *only divine love is selfless and pure*

Reason (R): Human love is often based on *physical beauty or outward appearance*

- A. Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
- B. Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- C. A is true, but R is false.
- D. A is false, but R is true.

8. Answer *any four* of the following questions in about 40-50 words each:

[4×3m=12]

(a) How does the author's relationship with Mijbil reflect compassion and adaptability?

(Mijbil the Otter)

(b) How does brevity contribute to the impact of the poem *Fog*?

(Fog)

(c) Anne's diary captures both innocence and wisdom. How does the diary give voice to the innocence and suffering of a lost generation?

(From the Diary of a Young Girl)

(d) How does the poem *Tale of Custard the Dragon* challenge conventional ideas about courage and fear?

(Tale of Custard the Dragon)

9. Answer *any two* of the following questions in about 40-50 words each.

[2×3m=6]

(a) *It is difficult to rob a careless man.* What does the line suggest about human nature and trust, as illustrated through Anil's character.

(The Thief's Story)

(b) Horace Danby's downfall comes from misplaced trust. Evaluate how trust can be both a virtue and a vulnerability.

(A Question of Trust)

(c) What does Griffin's misuse of scientific discovery reveal about ethics in science?

(Footprints without Feet)

10. Answer *any one* of the following questions in about 120 words:

[1×6m=6]

(a) Compare how both *A Letter to God* and *The Sermon at Benares* reflect human responses to suffering — one through faith in God, the other through philosophical acceptance. Express your thoughts in the form of a diary entry.

(b) Imagine you are participating in a school elocution contest. Prepare a speech on how both poets -Leslie Norris and John Berryman- portray *loss and silent suffering* in their poems - *A Tiger in the Zoo* and *The Ball Poem*. Compare how each poet uses imagery to convey silent suffering.

11. Answer *any one* of the following questions in about 120 words:

[1×6m=6]

(a) *Richard Ebright's lab* and *Ausable's hotel room* are both symbols of the mind at work.

Analyze how each setting reflects the power of intellect to turn ordinary situations into moments of victory.

(b) Compare how Madame Loisel's obsession with luxury in *The Necklace* and Mrs. Pumphrey's over indulgence in affection in *A Triumph Of Surgery* bring about distress in their lives, highlighting the dangers of misplaced priorities and lack of moderation.



SINDHI HIGH SCHOOL, BANGALORE
PRE BOARD EXAMINATION - 1 (2025-26)
SUBJECT:- HINDI - B (083)

CLASS -X

SET -1

Marks Marks :80

DATE:27-11-2025

Reading Time :8:00 to 8:15 am

No. of sides: 7

Writing Time :8:15 to 11:15 am

सामान्य निर्देश :-

- निम्नलिखित निर्देशों को बहुत सावधानी से पढ़िए और उनका पालन कीजिए -
- इस प्रश्न पत्र में ३ खंड हैं। खंड क, ख और ग।
- सभी प्रश्नों के उत्तर क्रमानुसार लिखिए।
- सभी खण्डों के सभी प्रश्नों के उत्तर देना अनिवार्य है।
- शब्द सीमा के अनुसार उत्तर लिखिए।

खण्ड - क

1. निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़ कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए-

7

हिमालय पर्वत के वन स्थानीय लोगों के जीवन में अधिक महत्व रखते हैं। ये वन स्थानीय नागरिकों तथा उनके पशुओं के जीवन-रक्षक माने जाते हैं। ये वन फल, फूल और जड़ी-बूटियों के मुख्य स्रोत हैं। वनों से उत्पन्न हरी घास पशुओं का चारा होती है जबकि वृक्षों की सूखी टहनियों को लोग ईंधन के रूप में प्रयोग करते हैं। हिमालय के पर्वतीय क्षेत्र में स्थित ये वन विभिन्न प्रकार से पर्यावरण के रक्षक हैं। वन जहाँ पशुओं की शरण-स्थली हैं, वहीं ये मानव के जीवन के लिए भी बहुत उपयोगी हैं। हम सभी जानते हैं कि वृक्ष हमें जीवन देते हैं। ये विभिन्न आपदाओं को अपने ऊपर झेलकर हमें शुद्ध वायु देते हैं। ये वर्षा में भी सहायक होते हैं। इतना सब जानते हुए भी हम अपने उपयोग के लिए वनों का कटाव करके अपने जीवनदाता का अपमान कर रहे हैं। हम जनसंख्या तो बढ़ाते जा रहे हैं परन्तु वनों को घटाते जा रहे हैं। यदि यह सब ऐसे ही चलता रहा तो हम जल्द ही संकट से घिर जाएँगे हमें अपने जीवन को बचाने के लिए वनों का संरक्षण करना ही होगा। आओ, संकल्प लें कि हम भी वृक्ष लगाएँगे और उनकी सेवा करेंगे।

(क) उपर्युक्त गद्यांश किस विषयवस्तु पर आधारित है?

1

- i. हिमालय पर्वत
- ii. पर्यावरण के रक्षक वन
- iii. जनसंख्या वृद्धि
- iv. वृक्षारोपण

(ख) वनों की संख्या कम होती जा रही है-

1

- i. जनसंख्या वृद्धि के कारण
- ii. वनों की कटाई के कारण
- iii. ऑक्सीजन की कमी के कारण
- iv. i. व ii. दोनों सही हैं

(ग) निम्नलिखित कथन और निष्कर्ष को ध्यान से पढ़कर दिए गए विकल्प से सही उत्तर चुनकर लिखिए-

1

कथन- हिमालय पर्वत के वन स्थानीय लोगों के जीवन में बहुत महत्व रखते हैं।
निष्कर्ष- ये मानव जीवन के लिए बहुत उपयोगी हैं।

- i. कथन सही है लेकिन निष्कर्ष गलत है।
- ii. कथन और निष्कर्ष दोनों सही हैं।
- iii. कथन गलत है और निष्कर्ष सही है।
- iv. कथन और निष्कर्ष दोनों गलत हैं।

(घ) वृक्ष हमें किस प्रकार जीवन देते हैं?

2

(ङ) वनों के न होने से क्या नुकसान हो सकता है?

2

2. निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़ कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए-

7

कहानी सुनने या पढ़ने में बहुत आनंद आता है। जितना आनंद कहानी सुनने में है उतना कहीं नहीं। बचपन में सभी ने अपनी दादी या नानी से कहानियाँ अवश्य सुनी होगी। इन कहानियों में रोचक विषय तो होते ही थे, ज्ञान की बातें भी छिपी होती थीं। कहानियाँ हमें स्वप्नलोक में ले जाती हैं। रोचक कहानियाँ सुनकर हम स्वयं की कल्पना इसके पात्रों के समान ही करने लगते थे। ये कभी हमें हँसाती थीं और कभी रुलाती थीं, परन्तु इन सभी कहानियों का अंत सदा सुखद ही होता था। ये अपने समापन के साथ कोई-न-कोई संदेश अवश्य देती थीं। रात होते ही हम सब बच्चे कहानी सुनने की जिद करने लगते थे और तब दादी हमें सारगर्भित कहानियाँ सुनाने बैठ जाती थीं। कभी-कभी दादी काल्पनिक कहानियाँ भी सुनाती थीं। कहानी के पात्रों का चयन, घटनाक्रम और निहित शिक्षा ही इनकी विशेषता होती थी। बचपन की वे यादें आज भी मन में बसी हुई हैं। जितना महत्व कहानियों का तब हुआ करता था, अब दिखाई नहीं देता।

(क) उपर्युक्त गद्यांश की विषयवस्तु क्या है?

i. कहानी लेखन

iii. कथा या सारांश

ii. कथा लेखन

iv. कहानी का महत्व

(ख) निम्नलिखित कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए। दिए गए विकल्पों में से कोई एक सही विकल्प चुनकर लिखिए:

1

कथन (A): कहानियाँ मनुष्य के अंदर ज्ञान का संचार करती हैं।

कथन (R): कहानियों का अंत सदैव दुखद ही होता है।

1. कथन (A) सही है, कारण (R) गलत है।

ii. कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) दोनों गलत हैं।

iii. कथन (A) सही है, और कारण (R) उसकी सही व्याख्या है।

iv. कथन (A) गलत है किन्तु कारण (R) सही है।

(ग) रात होते ही सब बच्चे जिद करने लगते थे-

i. समाचार सुनने की

iii. निबन्ध लिखने की

ii. कहानी सुनने की

iv. नाटक करने की

1

(घ) आज का बच्चा कहानी के आनंद से वंचित क्यों है?

2

(ङ) बचपन की कहानियाँ किस प्रकार की होती थीं?

2

खण्ड - ख

3. पदबंध पर आधारित पाँच प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं चार प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए -

4 x 1 = 4

(क) छात्रावास में रहने वाले छात्रों में से कुछ हॉकी के शौकीन हैं-वाक्य में से सर्वनाम पदबंध चुनकर लिखिए।

(ख) विशेषण पदबंध का एक उदाहरण देकर वाक्य में प्रयोग कीजिए।

(ग) विदेश में रहने वाले मेरे चाचाजी ने मुझे बुलाया है. वाक्य में रेखांकित पदबंध का भेद लिखिए।

(घ) पर्वतारोही शिखर पर पहुँच गए. वाक्य में पदबंध का भेद बताते हुए कारण भी स्पष्ट कीजिए।

(ङ) क्रिया पदबंध का एक उदाहरण देकर वाक्य में प्रयोग कीजिए।

4. 'रचना के आधार पर वाक्य रूपांतरण' पर आधारित पाँच प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं चार प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए -

4 × 1 = 4

(क) 'जब मैं मंदिर पहुँचा, तब आरती हो रही थी' वाक्य का भेद लिखिए।

(ख) तताँरा को देखते ही वामीरो फूट-फूट कर रोने लगी-मिश्र वाक्य में रूपांतरित कीजिए।

(ग) उदाहरण देकर सरल एवं संयुक्त में अंतर स्पष्ट कीजिए।

(घ) शाम होते ही पशु लौट आए - संयुक्त वाक्य में रूपांतरित कीजिए।

(ङ) पाकिस्तान ने कारगिल में घुसपैठ की और भारत ने उसे करारी मात दी-वाक्य का भेद बताते हुए कारण स्पष्ट कीजिए।

5. 'समास' पर आधारित पाँच प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं चार प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए -

4 × 1 = 4

(क) बहुव्रीहि समास अन्य समास से किस प्रकार भिन्न होता है?

(ख) कर्मधारय समास में पूर्वपद और उत्तर पद की भूमिका स्पष्ट कीजिए।

(ग) 'थोड़ा बहुत' द्वंद्व समास है कैसे?

(घ) 'नवग्रह' सामासिक पद का विग्रह करते हुए भेद लिखिए।

(ङ) द्वंद्व समास की विशेषता बताते हुए एक उदाहरण दीजिए। (जो प्रश्न पत्र में न हो)

6. 'मुहावरे' पर आधारित पाँच प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं चार प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए-

4 × 1 = 4

(क) लोग फिल्म देखते-देखते अपनी _____ बैठते थे। (उपयुक्त मुहावरे द्वारा रिक्त स्थान की पूर्ति कीजिए।)

(ख) सालाना परीक्षा आना कोई ----- नहीं होता। (उपयुक्त मुहावरे द्वारा रिक्त स्थान की पूर्ति कीजिए।)

(ग) "अपनी सफलता के राज का कभी ढिंढोरा नहीं पीटना चाहिए।" पंक्ति से मुहावरा चुनकर वाक्य में प्रयोग कीजिए।

(घ) "लोहे के चने चबाना" और "दाँतों पसीना आना" मुहावरों के अर्थ लिखिए।

(ड) 'आँखों पर परदा पड़ना' मुहावरे का वाक्य बनाइए।

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7. निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को पढ़ कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर सर्वाधिक उचित विकल्प से चुनकर लिखिए- 5

मेरी माँ कहती थी, सूरज ढले आँगन के पेड़ों से पत्ते मत तोड़ो, पेड़ रोएँगे। दीया-बत्ती के वक्त फूलों को मत तोड़ो, फूल बददुआ देते हैं। दरिया पर जाओ तो उसे सलाम किया करो, वह खुश होता है। कबूतरों को मत सताया करो, वे हज़रत मुहम्मद को अजीज हैं। उन्होंने उन्हें अपनी मजार के नीले गुंबद पर घोंसले बनाने की इजाजत दे रखी है। मुर्गों को परेशान नहीं किया करो।

(क) नीले गुंबद पर किसका घोंसला हुआ करता है?

1. चिड़िया का

ii. कबूतर का

iii. तोते का

iv. इनमें से कोई नहीं

(ख) 'सूरज ढले आँगन के पेड़ों से पत्ते मत तोड़ो'- कथन से निष्कर्ष निकलता है कि-

i. बददुआ लगती है।

ii. पेड़ रोते हैं।

iii. पाप पड़ता है।

iv. पेड़ों को नुकसान पहुँचाना गलत बात है।

(ग) लेखक किसके प्रति सम्मान का भाव रखता है?

1. दरिया के प्रति

ii. पक्षियों के प्रति

iii. हज़रत मुहम्मद के प्रति

iv. दयालुओं के प्रति

(घ) मुर्गा सुबह उठकर क्या करता है?

i. चिल्लाता है

ii. बाँग देता है

iii. घूमता है

iv. इनमें से कोई नहीं

(ड) निम्नलिखित कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) को ध्यान से पढ़िए तथा सर्वाधिक उचित विकल्प को चुनकर लिखिए: 1

कथन (A) : दीया-बत्ती के वक्त फूलों को मत तोड़ो, फूल बददुआ देते हैं। दरिया पर जाओ तो उसे सलाम किया करो, वह खुश होता है।

कारण (R) : मनुष्य के मन में प्रकृति तथा जीव-जंतुओं के लिए भी संवेदनाएँ होना आवश्यक है।

i. कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) दोनों गलत हैं।

ii. कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) दोनों सही हैं।

iii. कथन (A) गलत है तथा कारण (R) सही है।

iv. कथन (A) सही है लेकिन कारण (R) उसकी गलत व्याख्या करता है।

8. गद्य खंड पर आधारित निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं तीन प्रश्नों के उत्तर लगभग 25-30 शब्दों में लिखिए- 3 × 2 = 6

(क) "हाथरी का एक पत्रा" पाठ के आधार पर लिखिए 26 जनवरी, 1931 दिन विशेष क्यों था ?

(ख) आज के समय में मनुष्य समाज तथा स्वयं से कटता जा रहा है। भाग-दौड़ भरी जिंदगी ने मनुष्य से उसका वर्तमान ही छीन लिया है। 'झेन की देन' पाठ के आधार पर जीवन में वर्तमान समय के महत्व का उल्लेख कीजिए।

(ग) छोटे भाई ने अपनी पढ़ाई का टाइम-टेबल बनाते समय क्या-क्या सोचा और उसका पालन क्यों नहीं कर पाया?

(घ) ततौरा और वामीरो की त्यागमयी मृत्यु से निकोबार में क्या परिवर्तन आया ?

9. निम्नलिखित काव्यांश को पढ़कर प्रश्नों के सर्वाधिक उपयुक्त विकल्पों का चयन कीजिए- $5 \times 1 = 5$

पावस ऋतु थी, पर्वत प्रदेश
पल-पल परिवर्तित प्रकृति-वेश
मेखलाकार पर्वत अपार, अपने सहस्र दृग-सुमन फाड़
अवलोक रहा है बार-बार, नीचे जल में निज महाकार
जिसके चरणों में पला ताल,
दर्पण-सा फैला है विशाल।

(क) कवि पद्यांश में किसका वर्णन कर रहा है? 1

- i. पहाड़ों का
ii. वर्षा का

- iii. तालाब का
iv. पहाड़ों की मनोरम दृश्यावली का

(ख) पावस किस ऋतु को कहते हैं? 1

- i. वर्षा
ii. ग्रीष्म

- iii. शरद
iv. इनमें से कोई नहीं

(ग) निम्नलिखित कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए। उसके बाद दिए गए विकल्प में से कोई एक सही विकल्प चुनकर लिखिए। 1

कथन (A) - कवि ने पर्वतीय क्षेत्र का वर्णन किया है।
कारण (R) - वर्षा ऋतु में प्रकृति हर पल अपने रूप को परिवर्तित कर रही है।

- i. कथन (A) गलत है, किंतु कारण (R) सही है।
ii. कथन (A) और कारण (R) दोनों ही गलत हैं।
iii. कथन (A) सही है और कारण (R) कथन (A) की सही व्याख्या है।
iv. कथन (A) सही है किंतु कारण (R) कथन (A) की सही व्याख्या नहीं है।

(घ) कवि पर्वत की आँखें किसे मानता है?

- i. पर्वत पर उगी घास को
- ii. पर्वत पर उगे छोटे पौधों को

- iii. पर्वत पर उगे हजारों फूलों को
- iv. इनमें से कोई नहीं

(ङ) 'भेखलाकार पर्वत अपार' पंक्ति में वर्णन किया गया है-

- i. विशाल पर्वत का
- ii. विशाल पेड़ का

- iii. भू-भाग का
- iv. विशाल ढालदार भाग का

10. काव्य खंड पर आधारित निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं तीन प्रश्नों के उत्तर लगभग 25-30 शब्दों में लिखिए- 3 x 2=6

- (क) मीराबाई वृंदावन में क्या-क्या करना चाहती हैं?
- (ख) 'मनुष्यता' कविता का मूल भाव अपने शब्दों में समझाइए।
- (ग) विरासत में मिली चीजों की बड़ी सँभाल क्यों होती है? 'तोप' कविता के आधार पर स्पष्ट करते हुए तोप की विशेषताएँ भी लिखिए।
- (घ) कवि ने कैसी मृत्यु को सुमृत्यु कहा है ?
- (ङ) 'आत्मत्राण' कविता में कवि ने प्रभु से किस प्रकार की प्रार्थना की है ?

11. पूरक पुस्तक 'संचयन' पर आधारित निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं दो प्रश्नों के उत्तर लगभग 40-50 शब्दों में लिखिए- 2 x 3=6

(क) कड़ा अनुशासन या प्रेमपूर्ण व्यवहार, बच्चों के व्यक्तित्व निर्माण के लिए कौन-सा पक्ष या तरीका अधिक लाभदायक है? 'सपनों के से दिन पाठ के आधार पर पीटी मास्टर और हैडमास्टर शर्मा के स्वभाव का अन्तर स्पष्ट करते हुए उसके महत्व पर प्रकाश डालिए।

(ख) 'सपनों के से दिन' के आधार पर बताइए कि बच्चों को किस प्रकार स्कूल की ओर आकृष्ट किया जा सकता है?

(ग) 'हरिहर काका' अनपढ़ थे लेकिन अपने अनुभव और विवेक से दुनिया को बेहतर समझते थे, उदाहरण सहित स्पष्ट कीजिए।

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12. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर दिए गए संकेत-बिन्दुओं के आधार पर लगभग 120 शब्दों में एक अनुच्छेद लिखिए- 5 X 1=5

- (i). ऑनलाइन खरीदारी - समय की माँग
ऑनलाइन खरीदारी का अभियान /अर्थ
बदलते समय की आवश्यकता
ऑनलाइन खरीदारी में संयम आवश्यक तथा आवश्यक सावधानियाँ

- (ii) वर्चुअल एजुकेशन
आशय
लाभ
शिक्षा का बदलता स्वरूप

- (iii) स्मार्ट फोन
स्मार्ट फोन की सुविधा
स्वास्थ्य पर पड़ता प्रभाव
मोबाइल वरदान व अभिशाप दोनों रूप में

13. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर लगभग 100 शब्दों में पत्र लिखिए- 5 X 1=5

आप स्वाधीन शर्मा/स्वास्तिका शर्मा हैं। आपकी बहन की अगले महीने शादी है। पिताजी का हाथ बँटाने के लिए आपको अवकाश की आवश्यकता है। इसके लिए प्रधानाचार्य को पत्र लिखिए।

अथवा

आप रमेश कुमार / राधा कुमारी है। बस में यात्रा करते हुए आपका एक बैग छूट गया था जिसमें जरूरी कागज और रुपए थे। उसे बस कंडक्टर ने आपके घर आकर लौटा दिया। उसकी प्रशंसा करते हुए परिवहन निगम के अध्यक्ष को पत्र लिखिए।

14. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर लगभग 60 शब्दों में सूचना लिखिए- 4 X 1=4

आप छात्र सचिव राकेश / रिंकी हैं। आपके विद्यालय के वार्षिक उत्सव में 'नाटक-मंचन' हेतु इच्छुक छात्रों को जानकारी देने हेतु एक सूचना तैयार कीजिए।

अथवा

आप सूरत निवासी रोहित/पूजा हैं। आप जी.डी. गोयनका इंटरनेशनल स्कूल, वेसू, सूरत में हिन्दी साहित्य समिति के सचिव हैं। आपके विद्यालय में आयोजित दोहा गायन प्रतियोगिता के लिए विद्यार्थियों को आमंत्रित करते हुए एक सूचना लिखिए।

15. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर लगभग 40 शब्दों में विज्ञापन लिखिए- 3 X 1=3

किण्डरगार्डन स्कूल के लिए विज्ञापन तैयार कीजिए।

अथवा

अपने क्षेत्र में खुली नई " टिफिन सर्विस " के प्रचार - प्रसार के लिए एक आकर्षक विज्ञापन तैयार कीजिए।

16. 'एक बूढ़ा किसान था। उसके तीन बेटे थे..... पंक्ति से लगभग 100 शब्दों में लघुकथा लिखिए। 5 X 1=5

अथवा

आप कार्तिक / कल्पना है। अपनी योग्यता तथा खेलों में रुचि का परिचय देते हुए अपने विद्यालय के प्रधानाचार्य महोदया को विद्यालय के वार्षिकोत्सव के अवसर पर आयोजित खेलों में भाग लेने की अनुमति के लिए लगभग 80 शब्दों में ई -मेल लिखिए।

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- इस प्रश्न पत्र में ३ खंड हैं। खंड क, ख और ग।
- सभी प्रश्नों के उत्तर क्रमानुसार लिखिए।
- सभी खण्डों के सभी प्रश्नों के उत्तर देना अनिवार्य है।
- शब्द सीमा के अनुसार उत्तर लिखिए।

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1. निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़ कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए- 7

परिवर्तन प्रकृति का नियम है और परिवर्तन ही अटल सत्य है। वर्तमान समय में पर्यावरण में भी परिवर्तन हो रहा है लेकिन चिंता की बात यह है कि जो पर्यावरणीय परिवर्तन पहले एक शताब्दी में होते थे, अब उतने ही परिवर्तन एक दशक में होने लगे हैं। पर्यावरण परिवर्तन की इस तेजी का कारण है विस्फोटक ढंग से बढ़ती आबादी, वैज्ञानिक एवं तकनीकी उन्नति और प्रयोग तथा सभ्यता का विकास। आइए, हम सभी मिलकर यहाँ दो प्रमुख क्षेत्रों का चिंतन करें एवं निवारण विधि सोचें। पहला है ओजोन की परत में क्षय और विश्व के तापमान में वृद्धि, ये दोनों क्रियाएँ परस्पर संबंधित हैं। उन्नीसवीं शताब्दी के अंतिम दशकों में सुपरसोनिक वायुयानों का आविष्कार हुआ और वे ऊपरी आकाश में उड़ाए जाने लगे। उन वायुयानों के द्वारा निष्कासित पदार्थों में उपस्थित 'नाइट्रिक ऑक्साइड' के द्वारा ओजोन परत का क्षय महसूस किया गया। यह ओजोन परत वायुमंडल के समताप मंडल या बाहरी घेरे में होती है। ओजोन परत जीवमंडल के लिए रक्षा कवच है, जो सूर्य की पराबैंगनी किरणों के विकिरण को रोकता है जो जीवमंडल के लिए घातक है। नवीनतम जानकारी के अनुसार ओजोन परत में बड़ा छिद्र पाया गया है जिससे हो सकता है कि सूर्य की घातक विकिरण पृथ्वी की सतह पर पहुँच रही हो और पृथ्वी की सतह गर्म हो रही है। तकनीकी उपकरणों द्वारा अध्ययन से पता चला है कि पृथ्वी की सतह से क्लोरो-फ्लोरो कार्बन की मात्रा वायुमंडल में 15 मिलियन टन से भी अधिक है। अतः क्लोरो-फ्लोरो कार्बन जैसे रसायनों के उपयोग पर हमें तुरंत प्रतिबंध लगाना होगा, ताकि भविष्य में उनके और ज्यादा अणुओं के बनने का खतरा कम हो जाए।

(क) उपर्युक्त गद्यांश किस विषयवस्तु पर आधारित है?

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i. बढ़ती आबादी

ii. ओजोन परत का क्षय

iii. पृथ्वी का अत्यधिक गर्म होना

iv. एक शताब्दी में होने वाले पर्यावरणीय परिवर्तन एक दशक में हो रहे हैं।

(ख) गद्यांश में ओजोन परत के क्षय के कारण का उल्लेख इनमें से कौन-से विकल्प से ज्ञात होता है? 1

1. ओजोन की परत में कमी और विश्व के तापमान में वृद्धि, ये दोनों क्रियाएँ परस्पर संबंधित है।

ii. वायुयानों के द्वारा निष्कासित पदार्थों में उपस्थित नाइट्रिक ऑक्साइड के द्वारा ओजोन परत का क्षय महसूस किया गया।

iii. सूर्य की घातक विकिरण पृथ्वी की सतह तक पहुँच रही है और पृथ्वी की सतह गर्म हो रही है।

iv. नवीनतम जानकारी के अनुसार ओजोन परत में बड़ा छिद्र पाया गया है।

(ग) निम्नलिखित कथन और निष्कर्ष को ध्यान से पढ़कर दिए गए विकल्प से सही उत्तर चुनकर लिखिए।

कथन- वायुयानों के द्वारा निष्कासित पदार्थों में उपस्थित नाइट्रिक ऑक्साइड के द्वारा ओजोन परत का क्षय होता है।
कारण- ओजोन परत जीवमंडल के लिए रक्षा कवच है।

i. कथन सही है लेकिन निष्कर्ष गलत है।

ii. कथन और निष्कर्ष दोनों सही हैं।

iii. कथन गलत है और निष्कर्ष सही है।

iv. कथन और निष्कर्ष दोनों गलत है।

(घ) वायुमंडल में ओजोन परत की भूमिका स्पष्ट कीजिए।

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ङ) वर्तमान में पृथ्वी की सतह गर्म क्यों हो रही है?

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2. चंपारण सत्याग्रह के बीच जो लोग गाँधीजी के संपर्क में आए वे आगे चलकर देश के निर्माताओं में 7 गिने गए। चंपारण में गाँधीजी न सिर्फ सत्य और अहिंसा का सार्वजनिक हितों में प्रयोग कर रहे थे बल्कि हलुआ बनाने से लेकर सिल पर मसाला पीसने और चक्की चलाकर गेहूँ का आटा बनाने की कला भी उन बड़े वकीलों को सिखा रहे थे, जिन्हें गरीबों की अगुवाई की जिम्मेदारी सौंपी जानी थी। अपने इन आध्यात्मिक प्रयोगों के माध्यम से वे देश की गरीब जनता की सेवा करने और उनकी तकदीर बदलने के साथ देश को आजाद कराने के लिए समर्पित व्यक्तियों की एक ऐसी जनता तैयार करना चाह रहे थे जो सत्याग्रह की भट्टी में उसी तरह तपकर निखरे, जिस तरह भट्टी में सोना तपकर निखरता और कीमती बनता है। गाँधीजी की मान्यता थी कि एक प्रतिष्ठित वकील और हज़ामत बनाने वाले हज़ामत में पेशे के लिहाज़ से कोई फर्क नहीं, दोनों की हैसियत एक ही हैं। उन्होंने पसीने की कमाई को सबसे अच्छी कमाई माना और शारीरिक श्रम को अहमियत देते हुए उसे उचित प्रतिष्ठा व सम्मान दिया था। कोई काम बड़ा नहीं, कोई काम छोटा नहीं होता, इस मान्यता को उन्होंने प्राथमिकता दी ताकि साधन शुद्धता की बुनियाद पर एक ठीक समाज खड़ा हो सके। आज़ादी, आत्मनिर्भर, स्वावलंबी और आत्म सम्मानित देश के रूप में विश्व बिरादरी के बीच अपनी एक खास पहचान बनाए तथा उसे बरकरार रखे।

(क) उपयुक्त गद्यांश की विषयवस्तु है?

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i. ईमानदारी की कमाई

ii. दूसरों का हक छीन कर की गई कमाई

iii. शारीरिक श्रम अर्थात् पसीने की कमाई

iv. बिना मेहनत के प्राप्त होने वाली कमाई

(ख) निम्नलिखित कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए। दिए गए विकल्पों में से कोई एक सही विकल्प चुनकर लिखिए:

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कथन (A): चंपारण सत्याग्रह के दौरान गाँधीजी आध्यात्मिक प्रयोग कर रहे थे।

कारण (R): देश को आजाद कराने के लिए ऐसे लोगों की फौज तैयार कर रहे थे जो उद्देश्य के प्रति समर्पित रहें।

- i. कथन (A) सही है, कारण (R) गलत है।
- ii. कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) दोनों गलत हैं।
- iii. कथन (A) सही है, और कारण (R) उसकी सही व्याख्या है।
- iv. कथन (A) गलत है किन्तु कारण (R) सही है।

(ग) गाँधीजी ने शारीरिक श्रम को अहमियत देते हुए उचित प्रतिष्ठा और सम्मान का कारण दिया। 1

- i. गाँधीजी चाहते थे कि काम की बुनियाद पर एक ठीक समाज खड़ा हो सके।
- ii. जो लोग गाँधीजी के संपर्क में नहीं थे वे आगे चलकर देश के निर्माताओं में गिने गए।
- iii. आज़ाद हिंदुस्तान आत्मनिर्भर, स्वावलंबी और आत्म सम्मानित होकर सम्पूर्ण विश्व में अपनी पहचान स्थापित कर सके।
- iv. गाँधीजी ने चंपारण सत्याग्रह आंदोलन का नेतृत्व किया।

(घ) किसी काम के विषय में गाँधीजी की क्या मान्यता थी? 2

(ङ) गाँधीजी सबसे अच्छी कमाई किसे मानते थे? 2

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3. पदबंध पर आधारित पाँच प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं चार प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए- 4 x 1=4

- (क) महेश बहुत दुर्जन, बेईमान और कामचोर युवक है-वाक्य में से विशेषण पदबंध चुनकर लिखिए।
- (ख) किसी वाक्य में शीर्ष पद की पहचान कैसे की जाती है, उदाहरण देकर स्पष्ट कीजिए।
- (ग) गगन में उड़ते पक्षी मधुर स्वर में चहचहा रहे हैं-वाक्य में रेखांकित पदबंध का भेद लिखिए।
- (घ) दूर-दूर तक गर्द उड़ती दिखाई दे रही थी-वाक्य में पदबंध का भेद बताते हुए कारण भी स्पष्ट कीजिए।
- (ङ) संज्ञा पदबंध का एक उदाहरण देकर वाक्य में प्रयोग कीजिए।

4. 'रचना के आधार पर वाक्य रूपांतरण' पर आधारित पाँच प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं चार प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए- 4 x 1=4

- (क) जब-जब प्राकृतिक आपदा आती है, लोग दिल खोलकर सहायता करते हैं- वाक्य का भेद लिखिए।
- (ख) वह विद्वान है। तुम नितांत मूर्ख हो- संयुक्त वाक्य में रूपांतरित कीजिए।
- (ग) उदाहरण देकर सरल एवं मिश्र वाक्य में अंतर स्पष्ट कीजिए।
- (घ) संयुक्त वाक्य का एक उदाहरण लिखकर स्पष्ट कीजिए।
- (ङ) लोग टोलियाँ बनाकर घूमने लगे-वाक्य का भेद बताते हुए कारण स्पष्ट कीजिए।

5. 'समास' पर आधारित पाँच प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं चार प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए-

- (क) समस्त पदों को अलग करने की विधि को क्या कहते हैं?
- (ख) "घुड़सवार" समास का विग्रह कर भेद बताइए।
- (ग) दूध और दही शब्द का समस्त पद बनाकर भेद बताइए।
- (घ) 'धनश्याम' सामासिक पद का विग्रह करते हुए भेद लिखिए।
- (ङ) द्विगु समास की विशेषता बताते हुए एक उदाहरण दीजिए।

6. 'मुहावरे' पर आधारित पाँच प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं चार प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए-

4 x 1 = 4

- (क) बस कंडक्टर की गाली सुनकर छात्र अपना..... बैठा और उसने कंडक्टर का कॉलर पकड़ लिया। (उपर्युक्त मुहावरे द्वारा रिक्त स्थान की पूर्ति कीजिए।)
- (ख) कमाल की बात है। रजनी ने बी.ए. तृतीय श्रेणी में उत्तीर्ण की है और उसे शानदार नौकरी मिल गई। यह तो.....जैसी बात हुई। (उपर्युक्त मुहावरे द्वारा रिक्त स्थान की पूर्ति कीजिए।)
- (ग) देश को स्वतंत्रता दिलाने के लिए बहुत से आंदोलनकारियों ने अपने घर जलाने में भी संकोच नहीं किया। पंक्ति से मुहावरा चुनकर वाक्य में प्रयोग कीजिए।
- (घ) 'ज़हर लगाना' और 'विष उगलना' मुहावरे में अंतर स्पष्ट कीजिए।
- (ङ) रंग दिखाना - मुहावरे से वाक्य बनाइए।

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7. निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को पढ़ कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर सर्वाधिक उचित विकल्प से चुनकर लिखिए-5

एक गीतकार के रूप में कई दशकों तक फिल्मी क्षेत्र से जुड़े रहे कवि और गीतकार ने जब फणीश्वर नाथ रेणु की अमर कृति 'तीसरी कसम उर्फ नारे गए गुलफाम' को सीधे पर्दे पर उतारा तो वह मील का पत्थर सिद्ध हुई। आज भी उसकी गणना हिंदी की कुछ अमर फिल्मों में की जाती है। इस फिल्म ने न केवल अपने गीत, संगीत, कहानी की बदौलत शोहरत पाई बल्कि इसमें अपने जमाने के सबसे बड़े शोमैन राजकपूर ने अपने फिल्मी जीवन की सबसे बेहतरीन एक्टिंग करके सबको चमकृत कर दिया। फिल्म की हीरोइन वहीदा रहमान ने भी वैसा ही अभिनय कर दिखाया जैसी उनसे उम्मीद थी। इस मायने में एक यादगार फिल्म होने के बावजूद 'तीसरी कसम' को आज इसलिए भी याद किया जाता है क्योंकि इस फिल्म के निर्माण ने यह भी उजागर कर दिया कि हिंदी फिल्म जगत् में एक सार्थक और उद्देश्यपरक फिल्म बनाना कितना कठिन और जोखिम का काम है। 'संगम' की अद्भुत सफलता ने राजकपूर में गहन आत्मविश्वास भर दिया और उन्होंने एक साथ चार फिल्मों के निर्माण की घोषणा की 'मेरा नाम जोकर', 'अजन्ता', 'मैं और मेरा दोस्त' और 'सत्यम् शिवम् सुंदरम्', पर जब 1965 में राजकपूर ने 'मेरा नाम जोकर' का निर्माण आरंभ किया तब संभवतः उन्होंने भी यह कल्पना नहीं की होगी कि इस फिल्म का एक ही भाग बनाने में छह वर्षों का समय लग जाएगा।

इन छह वर्षों के अंतराल में राजकपूर द्वारा अभिनीत कई फिल्में प्रदर्शित हुईं, जिनमें सन् 1966 में प्रदर्शित कवि शैलेंद्र की 'तीसरी कसम' भी शामिल है। यह वह फिल्म है जिसमें राजकपूर ने अपने जीवन की

सर्वोत्कृष्ट भूमिका अदा की। यही नहीं, तीसरी कसम वह फिल्म है जिसने हिन्दी साहित्य की एक अत्यंत मार्मिक कृति को सैल्यूलाइड पर पूरी सार्थकता से उतारा। तीसरी कसम फिल्म नहीं, सैल्यूलाइड पर लिखी कविता थी।

(क) कौन-सी फिल्म घादगार बनकर रहती है?

- i. शुकवार को सिनेमाघर में लगी हुई फिल्म ii. ईमानदारी और लगन से बनाई गई फिल्म
iii. सिर्फ मनोरंजन हेतु बनाई गई फिल्म iv. सैल्यूलाइड के ऊपर बनाई गई फिल्म

(ख) 'शोमैन राजकपूर ने अपने फिल्मी जीवन की सबसे बेहतरीन एक्टिंग करके सबको सम्भूत कर दिया' कथन से निष्कर्ष निकलता है कि.....

- i. शैलेन्द्र की फिल्म तीसरी कसम सन् 1866 में प्रदर्शित हुई।
ii. 1975 में राजकपूर ने 'मेरा नाम जोकर' फिल्म बनाई।
iii. यह कृति फणीश्वर नाथ रेणु की मारे गए गुलफाम पर आधारित है।
iv. तीसरी कसम फिल्म में राजकपूर ने अपने अभिनय जीवन की सबसे बेहतरीन एक्टिंग की थी।

(ग) इस गद्यांश का प्रमुख अभिनेता आप किसे मानते हैं?

- i. वहीदा रहमान iii. फणीश्वर नाथ रेणु
ii. राजकपूर iv. शैलेन्द्र

(घ) 'तीसरी कसम' फिल्म में हिन्दी साहित्य की एक अत्यंत मार्मिक कृति को सैल्यूलाइड पर पूरी सार्थकता से उतारा-पंक्ति में 'सैल्यूलाइड' का है-

- i. पुरानी कहानी iii. नई प्रयोग विधि
ii. वैज्ञानिक विधि iv. कैमरे की रील

(ङ) निम्नलिखित कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) को ध्यान से पढ़िए तथा सर्वाधिक उचित विकल्प को चुन कर लिखिए- 1
कथन (A): तीसरी कसम फिल्म को मास्को फेस्टिवल में स्वर्ण पदक मिला।
कारण (R): तीसरी कसम फिल्म नहीं सैल्यूलाइड पर लिखी कविता है।

- i. कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) दोनों गलत हैं।
ii. कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) दोनों सही हैं।
iii. कथन (A) गलत है तथा कारण (R) सही है।
iv. कथन (A) सही है लेकिन कारण (R) उसकी गलत व्याख्या करता है।

8. गद्य खंड पर आधारित निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं तीन प्रश्नों के उत्तर लगभग 25-30 शब्दों में लिखिए- 3 x 2 = 6

- (क) छोटे भाई के मन में क्या कुटिल भावना आई जिसे उसने क्या सोचकर निकाल दिया?
(ख) गाँधीजी के आदर्श और व्यवहार की शुद्ध सोने और ताँबे से तुलना की गई है। 'गित्री का सोना' पाठ के आधार पर स्पष्ट कीजिए।
(ग) 'तीसरी कसम' फिल्म को 'सैल्यूलाइड पर लिखी कविता' क्यों कहा गया है?
(घ) चाय पीने के बाद लेखक ने स्वयं में क्या परिवर्तन महसूस किया ?

9. निम्नलिखित काव्यांश को पढ़कर प्रश्नों के सर्वाधिक उपयुक्त विकल्पों का चयन कीजिए.

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विपदाओं से मुझे बचाओ, यह मेरी प्रार्थना नहीं
केवल इतना हो (करुणामय)
कभी न विपदा में पाऊँ भय।
दुःख-ताप से व्यथित चित्त को न दो सांत्वना नहीं सही
पर इतना होवे (करुणामय)
दुःख को मैं कर सकूँ सदा जय
कोई कहीं सहायक न मिले
तो अपना बल पौरुष न हिले:
हानि उठानी पड़े जगत् में लाभ अगर वंचना रहीं
तो भी मन में ना मानूँ क्षय ॥
मेरा त्राण करो अनुदिन तुम यह मेरी प्रार्थना नहीं
बस इतना होवे (करुणामय)
तरने की हो शक्ति अनामय।

(क) कवि रवींद्रनाथ ठाकुर ईश्वर से क्या प्रार्थना करते हैं?

1

- संकटों से उनकी रक्षा करने की
- दुःख एवं संकटों से लड़ने की शक्ति प्रदान करने की
- विपरीत परिस्थितियों में भय-मुक्त रखने की
- विकल्प ii. और iii. दोनों सही है

(ख) इस काव्यांश में विषम परिस्थितियों पर विजय प्राप्त करने के लिए कवि क्या अपेक्षा करता है?

1

- उन पर सहर्ष विजय प्राप्त करने की
- स्वयं संघर्ष करके उन पर विजय प्राप्त करने की शक्ति की
- किसी की सहायता मिल जाने की
- बिना संघर्ष किए विजय करने की

(ग) निम्नलिखित कथन (A) तथा कारण (R) को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए। उसके बाद दिए गए विकल्प में से कोई एक सही विकल्प चुनकर लिखिए।

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कथन (A) - कवि नहीं चाहता है कि विपत्ति के समय ईश्वर उसे सांत्वना दे।

कारण (R) - मनुष्य को दुःखों पर विजय प्राप्त करने के लिए शक्ति की आवश्यकता होती है।

- कथन (A) गलत है, किंतु कारण (R) सही है।
- कथन (A) और कारण (R) दोनों ही गलत हैं।
- कथन (A) सही है और कारण (R) कथन (A) की सही व्याख्या है।
- कथन (A) सही है किंतु कारण (R) कथन (A) की सही व्याख्या नहीं है।

(घ) कवि ईश्वर द्वारा अपने कष्टों का निवारण क्यों नहीं चाहता?

1

- कवि को स्वयं पर पूर्ण विश्वास है।
- कवि मानव को स्वयं संघर्ष करने की प्रेरणा देना चाहता है

- ii. कवि प्रत्येक कार्य के लिए ईश्वर को कष्ट नहीं देना चाहता।
 iv. विकल्प - और ii. दोनों सही हैं।

(ड) काव्यांश में प्रयुक्त 'अनामय' शब्द का अर्थ है-

- i. विनय
 ii. पराक्रम
 iii. स्वस्थ/रोग रहित
 iv. सम्पूर्ण

10. काव्य खंड पर आधारित निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं तीन प्रश्नों के उत्तर लगभग 25-30 शब्दों में लिखिए-
 3 × 2 = 6

- (क) अब घर जालों तास का' से कबीर का क्या अभिप्राय है?
 (ख) कर चले हम फिदा' गीत द्वारा पता चलता है कि सैनिकों के लड़ने के लिए परिस्थितियाँ अनुकूल नहीं थीं। कैसे?
 (ग) व्यक्ति को किस प्रकार का जीवन व्यतीत करना चाहिए? "मनुष्यता" कविता के आधार पर लिखिए।
 (घ) मीरा ने श्रीकृष्ण के रूप-सौंदर्य का वर्णन कैसे किया?
 (ङ) तोप' कविता हमें क्या संदेश देती है?

11. पूरक पुस्तक 'संचयन' पर आधारित निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं दो प्रश्नों के उत्तर लगभग 40-50 शब्दों में लिखिए-
 2 × 3 = 6

- (क) हरिहर काका के मामले में गाँव वालों की क्या राय थी और उसके क्या कारण थे?
 (ख) सपनों के-से दिन' के आधार पर बताइए कि बच्चों को किस प्रकार स्कूल की ओर आकृष्ट किया जा सकता है?
 (ग) "ठाकुरबारी के साथ अधिकांश लोगों संबंध बहुत ही घनिष्ठ है -मन तन दोनों स्तर पर।" लेखक द्वारा ऐसा कहा जाना धर्म के प्रति लोगों की किस विचारधारा को स्पष्ट करता है?

12. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर दिए गए संकेत-बिन्दुओं के आधार पर लगभग 120 शब्दों में एक अनुच्छेद लिखिए-
 5 × 1 = 5

(i) आभासी शिक्षण/वर्चुअल एजुकेशन अधिगम प्रक्रिया

- * आशय
- * शिक्षा का बदलता स्वरूप एवं आवश्यकता
- * लाभ एवं हानियाँ

(ii) करत-करत अभ्यास के जड़मति होत सुजान

- * परिश्रम का महत्व
- * अभ्यास का महत्व
- * प्रतिभा का आधार तथा सफलता का रहस्य

(iii) बढ़ती बेरोजगारी एक ज्वलंत समस्या

- * समस्या का स्वरूप और प्रकार
- * कारण एवं दुष्परिणाम
- * समाधान के उपाय

13. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर लगभग 100 शब्दों में पत्र लिखिए- 5 × 1 = 5
आप रोहिणी निवासी टीपक/टीपिका हैं। महानगरों में जल की कमी से उत्पन्न समस्याओं के विषय में जनसाधारण में जागरूकता फैलाने हेतु दैनिक भास्कर समाचार पत्र के सम्पादक को पत्र लिखिए।

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आप आदर्श/अल्पी हैं। विद्यालय के गेट पर मध्याह्नकाश के समय ठेले व रेहड़ीवालों द्वारा जंक फूड बेचे जाने की शिकायत करते हुए प्रधानाचार्य को पत्र लिखकर उन्हें रोकने का अनुरोध कीजिए।

14. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर लगभग 60 शब्दों में सूचना लिखिए- 4 × 1 = 4

आप मोहन चटर्जी/मोहिनी चटर्जी हैं और सर्वशिक्षा विद्यालय के विद्यार्थी परिषद् के/की अध्याक्ष/अध्याक्षा हैं। अपने विद्यालय में आयोजित होने वाली साइबर सुरक्षा कार्यशाला सम्बन्धी जानकारी विद्यार्थियों तक पहुँचाने के लिए एक सूचना तैयार कीजिए।

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आप सचिन/सुमन हैं। आप 'महात्मा गाँधी सार्वजनिक पुस्तकालय' अजमेर के अध्यक्ष हैं। जनता की माँग पर पुस्तकालय रविवार को सुबह 11 बजे से शाम 4 बजे तक खुला रहेगा। इस संबंध में एक सूचना लिखिए।

15. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर लगभग 40 शब्दों में विज्ञापन लिखिए- 3 × 1 = 3

अपना पुराना कम्प्यूटर बेचने के लिए उसकी विशेषताओं का उल्लेख करते हुए एक आकर्षक विज्ञापन तैयार कीजिए।

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22 अप्रैल, 'विश्व पृथ्वी दिवस' पर अपनी पृथ्वी और प्राकृतिक संसाधनों के संरक्षण का संदेश देता हुआ एक आकर्षक विज्ञापन तैयार कीजिए।

16. एक किसान के चार बेटे थे।पंक्ति से लगभग 100 शब्दों में लघुकथा लिखिए। 5 × 1 = 5

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आपके घर का नया ए.सी. ठीक ढंग से काम नहीं कर रहा है। इसकी जानकारी देते हुए कंपनी के मैनेजर को लगभग 80 शब्दों में एक ई-मेल लिखिए।

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* ಈ ಪ್ರಶ್ನಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯು ಭಾಗ-ಎ ಮತ್ತು ಭಾಗ-ಬಿ ಎಂಬ ಎರಡು ಭಾಗಗಳನ್ನು ಮತ್ತು ಎ.ಬಿ.ಸಿ.ಡಿ ಎಂಬ ನಾಲ್ಕು ವಿಭಾಗಗಳನ್ನು ಒಳಗೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತವೆ.

* ವಿಭಾಗ -ಎ ನಲ್ಲಿ ಒಟ್ಟು 4 ಮುಖ್ಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು, 10 ಬಹು ಆಯ್ಕೆಯ ಉಪ-ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಬರವಣಿಗೆಯ 10 ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು ಇರುತ್ತವೆ.

* ಭಾಗ-ಎ ನಲ್ಲಿ ಅನ್ವಯಿಕ ವ್ಯಾಕರಣದಲ್ಲಿ 10 ಬಹು ಆಯ್ಕೆಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು, 5 ಬರವಣಿಗೆಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಪಠ್ಯಪೂರಕ 5 ಬಹು ಆಯ್ಕೆಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಬೇಕು

* ವಿಭಾಗ -ಬಿ (ಬರವಣಿಗೆಯ ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ) ವಿಭಾಗ -3 ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಬೇಕು.

* ಭಾಗ- ಬಿ (ಪಠ್ಯಗಳ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ) ಅಲ್ಲಿನ ವಿಭಾಗ -ಡಿ ಯಲ್ಲಿಯ 11 ರಿಂದ 15 ಮುಖ್ಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಸೂಚನೆಯಂತೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಬೇಕು

ಭಾಗ- ಎ (40) ಅಂಕಗಳು	ವಾಚನ ಮತ್ತು ಗ್ರಹಿಕಾ ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ	20 ಅಂಕಗಳು
	ಅನ್ವಯಿಕ ವ್ಯಾಕರಣ	15 ಅಂಕಗಳು
	ಬಹು ಆಯ್ಕೆ ಪಠ್ಯಗಳ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ	05 ಅಂಕಗಳು
ಭಾಗ -ಬಿ (40 ಅಂಕಗಳು)	ಬರವಣಿಗೆ ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ	12 ಅಂಕಗಳು
	ಪಠ್ಯಗಳ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ	28 ಅಂಕಗಳು
	ಒಟ್ಟು ಅಂಕಗಳು	80 ಅಂಕಗಳು

ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರ
ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ

೧) ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಗದ್ಯಾಂಶವನ್ನು ಓದಿಕೊಂಡು ಅದರ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ
'ಕದಂಬ'ವಂಶವು ಕನ್ನಡದ ಮೊಟ್ಟಮೊದಲ ರಾಜ ವಂಶ. ಕನ್ನಡದಲ್ಲಿ ದೊರೆತಿರುವ ಮೊಟ್ಟಮೊದಲ ಶಾಸನವಾದ ಹಲ್ಮಿಡಿ ಶಾಸನವು ಕದಂಬರ ಆಳ್ವಿಕೆಯ ಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಸೇರಿದ್ದಾಗಿದೆ. ಕದಂಬರ ನಾಣ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕನ್ನಡ ನಾಗರಿ ಮತ್ತು ಗ್ರಂಥ ಲಾಂಛನ ಮತ್ತು ಭಾಷೆಗಳಿವೆ. ಕದಂಬರು ಇಂದಿನ ಉತ್ತರಕನ್ನಡ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಬಸವಾಪುರದ ಆಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಒಂದು ಪುರಾತನ ರಾಜವಂಶ. ಮುಂದೆ ಬಾಲುಕೈ ಮತ್ತು ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಕೂಟ ಸಾಮ್ರಾಜ್ಯಗಳ ಸಾಮಂತರಾಗಿ ಆಳ್ವಿಕೆ ಮುಂದುವರಿಸಿದ ಕದಂಬರ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಗೋವಾ ಮತ್ತು ಹಾಸುಗಲ್ಲುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಶಾಖೆಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿತ್ತು. ರಾಜಾ ಕಾಕುಸ್ಥ ವರ್ಮನ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಉಚ್ಚಾಯ ಸ್ಥಿತಿಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದ ಕದಂಬರ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಹೊರಗಿನವರದಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಅವರ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಕೇಂದ್ರಬಿಂದು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಹೊರಗಿತ್ತು. ಕನ್ನಡವನ್ನು ರಾಜ್ಯಭಾಷೆಯಾಗಿ ಬಳಸಿದ ಪ್ರಥಮ ರಾಜವಂಶ ಕದಂಬರು. ಈ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ಬೆಳವಣಿಗೆಯ ಅಧ್ಯಯನದಲ್ಲಿ ಬಹಳ ಕಾಲ ಬಾಳಿದ ಸ್ಥಳೀಯ ರಾಜಕೀಯ ಶಕ್ತಿಯಾಗಿ ಮತ್ತು ಕನ್ನಡ ಒಂದು ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಪ್ರಾದೇಶಿಕ ಭಾಷೆಯಾಗಿ ಬೆಳೆದ ಈ ಕಾಲಮಾನ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಇತಿಹಾಸದಲ್ಲಿ ಸರಿಸುಮಾರು ಐತಿಹಾಸಿಕ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭ ಕಾಲವಾಗಿದೆ. ಕ್ರಿ.ಶ ೩೪೫ರಲ್ಲಿ ಮಯೂರವರ್ಮನಿಂದ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಲಾದ ಈ ರಾಜ್ಯವು ಬೃಹತ್ ಸಾಮ್ರಾಜ್ಯವಾಗಿ ಬೆಳೆಯುವ ಲಕ್ಷಣವನ್ನು ಆಗಾಗ ತೋರಿಸುತ್ತಿತ್ತು. ಆಗಿನ ರಾಜರುಗಳ ಬಿರುದು ಬಾವಲಿಗಳೂ ಈ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಪುಷ್ಟಿಕೊಡುತ್ತವೆ. ಇದೇ ವಂಶದ ಕಾಕುಸ್ಥವರ್ಮನು ಬಲಾಡ್ಯ ಅರಸನಾಗಿದ್ದು ಉತ್ತರದ ಗುಪ್ತ ಮಹಾಸಾಮ್ರಾಜ್ಯದ ದೊರೆಗಳು ಇವನೊಂದಿಗೆ ಲಗ್ನ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಇಟ್ಟುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದು ಈ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಘನತೆಯನ್ನು ಸೂಚಿಸುತ್ತದೆ, ಇದೇ ಪೀಳಿಗೆಯ ರಾಜ ಶಿವಕೋಟಿ ಪದೇ ಪದೇ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ಯುದ್ಧ ರಕ್ತಪಾತಗಳಿಂದ ಬೇಸತ್ತು ಜೈನ ಧರ್ಮಕ್ಕೆ ಮತಾಂತರಗೊಂಡ. ಕದಂಬರು, ಹಾಗೂ ಅವರ ಸಮಕಾಲೀನರಾಗಿದ್ದ ತಲಕಾಡು ಪಶ್ಚಿಮ ಗಂಗರು ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣ ಸ್ವತಂತ್ರ ರಾಜ್ಯಸ್ಥಾಪನೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ಸ್ಥಳೀಯರಲ್ಲಿ ಮೊದಲಿಗರು. ಸ್ಥಳೀಯ ಕನ್ನಡಿಗರಾಗಿದ್ದ ಕದಂಬರು ತಮ್ಮ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಆಡಳಿತ ಮತ್ತು ರಾಜಕೀಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಕನ್ನಡಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಸ್ಥಾನ ಕೊಟ್ಟರು. ಇದನ್ನು ಗಮನಿಸಿದರೆ ಕದಂಬರು ಬ್ರಾಹ್ಮಣ ಕುಲಕ್ಕೆ ಬರಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡ ಕನ್ನಡ ಭಾಷಿಕರಾಗಿದ್ದರು ಎಂದು ಸಿದ್ಧವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂಬುದು ಕೆಲ ವಿದ್ವಾಂಸರ ಅಭಿಮತ.

ವಿರಾಟ್ ಸ್ವರೂಪ ಎಂಬುದು ಅವರ ಮಹತ್ವದ ವಿಮರ್ಶೆ ನ ಗ್ರಂಥ ಮೇಘದೂತ ಭಗ್ಯಮೂರ್ತಿ ಶೋಕಲಾದ
ಕವನಗಳನ್ನು ಅನುವಾದಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇವರ ಅರಳು ಮರಳು ಕೃತಿಗೆ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಅಕಾಡೆಮಿ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ ದೊರೆಯಿತು.

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ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು

೧) ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಕೃತಿ-ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಪ್ರಕಾರಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

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| ಎ) ಸಾಯೋ ಆಟ | ೧) ಕವನ ಸಂಕಲನ |
| ಬಿ) ಮೇಘದೂತ | ೨) ವಿಮರ್ಶೆ ನ ಗ್ರಂಥ |
| ಸಿ) ಸಖಿಗೀತ | ೩) ಪ್ರವಾಸ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ |
| ಡಿ) ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯದ ವಿರಾಟ್ ಸ್ವರೂಪ | ೪) ಅನುವಾದ ಕೃತಿ |
| | ೫) ನಾಟಕ |

ಅ) ಎ-೩ ಬಿ-೪ ಸಿ-೨ ಡಿ-೧ ಆ) ಎ-೨ ಬಿ-೪ ಸಿ-೫ ಡಿ-೩

ಇ) ಎ-೩ ಬಿ-೨ ಸಿ-೪ ಡಿ-೫ ಈ) ಎ-೫ ಬಿ-೪ ಸಿ-೧ ಡಿ-೨

೨) ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರು ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ರೀತಿ ಪ್ರಖ್ಯಾತಿ ಗಳಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

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| ಎ) ವರಕವಿ | ಬಿ) ಧಾರವಾಡದ ಶ್ರಾವಣಕವಿ |
| ಸಿ) ಎ ಮತ್ತು ಬಿ ಸರಿ | ಡಿ) ಎ ಮತ್ತು ಬಿ ತಪ್ಪು |

೩) ಕೆಳಗಿನವುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿರದ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಇದಾಗಿದೆ.

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| ಎ) ೧೯೬೮ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪದ್ಮಶ್ರೀ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ | ಬಿ)) ಅರಳು ಮರಳು ಕೃತಿಗೆ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಅಕಾಡೆಮಿ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ |
| ಸಿ) ೧೯೭೩ರಲ್ಲಿ ಜ್ಞಾನಪೀಠ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ | ಡಿ) ಮಂಗಳೂರು ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾನಿಲಯದಿಂದ ಗೌರವ ಡಾಕ್ಟರೇಟ್ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ |
| ಇ) ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗಳನ್ನು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿ ಓದಿ ಉತ್ತರ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ. | |

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ-೧ ಧಾರವಾಡದ ನಿಸರ್ಗ ಮತ್ತು ಸಾಹಿತಿಗಳ ಪರಿಸರ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರಿಗೆ ತುಂಬಾ ಅಚ್ಚುಮೆಚ್ಚಾಗಿತ್ತು.

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ-೨ ಮೈಸೂರಿನ ವಿಕ್ಟೋರಿಯಾ ಹೈಸ್ಕೂಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಶಿಕ್ಷಕ ವೃತ್ತಿ ಆರಂಭಿಸಿದರು.

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| ಎ) ಮೇಲಿನ ಎರಡು ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗಳು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿವೆ. | ಬಿ) ಮೊದಲಿನ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿದೆ. |
| ಸಿ) ಮೇಲಿನ ಎರಡು ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗಳು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿವೆ. | ಡಿ) ಎರಡನೆಯ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿದೆ. |

೫) ಬೀಂದ್ರಿಯವರು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪಾಠಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರಕಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೃತಿಗಳನ್ನು ರಚಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಎ) ನವೋದಯ ಬಿ) ನವ್ಯ ೨) ಪ್ರಗತಿಶೀಲ ಡಿ) ದಲಿತ

೬) ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಪು.ತಿ. ನವರ 'ಶಬರಿ' ಪರಿಚಿತ ಗದ್ಯವನ್ನು ಓದಿಕೊಂಡು ಅದರ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

(ಮತಂಗಾಶ್ರಮದಲ್ಲಿ ತನ್ನ ಪರ್ಣಶಾಲೆಯ ಮುಂದಿನ ವನದಲ್ಲಿ ಶಬರಿ ಹಂಬಲಗೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾಳೆ

ಶ್ರಮಣೆಯಂತೆ ರೂಪವೃದ್ಧಿಚೀರ ಕೃಷ್ಣಾಜಿನಾಂಬರೆ, ನೋಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಬುದ್ಧಿಹೀನಳಂತೆ ಕಾಣುತ್ತಾಳೆ.)

ಶಬರಿ - ನಿಂತಲ್ಲಿಯೇ ನಾ ನಿಂತಿರುವೆ | ರಾಮ ನೀನೆಂದೈತರುವೆ ನೀನಿಹುದೆಲ್ಲೋ ನಾನರಿಯೆ| ನಿನ್ನೆಡೆಗೈದುವ

ಬಳಿಯರಿಯೆ ನೀ ಬಹೆ ಎನ್ನುವ ನೆಚ್ಚಿನೊಳು| ನಾನಿಹೆ ಬಯಕೆಯ ಹುಚ್ಚಿನೊಳು|| ನಿಂತಲ್ಲಿಯೇ.... (ಶಬರಿ

ಬನದೊಳಕ್ಕೆ ಹೋಗುವಳು) ರಾಮರಾಮ ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಣರು ಪ್ರವೇಶಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ರಾಮ - ದೊರೆವಳೇ ಸೀತೆ! ಭೂಮಿಜಾತೆ ಆತ್ಮ ಕಾಮಕಲ್ಪಲತೆ ದೊರೆವಳೇ ಚಲುವೆ? ಎರೆವೆ ಎರೆವೆ

ಗಿರಿವನವೇ, ಪೇಳಿರಿ ನಾನೆರೆವೆ ದೊರೆವಳೆ? ದೊರೆವಳೇ? ಅವಳ ನೆಲೆ ಯಾರು ಅರಿಯಿರೇ. ಪೇಳಿ ಎನ್ನ ಅರಸಿ

ದೊರೆವಳೇ? ಈ ಬೇಗೆ ಕೆಡದಲಾ| ನನ್ನೆದೆಯ ಬಿಡದಲಾ| ಈ ಜಗವ ಸುಡದಲಾ | ಹಾ! ಹಾ!

ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಣ - ತಾಳಿಕೋ ಅಣ್ಣ ತಾಳಿಕೋ| ಸೂರ್ಯನೇ ತೇಜಗೆಡೆತೇಜಕೆಡೆ ಯಾರು ರಾಮನೇ ಧಾರ್ಯಗೆಡೆ

ಸ್ವೈರ್ಯ ಕೆಡೆಯಾರು?

ರಾಮ : (ಸ್ವೈರ್ಯವಾಂತು) ಅವಳ ನೆನಪಿನ ಸೆಳೆತಕೆನ್ನಾತ್ಮ ಸಿಲೈ ಎನ್ನ ಬಗೆಗನಿವಾರ್ಯವೇ ಶೋಕದುಲೈ

ಇಗೋ ನೋಡು ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಣ ತಾಪಸ ಬೀಡು ಇದ ಮರುಕೊಳಿಸಿತೆನಗವಳ ಪಾಡು.

ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಣ : ಅಹುದು ದಿಟ ಚಿತ್ರಕೊಟವೆ ಮನಕೆ ಬಹುದು ಜತೆಯೊತ್ತಿಗೆಯಿದ್ದ ಬಗೆಯಂತಹುದು. ಹಾ! ಪಾಪಿ,

ನಾ ಅಕೆಯನು ಒಂಟಿಯೊಳು ಬಿಟ್ಟೆ| ಎನ್ನಹಂಕೃತಿಗೆಯೇ ಮನ್ನಣೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟೆ!

ರಾಮ : ಮರುಗದಿರು ತಮ್ಮಯ್ಯ ಆದುದಾಯಿತು ನಿಮ್ಮನಿಂತಾ ದೈವ ಮರುಳು ಮಾಡಿತ್ತು. ದನುಪೇಳ್ಳ

ವಾರಿಯೊಳೆ ನಾವು ಬಂದಿಹೆವು| ಶ್ರಮಣಿಯಾಶ್ರಮವಿದುವೆ ಆಗೋ ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಣಾ, ಅತ್ತ ಆವುದೀಮರುಳು

ನಮ್ಮೆಡೆಗೆ ಬರುತುಹುದು ಏನಿದರ ಹುರುಳು?

ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ೧ ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

1x5=5

೧ ಶಬರಿಯು ವಾಸವಾದ್ದ ಆಶ್ರಮ ಯಾವುದು?

೧ ಸೀತೆ ಯಾರ ಮಗಳು?

೨ ಸೀತೆ ಎಲ್ಲಿರುವಳೆಂದು ರಾಮ ಯಾರನ್ನು ಬೇಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತಾನೆ?

೩ ರಾಮ ಅಕ್ಷಯಾಚಾರ್ಯರಿಗೆ ಮತಂಗಾಶ್ರಮಕ್ಕೆ ಜೋಗಟು ತಿಳಿಸಿದವರು ಯಾರು?

೪ ತಾಪಸರ ಬಾಡನ್ನು ನೋಡಿದ ಕ್ಷಣ ರಾಮನಿಗೆ ಯಾವುದರ ನೆನಪಾಯಿತು?

೫ ಈ ಲಿಳಿಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ 'ಹಲಗಲಿಯ ಬೇಡರು' ಪರಿಚಿತ ಪದ್ಯವನ್ನು ಓದಿಕೊಂಡು ಅದರ ಲಿಳಿಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ಅರಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

ಜಡಗ ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾನೋ ಹೊಡೆಯಿರಿ ಇವರು ಪೂರ ಘಾತಕರಾ

ಇಸವಾಸಘಾತಕ ಮಾಡಿದರಿವರ,ನಂಬಿಗಿಲ್ಲ ನಮಗ ಓತೂರ

ಮೋಸಮಾಡಿ ನಮದೇಶ ಗೆದಿತಾರೊ ಮುಂದ ನಮಗ ಘೋರ

ಅಂದು ಹೊದವಾನೊ ಒಂದು ಗುಂಡಿಗೆ ಆದ ಸಾಹೇಬನ ಟಾರಾ

'ಕಾರ' ಸಾಹೇಬ ಬೆಂಕಿ ಚೂರಾಸ ಲೂಟಿ ಮಾಡಂತನೊ ಊರ

ಸಿಟ್ಟಲೆ ಹೊಡೆದರು ಸಿಡಿಲುಸಿಡಿಧ್ವಂಗ ಗುಂಡು ಸುರಿದಾವ ಭರಪೂರ

ಹನುಮ ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾನ ಗುಂಡು ಹೊಡೆದು ಕೆರ ಕೆಡೆವು ನಷ್ಟ ಬಾರ

ಮುನ್ನೂರು ಮಂದಿ ಮೈಮ್ಯಾಗ ಬಂದರ ಆಗ ನೋಡೊ ಜೋರ

ಭೀಮ ಇದುರಿಗೆ ನಿಂತಾ ಐನೂರ್ಮಂದಿಗೆ ಮತ್ತಾ

ಬಾಲನು ಮಾಡಿದ ಕಸರತ್ತಾ, ಕುದುರೆಯ ಕಡಿದ ಹತ್ತಿಪ್ಪತ್ತಾ

ರಾಮನ ಕಡಿತ ವಿಪರೀತಾ, ಕಾಲುವೆ ಹರಿತೊ ರಕ್ತ

ಸಾವಿರ ಆಳಿಗೆ ಒಬ್ಬ ಕೂಗತಾನೊ,ಕಡಿಕಡಿರಿ ಅಂತ ಮತ್ತಾ

ನಾಲ್ಕು ಮಂದಿ ಹಿಂಗ ಕಡಿದು ಸತ್ತರೊ ಹಲಗಲಿ ಬಂಟರಣ್ಣ ಜನಕ

ಕೊಡಲಿ ಕೋರೆ ಕುಡ ಕಬ್ಬಿಣ ಮೊಸರು ಬೆಣ್ಣೆ ಹಾಲಾ

ಉಪ್ಪು ಎಣ್ಣೆ ಅರಿಸಿಣ ಜೀರಿಗೆ ಅಕ್ಕಿಸಕ್ಕಾರಿ ಬೆಲ್ಲಾ

ಗಂಗಳ ಚೆರಗಿ ಮಂಗಳ ಸೂತ್ರ ಹೋದವು ಬೀಸಕಲ್ಲಾ

ಹಾಳಾಗಿ ಹೋಯಿತು ಅತ್ತು ವರ್ಣಿ ಸಿ ಹೇಳಲಿ ನಾನೆಷ್ಟು
 ಸಿಕ್ಕಿದ್ದು ತಗೊಂಡು ಸರದ ನಿಂತರೊ ಊರಿಗೆ ಕೊಳ್ಳಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟು
 ಬೂದಿ ಮಾಡ್ಕಾರೊ ಹಲಗಲಿ ಸುಟ್ಟು ಗುರ್ತುಳಿಯಲಿಲ್ಲೆಷ್ಟು
 ಕುರ್ತುಕೋಟಿ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣನ ದಯದಿಂದ ಹಾಡಿದೆನಣ್ಣಾ ಬಸಕಾ

ಕೆಳಗಿನ

ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ೧ ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

1x5=5

೧ ಲಾವಣೀಕಾರನ ಅಂಕಿತನಾಮವೇನು?

೨ ಬ್ರಿಟೀಷ್ ಸೈನಿಕರು ಹಲಗಲಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಲೂಟಿ ಮಾಡಿದ ವಸ್ತುಗಳು ಯಾವುವು?

೩ ವಿಶ್ವಾಸ ಘಾತಕರು ಯಾರು?

೪ ಊರಿಗೆ ಕೊಳ್ಳಿಯಿಟ್ಟವರು ಯಾರು?

೫ ಹನುಮ ವೇಳಿದ್ದೇನು?

ವಿಭಾಗ- ಬಿ

(ಅನ್ವಯಿಕ ವ್ಯಾಕರಣ ಮತ್ತು ಪಠ್ಯಪೂರಕ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ)

೫) ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಂದು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೂ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಉತ್ತರಗಳನ್ನು ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದೆ, ಅವುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ಆರಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ)

1x10=10

೧ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಸಂಧಿ ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಧಿಪದವನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ

a ತಲೆಗಡರಿ 1 ಆದೇಶ ಸಂಧಿ

b ಹಾಲುಗಡಲು 2 ಸರ್ವಣದೀರ್ಘ ಸಂಧಿ

c ಪೂರ್ಣಾವಕಾಶ 3 ಲೋಪಸಂಧಿ

d ಶುಭೋದಯ 4 ಯಣ್ ಸಂಧಿ

5 ಗುಣಸಂಧಿ

A a-1 b-2 c-3 d-4 B a-3 b-4 c-1 d-2

C a-4 b-5 c-4 d-5 D a-3 b-1 c-2 d-5

೧ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪದಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸರಿ ಹೊಂದಿದ ಸಮಾಸ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಾಸ ಪದಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

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|------------|----------------|
| 1 ಸೊಕ್ಕಾನೆ | ಕರ್ಮಧಾರೆಯ ಸಮಾಸ |
| 2 ಮುಂಗೈ | ತತ್ಪುರುಷ ಸಮಾಸ |
| 3 ಜಡಗರಾಮರು | ದ್ವಂದ್ವ ಸಮಾಸ |
| 4 ಜಟಿಲಕಬರಿ | ದ್ವಿಗು ಸಮಾಸ |

- A) 1 ಮತ್ತು 3 B) 2 ಮತ್ತು 3 C) 1 ಮತ್ತು 4 D) 2 ಮತ್ತು 4

೨ ನಲುಮೆಯಿಂದ ತೃತೀಯಾ ವಿಭಕ್ತಿಯಾದರೆ ಮರೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಎಂಬ ಪದವು ಈ ವಿಭಕ್ತಿಗೆ ಉದಾಹರಣೆಯಾಗಿದೆ.

- A) ಪ್ರಥಮಾ B) ಚತುರ್ಥೀ C) ಪಂಚ D) ಸಪ್ತಮೀ

೩ ಮಹೇಶನು ಅನ್ನವನ್ನು ಉಂಡನು ಈ ವಾಕ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಕ್ರಿಯಾಪದದ ಧಾತುರೂಪ -----

- A) ಊಂಡ B) ಉಂಡ C) ಉಣ್ಣು D) ಉಂಡು

೪ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ತತ್ಸಮ-ತದ್ಭವ ರೂಪವನ್ನು ಗುರುತಿಸಿ.

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|---------|--------|
| a ವಂಶ | ಬಂಚ |
| b ಪಟ್ಟಣ | ಪೊಟ್ಟಣ |
| c ಯುದ್ಧ | ಜುದ್ಧ |
| d ಸೀರೆ | ಸೀರಾ |

- A) a ಮತ್ತು c B) c ಮತ್ತು b C) d ಮತ್ತು a D) b ಮತ್ತು d

೫ 'ಮನ-ಮಣ ಪದಗಳ ಅರ್ಥ ವ್ಯತ್ಯಾಸಗಳ ಕ್ರಮ ಹೀಗಿವೆ.

- A) ತೂಕ-ಮನಸ್ಸು B) ಮನೆ-ಮಣ್ಣು C) ಮನಸ್ಸು-ತೂಕ D) ಗಂಡ- ಚಿತ್ತ

೬ 'ಪರೆ' ಈ ಪದದ ಸಮಾನಾರ್ಥಕ ಪದ-----

- A) ತೆರೆ B) ಚಂದ್ರ C) ಕಾಡು D) ಪರದೆ

೭ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕವು ಸುಂದರವಾದ ಪ್ರವಾಸಿತಾಣಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿವೆ. ಈ ವಾಕ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಗೆರೆ ಎಳೆದ ಪದ -----

- A) ಗುಣವಾವಕ B) ದಿಗ್ವಾಚಕ C) ವಸ್ತುವಾಚಕ D) ಪರಿಮಾಣವಾಚಕ

೮ ಪಟ್ಟಣ, ಕಾಯಿ : ರೂಢನಾಮ :: ರೈತ, ಯೋಗಿ -----

A) ಸರ್ವನಾಮ B) ಅಂಕಿತನಾಮ C) ಅನ್ವರ್ಥನಾಮ D) ವಿಶೇಷನಾಮ

೧೦ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪದಮಂಡದಲ್ಲಿ ಅನುಕರಣ ಪದವನ್ನು ಗುರುತಿಸಿ.

A) ಕೊತಕೊತ B) ಇಂಚಿಂಚು C) ನಟ್ಟನಡುವೆ D) ದಿನದಿನ

1x5=5

೬ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಸೂಚನೆಯಂತೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

೧ 'ವೇದಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅಗ್ನಿ ಹೊಗೆಯಾಡುತ್ತಿದೆ'. (ಈ ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನು ಭವಿಷ್ಯತ್ ಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಪರಿವರ್ತಿಸಿರಿ)

೨ ರಾಮನು ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಅಂಕಗಳನ್ನು ಗಳಿಸನು. (ಈ ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನು ಸಂಭವನಾರ್ಥ ರೂಪದಲ್ಲಿ

ಬರೆಯಿರಿ)

೩ 'ಕುಡಿದ ನೀರು ಅಲುಗದ ಹಾಗೆ' ಈ ಪಡೆನುಡಿಯನ್ನು ಸ್ವಂತವಾಕ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಬಳಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ)

೪ ಶಬರಿಯು ರಾಮಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಣರಿಗೆ ಸವಿಯಾದ ಹಣ್ಣುಗಳನ್ನು ನೀಡಿದಳು. (ಈ ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನು ಕರ್ಮಣಿ ರೂಪದಲ್ಲಿ

ಬರೆಯಿರಿ)

೫ ಈ ಗಾದೆಮಾತಿನ ಅರ್ಥವನ್ನು ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

ಮಿಂಚಿ ಹೋದ ಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಚಿಂತಿಸಿ ಫಲವಿಲ್ಲ

೭ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಂದು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಉತ್ತರಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅವುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ಆರಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

1x5=5

೧ ಹಾಲುಗಲ್ಲದ ಹಸುಳೆ ಏನು ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾಳೆ?

A) ಜಳಕ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾಳೆ B) ಮುಸುರೆ ತಿಕ್ಕುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾಳೆ

C) ಊಟ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾಳೆ D) ಪಾಠ ಓದುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾಳೆ

೨ ಮಹಾತ್ಮ ಗಾಂಧೀಜಿಯವರ ಮೇಲೆ ಪರಿಣಾಮ ಬೀರಿದ ಪುಸ್ತಕವಿದು.

A) ವಿಂಗ್ಸ್ ಆಫ್ ಫ್ರೆರ್ B) ಅನ್ ಟುಡಿ ಲಾಸ್ತ್

C) ಬ್ಯೂಟಿ ಅಂಡ್ ದಿ ಭೀಸ್ಟ್ D) ರಾಮಾಯಣ

೩ ತನಗೆ ಇಷ್ಟ ಬಂದ ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡಲು ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಗೆ ಅವಕಾಶವಿರುವುದು.

A) ರಾಜಕೀಯ ಸ್ವಾತಂತ್ರ್ಯ B) ವಾಕ್ ಸ್ವಾತಂತ್ರ್ಯ C) ಕ್ರಿಯಾಸ್ವಾತಂತ್ರ್ಯ D) ಸಮಾಜಿಕ ಸ್ವಾತಂತ್ರ್ಯ

ರಾಜಾ ಕೃಷ್ಣವರ್ಮನ ಮೊದಲ ಶಾಸನಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕಂಡುಬರುವ ಕದಂಬರು ನಾಗರ ಪೀಳಿಗೆಯವರು ಎಂಬ ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ ಕೂಡ ಕದಂಬರು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದವರಾಗಿದ್ದರು ಎಂಬುದು ಖಚಿತಪಡಿಸುತ್ತದೆ.

ಕದಂಬರ ಇತಿಹಾಸದ ಮೂಲ ಆಕರಗಳೆಂದರೆ ಕನ್ನಡ ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತದ ಶಾಸನಗಳು. ಮುಖ್ಯವಾಗಿ ತಾಳಗುಂದ, ಗುಂಡನೂರು, ಚಂದ್ರವಳ್ಳಿ, ಹಲಸಿ ಮತ್ತು ಹಲ್ಮಿಡಿ ಶಾಸನಗಳು ಈ ಕನ್ನಡ ವಂಶದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಬೆಳಕು ಚೆಲ್ಲುತ್ತದೆ, ಅವರು ಮಾನವ್ಯ ಗೋತ್ರದವರೂ ಹರಿತಿಪುತ್ರ ಪೀಳಿಗೆಯವರೂ ಆಗಿದ್ದು ಬಸವಾಸಿಯ ಚುಟು ಎಂಬ ಶಾತವಾಹನರ ಜಹಗೀರುದಾರರ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಕರಾಗಿದ್ದರು.

IX5=5

ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು

೧. ಕದಂಬ ಸಾಮ್ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಮೂಲ ಪುರುಷ -----

ಅ) ರಾಜ ಕೃಷ್ಣವರ್ಮ ಆ) ಕಾಕುಸ್ಥ ವರ್ಮ ಇ) ಮಯೂರವರ್ಮ ಈ) ಶಿವಕೋಟಿ

೨. ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಇದಾಗಿದೆ.

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ -೧ ಕದಂಬರ ಇತಿಹಾಸದ ಮೂಲ ಆಕರಗಳೆಂದರೆ ಕನ್ನಡ ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತದ ಶಾಸನಗಳು.

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ -೨ ಗಂಗರು ಕನ್ನಡಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಸ್ಥಾನ ಕೊಟ್ಟರು.

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ -೩ ಕನ್ನಡದಲ್ಲಿ ದೊರೆತಿರುವ ಮೊಟ್ಟ ಮೊದಲ ಶಾಸನ ಹಲ್ಮಿಡಿ.

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ -೪ ಶಾತವಾಹನರ ಶಾಸನಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕನ್ನಡ ಮತ್ತು ನಾಗರಿ ಗ್ರಂಥ ಲಾಂಛನ ಭಾಷೆಗಳಿವೆ.

ಅ) ೧ ಮತ್ತು ೩ ಆ) ೨ ಮತ್ತು ೩ ಇ) ೪ ಮತ್ತು ೧ ಈ) ೩ ಮತ್ತು ೨

೩. ರಾಜ ಕೃಷ್ಣವರ್ಮನ ಶಾಸನಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕಂಡು ಬರುವ ಕದಂಬರು ----- ಪೀಳಿಗೆಯರೆಂಬ ಉಲ್ಲೇಖವಿದೆ.

ಅ) ದ್ರಾವಿಡ ಆ) ಶಾತವಾಹನ ಇ) ನಾಗರ ಈ) ಗಂಗ

೪. ಕದಂಬರ ವಂಶ ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆಯಾದ ವರ್ಷ -----

ಅ) ಕ್ರಿ.ಶ ೩೪೫ ಆ) ಕ್ರಿ.ಶ ೫೪೩ ಇ) ಕ್ರಿ.ಶ ೪೩೫ ಈ) ಕ್ರಿ.ಶ ೩೧೨

೫. ರಾಜ ಶಿವಕೋಟಿ ಪದೇ ಪದೇ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ಯುದ್ಧ ರಕ್ತಪಾತಗಳಿಂದ ಬೇಸತ್ತು ಈ ಧರ್ಮಕ್ಕೆ

ಮತಾಂತರಗೊಂಡನು.

ಅ) ಬೌದ್ಧ ಆ) ಹಿಂದು ಇ) ಕ್ರೈಸ್ತ ಈ) ಜೈನ

2) ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಗೆದ್ದಾಂಶವನ್ನು ಓದಿಕೊಂಡು ಅದರ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ
 ಅಂಬಿಕಾತನಯದತ್ತ' ಎಂಬ ಕಾವ್ಯನಾಮದಿಂದ ಕನ್ನಡಿಗರ ಮನೆ ಮಾತಾಗಿರುವ ದ.ರಾ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರು
 ದತ್ತಾತ್ರೇಯ ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆ ಎಂಬುದು ಇವರ ಪೂರ್ಣ ಹೆಸರು. ನವೋದಯ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯದ ಪ್ರಮುಖ
 ಕವಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಒಬ್ಬರಾದ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರು ಸಾಧಿಸಿದ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಸಾಧನೆ ತುಂಬಾ ಚಿರಸ್ಮರಣೀಯವಾದುದು.
 ಇವರು ಜನಿಸಿದ್ದು ೩೧ನೆಯ ಜನವರಿ ೧೮೯೨ರಲ್ಲಿ ಧಾರವಾಡದಲ್ಲಿ. ಇವರ ತಂದೆ ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆ
 ತಾಳುಗ ಪಾರ್ವತಿ. ಮಡದಿ ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀಬಾಯಿಯವರು. ೧೯೩೧ರಲ್ಲಿ ಬಿ.ಎ ಪದವಿ ಪಡೆದ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರು
 ಧಾರವಾಡದ ವಿಸ್ಕೋರಿಯಾ ಹೈಸ್ಕೂಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಶಿಕ್ಷಕ ವೃತ್ತಿ ಆರಂಭಿಸಿದರು. ೧೯೩೫ರಲ್ಲಿ ಎಂ.ಎ ಪದವಿ ಪಡೆದ
 ನಂತರ ಸೋಲಾಪುರದ ಡಿ.ಎಡ್ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕನ್ನಡ ಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಕರಾಗಿ ಸೇವೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿ ನಿವೃತ್ತರಾದರು.
 ಧಾರವಾಡದ ಆಕಾಶವಾಣಿ ಕೇಂದ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಸಲಹೆಗಾರರಾಗಿಯೂ ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡಿದ ಅನುಭವ
 ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರಿಗಿದೆ. ಈ ಅನುಭವ ಕವಿ 'ವರಕವಿ'ನಮ್ಮನ್ನಗಲಿದ್ದು ೧೯೮೧ರಲ್ಲಿ. ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರು ೧೯೪೩ರಲ್ಲಿ
 ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದ ಖಿಲ ಭಾರತ ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಸಮ್ಮೇಳನದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾಗಿದ್ದರು. ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರು ಬದುಕಿದ್ದು
 ಮಾಸ್ತರಾಗಿ, ಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಕರಾಗಿ, ಆಕಾಶವಾಣಿ ಸಲಹೆಗಾರರಾಗಿ. ಆದರೆ ಬಾಳಿದ್ದು ಕವಿಯಾಗಿ. ಧಾರವಾಡವೆಂದರೆ
 ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರಿಗೆ ಸ್ವರ್ಗ! ಧಾರವಾಡದ ನಿಸರ್ಗ ಮತ್ತು ಸಾಹಿತಿಗಳ ಪರಿಸರ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರಿಗೆ ತುಂಬಾ
 ಅಚ್ಚುಮೆಚ್ಚಾಗಿತ್ತು. "ಧಾರವಾಡದ ಶ್ರಾವಣ ಕವಿ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆ" ಎಂದೇ ಇವರು ಖ್ಯಾತಿಯಾಗಿದ್ದರು. ಕವಿ
 ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರಿಗೆ ಅನೇಕ ಬಿರುದು ಸನ್ಮಾನಗಳು ಸಂದಿವೆ. ಮೈಸೂರು ಹಾಗೂ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾನಿಲಯವು
 ಗೌರವ ಡಾಕ್ಟರೇಟ್ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ ನೀಡಿ ಗೌರವಿಸಿದೆ. ೧೦೬೮ರಲ್ಲಿ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರಿಗೆ ಪದ್ಮಶ್ರೀ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ, ೧೯೭೩ರಲ್ಲಿ
 ಇವರ 'ನಾಕುತಂತಿ' ಕವನ ಸಂಕಲನಕ್ಕೆ ಭಾರತದ ಅತ್ಯುನ್ನತ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿಯಾದ 'ಜ್ಞಾನಪೀಠ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ' ಅಭಿಸಿದೆ.

ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಸಾಧನೆ ಅಪಾರವಾದುದು. ಅವರು ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯದ ಎಲ್ಲ ಪ್ರಕಾರಗಳಲ್ಲೂ ಕೃತಿ
 ರಚಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಭಾವಗೀತೆ, ಕಾವ್ಯ, ಕಥೆ, ನಾಟಕ, ವಿಮರ್ಶೆ, ಅನುವಾದ ಇವೇ ಮೊದಲಾದ ಲಲಿತಕೃತಿಗಳನ್ನು
 ಕೊಡುಗೆಯಾಗಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಹಿರಿಮೆ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರದು. ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಭಂಡಾರದ ಸಂಪತ್ತನ್ನು
 ಸಮೃದ್ಧಗೊಳಿಸಿದವರಲ್ಲಿ ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರೂ ಒಬ್ಬರು. ಗರಿ, ನಾದಲೀಲೆ, ಗಂಗಾವತರಣ, ಸಖಿಗೀತ, ನಾಕುತಂತಿ
 ಇವು ಕವನಸಂಕಲನಗಳು. ಜಾತ್ರೆ, ಸಾಯೋಆಟ ಇವು ಬೇಂದ್ರೆಯವರ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ನಾಟಕಗಳು. ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯದ

೩ ಭಗತ್ ಸಿಂಗ್ ಜಲಿಯನ್ ವಾಲಾಭಾಗೆ ಮೂರೂ ಹೋಮದಿಂದ ತೆಲೆಯುಕೊಂಡ ನಿರ್ದಾ ರವರು :

ಅ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನವಾಗಿರುವ ಮಗುವನ್ನು ನೋಡಿ ಮುದುಕಿ ನಿರಾಸೆಯಿಂದ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾಳು :

೧೨ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಐದಾರುವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

3x2=6

೧ ಅಶೋಕ ಪೈ ಹೇಳಿದ ಸಂಶೋಧನಾ ಸತ್ಯವೇನು?

೨ ಕುಂತಿ ಮಾದ್ರಿಯರು ಯಾರ್ಯಾರ ಅನುಗ್ರಹದಿಂದ ಮಕ್ಕಳನ್ನು ಪಡೆದರು?

೧೩ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಸಂದರ್ಭಗಳನ್ನು ಸ್ವಾರಸ್ಯದೊಡನೆ ವಿವರಿಸಿ.

3x2=6

೧ 'ನಾನು ಮುಖ ಮೇಲಾಗಿ ಬಿದ್ದಿದ್ದೆ'

ಅಥವಾ

"ಸಾಮಾಜಿಕ ಕಾನೂನುಗಳ ಹರಿಕಾರ"

೨ 'ಪ್ರೀತಿಯ ಹಣತೆಯ ಹಚ್ಚೋಣ'

ಅಥವಾ

" ರವಿಸುತನ ಕಿವಿಯಲಿ ಬಿತ್ತಿದನು ಭಯವ"

೧೪) ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ೮-೧೦ ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

4x1=4

೧ ನಾಲ್ವಡಿ ಕೃಷ್ಣರಾಜ ಒಡೆಯರ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೈಸೂರು 'ಮಾದರಿ ರಾಜ್ಯ' ಹೇಗಾಯಿತು? ವಿವರಿಸಿ.

ಅಥವಾ

ರಾಹಿಲನು ಮುದುಕಿಯ ಕುಟುಂಬಕ್ಕೂ ಮುದುಕಿಯು ರಾಹಿಲನಿಗೂ ಮಾಡಿದ ಸಂಕ್ಷಿಪ್ತವಾಗಿ ವಿವರಿಸಿ?

೧೫ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ೮-೧೦ ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ

4x1=4

೧ ಪಾಂಡವರು ಸೋದರರೆಂದು ತಿಳಿದಾಗ ಕರ್ಣನ ಮನಸ್ಥಿತಿಯನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸಿ.

ಅಥವಾ

ಸಂಕಲ್ಪ ಮತ್ತು ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನದ ಕುರಿತು ಕವಿ ಶಿವರುದ್ರಪ್ಪನವರ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯವನ್ನು ವಿವರಿಸಿ

೪ ಭಗತ್ ಸಿಂಗ್ ಇವರು ಪಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ಹೆಣ್ಣು

A) ಕೇಬುಹಣ್ಣು B) ಮಾವಿನಹಣ್ಣು C) ಬಾಳೆಹಣ್ಣು D) ಹಲಸಿನಹಣ್ಣು

೫ ಭಗತ್ ಸಿಂಗ್ ಪೂಜ್ಯನೀಯವಾದ ಮಣ್ಣನ್ನು ಇಟ್ಟುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದು ಇಲ್ಲಿ

A) ಚೇಲವಲ್ಲಿ B) ಚೇಲದಲ್ಲಿ C) ಊಟದ ಡಬ್ಬೆಯಲ್ಲಿ D) ಕರವಸ್ತ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ

ಭಾಗ - ೨

ವಿಭಾಗ - ೨

ಬರವಣಿಗೆ ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ - ೧೨ ಅಂಕಗಳು

೮ ದಿನಾಂಕ ೧೨-೧೧-೨೫ರ ಸಂಯುಕ್ತ ಕ) ನಾರ್ತಕ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟವಾದ ಜಾಹಿರಾತಿನ ಮೇರೆಗೆ ಅರುಣೋದಯ ಶಾಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಖಾಲಿಯಿರುವ ಕನ್ನಡ ಶಿಕ್ಷಕರ ಹುದ್ದೆಗೆ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಸ್ವವಿವರದೊಂದಿಗೆ ಅರ್ಜಿಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿ.

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ಅಥವಾ

ನಿಮ್ಮ ಬದಾವಣೆಗೆ ಶುದ್ಧ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರಿನ ಘಟಕವೊಂದನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸುವಂತೆ ಕೋರುತ್ತಾ ಪುರಸಭೆಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷಕರಿಗೆ ಮನವಿ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

೯ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಶಾಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಆಚರಿಸಿದ 'ಶಾಲಾವಾರ್ಷಿ ಕೋತ್ಸವದ ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ತಯಾರಿಸಿರಿ.

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೧೦ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ವಿಷಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದಾದರೂ ಒಂದು ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಕುರಿತು ಪ್ರಬಂಧ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

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ಅ) ಪ್ರಾಚ್ಯ ಸ್ಮಾರಕಗಳ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣೆ

ಆ) ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ನೀತಿಯ ಮಹತ್ವ

ಇ) ಪರಿಸರ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಪಾತ್ರ

೧೧ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಎರಡು-ಮೂರು ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

2x4=8

೧ ಅಂದವಾದ ಬರವಣಿಗೆಯ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಗಾಂಧೀಜಿಯವರ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯವೇನು?

೨ ಹೊಸ ಭರವಸೆಗಳನ್ನು ಮೂಡಿಸಿ ಯಾವುದರ ನಡುವೆ ಸೇತುವೆಯಾಗಬೇಕಿದೆ?



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- * ಈ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯು ಭಾಗ-ಎ ಮತ್ತು ಭಾಗ-ಬಿ ಎಂಬ ಎರಡು ಭಾಗಗಳನ್ನು ಮತ್ತು ಎ.ವಿ.ಸಿ.ಡಿ ಎಂಬ ನಾಲ್ಕು ವಿಭಾಗಗಳನ್ನು ಒಳಗೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತವೆ.
- * ವಿಭಾಗ -ಎ ನಲ್ಲಿ ಒಟ್ಟು 4 ಮುಖ್ಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು, 10 ಬಹು ಆಯ್ಕೆಯ ಉಪ-ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಬರವಣಿಗೆಯ 10 ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು ಇರುತ್ತವೆ.
- * ಭಾಗ-ಎ ನಲ್ಲಿ ಅನ್ವಯಿಕ ವ್ಯಾಕರಣದಲ್ಲಿ 10 ಬಹುಆಯ್ಕೆಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು, 5 ಬರವಣಿಗೆಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಪಠ್ಯಪೂರಕ 5 ಬಹುಆಯ್ಕೆಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಬೇಕು
- * ವಿಭಾಗ -ಬಿ (ಬರವಣಿಗೆಯ ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ) ವಿಭಾಗ -3 ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಬೇಕು.
- * ಭಾಗ- ಬಿ (ಪಠ್ಯಗಳ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ) ಅಲ್ಲಿನ ವಿಭಾಗ -ಡಿ ಯಲ್ಲಿಯ 11 ರಿಂದ 15 ಮುಖ್ಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಸೂಚನೆಯಂತೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಬೇಕು

ಭಾಗ- ಎ (40) ಅಂಕಗಳು	ವಾಚನ ಮತ್ತು ಗ್ರಹಿಕಾ ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ	20 ಅಂಕಗಳು
	ಅನ್ವಯಿಕ ವ್ಯಾಕರಣ	15 ಅಂಕಗಳು
	ಬಹು ಆಯ್ಕೆ ಪಠ್ಯಗಳ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ	05 ಅಂಕಗಳು
ಭಾಗ -ಬಿ (40 ಅಂಕಗಳು)	ಬರವಣಿಗೆ ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ	12 ಅಂಕಗಳು
	ಪಠ್ಯಗಳ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ	28 ಅಂಕಗಳು
	ಒಟ್ಟು ಅಂಕಗಳು	80 ಅಂಕಗಳು

1. ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಗದ್ಯಾಂಶವನ್ನು ಓದಿಕೊಂಡು, ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ

ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರ ಆರಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

ಕುಮಾರರಾಮ ೧೩ನೇ ಶತಮಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಕಮ್ಮಟರುಗಳ ಆಡಳಿತಕ್ಕೆ ನೆರವಾದವನು ೧೩ನೇ ಶತಮಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಕಂಪ್ಲಿ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ವೀರ ರಾಜಕುಮಾರನಾದ ಕುಮಾರರಾಮ ತನ್ನ ಶೌರ್ಯ, ಶಿಷ್ಯತ್ವ, ಶರಣಾಗತ ರಕ್ಷಣೆ ಮತ್ತು ಉದಾತ್ತ ಗುಣಗಳನ್ನು ಪಾಲಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಬಂದು ಪರಿಸಾರಿ ಸಹೋದರನೊಬ್ಬ ಪತ್ನಿಯನ್ನು ಕೊಂದಿದ್ದು ಕನ್ನಡಿಗರಲ್ಲಿ ಅಗ್ರಗಣ್ಯ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಹಂಪಿ, ಆನೆಗೊಂದಿ, ಕಂಪ್ಲಿ, ಕೊಸಪೇಟ ಈ ಛಾಗಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕುಮಾರರಾಮನ ಕಥೆ ಬಹು ಪ್ರಸಿದ್ಧ. ೧೩೨೦ರಲ್ಲಿ ಮಹ್ಮದ್ ಬಿನ್ ತುಗಲಕ್ ನ ಕುತಂತ್ರದಿಂದ ಸಾವನ್ನಪ್ಪಿದ ಕುಮಾರರಾಮನ ಆಸೆಯಂತೆ ಅವನ ಮಾವನ ಮಕ್ಕಳಾದ ಹಕ್ಕು-ಬುಕ್ಕರು ೧೩೨೬ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಜಯನಗರ ಸಾಮ್ರಾಜ್ಯವನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿದರು. ವಿಜಯನಗರದ ಆರಾಧ್ಯ ದೈವ ಈಗಿನ ಹಂಪೆಯ ವೀರಪಾಶ್ವ ಅಥವಾ ಪಂಪಾವತಿ. ರಾಜಧಾನಿ ಮೊದಲು, ತುಂಗಭದ್ರಾ ನದಿಯ ಉತ್ತರದಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಠಲ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನದ

ಬಳಿಯಿರುವ. ಆನೆಗೊಂದಿ ಎಂಬ ಗ್ರಾಮದಲ್ಲಿತ್ತು. ಸಾಮ್ರಾಜ್ಯ ಬೆಳೆಯುತ್ತಾ ಸಮೃದ್ಧವಾದಂತೆ ರಾಜಧಾನಿಯನ್ನು ತುಂಗಭದ್ರೆಯ ದಕ್ಷಿಣದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಸುರಕ್ಷಿತ ವಿಜಯನಗರಕ್ಕೆ ವರ್ಗಾಯಿಸಲಾಯಿತು. ನಗರ ೧೪ನೇ ಶತಮಾನದಿಂದ ೧೬ನೇ ಶತಮಾನದವರೆಗೆ ಉಚ್ಛ್ರಾಯ ಸ್ಥಿತಿಯಲ್ಲಿತ್ತು.

ವಿಜಯನಗರ ಸಾಮ್ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಶಕ್ತಿಯ ತುತ್ತತುದಿಯಲ್ಲಿತ್ತು. ಇದೇ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಅದು ಕಾಲಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಉತ್ತರ ದಖನ್ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಇದ್ದು ಒಟ್ಟಾಗಿ ದಖನ್ ಸುಲ್ತಾನೇಟ್ ಅಥವಾ ಬಹಮನಿ ಎಂದು ಕರೆಯಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಮುಸ್ಲಿಮ್ ರಾಜ್ಯಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಘಟ್ಟಿಸುತ್ತಿತ್ತು. ೧೫೬೫ ರಲ್ಲಿ ನಗರ ಅಂತಿಮವಾಗಿ ಈ ಸುಲ್ತಾನೇಟ್‌ಗಳ ಮೈತ್ರಿತ್ವಕ್ಕೆ ಸೋತಿತು ಮತ್ತು ರಾಜಧಾನಿಯನ್ನು ವಶಪಡಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಯಿತು ಜಯ ಪಡೆದ ಸೈನಿಕರು ಅನೇಕ ತಿಂಗಳುಗಳ ಕಾಲ ವಿಜಯನಗರದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಲೆ, ಲೂಟಿ ನಡೆಸಿದರು. ವಿಜಯನಗರದ ಅವನತಿಯ ನಂತರ ಅಲ್ಲಿಯ ಉನ್ನತ ಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿದ್ದ ನಾಯಕ ಸಮುದಾಯದವರು ಚಿತ್ರದುರ್ಗ, ಕೆಳದಿ, ಸುರಪೂರ ಹೀಗೆ ಅನೇಕ ಸ್ಥಳಕ್ಕೆ ಹೋದರು. ಇದರ ನಂತರವೂ ವಿಜಯನಗರ ಸಾಮ್ರಾಜ್ಯ ಉಳಿದರೂ ಸಹ ಅದು ನಿಧಾನವಾಗಿ ಕೆಳಮುಖವಾಯಿತು. ಅಂದಿಗೆ ಗಂಡುಗಲಿ ಕುಮಾರರಾಮನ ಕನಸು ತಟಸ್ಥವಾಯಿತು. ರಣಕಲಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚುಲಿ ಕುಮಾರರಾಮನ ಕನಸಾಗಿದ್ದ ವಿಜಯನಗರ ನಾಯಿ ನರಿಗಳ ಕಾಡು ಪ್ರಾಣಿಗಳ ಗೃಹವಾಯಿತು. ವಿಜಯನಗರವನ್ನು ಪುನರ್ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಇಂದಿನವರೆಗೂ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಜನವಸತಿಯಿಲ್ಲ. ಅಂದಿನ ಮುಸ್ಲಿಮ್ ರಾಜ್ಯಗಳ ಸಂಪರ್ಕದ ಪರಿಣಾಮವಾಗಿ ವಿಜಯನಗರದ ಕಟ್ಟಡಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಮುಸ್ಲಿಮ್ ಪ್ರಭಾವವನ್ನು ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಮಟ್ಟಿಗೆ ಕಾಣಬಹುದು.

(5X 1=5)

ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು:

1. ವಿಜಯನಗರ ಸಾಮ್ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಸ್ಥಾಪಕರು ಇವರು

- 1) ಕೃಷ್ಣದೇವರಾಯ 2) ಹಕ್ಕುಬುಕ್ಕರು 3) ಅಳಿಯ ರಾಮರಾಯ 4) ಎಚ್ಚಮನಾಯಕ

2. ಕುಮಾರರಾಮನು ಈ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ವೀರ ರಾಜಕುಮಾರನಾಗಿದ್ದನು.

- 1) ಕಂಪ್ಲಿ 2) ಇಕ್ಕೇರಿ 3) ಆನೆಗೊಂದಿ 4) ಮೈಸೂರು

3. ವಿಜಯನಗರದ ಆರಾಧ್ಯ ದೈವ -----

- 1) ರಂಗವಿಠಲ 2) ಅಧಿಕೇಶವ 3) ವಿಠಲಪಾಶ್ವ 4) ಅಪೋಲೋಶ್ವರ

4. ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗಳನ್ನು ಗಮನಿಸಿ.

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ-೧ ತುಂಗಭದ್ರಾ ನದಿಯ ಉತ್ತರದಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಠಲ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನದ ಬಳಿ ಇರುವ ಆನೇಕೂರಿ ಎಂಬ ಗ್ರಾಮದಲ್ಲಿತ್ತು.

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ -೨ ವಿಜಯನಗರದ ಕಟ್ಟಡಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಮುಸ್ಲಿಮ್ ಪ್ರಭಾವವನ್ನು ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಮಟ್ಟಿಗೆ ಕಾಣಬಹುದು

- I. ಮೊದಲನೆಯ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಯು ತಪ್ಪಾಗಿದೆ.
- II. ಎರಡನೆಯ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಯು ತಪ್ಪಾಗಿದೆ.
- III. ಎರಡು ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗಳು ತಪ್ಪಾಗಿವೆ.
- IV. ಎರಡು ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗಳು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿವೆ.

5. ಕುಮಾರರಾಮನು ಇವನ ಕುತಂತ್ರದಿಂದ ಸಾವಿಗೀಡಾದನು

- 1) ಮಹ್ಮದ್ ಬಿನ್ ತುಗಲಕ್ 2) ಸಂದಲ್ ಮಲಿಕ್ 3) ಕಾರನ್ ವಾಲೀಸ್ 4) ಹೆನ್ರಿ ಇರ್ವಿನ್

2) ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಗದ್ಯಾಂಶವನ್ನು ಓದಿಕೊಂಡು, ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

೧೯೨೪ರಲ್ಲಿ ಬೆಳಗಾವಿಯ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಅಧಿವೇಶನದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಹಾತ್ಮ ಗಾಂಧಿಯವರ ಎದುರಿಸಲಿ ವಂದೇ ಮಾತರಂ ಗೀತೆಯನ್ನು ಹಾಡಿದ ಒಬ್ಬ ಚಿಕ್ಕ ಬಾಲಕಿ ಮುಂದೆ ಭಾರತದಲ್ಲಿ ಖ್ಯಾತಿ ಪಡೆದ ಸುಪ್ರಸಿದ್ಧ ಸಂಗೀತ ವಿದ್ವಾಂಸ ಆಗಬಹುದೆಂದು ಯಾರೂ ಊಹಿಸಿರಲಿಲ್ಲ. ೧೯೩೮ರಲ್ಲಿ ಅಖಿಲ ಭಾರತೀಯ ಸಂಗೀತ ಪರಿಷತ್ತು ಕಲ್ಕತ್ತೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಮಾವೇಶಗೊಂಡಿತ್ತು. ಭಾರತದ ಸಂಗೀತ ಪ್ರಪಂಚದ ಹೆಸರಾಂತ ಕಲಾವಿದರೆಲ್ಲರೂ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ನೆರೆದಿದ್ದರು. ಸಂಗೀತ ಕಛೇರಿ ಅದ್ಭುತವಾಗಿ ನಡೆದಿತ್ತು.

ಸಂಘಟಕರು ಗಂಗೂಬಾಯಿ ಹಾನಗಲ್ಲರ ಅಂದಿನ ಕೃಶಕ ಶರೀರವನ್ನು ನೋಡಿದವರು ಅವರ ಕಂಠದಿಂದ ಧ್ವನಿಯಾದರೂ ಹೊರಡುವುದೋ ಇಲ್ಲವೋ ಎಂದು ಸಂದೇಹಿಸಿ ಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದರು. ಹಾಡಲಿಕ್ಕೆ ಬಾರದಿದ್ದರೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದಲ್ಲಿ ಅವರ ಹೆಸರನ್ನು ಸೇರಿಸುವುದೇಕೆಂದು ಆಲೋಚಿಸಿ ಕರೆಸಿದ ತಪ್ಪಿಗೆ ಐದು ನಿಮಿಷ ಹಾಡುವಂತೆ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಹೇಳಿದರು. ಅವರ ಆ ಸಣ್ಣ ಕಂಠದಿಂದ ಅದ್ಭುತವಾದ ಧ್ವನಿ ಹೊರಹೊಮ್ಮಿತು. ಅವನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿದ ಪರಿಷತ್ತಿನ ಜನರ ಮೈ ಜುಮ್ಮೆಂದು ಪುಳಕಗೊಂಡಿತು.

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಹಾನಗಲ್ಲರು ಘನವಾದ ಸಂಗೀತವನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಸಂಗೀತವು ಅವರಿಗೆ ಭೂಷಣವಾಗಿರುವುದು ಅವರು ಸಂಗೀತಕ್ಕೆ ಭೂಷಣವಾಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ತಮಗೆ ತಿಳಿದಿರುವುದು ಕಡಿಮೆ ತಿಳಿಯಬೇಕಾದುದೇ ಇನ್ನೂ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಇವರ ಎನ್ನುವ ಭಾವನೆ ಅವರಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ ಅವರ ಸಂಗೀತ ಸಾಧನೆಯು ದಿನದಿನವೂ ಹೊಸ ಸಿದ್ಧಿಗಳನ್ನು ಕಾಣತೊಡಗಿದೆ. ಪೂರಿಯಾ ಹಾಗೂ ನಾಯಕಿಯ ತೋಡಿ ಅವರ ಬಹು ಮೆಚ್ಚಿನ ರಾಗಗಳು. ಏಸ್ವಾರವಾಗಿ ಹಬ್ಬಿರುವ ತಮ್ಮ ಕೀರ್ತಿಯ ಹಿಂದೆ ಗಂಗೂಬಾಯಿಯವರ ಸಂಗೀತ ಸಾಧನೆಯ ಸುದೀರ್ಘ ಇತಿಹಾಸವನ್ನು ಪಡೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ತಮ್ಮ ಅಮೋಘ ಸಂಗೀತವನ್ನು ರಾಜ ಮಹಾರಾಜರ ಮುಂದೆ, ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳ ಮುಂದೆ, ಪಂಡಿತರ ಮುಂದೆ, ರಸಿಕರ ಮುಂದೆ, ದೇಶದ ತುಂಬೆಲ್ಲಾ ಹಾಡಿ ಗಂಗೂಬಾಯಿಯವರು ಕೀರ್ತಿ ಹೆಸರು ವೈಭವಗಳನ್ನು ಯಥೇಚ್ಛವಾಗಿ ಸಂಪಾದಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅವರಾಗಿಯೇ ಬಹುಮಾನಗಳ ಬೆನ್ನು ಹತ್ತಿ ಹೋದವರಲ್ಲ. ಬಹುಮಾನಗಳೇ ಅವರ ಬೆನ್ನು ಹತ್ತಿ ಹೋಗಿವೆ. ಅವರು ಪದ್ಮಭೂಷಣ, ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಡಾಕ್ಟರೇಟ್ ಪದವಿ, ಸಂಗೀತ ಭೂಷಣ ಪದವಿಗಳನ್ನು ಪಡೆದಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇಷ್ಟೆಲ್ಲವನ್ನು ಸಂಪಾದಿಸಿಯೂ ಅವರು ಒಳ್ಳೆಯತನವನ್ನು ಮರೆತಿಲ್ಲ. ಅದು ಅವರ ಸಂಗೀತದಂತೆ ಅವರ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿತ್ವಕ್ಕೆ ಅಂಟಿಕೊಂಡಿದೆ. ಗಂಗೂಬಾಯಿಯವರು ಹಾಡುವ ಬಾಯನ್ನು ಪಡೆದಂತೆ ಕೊಡುವ ಕೈಯನ್ನು ಪಡೆದಿದ್ದರು. ಅವರ ಮನೆಗೆ ಹೋದವರು ಯಾರು ಬರಿಗೈಯಿಂದ ಹೊರಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ. ಹಾಡುವ ಬಾಯಿ ಕೊಡುವ ಕೈ ಎಂದು ಬರಿದಾಗಲಾರವು. ಹಾಡಿದಂತೆ ನೀಡಿದಂತೆ ಗಂಗೂಬಾಯಿಯವರು ಘನವಾಗುತ್ತಲೇ ನಡೆದಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು:

(5X 1=5)

೧ ಗಂಗೂಬಾಯಿಯವರ ಬಹು ಮೆಚ್ಚಿನ ರಾಗಗಳು ಇವು.

A) ಪೂರಿಯಾ B) ನಾಯಕಿ ತೋಡಿ C) ಎ ಮಾತ್ರ ಸರಿ D) ಎ ಮತ್ತು ಬಿ ಸರಿ

೨ ಗಂಗೂಬಾಯಿ ಹಾನಗಲ್ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಭಾರತದ ನಾಗರಿಕ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ ಇದು.

A) ಭಾರತರತ್ನ B) ಪದ್ಮಶ್ರೀ C) ಪದ್ಮಭೂಷಣ D) ಪದ್ಮವಿಭೂಷಣ

೩ ಸಂಘಟಕರು ಗಂಗೂಬಾಯಿ ಹಾನಗಲ್ಲರ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ನಿಮಿಷಗಳ ಕಾಲ ಹಾಡಲು ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಟ್ಟರು?

A) ಐದು ನಿಮಿಷ B) ಆರುನಿಮಿಷ C) ಹತ್ತುನಿಮಿಷ D) ಮೂರು ನಿಮಿಷ

೪ ೧೯೩೮ರಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಗೀತ ಪರಿಷತ್ತಿನ ಸಮಾವೇಶ ನಡೆದದ್ದು ಇಲ್ಲಿ.

A) ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ B) ಕಲ್ಕತ್ತ C) ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು D) ಮುಂಬೈ

೫ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗಳನ್ನು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿ ಓದಿಕೊಂಡು ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ - ೧ ೧೯೬೪ರಲ್ಲಿ ಬೆಳಗಾವಿಯ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಅಧಿವೇಶನ ಜರುಗಿತು

ಹೇಳಿಕೆ - ೨ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಗಂಗುಬಾಯಿ ಹಾಸಗಲ್ ಅವರು ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಪಡೆಯುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗಿಯೇ
ಹಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದರು.

- A) ಮೇಲಿನ ಎರಡು ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗಳು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿವೆ. B) ಮೇಲಿನ ಎರಡು ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗಳು ತಪ್ಪಾಗಿವೆ.
- C) ಎರಡನೆಯ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿದೆ D) ಮೊದಲಿನ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿದೆ.

೩) ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಪು,ತಿ, ನ ಅವರ 'ಶಬರಿ' ಪರಿಚಿತ ಗದ್ಯವನ್ನು ಓದಿಕೊಂಡು ಅದರ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ
ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

ರಾಮ- ನಿನ್ನಾದರದೊಳು ಸುಖಿನಾವು| ನಿನ್ನೀ ಸೊಗದೊಳು ಸುಖಿ ನಾವು

ಕಾಡಿನೊಳೀ ಸವಿ ಕಾಣುವ ಪುಣ್ಯಕೆ | ನಿನಗೆಂದಿಗು ಋಣಿ ನಾವು !!

ಶಬರಿ- (ರಾಮನ ಮಾತುಗಳನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿ ತನ್ನ ಸೊಗದ ಉನ್ನಾದವನ್ನು ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಹದಕ್ಕೆ ತಂದುಕೊಂಡು ಅವನನ್ನು
ನೋಡುತ್ತ ಕೊನೆಕೊನೆಗೆ ಕಂಬನಿದುಂಬಿ)

ಬಲು ಸಂತಸ ಬಲು ಸಂತಸ ಬಲು ಸಂತಸವೆನಗೆ
 ನನ್ನಾಸೆಯ ಜಾಡ ಹಿಡಿದು ಬಂದಿರೆಲೈ ಕೊನೆಗೆ
 ದಣಿದಿರಯ್ಯ, ತಣಿದಿರಾ | ಹಸಿವು ತೃಷೆಯನುಳಿದಿರಾ?
 ಬಡವೆ ಒಬ್ಬಳೇನಗೈವೆ, ನನಗೆ ಮರುಕ ತಳೆದಿರಾ?

ರಾಮ- ಕಣ್ಣ ನೀರದೇಕೆ ತಾಯಿ, ತುಸುವೂಣೆಯವಿಲ್ಲ

ನಮ್ಮ ಯೋದ್ಯೆಯರಮನೆಯೊಳು ಇದಕು ಲೇಸು ಸಲ್ಲ.

ಇಂದು ಹಳವ ಮರೆತೆವು | ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಮನೆಯನರಿತೆವು

ಇನಿತಾದರ ತೋರ್ವ ನಿನ್ನನಬ್ಬೆಯೆಂದೆ ಕುರಿತೆವು.

ಶಬರಿ- ರೂಪಿನಂತೆ ಮಾತು ಕೊಡ ಎನಿತುದಾರವಾಗಿದೆ !

ಧನೈ ನಾನು ಸಿದ್ಧರ ವರವಿಂದು ನನಗೆ ಫಲಿಸಿದೆ.

ನಿಮ್ಮ ಕಂಡ ಪುಣ್ಯವಂತೆ! ಹಿಂಗಿ ಕೊಯಿತ್ತೆಲ್ಲ ಚಿಂತೆ.

ಗುರುವ ಪೂಜೆ ಗೈದ ತನಿವು ನನಗೆ ಸಂದಿತಂತೆ.

ರಾಮ- ಇಂಥ ಶಿಷ್ಯಯರ್ತಿ ಪಡೆದ ಗುರುಗಳೆಂಥರೊ

ಅವರ ಮಹಿಮೆ ಕೇಳಿ ಬಲ್ಲೆ ಎಂಥ ಶಾಂತದಾತರೊ

ಅಳಲನೆಲ್ಲ ಮರೆಸಿ ಶಾಂತಿಯೊಂದ ತೋರುವೀ ಬಸ-

ಇವರ ನಡುವೆ ಪ್ರೇಮಶುದ್ಧ ನೀನು! ಸುದಿನವೀ ದಿನ

ಶಬರಿ- ನನ್ನ ಪೊಗಳಲೇಕೆ ರಾಮ, ಎಲ್ಲ ಅವರ ಕರುಣೆ.

ನೀವಿಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಪಾದ ಬೆಳೆಸಿ ನನ್ನ ಕಂಡ ಕರುಣೆ.

ನೀವು ಬಹಿರಿ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಕಾಣೆ ನಲೈಯದು ಎಂದು

ಸಿದ್ಧರೊರೆದ ಮಾತು ನನಗೆ ಸಿದ್ಧಿಯಾಯಿತೆಂದು.....

ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ೧ ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

1x5=5

೧ ಶಾಂತದಾತರೆಂದರೆ ಯಾರು?

೨ ರಾಮಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಣರು ಶಬರಿಯನ್ನು ಏನೆಂದು ಕರೆದರು?

೩ ಸಿದ್ಧರೊರೆದ ಮಾತು ಏನು?

೪ ರೂಪಿನಂತೆ ಮಾತು ಏನಾಗಿದೆ?

೫ ಶಬರಿಯು ಕಂಬನಿದುಂಬಿ ರಾಮಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಣರಿಗೆ ಏನು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾಳೆ?

೪ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ 'ಹಲಗಲಿಯ ಬೇಡರು' ಪರಿಚಿತ ಪದ್ಯವನ್ನು ಓದಿಕೊಂಡು ಅದರ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

ಹೊತ್ತುಬಂದಿತು ಮತ್ತ ನೋಡಿರಿ ಕತ್ತಿ ಹಿಡಿವ ಜನಕ

ಸಿಟ್ಟಿನ ಮಂದಿ ಹಲಗಲಿ ಬಂಟರು ಮುಟ್ಟಲಿಲ್ಲೊ ದಡಕೆ||

ವಿಲಾಯತಿಯಿಂದ ಹುಕುಮು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿತು ಕುಂಪಣಿ ಸರಕಾರ

ಎಲ್ಲ ಜನರಿಗೆ ಜೋರ ಮಾಡಿ ಕಸಿದು ಕೊಳ್ಳಿರಿ ಹತಾರ

ಹಲಗರಹಳ್ಳಿ ಮುಢೋಳ ಹತ್ತರ ಮೆರೆಯಿತೊ ಸುತ್ತಮುತ್ತ

ಪೂಜೆರಿಹನುಮ ಬ್ಯಾಡರ ಬಾಲ ಜಡಗೆ ರಾಮ ಮಸಲತ್ತೆ
ಕೈಯಾಸ ಹತಾರ ಕೊಡಬಾರದೊ ನಾವು ನಾಲ್ಕು ಮಂದಿ ಜತ್ತೆ
ಹತಾರ ಹೋದಿಂದ ಬಾರದು ಜೀವ ಸತ್ತು ಹೋಗುವುದು ಗೊತ್ತೆ
ಹೊಡರಿ ಜಗಳ ಕೂಡಿ ತೀರ್ತೇವು ಕುಮುಕಿ ನಮ್ಮ ದ್ಯಾವತ್ತೆ
ಒಳಗಿಂದೊಳಗ ವಚನ ಕೊಟ್ಟರೋ ಬ್ಯಾಡರೆಲ್ಲ ಕಲ್ತು.

ಕಾರಕೂನನ ಕಪಾಳಕ ಬಡಿದರ ಸಿಪಾಯಿ ನೆಲಕೆ ಬಿತ್ತ
ಆಗಿಂದಾಗ ದುಃಖದ ಸುದ್ದಿ ಸಾಹೇಬಗ ಹೋಯ್ತು |೧|

ಸಿಟ್ಟಿಲಿ ಮುಂಗೈ ಕಟ್ಟನೆ ಕಡಕೊಂಡ ಹುಕುಮು ಕೊಟ್ಟ ಸಾಹೇಬಗ
ಕುದರಿ ಮಂದಿ ಕೂಡಿ ಮುಟ್ಟಿತೊ ಹಲಗಲಿ ತಳದ ಮ್ಯಾಗ
ಒಳಗಿನ ಮಂದಿ ಗುಂಡು ಹೊದಿದರೊ ಮುಂಗಾರಿ ಸಿಡಿಲ ಸಿಡಿದ್ದಾಂಗ
ಹೊರಗಿನ ಮಂದಿ ಗುಂಡ ಹತ್ತಿ ಸರಿದು ನಿಂತರೊ ಹಿದಿದು ದಂಗ
ಕಾಗದ ಬರೆದು ಕಳುವ್ಯಾರ ಬೇಗ,ದಂಡು ಬರಲೆಂತ ಹೀಂಗ
ದಂಡು ಬಂದಿತೊ ತಯಾರಾಗಿ ಜಲದ ಮಾಡಿ ಹಲಗಲಿಗಿ|೨|

ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ೧ ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

1x5=5

೧ ಹಲಗರ ಹಳ್ಳಿ ಎಲ್ಲಿದೆ?

೨ ಹಲಗಲಿಯ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಬೇಡರು ರಾರು ಯಾರು?

೩ ಕುಂಪಣಿ ಸರಕಾರ ಏನೆಂದು ಹುಕುಮ ಕಳಿಸಿತು?

೪ ಸಿಪಾಯಿ ನೆಲಕ್ಕುರುಳಲು ಕಾರಣವೇನು?

೫ ಕತ್ತಿ ಹಿದಿದು ಹೋರಾಟ ಮಾಡಬೇಕಾದ ಸಂದರ್ಭ ಬಂದದ್ದು ಯಾರಿಗೆ?

ವಿಭಾಗ- ಬಿ

(ಅನ್ವಯಿಕ ವ್ಯಾಕರಣ ಮತ್ತು ಪಠ್ಯಪೂರಕ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ)

೫) ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಂದು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೂ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಉತ್ತರಗಳನ್ನು ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದೆ, ಅವುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸರಿಯಾದ

ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ಆರಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ)

1x10=10

1 ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಸಂಧಿ ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಧಿಪದವನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ

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|----------------|---------------------|
| a ನರಾತ್ಮಕ | 1 ಅದೇಶ ಸಂಧಿ |
| b ಪದೋತ್ಸುತಿ | 2 ಸರ್ವರ್ ದೀರ್ಘ ಸಂಧಿ |
| c ಬೆಳ್ಳಾಪರೆ | 3 ವೃದ್ಧಿ ಸಂಧಿ |
| d ವಿದ್ವೈಶ್ವರ್ಯ | 4 ಯಗ್ ಸಂಧಿ |
| | 5 ಗುಣಸಂಧಿ |

- A a-1 b-2 c-3 d-4 B a-3 b-4 c-1 d-2
C a-4 b-5 c-4 d-5 D a-2 b-5 c-1 d-3

2 ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪದಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕರ್ಮ ಧಾರೆಯ ಸಮಾಸ ಪದಗಳಿರುವುದನ್ನು ಗುರುತಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ

- a) ಆನೆಮರಿ-ಹೊಸಗನ್ನಡ b) ಚೆಂದಳಿರು-ಹೊದ್ದೊರೆ
c) ಅತಿಕುಟಿಲ- ಕೇಸಕ್ಕಿ d) ಇಮ್ಮಡಿ-ಹೆಬ್ಬಾವು

- 1) a ಮತ್ತು b 2) b ಮತ್ತು c 3) d ಮತ್ತು b 4) a ಮತ್ತು d

3 ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ತತ್ಸಮ-ತದ್ಭವ ಸರಿಯಾದ ರೂಪವನ್ನು ಗುರುತಿಸಿ.

- a ವಂಶ ಬಂಚ
b ಪಟ್ಟಣ ಪೊಟ್ಟಣ
c ಯುದ್ಧ ಜುದ್ಧ
d ಸೀರೆ ಸೀರಾ

- A) a ಮತ್ತು c B) c ಮತ್ತು b C) d ಮತ್ತು a D) b ಮತ್ತು d

4 ರಾಮನಿಂ ತೃತೀಯಾ ವಿಭಕ್ತಿಯಾದರೆ ಅಡವಿಯೋಳ್ ಎಂಬುದು -----ವಿಭಕ್ತಿಯಾಗಿದೆ.

- A) ಪ್ರಥಮಾ B) ಸಪ್ತಮೀ C) ಪಂಚಮೀ D) ದ್ವಿತೀಯಾ

5 ಕೃತಜ್ಞ -ಕೃತಘ್ನ ಈ ಪದಗಳ ಅರ್ಥ ವ್ಯತ್ಯಾಸಗಳ ಕ್ರಮ ಹೀಗಿದೆ.

- a) ಉಪಕಾರವನ್ನು ನೆನೆಯುವವನು - ಉಪಕಾರವನ್ನು ಮರೆಯುವವನು
b) ಉಪಕಾರವನ್ನು ಮಾಡುವವನು - ಉಪಕಾರವನ್ನು ಮಾಡದವನು

c) ಕೆಟ್ಟಕೆಲಸವನ್ನು ಮಾಡುವವನು - ಒಳ್ಳೆಯ ಕೆಲಸವನ್ನು ಮಾಡುವವನು

d) ಉಪಟಲವನ್ನು ನೀಡುವವನು - ಉಪಟಲವನ್ನು ನೀಡದವನು

6 ಯಾವುದು,ವನು : ಪ್ರತ್ಯಾರ್ಥಕ ಸರ್ವನಾಮ :: ಶಾನು,ಶಾವ್ಯ -----

a) ಅತ್ಯಾರ್ಥಕ ಸರ್ವನಾಮ b) ನಿರ್ದೇಶನಾರ್ಥಕ ಸರ್ವನಾಮ

c) ಪುರುಷಾರ್ಥಕ ಸರ್ವನಾಮ d) ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥನಾಮ

7 ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪದಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ದ್ವಿರುಕ್ತಿ ಪದವನ್ನು ಗುರುತಿಸಿ.

a) ನಳನಳಿಸು b) ನಟ್ಟನಡುವೆ c) ಪಟಪಟ d) ಲಕಲಕ

8 ಶಾನುಭೋಗರು ಕಂದಾಯ ಕಟ್ಟಲು ಚಿಕ್ಕನಾಯಕನ ಹಳ್ಳಿಗೆ ಹೋದರು. (ಈ ವಾಕ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಕ್ರಿಯಾಪದದ ಧಾತು ರೂಪವನ್ನು ಗುರುತಿಸಿ).

a) ಹೋಗು b) ಹೋದ c) ಹೋಗುವ d) ಹೋದನು

9 ಉಮ,ಭರತ : ಅಂಕಿತನಾಮ :: ಮನುಷ್ಯ,ಗ್ರಹಗಳು -----

a) ಅನ್ವರ್ಥನಾಮ b) ರೂಢನಾಮ c) ಸರ್ವನಾಮ d) ಭಾವನಾಮ

10 'ಬನ್ನ' ಪದದ ಸಮಾನಾರ್ಥಕ ಪದ -----

a) ಬಣ್ಣ b) ಚಿನ್ನ c) ಕಾಡು d) ಕಷ್ಟ

೬ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಸೂಚನೆಯಂತೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

1x5=5

೧ ಶಾನುಭೋಗರು ಖರ್ಚು ಪುಸ್ತಕವನ್ನು ಜೋಪಾನವಾಗಿ ಇಟ್ಟಿದ್ದರು. (ಈ ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನು ಕರ್ಮಣಿ ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನಾಗಿ ಮಾಡಿರಿ)

೨ ಮಕ್ಕಳು ಕನ್ನಡ ಪಾಠವನ್ನು ಓದರು. (ಈ ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನು ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಕ ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನಾಗಿ ಮಾಡಿರಿ)

೩ ಸಿನಿಮಾ ನಟನಭಾಷಣವನ್ನು ಕೇಳಲು ಜನರು ಮೈದಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಸೇರುತ್ತಾರೆ. (ಈ ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನು ಭವಿಷ್ಯತ್ ಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಪರಿವರ್ತಿಸಿರಿ)

೪ 'ಬೂದಿ ಮುಚ್ಚಿದ ಕೆಂಡ' ಈ ಪಡೆನುಡಿಯನ್ನು ಸ್ವಂತವಾಕ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ'

೫ 'ತಾಳಿದವನು ಬಾಳಿಯಾನು' ಈ ಗಾದೆ ಮಾತಿನ ಅರ್ಥವನ್ನು ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

೭ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಂದು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಆಯ್ಕೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅವುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಆಯ್ಕೆಯನ್ನು

ಆರಿಸಿ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

1X3=3

೧ ಅನ್ ಮತ್ತು ದಿನ್ ಲಾಕ್ಸೆ ಮುಸ್ಕರವು ಗುಜರಾತಿ ಭಾಷೆಗೆ ಅನುವಾದವಾದಾಗ

a) ಚಂದ್ರೋದಯ b) ಸರ್ವೋದಯ c) ಸತ್ಯಾನ್ವೇಷಣೆ d) ಆನಂದಮಯ

೨ ಸೈನಿಕರಿಗೆ ಗುಂಡಿನ ದಾಳಿ ನಡೆಸಲು ಆದೇಶ ಕೊಟ್ಟವನು

a) ಜನರಲ್ ಕಲೆ b) ಜನರಲ್ ಹ್ಯಾರಿಸ್ c) ಜನರಲ್ ಡಯಲ್ d) ಜನರಲ್ ಮಸ್ಕೋ

೩ ರಕ್ತದಲ್ಲಿ ಹರಿಯಬೇಕಾದುದು

a) ಭಾವನೆ b) ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ c) ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿ d) ಮೌಲ್ಯ

೪ ಗುಡಿಸಿಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಗೂರುತ್ವ ಮಲಗಿದವರು

a) ಮುಟ್ಟಿ b) ವಸಂತ c) ಒಡೆಯ d) ಅಮ್ಮ

೫ ಬಾಲಕನು ಊಟದ ಡಬ್ಬಿಯಿಂದ ತೆಗೆದ ವಸ್ತು

a) ಉಳಿದ ಅನ್ನ b) ಮಾವಿನ ಹಣ್ಣು c) ರಕ್ತದಲ್ಲಿ ತೊಯ್ದ ಮಣ್ಣು d) ನೀರಿನಿಂದ ತೊಳೆದ ಮಣ್ಣು

ಭಾಗ - ೨

ವಿಭಾಗ - ಸಿ (ಬರವಣಿಗೆ ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ - ೧೨ ಅಂಕಗಳು)

8) ದಿನಾಂಕ ೧೪-೧೧-೨೦೨೫ರ ವಿಜಯವಾಣಿ ದಿನಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟವಾದ ಚಾಹಿರಾತಿನ ಮೇರೆಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳು ಗೋಕಲೆ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಖಾಲಿಯಿರುವ ದೈಹಿಕ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಹುದ್ದೆಗೆ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿ

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ಅಥವಾ

ನಿಮ್ಮ ಬಡಾವಣೆಯ ಕೆಟ್ಟು ಹೋಗಿರುವ ಬೀದಿ ದೀಪಗಳನ್ನು ದುರಸ್ತಿ ಮಾಡುವಂತೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ಪತ್ತಿ ಮಂಡಲಿಯ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಮನವಿ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

9) ನಿಮ್ಮ ಶಾಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಆಚರಿಸಿದ ೭೯ನೇ ಸ್ವಾತಂತ್ರ್ಯ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆಯ ಕುರಿತು ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ಬರೆಯಿರಿ. 4

೧೦ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ವಿಷಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದಾದರೂ ಒಂದು ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಕುರಿತು ಪ್ರಬಂಧ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ. 4

೧ ಪ್ರತಿಭಾ ಪಾಲಾಯನ

೨ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಹಬ್ಬಗಳ ಮಹತ್ವ

೩ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ನೀತಿಯ ಮಹತ್ವ

೧೧ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಎರಡು-ಮೂರು ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

2x4=8

೧ ನಾಲ್ವಡಿ ಕೃಷ್ಣರಾಜ ಒಡೆಯರ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರಗಳು ಸ್ವಯಂ ಆಡಳಿತ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರಗಳಾದವು?

೨ ವಸಂತ ಮುಖ ತೋರಲಿಲ್ಲ ಕವನದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕೃತಿಯ ಸಂಭ್ರಮ ಹೇಗೆ ವ್ಯಕ್ತವಾಗಿದೆ?

೩ ಹಡಗನ್ನು ಯಾವುದರ ಬೆಳಕಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಮುನ್ನಡೆಸ ಬೇಕಿದೆ?

೪ ಭಗತ್ ಸಿಂಗ್ ಜಲಿಯನ್ ವಾಲಾಬಾಗ್ ಮಣ್ಣನ್ನು ಕುರಿತು ತನ್ನ ತಂಗಿಗೆ ಏನೆಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾನೆ?

೧೨ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಐದಾರು ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

3x2=6

೧ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ವಿಶ್ವೇಶ್ವರಯ್ಯನವರು ಏನೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ?

೨ ಯುದ್ಧದ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಕರ್ಣನ ನಿರ್ಧಾರವೇನು?

೧೩ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಸಂದರ್ಭಗಳನ್ನು ಸ್ವಾರಸ್ಯದೊಡನೆ ವಿವರಿಸಿ.

3x2=6

೧ " ನಾನಾಕೆಯನ್ನು ಪರೀಕ್ಷಿಸುವೆ, ಬಿಸಿನೀರು ಸಿದ್ಧ ಪಡಿಸಿ"

ಅಥವಾ

" ನಾನು ಮುಖ ಮೇಲಾಗಿ ಬಿದ್ದಿದ್ದೆನೆ"

"ಪ್ರೀತಿಯ ಹಣತೆಯ ಹಚ್ಚೋಣ"

ಅಥವಾ

"ಜೀಯ ಹಸಾದ ಎಂಬುದು ಕಷ್ಟ"

೧೪) ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ೮-೧೦ ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ.

4x1=4

೧ ನಾಲ್ವಡಿ ಕೃಷ್ಣರಾಜ ಒಡೆಯರ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೈಸೂರು 'ಮಾದರಿ ಮೈಸೂರು ರಾಜ್ಯ' ಹೇಗಾಯಿತು ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ವಿವರಿಸಿ.

ಅಥವಾ

ಶಾನುಭೋಗರು ಮೂರ್ಛೆಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದಾಗ ನಡೆದ ಘಟನೆಯನ್ನು ವಿವರಿಸಿ.

೧೫ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಅ-೧೦ ವಾಕ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿ

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೧ ಪಾಂಡವರು ಮೋದರರೆಂದು ತಿಳಿದಾಗ ಕರ್ಣನ ಮನಸ್ಸಿತ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸಿ.

ಅಥವಾ

ಸಂಕಲ್ಪ ಮತ್ತು ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನದ ಕುರಿತು ಕವಿ ಶಿವರುದ್ರಪ್ಪನವರ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯವನ್ನು ವಿವರಿಸಿ



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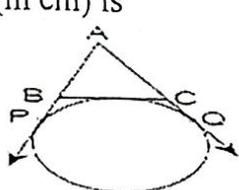
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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- *Read the following instructions very carefully and strictly follow them
- *This question paper contains 38 questions. All questions are compulsory.
- *This question paper is divided into five sections – A, B, C, D and E.
- *In section -A question number 1 to 18 are multiple choice questions (MCQs) and question number 19 and 20 are Assertion-Reason based questions of 1 mark each.
- *In section-B questions number 21 to 25 are short answer (VSA) type questions, carrying 2 marks each.
- *In section-C questions number 26 to 31 are short answer (SA) type questions, carrying 3 marks each.
- *In section-D questions number 32 to 35 are very Long answer (LA) type questions, carrying 5 marks each.
- *In section-E questions number 36 to 38 are Case study-based questions carrying 4 marks each. Internal choice is provided in 2 marks questions in each case study.
- *There is no overall choice. However, an internal choice has been provided in 2 questions in section-B, 2 questions in section-C, 2 questions in section-D, 3 questions in section-E.
- *Draw neat diagrams wherever required. Take $\pi = 22/7$ wherever required, if not stated.
- *Use of calculator is NOT allowed.

SI No	Section A This section has 20 questions of 1 mark each	Marks
1.	Two natural numbers whose difference is 66 and the least common multiple is 360, are: (a) 120 and 54 (b) 90 and 24 (c) 180 and 114 (d) 130 and 64	1
2.	If P(1, 2), Q(4, 6), R(5, 7) and S(a, b) are the vertices of a parallelogram PQRS, then (a) a = 2, b = 4 (b) a = 3, b = 4 (c) a = 2, b = 3 (d) a = 3, b = 5	1
3.	If $x = a, y = b$ is the solution of the pair of equations $x - y = 2$ and $x + y = 4$, then the respective values of a and b are (a) 3, 5 (b) 5, 3 (c) 3, 1 (d) -1, -3	1
4.	Two parallel lines touch the circle at points A and B respectively. If area of the circle is $25\pi \text{ cm}^2$, then AB is equal to (a) 5 cm (b) 8 cm (c) 10 cm (d) 25 cm	1
5.	If $x \tan 60^\circ \cos 60^\circ = \sin 60^\circ \cot 60^\circ$, then $x =$ (a) $\cos 30^\circ$ (b) $\tan 30^\circ$ (c) $\sin 30^\circ$ (d) $\cot 30^\circ$	1
6.	$(x^2 + 1)^2 - x^2 = 0$ has (a) four real roots (b) two real roots (c) no real roots (d) one real root	1
7.	The radius (in cm) of the largest right circular cone that can be cut out from a cube of edge 4.2 cm is (a) 4.2 (b) 2.1 (c) 8.1 (d) 1.05	1

8.	A card is drawn from a well-shuffled deck of 52 playing cards. The probability that the card will not be an ace is (a) $\frac{1}{13}$ (b) $\frac{1}{4}$ (c) $\frac{12}{13}$ (d) $\frac{3}{4}$	
9.	If $\tan a + \cot a = 2$, then $\tan^{20} a + \cot^{20} a =$ (a) 0 (b) 2 (c) 20 (d) 220	
10.	The LCM and HCF of two non-zero positive numbers are equal, then the numbers must be (a) composite (b) prime (c) co-prime (d) equal	
11.	A sphere and a cube have equal surface areas. The ratio of the volume of the sphere to that of cube is (a) $\sqrt{\pi} : \sqrt{6}$ (b) $\sqrt{6} : \sqrt{\pi}$ (c) $\sqrt{\pi} : \sqrt{3}$ (d) $\sqrt{3} : \sqrt{\pi}$	
12.	If α, β are roots of the equation $x^2 + 5x + 5 = 0$, then equation whose roots are $\alpha + 1$ and $\beta + 1$ is (a) $x^2 + 5x - 5 = 0$ (b) $x^2 + 3x + 5 = 0$ (c) $x^2 + 3x + 1 = 0$ (d) none of these	
13.	If the area of a circle is numerically equal to twice its circumference, then the diameter of the circle is (a) 4 units (b) π units (c) 8 units (d) 2 units	
14.	In triangles ABC and DEF, $\angle B = \angle E, \angle F = \angle C$ and $AB = 3DE$. Then, the two triangles are (a) congruent but not similar (b) similar but not congruent (c) neither congruent nor similar (d) congruent as well as similar	
15.	The sum of the probabilities of all elementary events of an experiment is p, then (a) $0 < p < 1$ (b) $0 \leq p < 1$ (c) $p = 1$ (d) $p = 0$	
16.	AOBC is a rectangle whose three vertices are A (0, 3), O (0, 0) and B (5, 0). The length of its diagonal is (a) 5 (b) 3 (c) $\sqrt{34}$ (d) 4	
17.	Mean of 100 items is 49. It was discovered that three items which should have been 60, 70, and 80 were wrongly read as 40, 20, and 50 respectively. The correct mean is (a) 48 (b) 49 (c) 50 (d) 60	
18.	In figure, AP, AQ and BC are tangents to the circle. If $AB = 5$ cm, $AC = 6$ cm and $BC = 4$ cm, then the length of AP (in cm) is  (a) 7.5 (b) 15 (c) 10 (d) 9	

Assertion (A): The value of $\cos \theta = \frac{AB}{AC} < 1$ as hypotenuse is the longest side of a right-angled triangle.
Reason (R): In right $\triangle ABC, \angle C = 90^\circ$.
(a) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true and reason (R) is the correct explanation of assertion (A).
(b) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true but reason (R) is not the correct explanation of assertion (A).
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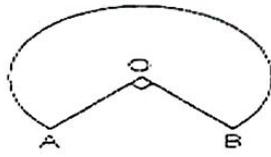
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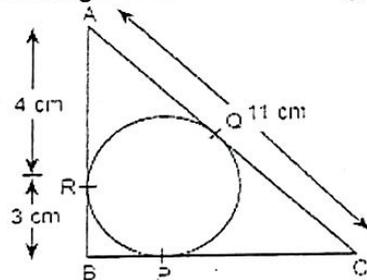
19.	Assertion (A): For no value of n , where n is a natural number, the number 6^n ends with the digit zero. Reason (R): For a number to end with digit zero, its prime factors should have 2 & 5. (a) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true and reason (R) is the correct explanation of assertion (A). (b) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true but reason (R) is not the correct explanation of assertion (A). (c) Assertion (A) is true but reason (R) is false (d) Assertion (A) is false but reason (R) is true.	1
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20.	<p>Assertion (A): The value of each of the trigonometric ratios of an angle do not vary with the lengths of the sides of the triangle, if the angle remains the same.</p> <p>Reason (R): In right $\triangle ABC$, $\angle B = 90^\circ$ and $\angle A = \theta$, $\sin \theta = \frac{BC}{AC} < 1$ and $\cos \theta = \frac{AB}{AC} < 1$ as hypotenuse is the longest side.</p> <p>(a) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true and reason (R) is the correct explanation of assertion (A).</p> <p>(b) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true but reason (R) is not the correct explanation of assertion (A).</p> <p>(c) Assertion (A) is true but reason (R) is false.</p> <p>(d) Assertion (A) is false but reason (R) is true.</p>	1
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SECTION- B

This section has 5 questions of 02 marks each.

21.	<p>Determine k so that $4k + 8$, $2k^2 + 3k + 6$ and $3k^2 + 4k + 4$ are three consecutive terms of an AP.</p> <p align="center">OR</p> <p>Determine the 25th term of an AP whose 9th term is -6 and common difference is $5/4$.</p>	2
22.	<p>In a $\triangle ABC$, right angled at A, If $AB = 12$ cm, $CA = 5$ cm and $BC = 13$ cm, find all the six trigonometric ratios of angle B.</p>	2
23.	<p>If D and E are respectively the points on the side AB and AC of a triangle ABC such that $AD = 6$ cm, $BD = 9$ cm, $AE = 8$ cm and $EC = 12$ cm, then show that $DE \parallel BC$.</p>	2
24.	<p>In the given figure, the shape of the top of a table is that a sector of a circle with centre O and $\angle AOB = 90^\circ$. If $AO = OB = 42$ cm, then find the perimeter of the top of the table. [Use $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$]</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p align="center">OR</p> <p>A wire is looped in the form of a circle of radius 28 cm. It is reverted into a square form. Determine the side of the square. [Use $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$]</p> </div>	2

25.	<p>In figure, $\triangle ABC$ is circumscribing a circle. Find the length of BC.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	2
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SECTION- C

This section has 6 questions of 03 marks each.

26.	<p>Prove that parallelogram circumscribing a circle is a rhombus</p>	3
27.	<p>The greatest number that will divide 76, 112, 172 and 184 so as to leave remainder 40 in each case is $k^2 \times 3$. Find the value of k.</p>	3
28.	<p>If α and β, are zeroes of quadratic polynomial $2x^2 + 5x + k$, find the value of k such that $(\alpha + \beta)^2 - \alpha\beta = 24$.</p>	3

29.	<p>Prove that: $\frac{\tan \theta}{1 - \cot \theta} + \frac{\cot \theta}{1 - \tan \theta} = 1 + \sec \theta \csc \theta$</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If $\sin \theta + \cos \theta = \sqrt{3}$, then prove that $\tan \theta + \cot \theta = 1$</p>	1
30.	<p>All the three face cards of spades are removed from a well-shuffled pack of 52 cards. A card is then drawn at random from the remaining pack. Find the probability of getting</p> <p>(i) a black face card, (ii) a queen, (iii) a black card.</p>	3
31.	<p>Draw the graphs of the equations $4x - y - 8 = 0$ and $2x - 3y + 6 = 0$</p> <p>OR</p> <p>From a stationary shop, Archana bought two pencils and three pens for ₹ 40 and (i) bought one pencil and two pens for ₹ 25. Find the price of one pencil and one pen graphically.</p>	3
SECTION- D This section has 4 questions of 05 marks each.		
32.	<p>A truck covers a distance of 150 km at a certain average speed and then covers another 200 km at an average speed which is 20 km per hour more than the first speed. If the truck covers the total distance in 5 hours, then find the first speed of the truck.</p>	5
33.	<p>Prove that if a line is drawn parallel to one side of a triangle to intersect the other two sides in distinct points, the other two sides are divided in the same ratio.</p> <p>Hence in ΔPQR, prove that a line l intersects the sides PQ and PR of a ΔPQR at L and M respectively such that $LM \parallel QR$. If $PL = 5.7\text{cm}$, $PQ = 15.2\text{cm}$ and $MR = 5.5\text{cm}$, then find the length of PM (in cm)</p>	5
34.	<p>There are two identical solid cubical boxes of side 7 cm. From the top face of the first cube a hemisphere of diameter equal to the side of the cube is scooped out. This hemisphere is inverted and placed on the top of the second cube's surface to form a dome. Find (i) The ratio of the total surface area of the two new solids formed. (ii) Volume of each new solid formed.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>A solid toy is in the form of a hemisphere surmounted by a right circular cone of same radius. The height of the cone is 10 cm and the radius of the base is 7 cm. Determine the volume of the toy. Also find the area of the coloured sheet required to cover the toy.</p>	5

35. Find the mean and mode of the following data:

Class Interval	0-20	20-40	40-60	60-80	80-100	100-120	120-140
Frequency	6	8	10	12	6	5	3

OR

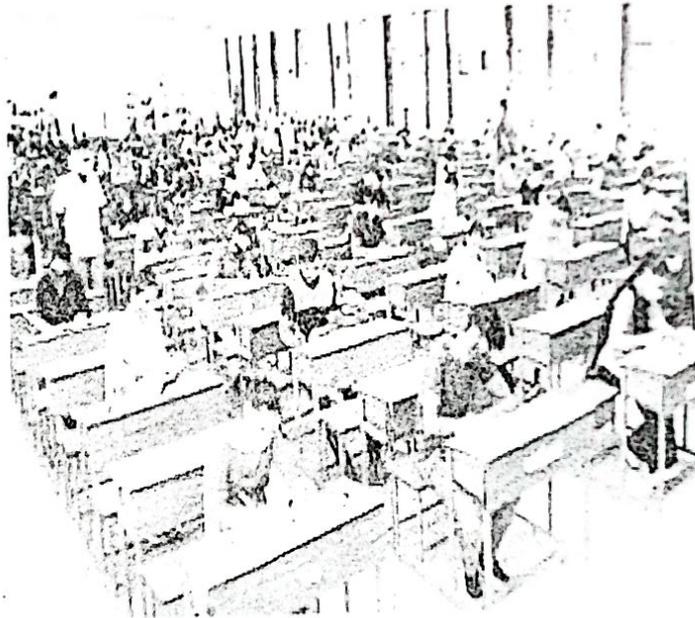
Find the unknowns in the following table. Also find median

Class Interval	frequency	Cumulative frequency
0 - 10	5	5
10 - 20	7	x_1
20 - 30	x_2	18
30 - 40	5	x_3
40 - 50	x_4	30

SECTION-E

This section consists of 3 case-based questions of 4 marks each.

36. In an examination hall, the examiner makes students sit in such a way that no students can cheat from other student and make no student sit uncomfortably. So, the teacher decides to mark the numbers on each chair from 1, 2, 3, There are 25 students and each student is seated at alternate position in examination room such that the sequence formed is 1, 3, 5,....



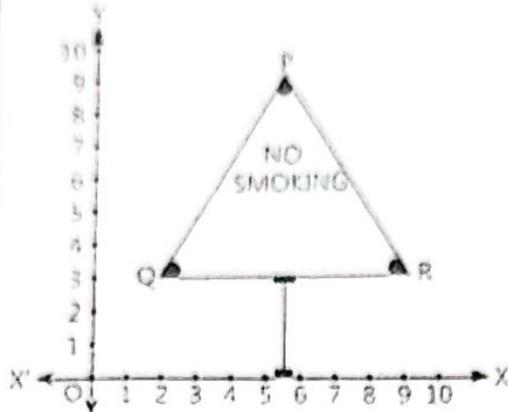
Based on the given information, solve the following questions:

1. What type of sequence is formed, to follow the seating arrangement of students in the examination room? 1
2. Find the seat number of the last student in the examination room. 1
3. Find the seat number of 10th vacant seat in the examination room. 2

OR

Which number of student will seat on the 27th seat number.

37. All of the persons know that smoking is injurious to health. So, some college students decided to start a campaign. To raise social awareness about hazards of smoking, they started "NO SMOKING" campaign. Some students were asked to prepare campaign banners in the shape of triangle which is as shown in the figure:



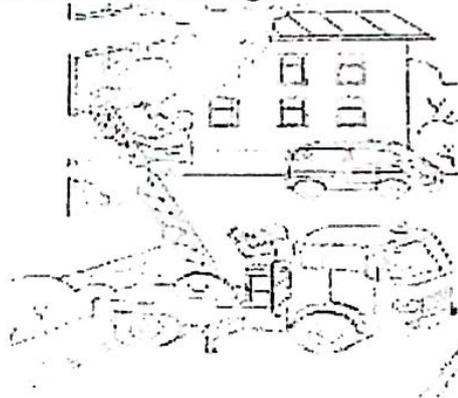
Based on the above information, solve the following questions:

1. Find the coordinates of the mid-point of Q and R.
2. Find the length of QR.
3. Find the point on X-axis, which is equidistant from points Q and R.

OR

Find the centroid of the triangle PQR.

38. There is fire incident in the house. The house door is locked so, the fireman is trying to enter the house from the window. He places the ladder against the wall such that its top reaches the window as shown in the figure.

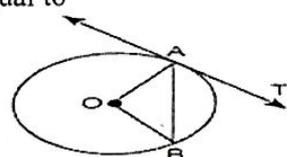


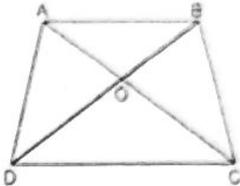
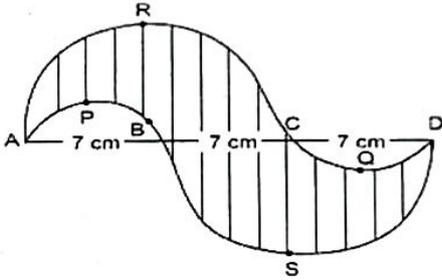
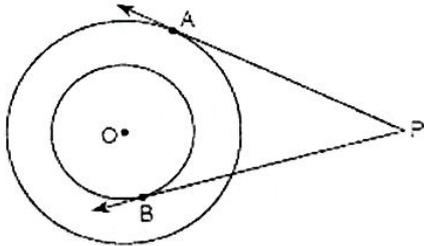
Based on the above information, solve the following questions:

1. If window is 6 m above the ground and angle made by the foot of ladder to the ground is 30° , then find the length of the ladder
2. If fireman places the ladder 2.5 m away from the wall and angle of elevation is observed to be 60° , then find the height of the window: (Take $\sqrt{3} = 1.73$)
3. If the height of the window is 8 m above the ground and angle of elevation is observed to be 45° , then find the horizontal distance between the foot of ladder and wall

OR

If the fireman gets a 9 m long ladder and window is at 6 m height, then how far the ladder should be placed?

6.	If the equation $x^2 - (2 + m)x + (-m^2 - 4m - 4) = 0$ has coincident roots, then (a) $m = 0, m = 1$ (b) $m = 2, m = 2$ (c) $m = -2, m = -2$ (d) $m = 6, m = 1$	1
7.	A right circular cylinder of radius r cm and height h cm ($h > 2r$) just encloses a sphere of diameter (a) r cm (b) $2r$ cm (c) h cm (d) $2h$ cm	1
8.	A coin is tossed twice. The probability of getting both heads is (a) $\frac{1}{2}$ (b) $\frac{1}{3}$ (c) $\frac{1}{4}$ (d) 1	1
9.	If $\sin^2\theta + \sin\theta = 1$, then the value of $\cos^2\theta + \cos\theta$ is (a) -1 (b) 1 (c) 0 (d) 2	1
10.	The sum of exponents of prime factors in the prime factorization of 250 is (a) 3 (b) 4 (c) 5 (d) 6	1
11.	How many bags of grain can be stored in a cuboid granary $12\text{ m} \times 6\text{ m} \times 5\text{ m}$. If each bag occupies a space of 0.48 m^3 ? (a) 750 (b) 75 (c) 1500 (d) 375	1
12.	If $(x - a)$ is one of the factors of the polynomial $ax^2 + bx + c$, then one of the roots of $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ is (a) 1 (b) c (c) a (d) none of these	1
13.	If the circumferences of two circles are in the ratio $4 : 9$, then the ratio in their area is (a) $9 : 4$ (b) $4 : 9$ (c) $2 : 3$ (d) $16 : 81$	1
14.	If $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta EDF$ and ΔABC is not similar to ΔDEF , then which of the following is not true? (a) $BC \cdot EF = AC \cdot FD$ (b) $AB \cdot EF = AC \cdot DE$ (c) $BC \cdot DE = AB \cdot EF$ (d) $BC \cdot DE = AB \cdot FD$	1
15.	A fair dice is rolled. Probability of getting a number x such that $1 \leq x \leq 6$, is (a) 0 (b) > 1 (c) between 0 and 1 (d) 1	1
16.	The perimeter of a triangle with vertices $(0, 4)$, $(0, 0)$ and $(3, 0)$ is (a) 5 (b) 12 (c) 11 (d) $7 + \sqrt{5}$	1
17.	Mode is the value of the variable which has: (a) maximum frequency (b) minimum frequency (c) mean frequency (d) middle most frequency	1
18.	In figure, O is the centre of a circle, AB is a chord and AT is the tangent at A. If $\angle AOB = 100^\circ$, then $\angle BAT$ is equal to  (a) 100° (b) 40° (c) 50° (d) 90°	1
Direction for questions 19 & 20: In question numbers 19 and 20, Assertion (A) and Reason(R) are given. Select the correct option from the following.		
19.	Assertion (A): If LCM of two numbers is 2475 and their product is 12375, then their HCF is 5 Reason (R): $HCF(a, b) \times LCM(a, b) = a \times b$. (a) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true and reason (R) is the Correct explanation of assertion (A). (b) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true but reason (R) is not The correct explanation of assertion (A). (c) Assertion (A) is true but reason (R) is false (d) Assertion (A) is false but reason (R) is true.	1

20	<p>Assertion (A): In $\triangle ABC$, right angled at B, if $\sin A = \frac{4}{5}$ then $\cos A = \frac{3}{5}$ and $\tan A = \frac{4}{3}$</p> <p>Reason (R): For acute angle θ, $\cos \theta = \frac{\text{hyp}}{\text{base}}$ and $\tan \theta = \frac{\text{base}}{\text{perpendicular}}$</p> <p>(a) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true and reason (R) is the correct explanation of assertion (A).</p> <p>(b) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true but reason (R) is not the correct explanation of assertion (A).</p> <p>(c) Assertion (A) is true but reason (R) is false</p> <p>(d) Assertion (A) is false but reason (R) is true.</p>	1
<p>SECTION- B This section has 5 questions of 02 marks each.</p>		
21.	<p>If 5 times the 5th term of an AP is equal to 10 times the 10th term, show that its 15th term is zero.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>The 6th term of an Arithmetic Progression (AP) is -10 and its 10th term is -26. Determine the 15th term of the AP.</p>	2
22.	Find the value of $\tan 60^\circ$ geometrically.	2
23.	<p>In the given figure, if $AB \parallel CD$, $AO/OC = BO/OD$ and $AB = 4$ cm. Find the value of DC.</p>	2
		
24.	<p>In figure APB and CQD are semicircles of diameter 7 cm each, while ARC and BSD are semicircles of diameter 14 cm each. Find the perimeter of the shaded region. [Use $\pi = 3.14$]</p>	2
		
<p>OR</p> <p>The diameter of the wheel of a bus is 140 cm. How many revolutions per minute must the wheel make in order to keep a speed of 66 km/h?</p>		
25.	<p>In figure, there are two concentric circles, with centre O and of radii 5 cm and 3 cm. From an external point P, tangents PA and PB are drawn to these circles. If $AP = 12$ cm, find the length of BP.</p>	2
		

SECTION- C

This section has 6 questions of 03 marks each.

26. Prove that opposite sides of a quadrilateral circumscribing a circle subtend supplementary angles at the centre of the circle. 3

27. LCM of two numbers is 10 times their HCF. Sum of HCF and LCM is 495. If one number is 90, then find the other number. 3

28. If one zero of the quadratic polynomial $2x^2 + px + 4$ is 2, find the other zero. Also, find the value of p . 3

29. Prove that $\sec A (1 - \sin A) (\sec A + \tan A) = 1$. 3

OR

Prove that : $(\sin x - \cos x + 1) \cdot (\sec x - \tan x) = (\sin x + \cos x - 1)$

30. The king, queen and jack of clubs are removed from a deck of 52 playing cards and the remaining cards are shuffled. A card is drawn from the remaining cards. Find the probability of getting a card of
(i) heart
(ii) queen
(iii) clubs. 3

31. The perimeter of a rectangle is 52 cm, where length is 6 cm more than the width of the rectangle. Form the pair of linear equations for the above situation and find the dimensions of the rectangle graphically. 3

OR

Solve the following system of equations graphically: $2x - y - 1 = 0, x + 2y - 13 = 0$

SECTION- D

This section has 4 questions of 05 marks each.

32. In a flight of 2800 km, an aircraft was slowed down due to bad weather. Its average speed is reduced by 100 km/h and time increased by 30 minutes. Find the original duration of the flight. 5

33. Prove that if a line is drawn parallel to one side of a triangle to intersect the other sides in distinct points, the other two sides are divided in the same ratio.

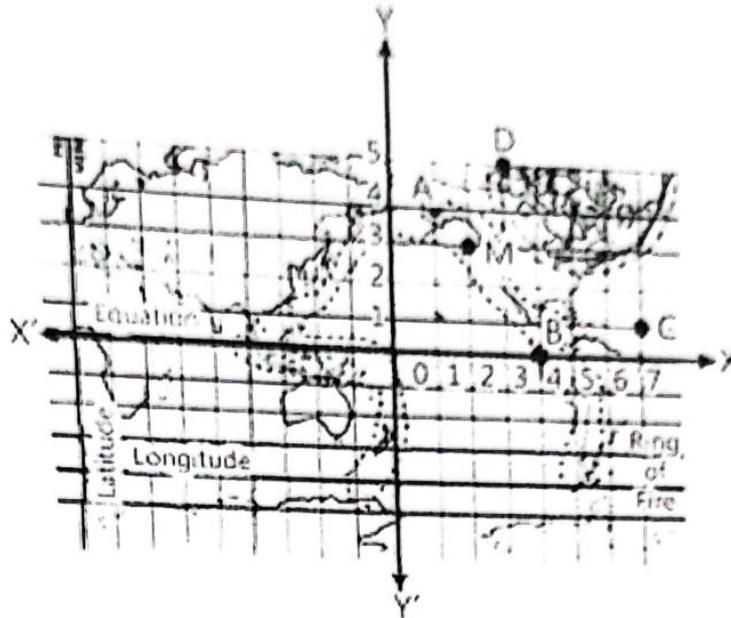
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34. A cylindrical tub, whose diameter is 12 cm and height 15 cm is full of ice-cream. The whole ice-cream is to be divided into 10 children in equal ice-cream cones, with conical base surmounted by hemispherical top. If the height of conical portion is twice the diameter of base, find the diameter of conical part of ice-cream cone. 5

Or

Due to heavy floods in a state, thousands were rendered homeless. 50 schools collectively decided to provide place and the canvas for 1500 tents and share the whole expenditure equally. The lower part of each tent is cylindrical with base radius 2.8 m and height 3.5 m and the upper part is conical with the same base radius, but of height 2.1 m. If the canvas used to make the tents costs ₹120 per m^2 , find the amount shared by each school to set up the tents.

37. Positions of some countries in the Pacific ring of fire is shown in the square grid below.



Based on the above information, solve the following questions:

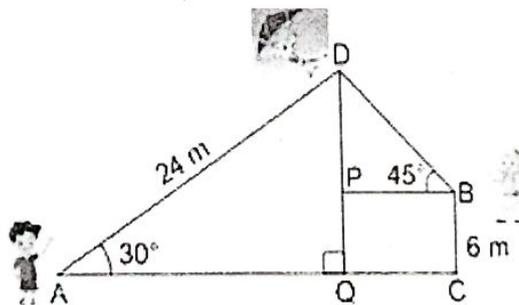
1. Find the distance between the point Country A and Country B
2. Find a relation between x and y such that the point (x, y) is equidistant from the Country C and Country D
3. Find the distance of the Country M from the X-axis

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1
2

OR

What are the co-ordinates of the Country lying on the mid-point of Country A and Country D?

- 38 Sandeep and his sister Dolly visited at their uncle's place-Birth, Himachal Pradesh. During day time Sandeep, who is standing on the ground spots a paraglider at a distance of 24 m from him at an elevation of 30° . His sister Dolly is also standing on the roof of a 6 m high building, observes the elevation of the same paraglider as 45° . Sandeep and Dolly are on the opposite sides of the paraglider.



Based on the given information, solve the following questions:

1. Find the distance of paraglider from the ground.
2. Find the value of PD.
3. Find the distance between the paraglider and the Dolly.

1
1
2

Or

Find the distance between Sandeep and base of the building.

35. Find mean, median and mode for the below data

Amount (in ₹)	0-20	20-40	40-60	60-80	80-100
No. of students	5	8	12	11	4

OR

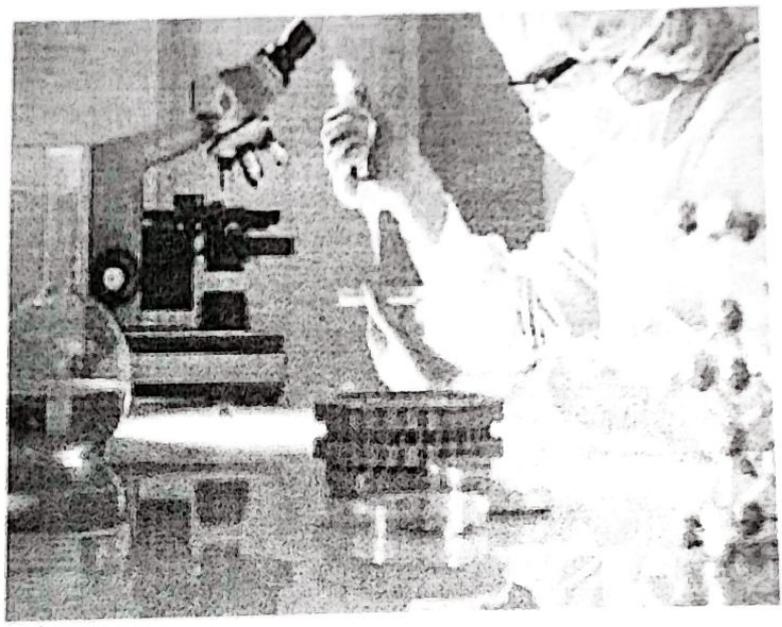
The lengths of 50 leaves of a plant are measured correct to the nearest millimetre and the data obtained is represented in the following table Find the mean length and modal length of the leaves.

Length (in mm)	109-117	118-126	127-135	136-144	145-153	154-162	163-171
No. of leaves	4	6	14	13	6	4	3

SECTION-E

This section consists of 3 case-based questions of 4 marks each.

36. In a pathology lab, a culture test has been conducted. In the test, the number of bacteria taken into consideration in various samples is all 3-digit numbers that are divisible by 7, taken in order.



Based on the above information, solve the following questions:

1. How many bacteria are considered in the seventh sample?
2. How many samples should be taken into consideration?
3. Find the total number of bacteria in the first 15 samples.

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2

OR

Find the number of samples in which sum of bacteria is 840.



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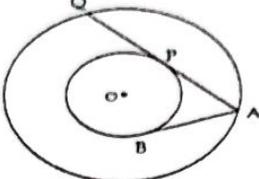
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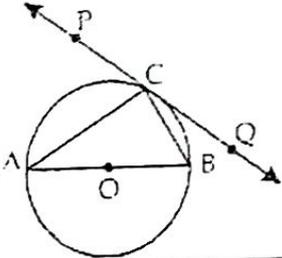
General Instructions:

Read the following instructions carefully and follow them

1. This question paper contains 38 questions. All Questions are compulsory
2. This Question Paper is divided into 5 Sections A, B, C, D and E
3. In Section A, Question numbers 1-18 are multiple choice questions (MCQs) and question no.19 and 20 are Assertion- Reason based questions of 1 mark each
4. In Section B, Question numbers 21-25 are very short answer (VSA) type questions, carrying 02 marks each.
5. In Section C, Question numbers 26-31 are short answer (SA) type questions, carrying 03 marks each.
6. In Section D, Question numbers 32-35 are long answer (LA) type questions, carrying 05 marks each.
7. In Section E, Question numbers 36-38 are case study-based questions carrying 4 marks each with sub parts of the values of 1, 1 and 2 marks each respectively.
8. There is no overall choice. However, an internal choice in 2 questions of Section B, 2 questions of Section C and 2 questions of Section D has been provided. An internal choice has been provided in all the 2 marks questions of Section E.
9. Draw neat and clean figures wherever required.

Section A		
Each multiple-choice question of 1 mark, has four options with only one correct option, choose the correct option		
Q.No	Question	Marks
1	The HCF of two numbers is 116 and their LCM is 1740. If one number is 580, then the other number is: (a) 580 (b) 348 (c) 680 (d) 448	1
2	The graph of the polynomial $ax^2 + bx + c$ is an upward parabola if (a) $a > 0$ (b) $a < 0$ (c) $a = 0$ (d) $a = 1$	1
3	If one equation of a pair of dependent linear equations is $-3x+5y-2=0$. The second equation will be: (a) $-6x+10y-4=0$ (b) $6x-10y-4=0$ (c) $6x+10y-4=0$ (d) $-6x+10y+4=0$	1
4	The roots of the equation $x^2+7x+10=0$ are: (a) $-5, -2$ (b) $5, 2$ (c) $5, -2$ (d) $-5, 2$	1
5	The number in the form of $4p + 3$, where p is a whole number, will always be: (a) even (b) odd (c) even or odd (d) multiple of 3	1
6	Which term of the A.P. 3, 8, 13, 18, ... is 78? (a) 12 th (b) 13 th (c) 15 th (d) 16 th	1
7	In ΔABC and ΔDEF , $\frac{AB}{EF} = \frac{AC}{DE}$, and $\angle A = \angle E$, then symbolically we write it as: (a) $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta DEF$ (b) $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta EDF$ (c) $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta EFD$ (d) $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta DFE$	1

8	The value of $\cos^2 \theta + \frac{1}{1 + \cot^2 \theta}$ is: (a) $2 \sin^2 \theta$ (b) 1 (c) 0 (d) $\cos^2 \theta$	1
9	Values of k for which the quadratic equation $2x^2 - kx + k - 1 = 0$ is: (a) 0 only (b) 4, 0 (c) 8 only (d) 0, 8	1
10	If the HCF of 65 and 117 is expressible in the form $65m - 117$, then the value of m is: (a) 4 (b) 2 (c) 1 (d) 3	1
11	If 17th term of an A.P. exceeds its 10th term by 7. The common difference is: (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4	1
12	In $\triangle ABC$, $DE \parallel AB$. If $CD = 3$ cm, $EC = 4$ cm, $BE = 6$ cm, then DA is equal to: (a) 7.5 cm (b) 3 cm (c) 4.5 cm (d) 6 cm	1
13	The distance between the points $A(0, 6)$ and $B(0, -2)$ is: (a) 6 (b) 8 (c) 4 (d) 2	1
14	If $\sin \theta = \cos \theta$, ($0^\circ < \theta < 90^\circ$), then value of $(\sec^2 \theta \times \sin^2 \theta)$ is: (a) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ (b) $\sqrt{2}$ (c) 1 (d) 0	1
15	In fig., two concentric circles with centre O are shown. AB and APQ are tangents to the inner circle from point A lying on the outer circle. If $AB = 7.5$ cm, then AQ is equal to:  (a) 18 cm (b) 15 cm (c) 12 cm (d) 10 cm	1
16	A solid cylinder of radius r and height h is placed over another cylinder of same height and radius. The total surface area of the shape so formed is: (a) $4\pi rh + 4\pi r^2$ (b) $2\pi rh + 4\pi r^2$ (c) $2\pi rh + 2\pi r^2$ (d) $4\pi rh + 2\pi r^2$	1
17	If triangles ABC and DEF are similar and $AB=4$ cm, $DE=6$ cm, $EF=9$ cm and $FD=12$ cm, the perimeter of triangle ABC is: (a) 22 cm (b) 20 cm (c) 21 cm (d) 18 cm	1
18	The median and mean is given by $\frac{23}{3}$ and 8, respectively. Then the mode is: (a) 8 (b) 7 (c) 3 (d) 23	1
	Each of the following questions contains two statements i.e., ASSERTION and REASON, and has following four choices. Only one of which is the correct answer.	
19	Assertion (A) If a line divides any two sides of a triangle in the same ratio, then the line is parallel to the third side. Reason (R) Line segment joining the mid-point of any two sides of a triangle is parallel to the third side. (a) Both Assertion and Reason are correct and Reason is the correct explanation for Assertion. (b) Both Assertion and Reason are correct and Reason is not the correct explanation for Assertion. (c) Assertion is true but the Reason is false. (d) Both Assertion and Reason are false.	1

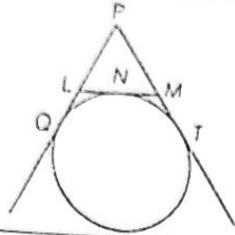
20	<p>Assertion (A) : A coin is tossed 30 times and head appears 20 times. Then, the probability of getting a tail is $\frac{1}{3}$.</p> <p>Reason (R) : Probability of happening of an event = $\frac{\text{the event happened}}{\text{Total number of trials}}$</p> <p>(a) Both Assertion (A) and Reason (R) are true and Reason (R) is the correct explanation, of Assertion (A). (b) Both Assertion (A) and Reason (R) are true but Reason (R) is not the correct explanation of Assertion (A). (c) Assertion (A) is true but Reason (R) is false. (d) Assertion (A) is false but Reason (R) is true.</p>	1
SECTION - B This section comprises of very short answer of 2 marks each		
21	<p>Find the eleventh term from the last of the A.P. 27, 23, 19, - 65.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>For what value of k will $k + 9$, $2k - 1$ and $2k + 7$ are the consecutive terms of an A.P. ?</p>	2
22	<p>Find the fourth vertex of parallelogram ABCD whose three vertices are A (- 2, 3), B (6, 7) and C (8, 3).</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Find the value of x for which the distance between the point P (2, - 3) and Q (x, 5) is 10 unit.</p>	2
23	<p>Find the value of 'x' if $2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 30^\circ + x \sin^2 60^\circ - \frac{3}{4} \tan^2 30^\circ = 10$</p>	2
24	<p>In figure, PQ is a tangent at a point C to a circle with centre O. If AB is a diameter and $\angle CAB = 30^\circ$, find $\angle PCA$.</p> 	2
25	<p>Find the fourth and fifth observation from the following observations, if these are already arranged in ascending order. The Median is 63. 20, 24, 42, y, $y + 2$, 73, 75, 80, 99</p>	2
SECTION - C This section comprises of short answer type questions of 3 marks each		
26	<p>Find the two numbers whose sum is 75 and difference is 15.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Amit bought two pencils and three chocolates for ₹11 and Sumeet bought one pencil and two chocolates for ₹7. Represent this situation in the form of a pair of linear equations. Find the price of one pencil and that of one chocolate.</p>	3
27	<p>A (5, 1), B (1, 4) and C (8, 5) are the coordinates of the vertices of a triangle. What types of triangles will $\triangle ABC$ be? (verify for based on sides)</p>	3
28	<p>Prove that: $2\sqrt{5} - 3$ is an irrational number, using the fact that $\sqrt{5}$ is an irrational number.</p>	3

29 Prove that: $\sin\theta (1 + \tan\theta) + \cos\theta (1 + \cot\theta) = \sec\theta + \operatorname{cosec}\theta$
 OR
 Prove the following identity:

$$\left(1 + \frac{1}{\tan^2 A}\right)\left(1 + \frac{1}{\cot^2 A}\right) = \frac{1}{\cot^2 A + \tan^2 A}$$

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30 If $PQ = 28$ cm, then find the perimeter of $\triangle PLM$.



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31 Find the mean of the following data :

Classes	210 - 229	230 - 249	250 - 269	270 - 289	290 - 309
Frequency	8	9	10	7	2

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SECTION - D

32 This section comprises of long answer type questions of 5 marks each
 A sailor can row a boat 8 km downstream and return back to the starting point in 1 h 40 min. If the speed of the stream is 2 km/h, then find the speed of the boat in still water.

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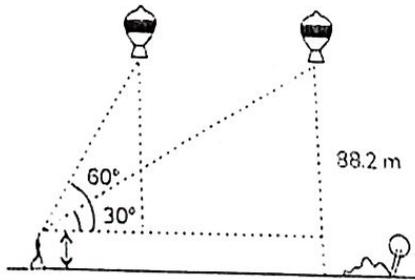
OR
 A rectangular park is to be designed whose breadth is 3 m less than its length. Its area is to be 4 m^2 more than the area of a park that has already been made in the shape of an isosceles triangle with its base as the breadth of the rectangular park and of altitude 12 m. Find its length and breadth.

33 Prove that: If a line is drawn parallel to one side of a triangle intersecting the other two sides in distinct points, then the other two sides are divided in the same ratio.

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34 A 1.2 m tall girl spots a balloon moving with the wind in a horizontal line at a height of 88.2 m from the ground. The angle of elevation of the balloon from the eyes of the girl at any instant is 60° . After some time, the angle of elevation reduces to 30° (see figure). Find the distance travelled by the balloon during the interval.

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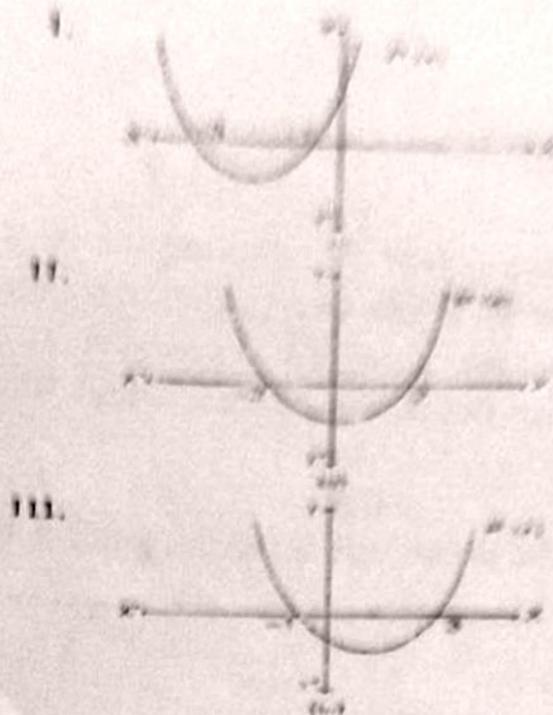
The shadow of a vertical tower on level ground increases by 16 m, when the altitude of the Sun changes from angles of elevation 60° to 45° . Find the height of the tower, correct to one place of decimal. (Use $\sqrt{3} = 1.73$).

35 A chord of a circle of radius 12 cm subtends an angle of 120° at the centre. Find the area of the corresponding segment of the circle. (Use $\pi = 3.14$ and $\sqrt{3} = 1.73$)

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36

A teacher of class X drew the three graphs of quadratic polynomials on the board as shown below.



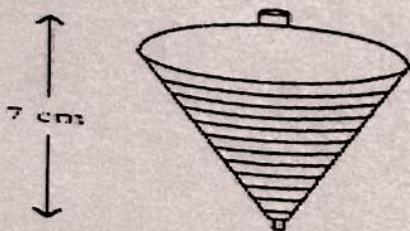
- 1) Write the zeroes of polynomial $P(x)$ in graph I.
- 2) How many polynomials are there having two roots 2 and -2 ?
- 3) Write the polynomial $P(x)$ for graph (I).

OR

Find the value of $(a + b)$ for which $p(x) = x^2 + ax - b$ in graph III.

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1
2

- 37 Radha was very happy about her birthday. She got lots of presents on her birthday. Out of many birthdays presents she liked the playing top the most. The shape of that top is like a cone which is surmounted by a hemisphere top as shown in the figure. The Top' was painted with dull colours, now Radha wants to make it brighter by colouring it with different colours. The height of the top is 7 cm diameter of hemisphere is 5.6 cm



Answer the following questions:

- (i) Find the height of the conical part of the top.
- ii) Find the ratio of height of the cone and height of the hemisphere.
- iii) What is the surface area of hemispherical part, which is to be painted green?

OR

If conical part needs to be coloured bright orange. How much area need to be painted? (approx.)

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1
2

38

There are three friends and they want to play some interesting game. Firstly, they consider some cards and marked with the numbers 2 to 101 are placed in a box and mixed thoroughly. One card is drawn from this box.



Based on above information, answer the following questions.

- (i) Find the probability that the drawn card is an even number. 1
- (ii) Find the probability that the drawn card is a number less than 14. 1
- (iii) Find the probability that the drawn card is a number which is a perfect square. 2

OR

Find the probability that the drawn card is a prime number and it is less than 20.



SINDH HIGH SCHOOL, MUZZAFFARGH.
FIRST PRE-BOARD EXAMINATION (2025-26)
SUBJECT: SCIENCE (BIO)
SET - I

Class: X
Date: 26/11/2025
No. of Printed sides: 10

Time: 30
Reading Time: 15 Min.
Writing Time: 15 Min.

General Instructions:

(i) This question paper consists of 30 questions in 3 sections. Section A is Biology, Section B is Chemistry and Section C is Physics.

(ii) All questions are compulsory. However, an internal choice is provided in some questions. A student is expected to attempt only one of these questions.

Q.No	SECTION - A	Marks
1	As compared to daytime, the amount of carbon dioxide released by the plants during night is more because : (A) It is not produced during daytime. (B) It is stored in the leaves of plants during the daytime. (C) The major amount of carbon dioxide produced is used up for photosynthesis during daytime. (D) Plants do not respire during daytime.	1
2	The correct/ true statement(s) for a bisexual flower is/are : (i) They possess both stamen and pistil. (ii) They possess either stamen or pistil. (iii) They exhibit either self-pollination or cross-pollination. (iv) They cannot produce fruits on their own. (A) (i) only (B) (iv) only (C) (i) and (iii) (D) (i) and (iv)	1
3	In a cross between pure tall pea plants (TT) and pure dwarf pea plants(tt) the offsprings of F1 generation were all tall. When F1 generation was selfcrossed, the gene combinations of the offsprings of F2 generation will be : (A) TT : Tt : tt (B) TT : tt (C) Tt : tt (D) TT : Tt	1



SINDHI HIGH SCHOOL, BENGALURU.
FIRST PRE-BOARD EXAMINATION (2025-26)
SUBJECT: SCIENCE (086)
SET-1

Class: X
Date: 26 /11/2025
No. of Printed sides: 10

Marks: 40
Reading Time: 15 Min.
Writing Time: 3 Hrs.

General Instructions:

(i) This question paper consists of 39 questions in 3 sections. Section A Biology, Section B is Chemistry and Section C is Physics.

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8	<p>Assertion: Blood takes up oxygen from the alveolar air and releases CO₂ during exchange.</p> <p>Reason: 'The concentration of Oxygen, is more in alveolar air.'</p>	1
9	<p>Assertion(A) : A receptor is a specialized group of cells in a sense organ that perceive a particular type of stimulus.</p> <p>Reason (R): A nerve impulse is an electrochemical event.</p>	1
10	How is Lymph formed? State its important function	2
11	<p>"It is a matter of chance whether a couple will have a male or a female child." Justify this statement by drawing a flow chart.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Why do mice whose tails were surgically removed just after birth for generations, continue to produce mice with tails?</p>	2
12	Identify one organ each in human (i) male, and (ii) female reproductive system which plays a role of endocrine gland along with the production of germ cells. Name a hormone secreted by each of them	2
13	<p>The lowest part of the ear called earlobe, is closely attached to the side of the head in some of us (Figure 'X'), and not in others, called free earlobe (Figure 'Y'). Attached and free earlobes are two variants found in human populations. The gene for free earlobe is dominant over attached earlobes.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Figure 'X'</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Figure 'Y'</p> </div> </div> <p>(a) A man with attached earlobes marries a woman having free earlobes. 50% of their children have free earlobes and 50% have attached earlobes. Explain the inheritance of this trait and write the trait combinations of the progeny.</p> <p>(b) Write the gene combinations of the father and the mother in the above case.</p>	3
14	<p>Smitha's father has been advised by a doctor to reduce his sugar intake</p> <p>(a) Name the disease he is suffering from and name the hormone whose deficiency causes it.</p> <p>(b) Identify the gland that secretes it and mention the function of this hormone</p> <p>(c) Explain how the time and amount of secretion of this hormone is regulated in human system.</p>	3
15	<p>A green stemmed rose plant denoted by GG and a brown stemmed rose plant denoted by gg are allowed to undergo a cross with each other. List your observations regarding :</p> <p>(a) Colour of stem in their F₁ progeny</p> <p>(b) Percentage of brown stemmed plants in F₂ progeny if plants are self-pollinated.</p> <p>(c) Ratio of GG and Gg in the F₂ progeny. Based on the findings of this cross, what conclusion can be drawn?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p>	4

(d) When a cross is made between tall plant with yellow seeds (TtYy) and tall plant with green seed (Tt yy), what proportions of phenotype in the offspring could be expected to be

- (a) Tall and green
- (b) Dwarf and green

16

(A)(i) Name the parts in the human female reproductive system where the following functions take place :

- (a) Maturation of eggs
- (b) Fusion of the egg and the sperm
- (c) Implantation of the zygote

(ii) What happens to the egg

- (a) When it is fertilised?
- (b) When it is not fertilised?

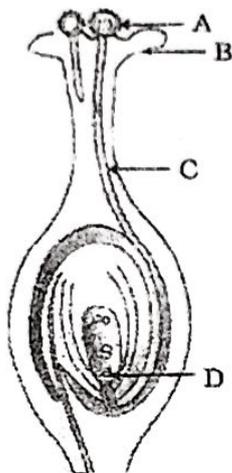
OR

(B)

(i) Explain by giving one example each :

- (a) Unisexual flowers
- (b) Bisexual flowers

(ii) Name the labelled parts A, B, C and D in the diagram given below.

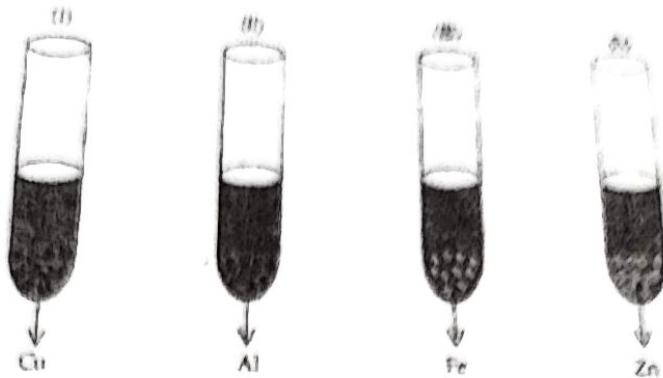


(iii) "Pollination may occur without fertilisation but fertilisation will not take place without pollination. Give reason to justify the statement.

SECTION-B

17

A student took Cu, Al, Fe and Zn strips separately in four test tubes labelled I, II, III and IV. He added 10 mL of freshly prepared ferrous sulphate solution to each test tube as shown below:



Black residue would be obtained in test tubes

- (A) II and IV (B) I, II and IV
(C) II and III (D) III and IV

18 In a double displacement reaction such as the reaction between sodium sulphate solution and barium chloride solution :

- (I) exchange of atoms takes place.
(II) exchange of ions takes place.
(III) a precipitate is produced.
(IV) an insoluble salt is produced.

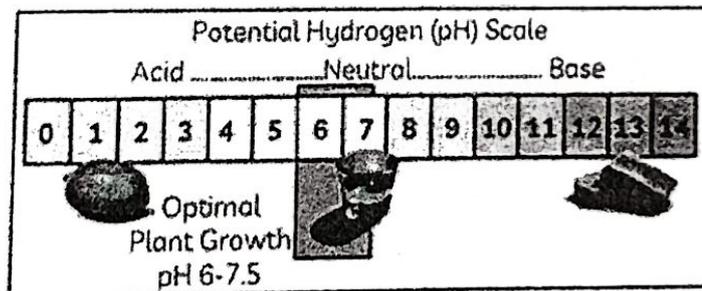
The correct option is

- (A) (II) and (IV) (B) (II), (III) and (IV)
(C) only (II) (D) (I) and (III)

19 A metal X is used in the thermite process. When X is burnt in air it gives an amphoteric oxide Y. X and Y are respectively:

- (A) Fe and Fe_3O_4 (B) Al and Al_2O_3
(C) Fe and Fe_2O_3 (D) Al and Al_3O_4

20 The sample of soil from a particular place was tested for its pH value. It came out to be 5.



Which one of the following should be added to the soil to make it suitable for plant growth?

- (I) Calcium chloride
(II) Calcium Hydroxide
(III) Calcium sulphate
(IV) Calcium oxide
(A) Both (I) and (II)
(B) Both (II) and (IV)
(C) Both (II) and (III)
(D) Only (III)

21	<p>Which of the following is/are true when HCl (g) is passed through water?</p> <p>(I) It does not ionize in the solution as it is a covalent compound. (II) It ionizes in the solution. (III) It gives both hydrogen and hydroxyl ions in the solution. (IV) It forms hydronium ion in the solution due to the combination of hydrogen ion with water molecule.</p> <p>Select the correct option:</p> <p>(A) Only (I) (B) Only (III) (C) (II) and (IV) (D) (III) and (IV)</p>	1
22	<p>Solid Calcium oxide reacts vigorously with water to form Calcium hydroxide accompanied by the liberation of heat. From the information given above, it may be concluded that this reaction</p> <p>(A) is endothermic and pH of the solution formed is more than 7. (B) is exothermic and pH of the solution formed is 7. (C) is endothermic and pH of the solution formed is 7. (D) is exothermic and pH of the solution formed is more than 7.</p>	1
23	<p>If a few drops of a concentrated acid accidentally spill over the hand of a student, what should be done?</p> <p>(A) Wash the hand with saline solution. (B) Wash the hand immediately with plenty of water and apply a paste of sodium hydrogen carbonate. (C) After washing with plenty of water, apply solution of sodium hydroxide on the hand. (D) Neutralise the acid with a strong alkali.</p>	1
<p>The following questions consist of two statements – Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Answer these questions by selecting the appropriate option given below:</p>		
<p>(A) Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A. (B) Both A and R are true, and R is not the correct explanation of A (C) A is true but R is false. (D) A is false but R is true.</p>		
24	<p>Assertion (A): Carbon possesses property of catenation. Reason (R): Carbon atoms form double as well as triple bonds during catenation.</p>	1
25	<p>(a) Draw electron dot structure of chlorine molecule. (b) Compare the properties of covalent compounds and ionic compounds (Any two).</p>	2
26	<p>(A) An ore on treatment with dilute hydrochloric acid produces brisk effervescence. (a) Name the type of ore with one example. (b) What steps would be required to obtain metal from the enriched ore? Also write the chemical equations for the reactions involved in the process.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(B) Give reason.</p>	3

- (a) Calcium starts floating when it reacts with water.
- (b) Carbon cannot reduce the oxides of sodium, magnesium and aluminium as their respective metals.
- (c) Ionic compounds are solids.

27

(a) Identify the reducing agent in the following reactions.

(i) $4NH_3 + 5O_2 \rightarrow 4NO + 6H_2O$

(ii) $Fe_2O_3 + 3CO \rightarrow 2Fe + 3CO_2$

(b) Take 3 g of barium hydroxide solution in a test tube and add about 2 g of ammonium chloride and mix the contents with the help of a glass rod. Now touch the test tube from outside.

- (i) What do you feel on touching the test tube?
- (ii) State the inference about the type of reaction occurred.
- (iii) Write the balanced chemical equation of the reaction involved.

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28

The teacher was conducting practicals in the laboratory, divided the students in three groups and gave them various solutions to find their pH and classify them into acidic, basic and neutral solutions.

Group A: Lemon juice, vinegar, colourless aerated drink.

Group B: Tomato juice, coffee, ginger juice.

Group C: Sodium hydroxide, sodium chloride, lime water.

(a) For the solutions provided, which group is/are likely to have pH value

- (i) < 7
- (ii) > 7 .

(b) Explain, why the sour substances such as lemon juice are effective in cleaning the tarnished copper vessels.

(c) List two ways of determining pH of a solution.

OR

(d) "pH has great importance in our daily life." Justify this statement giving two examples.

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29 A. (a) Compare in tabular form the reactivities of the following metals with cold and hot water.

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Metal	Reaction with water
Sodium	
Calcium	
Magnesium	

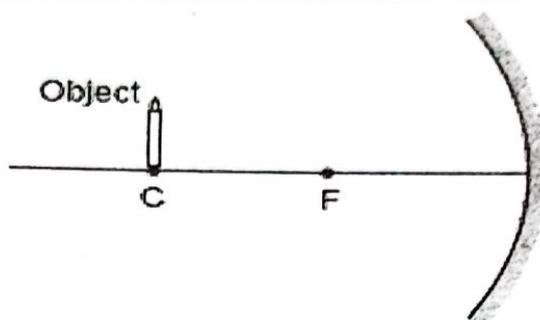
Support your answer with the chemical equations.
 (b) How are alloys better than metals? Mention the composition of solder and amalgam.

OR

B. (a) Why should the metal sulphides and carbonates be converted to metal oxides in the extraction process of metal? Name the processes involved.
 (b) How is copper extracted from its sulphide ore? Explain the various steps supported by chemical equations. Draw labelled diagram for the electrolytic refining of copper.

SECTION-C

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Which of the following statements is not true in reference to the diagram shown above?
 (a) Image formed is real.
 (b) Image formed is enlarged
 (c) Image is formed at a distance equal to double the focal length.
 (d) Image formed is inverted.

31

The defect of vision in which the person is able to see a distant objects distinctly but cannot see nearby objects clearly is called
 (a) Long-sightedness
 (b) Far-sightedness
 (c) Hypermetropia
 (d) All above

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The following question consists of two statements – Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Answer these questions by selecting the appropriate option given below:

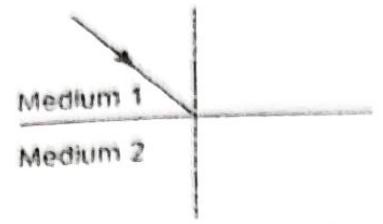
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- (C) A is true but R is false.
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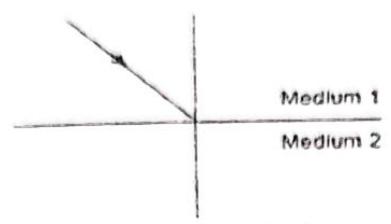
Assertion (A): Longer wires have greater resistance and the smaller wires have lesser resistance.
Reason (R): Resistance is inversely proportional to the length of the wire.

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33 For the following two cases, state whether the obliquely incident ray light on interface of medium 1 and medium 2 will bend towards or away from the normal after refraction, in medium 2.



Case I: (medium 1 having higher refractive index)



Case II: (medium 2 having higher refractive index)

34 (A) Red colour suffers minimum deviation while passing through a prism. Give reason
 OR
 (B) A star sometimes appears brighter and some other times fainter. What is this effect called? State the reason for this effect.

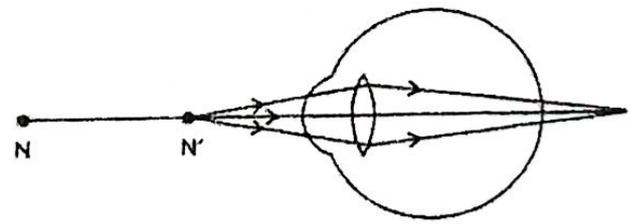
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35 A divergent lens has a focal length of 30 cm. At what distance should an object of height 5 cm from the optical centre of the lens be placed so that its image is formed 15 cm away from the lens? Find the size of the image also.

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36 Study the diagram given below and answer the questions that follow it:
 (a) Which defect of vision is represented in this case? Give reason for your answer.
 (b) What could be the two causes of this defect?
 (c) With the help of a diagram show how this defect can be corrected by the use of a suitable lens.

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37 The values of current I flowing in a given resistor for the corresponding values of potential difference V across the resistor are given below :

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I (amperes)	0.5	1.0	2.0	3.0	4.0
V (volts)	1.6	3.4	6.7	10.2	13.2

Plot a graph between V and I and calculate the resistance of the resistor.

38	<p>A dentist uses a mirror to examine the teeth of patients. The mirror used forms a magnified and upright image of the tooth when it is held close. This helps the dentist observe small cavities clearly. The same type of mirror is also used as a shaving mirror to get a magnified view of the face.</p> <p>(a) Name the type of mirror used by the dentist.</p> <p>(b) Explain why this mirror produces a magnified and erect image when the object is placed close to the mirror.</p> <p>(c) What will happen to the image if the dentist holds the mirror far away from the teeth? Explain the change in image nature.</p> <p>(d) Draw a ray diagram to show the formation of an enlarged, erect image when the object is placed between the pole (P) and focus (F) of the mirror.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(e) Draw a ray diagram to show the formation of image in a rear view mirror.</p>	4
39	<p>(A) Two identical resistors, each of resistance $15\ \Omega$, are connected in (i) series, and (ii) parallel, in turn to a battery of $6\ \text{V}$. Calculate the ratio of the power consumed in the combination of resistors in each case.</p> <p>Why is tungsten used for making bulb filaments of incandescent lamps? What type of material is used for fuse wire and why?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(B) Draw a schematic diagram of a circuit consisting of a battery of 3 cells of $2\ \text{V}$ each, a combination of three resistors of $10\ \Omega$, $20\ \Omega$ and $30\ \Omega$ connected in parallel, a plug key and an ammeter, all connected in series. Use this circuit to find the value of the following</p> <p>(a) Current through each resistor (b) Total current in the circuit (c) Total effective resistance of the circuit.</p>	5



SINDHI HIGH SCHOOL, BENGALURU.
FIRST PRE-BOARD EXAMINATION (2025-26)
SUBJECT: SCIENCE (086)

Class: X

SET-2

Marks: 80

Date: 26 /11/2025

Reading Time: 15 Min.

No. of Printed sides: 10

Writing Time: 3 Hrs.

General Instructions:

(i) This question paper consists of 39 questions in 3 sections. Section A is Biology, Section B is Chemistry and Section C is Physics.

(ii) All questions are compulsory. However, an internal choice is provided in some questions. A student is expected to attempt only one of these questions.

Q.No	SECTION -A	Marks
1	<p>Which of the following statement(s) is (are) true about respiration?</p> <p>i. During inhalation, ribs move inward and diaphragm is raised</p> <p>ii. In the alveoli exchange of gases takes place. ie.Oxygen from alveolar air diffuses into blood and CO₂ from blood into alveolar air.</p> <p>iii. Haemoglobin has greater affinity for carbon dioxide than oxygen.</p> <p>iv. Alveoli increase the surface area for exchange of gases</p> <p>(A) (i) and (iv)</p> <p>(B) (ii) and (iii)</p> <p>(C) (i) and (iii)</p> <p>(D) (ii) and (iv)</p>	1
2	<p>A feature of reproduction that is common to Amoeba, Yeast and Spirogyra is that _____</p> <p>(A) they reproduce asexually</p> <p>(B) they are all unicellular</p> <p>(C) they reproduce only sexually</p> <p>(D) they are all multicellular</p>	1
3	<p>A man with blood group A marries a woman having blood group O. What will be the blood group of the child?</p> <p>(A) O only</p> <p>(B) A only</p> <p>(C) AB</p> <p>(D) Equal chance of acquiring blood group A or blood group O.</p>	1

The following
 Answer to
 (A) (B) (C)

4

Observe the given figures A and B. When a *chhui-mui* (sensitive) plant is touched, its leaves fold. This is due to :



Figure A



Figure B

- (A) Hormonal effect
- (B) Thermal effect
- (C) Change in amount of water in cells
- (D) Electromagnetic effect

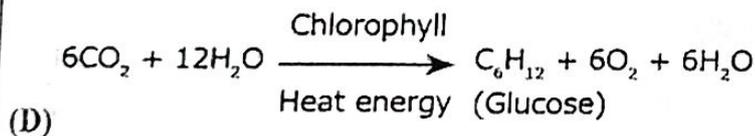
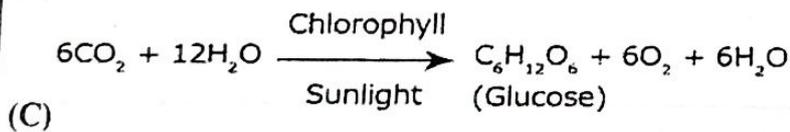
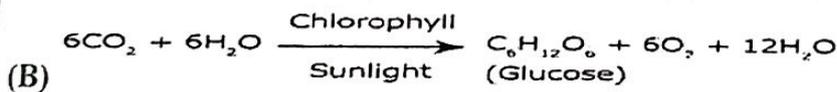
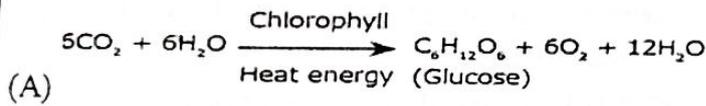
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The number of chromosomes in a cell division is halved. This kind of cell division is observed in :

- (A) Only testis
- (B) Ovary and testis both
- (C) Only ovary
- (D) All cells of the body

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Which of the equations shows the correct conversion of CO₂ and H₂O into carbohydrates in plants?



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Where does the breakdown of glucose into pyruvate occur in cells?

- (A) Nucleus
- (B) Mitochondria
- (C) Cytoplasm
- (D) Ribosomes

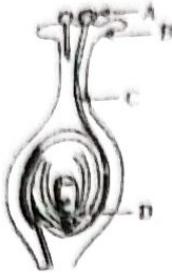
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8	Assertion (A): In our actions of writing or talking, our nervous system communicates with the muscles. Reason (R): Cranial nerves and spinal nerves form the peripheral nervous system.	1
9	Assertion (A): Sex of the children will be determined by what they inherit from their mother. Reason (R): Women have XX sex chromosomes.	1
10	How is lymph an important fluid involved in transportation? If lymphatic vessels get blocked, how would it affect the human body? Elaborate.	2
11	(A) Different species use different strategies to determine the sex of a newborn individual. Justify the statement. OR (B) How does the creation of variation in a species promote survival?	2
12	Use of a condom is beneficial for both the sexes involved in a sexual act. Justify this statement by giving two reasons.	2
13	A pure pea plant having round (R), yellow (Y) seeds is crossed with another pure pea plant having wrinkled (r), green (y) seeds. Subsequently F1 progeny is self-pollinated to obtain F2 progeny. (a) What do the seeds of the F1 generation look like? (b) Give the possible combinations of traits in seeds of F2 generation. Also give their ratio. (c) State the reason for obtaining seeds of new combinations of traits in F2 generation.	3
14	A pure pea plant bearing terminal flowers was cross-pollinated with a pure plant having axillary flowers. In the F1 generation, plants with axial flowers only were obtained. F1 generation plants are self-pollinated and F2 generation is obtained. (a) Work out the pattern of inheritance in this case. (b) What will be the ratio of plants obtained in F2 generation?	3
15	Anil, a 13-year-old boy, lives in a region where his diet lacks iodine. He notices swelling in his neck, and sometimes feels tired and weak. a) Name the disease he is suffering from and name the hormone whose deficiency is the cause.	4

b) Identify the gland that secretes it and mention the function of this hormone.
 c) A feedback mechanism regulates the action of the hormones in our body. Justify.

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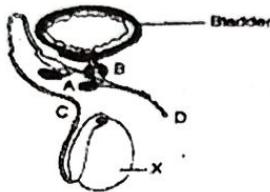
16 (A)



- (a) (i) Name the part marked A in the diagram.
 (ii) How does A reach part B?
 (iii) State the importance of C.
 (iv) What happens to the part marked D after fertilization?
 (b) List two reasons for the appearance of variations among the progeny formed by sexual reproduction.

OR

(B) Based on the given diagram, answer the questions given below



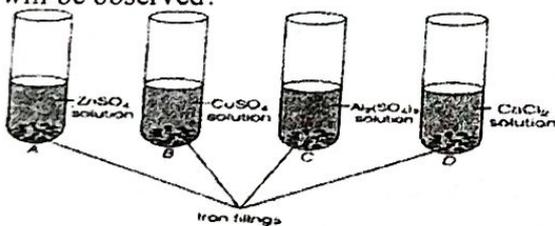
- a) Label the parts A, B, C, D
 b) Name the hormone secreted by X and mention its role.
 c) State the function of A and C in the process of reproduction.

SECTION-B

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Iron fillings are added to four test tubes A, B, C and D containing $ZnSO_4$, $Cu(SO_4)_2$, $Al_2(SO_4)_3$ and $CaCl_2$ respectively. In which of the test tubes, changes will be observed?

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(A) A

(B) B

(C) C

(D) D

18 Which statement about the reaction is correct?
 $2Al + 3H_2O \rightarrow Al_2O_3 + 3H_2$
 i) Aluminium is oxidised to aluminium oxide
 ii) Hydrogen is oxidised to water
 iii) Aluminium oxide is reduced to Aluminium
 iv) Water is reduced to hydrogen
 (A) ii and iii (B) i and iv
 (C) i and ii (D) iii and iv

19 Which of the following statements is incorrect about anodizing
 (A) It is a process of forming a thick oxide layer of Aluminium on the article
 (B) The thick Aluminium oxide coating will prevent corrosion of Aluminium.
 (C) Oxygen evolved at the cathode, forms oxide coating on Aluminium
 (D) A clean Aluminium article is taken as anode during this process

20 An experiment was carried out on decomposition of sodium bicarbonate. Which among the following option is true about the nature of gaseous product formed?

	Blue litmus.	Red litmus
(A)	Changes colour	Changes colour
(B)	Changes colour	No colour change
(C)	No colour change	Changes colour
(D)	No colour change	No colour change

21 Which of the following combinations are correct on adding dilute HCl to given Metals ?

	Metal	Gas evolved
(i)	Copper	Yes
(ii)	Iron	Yes
(iii)	Magnesium	No
(iv)	Zinc	Yes

(A) (i) and (iii) (B) (i) and (iv)
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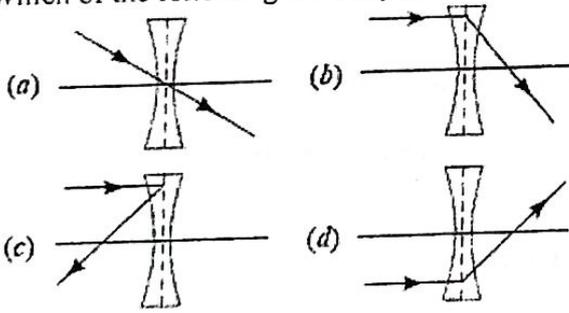
22	<p>A glass rod dipped in ammonia when brought closer to the mouth of the test tube containing hydrochloric acid, it forms dense white fumes of ammonium chloride. It is a _____</p> <p>(A) Displacement reaction, acidic salt is formed (B) Combination reaction, basic salt is formed (C) Combination reaction, neutral salt is formed (D) Neutralization reaction, acidic salt is formed.</p>	1
23	<p>A hospital technician observes that a POP bandage did not harden properly. Which could be the most likely cause?</p> <p>(A) Used fresh POP (B) Kept POP in a dry place (C) POP absorbed moisture before use (D) Mixed it with warm water</p>	1
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24	<p>Assertion (A): Carbon forms covalent bonds with other atoms. Reason (R): Carbon has four valence electrons and can easily lose or gain four electrons to form ions.</p>	
25	<p>(A) Draw the electron dot structure of NH_3 and O_2 (B) Though graphite and diamond are allotropes of carbon, why does graphite conduct electricity while diamond does not</p>	2
26	<p>Attempt either option A or B</p> <p>A. During extraction of metals, electrolytic refining is used to obtain pure metal. Answer the following questions for electrolytic refining of crude silver metal. (i) Suggest the material used as anode and cathode and a suitable electrolyte. (ii) Draw a well labelled diagram to show electrolytic refining of silver.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>B. Give reason. (i) Ionic compounds have high melting and boiling points. (ii) Potassium chloride salt does not conduct electricity. (iii) 24 carat gold is not used for making jewellery.</p>	3

A white crystalline solid
 soluble in water and a large amount
 (D) Identify 'X' and a large amount
 (E) Write the chemical equation

Fill the missing information for each metal.

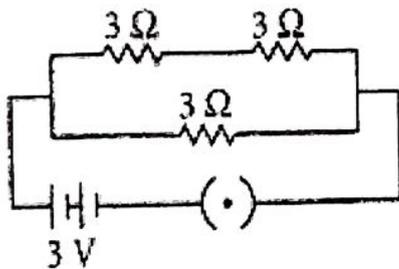
Metal	Ore / Compound	Method of Extraction	Chemical Equation	Justification
Mercury	HgS	Roasting	?	Mercury is volatile and can be obtained by heating
Sodium	NaCl	?	$2\text{NaCl (l)} \rightarrow 2\text{Na} + \text{Cl}_2$	Sodium is too reactive; cannot be reduced by carbon
Zinc	ZnO	Reduction with carbon	?	?
Copper	Cu ₂ S	?	$2\text{Cu}_2\text{S} + 3\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{Cu}_2\text{O} + 2\text{SO}_2$ (then $2\text{Cu}_2\text{O} + \text{Cu}_2\text{S} \rightarrow 6\text{Cu} + \text{SO}_2$)	Copper can be obtained from its sulphide ore by auto-reduction

SECTION-C

30	Which of the following correctly shows refraction of light from a concave lens? 	1
31	The image formed on the retina of the human eye is (a) virtual and inverted (b) real and inverted (c) real and erect (d) virtual and erect	1

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32	Assertion (A): If a graph is plotted between the potential difference and the current flowing, the graph is a straight line passing through the origin. Reason (R): The current is directly proportional to the potential difference.	1
33	The refractive indices of glass and water with respect to vacuum are $\frac{3}{2}$ and $\frac{4}{3}$ respectively. If the speed of light in glass is $2 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$, find the speed of light in i) vacuum, ii) water.	2
34	The far point of a myopic person is 80cm in front of the eye. What is the nature and power of the lens required to correct the problem? OR A person may suffer from both myopia and hypermetropia defects. (a) What is this condition called? (b) When does it happen? (c) Name the type of lens often required by the persons suffering from this defect.	2
35	The image of an object formed by a lens is of magnification -1. If the distance between the object and its image is 60 cm, what is the focal length of the lens? If the object is moved 20 cm towards the lens, where would the image be formed? State reason and also draw a ray diagram in support of your answer.	3
36	Demonstrate an activity with a well labelled diagram to prove that white light is made up of seven colours. ii) Which colour of light bends least and which one the most while passing out from the prism? Also, state the reason for the same.	3
37	Three resistors of 3Ω each are connected to a battery of 3 V as shown. Calculate the current drawn from the battery 	3
38	A student places an object 15 cm from a convex lens of focal length 10 cm. He observes the image formed on a screen.	4

	<p>Answer the following:</p> <p>(a) What is the nature of the lens used?</p> <p>(b) Calculate the image distance using the lens formula.</p> <p>(c) What will be the nature of the image formed?</p> <p>(d) If the object is moved closer to the lens (within focal length), what type of image will be formed?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(e) If the lens is used to burn paper, where is the object placed?</p>	
39	<p>(a) A 100 W bulb and a 60 W bulb are connected to the same supply. Which has higher resistance?</p> <p>(b) Two wires of the same material and length have different thicknesses. Which one will have more resistance and why?</p> <p>(c) Why does a bulb glow brighter when connected in parallel than when connected in series with another identical bulb?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(a) Define resistance of a conductor.</p> <p>(b) State the factors on which resistance of a conductor depends.</p> <p>(c) Name the device which is often used to change the resistance without changing the voltage source in an electric circuit.</p> <p>(d) Calculate the resistance of 50 cm length of wire of cross sectional area 0.01 square mm and of resistivity $5 \times 10^{-8} \Omega \text{ m}$</p>	5



SINDEHI HIGH SCHOOL
Pre-Board Examination-1 (Set-1)
Subject: Social Science (097)

Class:10

Date:20/11/25

No.of printed sides:7

Marks:80

Reading Time-15 minutes

Writing Time-3 hours

General instructions:

1. There are 38 questions in the question paper. All questions are compulsory
2. The question paper has 4 sections -A- History, B- Geography, C- Political Science, D- Economics
3. Each section is of 20 marks and has MCQs, VSA, SA, LA and CBO.
4. Very short answer type questions (VSA), carry 2 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 40 words.
5. Short answer type questions (SA), carry 3 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 60 words.
6. Long answer type questions (LA), Carry 5 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 120 words.
7. There are case based questions (CBQ), With 3 sub questions and are of 4 marks each. Answers to each question should not exceed 100 words.
8. The map-based question carries 5 marks with 2 parts-Q9, in section-A History (2 marks) and Q19, in section B-Geography (3 marks).
9. There is no overall choice in the question paper. However, an internal choice has been provided in few questions. Only one of the choices in such questions must be attempted.

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The picture shows The Congress leaders in a meeting. Identify the place where the meeting was held.

- a. Allahabad
 b. Madras
 c. Nagpur
 d. Calcutta

3.	Historians have identified various kinds of silk routes which connected different parts of the world. These routes were : a. Only reliance roads linking Asia and Europe. b. Only sea routes connecting Africa and Asia. c. Only land and sea routes linking Asia Europe and Africa. d. Routes used exclusively for military purposes.	1
4.	Who said that press is the most important tool for the progress of society. a. Martin Luther b. Voltaire. c. Louis Sebastian Mercier d. Menocchio	1
5	'The silk roots are a good example of vibrant pre modern trade and cultural links between distant part of the world'. Substantiate the statement with illustrations. OR 'New crops can significantly impact survival and wellbeing'. Provide evidence to support this statement.	2
6.	'The Salt March became an effective tool of resistance against colonization'. Justify the statement with suitable arguments. OR How did non-cooperation movement start with participation of middle class people in the cities? Explain its impact on the economic front.	3
7.	'The 1815 Treaty of Vienna was drawn up with the object of undoing most of the changes brought about by Napoleon'. Highlight the main provisions of this treaty. OR How did Greek war of independence mobilise nationalist feeling among the educated elite across Europe. Infer.	5
8.	Read the source given below and answer the questions that follow: New Forms of Publication, increasing number of printing presses, visual images could be easily reproduced in multiple copies. Painters like Raja Ravi Varma produced images for mass circulation. Poor wood engravers who made woodblocks set up shop near the letterpresses, and were employed by print shops. Cheap prints and calendars, easily available in the bazaar, could be bought even by the poor to decorate the walls of their homes or places of work. These prints began shaping popular ideas about modernity and tradition, religion and politics, and society and culture. (a) How did the development of printing technology impact visual culture? (b) How did Raja Ravi Varma contribute to the mass circulation of art in India?	1 2

	(c) How did visual culture shape the memory of the 19th century social landscape? Explain	1						
9.	<p style="text-align: center;">MAP SKILL BASED QUESTION (2Marks)</p> <p>Two places A and B have been marked on the given political map of India. Identify them and write their correct names on the line marked on the map.</p> <p>a. Place where civil disobedience movement was started. b. The place where the movement of indigo planters was started.</p>	2						
	SECTION B GEOGRAPHY							
10.	<p>Which of the following is the most important factor for achieving sustainable development?</p> <p>a. Availability of resources only. b. Political stability. c. Technological advancement and environmental awareness. d. Excessive consumption.</p>							
11.	<p>Identify the appropriate option to fill in the empty boxes-</p> <p>Classification of soils</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%;">Alluvial</td> <td style="width: 33%; text-align: center;">?</td> <td style="width: 33%; text-align: center;">?</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ideal for the growth of Paddy and wheat</td> <td>Exhibits self-aeration capacity</td> <td>Highly leached and acidic</td> </tr> </table> <p>a. Black soil and laterite soil. b. Red soil and black soil. c. Laterite soil and black soil. d. Laterite soil and yellow soil.</p>	Alluvial	?	?	Ideal for the growth of Paddy and wheat	Exhibits self-aeration capacity	Highly leached and acidic	
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12.	<p>Which of the following statements best applies to the forest in north eastern states of India like Arunachal Pradesh and Mizoram.</p> <p>a. Most of the forests are unclashed and controlled by communities and local tribes. b. These states have the highest area under reserved forest. c. All forest here are managed by the union government only. d. They have no forest resources due to shifting cultivation.</p>							
13.	<p>In India, Joint Forest management programme furnishes a good example for Involving local communities in the management and restoration of degraded forest. Which of the following is not a target of JFM.</p> <p>a. Restoration of degraded forest. b. Develop ways for ecological farming. c. Control environmental Degradation. d. Include local communities in safeguarding the forest.</p>							
14.	<p>Who among the following proudly proclaimed the dams as the 'Temple of modern India'?</p> <p>a. Mahatma Gandhi b. Jawaharlal Nehru c. Sardar Patel d. Indira Gandhi</p>							
15.	<p>Rana Pratap Sagar dam that integrates water conservation with flood control. On which river is it built.</p> <p>a. Chambal b. Narmada basin c. Satlej - Beas</p>							

	d. Mahanadi	
16.	Describe the conditions which led to the Institutional reforms in India.	2
17.	'Natural gas is an important source of energy' Support the statement. OR Why is it necessary to conserve mineral resource? Explain any 3 ways to conserve mineral resources.	3 2 3
18.	Read the source given below and answer the questions that follow: The Jute industry is a significant sector, especially in India where it is a major employer and revenue generator, heavily concentrated in West Bengal. It is a labour-intensive, age-old industry known for producing eco-friendly products like hessian, sacking, and yarn, but it faces challenges from competition and outdated technology. Despite issues, global demand for sustainable alternatives to plastic is increasing, driving growth in exports for products like jute bags and floor coverings. 1. Which country is the largest producer of raw Jute. 2. Where was the first Jute mill established.. 3. Explain any 2 factors that are responsible for the location of jute mills mainly along the banks of Hooghly River.	1 2 3
19.	MAP SKILL BASED QUESTION (3Marks) On the same political map of India, locate and label the following with suitable symbols. Any Two- 1. International Airport in Tamil Nadu. 2. Major seaport in Gujarat. 3. Software park in Karnataka 4. Multipurpose dam Located on the Bhagirathi river. OR The Dam on the river Sutlej	2 1
SECTION C. POLITICAL SCIENCE		
20	Identify the appropriate reason for introduction Of community government in Belgium. a. Power sharing among various political parties. b. To ensure power sharing among various organs of the Government. c. To give more power to the Dutch speaking community. d. To share power among different religious and linguistic social groups.	1
21	 <p>The cartoon depicts the Russian President holding reins labelled democracy While the US president says –</p>	1

	<p>We get a keep the reign tight Vladimir ... This refers to laws passed in Russia in 2005, Giving more power to its president. What message does the cartoon convey about democracy and power?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Democracy flourishes under strong leadership. Concentration of power strengthens democratic values Democracy weakens when too much power is concentrated. Russia is following the same democratic model as the US. 	
22	<p>Suppose the Government of India decides to introduce new national policy on digital data protection for all citizens, covering cyber security and privacy. A few state government oppose it, claiming that it is their right to legislate on this matter. Which level of government has the authority to implement such a law?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> State government because digital data is part of state list. Union government because communication and it are part of union list. Both union and state government because data privacy is in concurrent list. Local government because it directly affects citizens. 	1
23	<p>Statements are given on Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Study the statements carefully and identify the correct alternative Assertion-Caste continues to play a decisive role in Indian politics. Reason-Most political parties select their candidates for election based solely on their caste background. Choose the correct option</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A. Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A. A is true but R is false. A is false but R is true. 	1
24	Why was the need for decentralization recognised in the Indian constitution? Explain.	2
25	Caste barriers are breaking down in India. Justify.	2
26	Democracy is responsive to the needs and expectations of the citizen. Evaluate the statement.	3
27	<p>Explain any five major functions of the political parties. OR Describe the efforts made to reform political parties in India.</p>	5
28	<p>Read the source given below and answer the questions that follow: The two different sets of reasons can be given in favour of power sharing. Firstly, power sharing is good because it helps to reduce the possibility of conflict between social groups. Since social conflict often leads to violence and political instability, power sharing is a good way to ensure the stability of political order. Imposing the will of majority community over others may look like an attractive option in the short run, but in the long run it undermines the unity of the nation. Tyranny of the majority is not just oppressive for the minority; it often brings ruin to the majority as well</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How do people rule themselves in a democracy? Write any two basic principles of democracy? Why is imposing the will of the majority community over others considered harmful in the long run 	4 1 2 1
SECTION D - ECONOMICS		
29	<p>Which of the following section has the highest share in employment in India.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Primary Secondary 	1

	c. Tertiary d. Primary and Tertiary	
30	Suppose there are 4 families in your locality, the average per capita income of whom is ₹10,000. If the income of 3 families is ₹6,000, ₹8,000, ₹14,000 respectively. What would be the income of the 4th family? a. ₹5,000 b. ₹10,000 c. ₹12,000 d. ₹15,000	1
31	How does construction of dams and canals create employment in large number in rural areas? a. Large number of engineers are needed. b. Large number of technicians are also required. c. Adjustments of large number of unskilled labourers. d. Executives and administrators can be easily adjusted	1
32	Person A is describing the function of money in a modern economy. Which of the following statement is most likely to support his explanation. a. Money acts as a medium of exchange, eliminating the need for double coincidence of wants required in barter. b. Money restricts economic transactions to only essential goods and services. c. Money is useful only when backed by gold and silver reserves. d. Money increases the number of barter exchange in the economy.	1
33	Deposits in bank accounts that can be withdrawn on demand are called – a. Demand deposits b. Fixed deposits c. Recurring deposits. d. Withdrawal deposits.	1
34	Seema works in a garment export company in Delhi that supplies clothes to foreign brands. Her factory increased production after global demand rose, but she still receives low wages and has no job security. What does this situation highlight about globalization? a. Globalization always improves working condition for all workers. b. Workers in the global market gain better wages and rights. c. Globalization can create jobs but may lead to unequal benefits and exploitation. d. Indian workers are unaffected by foreign trade.	1
35	Why is the issue of sustainability important for development? Explain with example.	3
36	There is a need to expand formal sources of credit in India. Substantiate the statement with your answer.	3
37	'Technology is the vital force in modern form of globalization'. Prove the statement with suitable example.	3
38	'The public sector plays a vital role in the economic development of a nation'. Evaluate with examples. OR Trace the utility of the unorganised sector in contributing to the overall wellbeing of the individuals and society	5





Identify and name the personality who painted the image of Bharat Mata.

- a. Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay
- b. Rabindranath Tagore
- c. Ravi Varma
- d. Abanindranath Tagore

4.	<p>Consider the following statements –</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Raja Ram Mohan Roy published the Sambad Kaumudi in 1824. 2. The Deoband seminary was founded in 1867 which published thousands of fatwas. 3. The first printed version of Ram Charitmanas of Tulsidas was published in 1910 in Banaras. 4. Jam, Jahan Nama and Shamsul Akbar started publishing from 1822. <p>Which among the following statements are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. 2 and 3 b. 1 and 3. c 3 and 4 d 2 and 4 	1
5	<p>‘The premodern world shrank greatly in the 16th century. Infer.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>How did the new crops make the difference between life and death?</p>	2
6.	<p>‘The merchants and industrialists made a significant contribution to the civil disobedience movement’. In the light of the above statement, explain their role in the movement.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>‘Nationalism spreads when people begin to believe that they are all part of the same nation’. Prove the statement with reference to icons and symbols.</p>	3
7.	<p>‘The 1830 were years of great economic hardship in Europe’. Analyse.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>‘In Britain the formation of the nation state was not the result of a sudden upheaval or revolution’. Validate the statement with relevant arguments.</p>	5
8.	<p>Read the source given below and answer the questions that follows:</p> <p>Before 1978, the colonial state under the East India company was not too concerned with censorship. Strangely, its early measures to control printed matter were directed against English men in India who were critical of company misrule and hated the actions of particular company officers. The company was worried that such criticism might be used by its critics in England to attack its trade monopoly in India.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why did the Calcutta Supreme Court pass certain regulation? 2. Identify the policies by which the English men put down the native press. 	1 2 1

	<p>a There is no rain at all in these areas. b Overuse, Pollution and unequal distribution of water causes scarcity c All water resources have been depleted completely. d There is no awareness about water conservation.</p>	
16.	'Agriculture is the mainstay of Indian economy'. Elaborate the statement.	2
17.	'Minerals are indispensable part of our lives'. Substantiate the statement with suitable examples.	3
	OR	1
	Which is the second most important energy resource in India after coal? Mention its uses along with its deposits in India.	2
18.	<p>Read the source given below and answer the questions that follows: The global sugar industry is a significant agro based sector, relying on sugar cane and sugar beets, with India being the world's largest producer and consumer supporting millions of farmers and workers. It is characterised by a seasonal production cycle, localised raw material dependency and challenges such as low sugar recovery rates and higher production cost, although government policies and the diversion of sugar to ethanol production also influence the industries landscape.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The sugar mills are concentrated in sugar producing areas. Justify. Why is there a tendency for the sugar mills to concentrate in the southern and western states of India? Give two reasons. Sugar industries are ideally suited to the cooperative sector. Infer. 	1 2 1
19.	<p style="text-align: center;">MAP SKILL BASED QUESTION (3 Marks)</p> <p>On the same political map of India, locate and label the following with suitable symbols.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> World's largest Masonry dam built on the Krishna river <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Dam in the Chenab basin, which is used for hydroelectric project</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Any Two</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Nuclear Power plant in Tamil Nadu International airport in West Bengal A Seaport in Karnataka 	1 2
SECTION -C POLITICAL SCIENCE		
20	<p>You are a citizen of a country that has a democratic form of government. You want to ensure that the system of power sharing in your country is affected and that no one branch of government has absolute power.</p> <p>Which of the following measure would best meet this goal.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> All power is concentrated in the hand of the central government which has the final say in all matters. Power is divided between the central government and the state or provinces with each level having its own sphere of influence. Power is separated among the legislative executive and judicial branches with each branch having its own responsibilities and power. Power is shared among different levels of government, Such as national, Regional and local government, with each level having some degree of autonomy. 	1

21



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- The ruling party and the opposition party formed the coalition government.
- In the coalition government, the leader decides every rule.
- The leader of the coalition keeps the partner of the government satisfied.

22

Pokhran, the place where India conducted its nuclear test lies in Rajasthan. Suppose the government of Rajasthan was opposed to the central government's nuclear policy could it prevent the Government of India from conducting the nuclear test? Identify the reason from the given options-

- Yes, the state government could prevent it as defence is a subject of state list
- No the state government could not prevent the central government from conducting the nuclear test because defence is the subject of union list and nuclear tests are part of the 'Defence'.
- Yes, the state government could prevent it as conducting nuclear test is a subject of concurrent list.
- No, the state government could not prevent the central government as conducting nuclear test in any state is legally valid.

23

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Reason(R) - Political parties often appeal to religious sentiments for votes.

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- A is true, but R is false
- A is false , but R is true

24

Critically analyse the centre state relations prior to 1990

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Democracy accommodate social diversities. Substantiate the statement with your answer.

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Name the oldest party of India. Mention its objectives

OR

Discuss the challenge of "Lack of internal democracy".

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shows us a contrasting example. It shows us that if a majority community wants to force its dominance over others

1. Why did the Sri Lankan government adopt a series of majoritarian measures?
2. How did Belgium and Sri Lanka deal with the question of power sharing differently?
3. Power sharing is desirable. Give reasons.

SECTION D : ECONOMICS

29 Study the data given below in the table and answer the questions by selecting the correct option -

Sector	Organised	Unorganised	Total
Primary	1	233	234
Secondary	41	74	115
Tertiary	40	88	128
Total	82	395	475

Which is the most important sector that provides maximum job to the people?

- a. Primary sector especially organised sector.
- b. Secondary sector especially organised sector.
- c. Tertiary sector especially organised sector.
- d. Primary sector especially unorganised sector.

30 Which of the following is a drawback of using average income as a measure of development?

- a. Average income does not indicate the disparity in income level.
- b. Calculation of average income is a tedious process.
- c. Average income is always lower than the actual income of people.
- d. Average income fails to indicate the economic stability of a country.

31 Which of the following is an example of the dependency of primary sector on the tertiary sector?

- a. Weavers made less money because the shops did not want to sell handloom products.
- b. The bank employees could not reach on time due to a transportation strike.
- c. Dairy and poultry producer suffered a loss when the shops went on strike.
- d. Farmers suffered a loss when there was not enough water to grow cotton.

32 Taken a loan of 5,00,000 from his bank to purchase a house at at 12 percent rate of interest. He has to submit papers of the new house and salary record to the bank. What is this process called?

- a. Interest rate
- b. Collateral
- c. Principal amount
- d. Instalments

33 Which among the following is not a feature of informal source of credit?

- a. It is supervised by the RBI
- b. Rate of interest is not fixed
- c. Terms of credit are very flexible.
- d. Traders, friends, relatives etc. provide informal credit sources

34 In the era of globalisation, which facility makes it possible that the designer in the Delhi office get ordered on how to design the magazine from the office in London?

- a. Printing press
- b. Transportation

- c. Telecommunication
d. E- banking

35	What may be development for one, may not be development for the others. It may even be destructive for the other. Provide evidences in support of your answer.	3
36	In what ways does the Reserve Bank of India supervise the functioning of the bank?	3
37	Explain with an example as to how information technology is connected with globalisation.	3
38	Give reasons for the growth of service sector in India. OR Saroj works in a office. Suman is house help. State any five points of difference in the working conditions of Saroj and Suman.	5



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Playing music while driving b) Detecting pedestrians, traffic signals and other vehicles c) Controlling the car's speed manually d) Sending text messages to passengers 	
v.	A training dataset is used to evaluate how well a machine learning model performs. (True/False)	1
vi.	Which evaluation metric is useful when dealing with imbalance datasets, as it considers both precision and recall? a) Accuracy b) Recall c) Specificity d) F1 Score	1
Q. 2	Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions	1x5 = 5
i.	Why is model evaluation important in AI? a) To train the model on more data b) To make the model faster c) To determine if the model can generalize to new data d) To reduce the number of features in a dataset	1
ii.	What is the primary purpose of Classification in CV? a) Identifying the object present in an image b) Locating multiple objects in an image c) Outlining the shape of an object d) Enhancing image resolution	1
iii.	The _____ phase involves gathering, cleaning and analyzing data to identify patterns and trends.	1
iv.	Which of the following is NOT a stage of NLP? a) Lexical Analysis b) Syntactic Analysis c) Image Processing d) Pragmatic Analysis	1
v.	What does a high False Negative (FN) rate indicate in a medical diagnosis AI model? a) The model is good at detecting positive cases b) The model is failing to identify actual positive cases c) The model is rejecting too many negative cases d) The model is making more True Positive predictions	1
vi.	_____ occurs when a model performs well on training data but poorly on new data. a) Overfitting b) Underfitting c) Perfect fitting d) None of the above	1

Q. 3	Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions	5x1 = 5
i.	TFIDF stands for _____	1
ii.	Which of the following layers in an ANN is responsible for processing data and detecting patterns? a) Input Layer b) Hidden Layer c) Output Layer d) None of the above	1
iii.	_____ is mainly focused on enhancing raw input images or preparing them for other tasks, such as rescaling, correcting brightness or changing tones. It is a subset of _____ a) Computer Vision; Image Processing b) Machine Learning; Artificial Intelligence c) Image Processing; Computer Vision d) Object Detection; Image Processing	1
iv.	What do frameworks provide in the context of problem-solving? a) Step-by-step guidance b) Random solutions c) Legal advice d) Ethical justifications	1
v.	_____ technology allows user to unlock their smartphones using their face.	1
vi.	The numbers 1280X1024, 1920X1080 represent the number of pixels in width and height of an image or display. What is the correct term used to describe this measurement? a) Pixel Depth b) Resolution c) Color Depth d) Classification	1
Q. 4	Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions	1x5 = 5
i.	Which type of bot is easy to create, works based on pre-written instructions? a) Script Bot b) Smart Bot c) Cleaning Bot d) Tail Bot	1
ii.	In a spam email detection system, out of 1000 emails received, 300 are spam. The system correctly identifies 240 spam emails as spam, but it also marks 60 legitimate emails as spam. What is the precision of the system? a) 0.80 b) 0.70 c) 0.75 d) 0.90	1
iii.	What is the primary purpose of the AI Project Cycle? a) To create random solution b) To deploy models without testing c) To provide a structured framework for AI development d) To skip data exploration	1
iv.	In Deep Learning, a CNN is primarily used for _____ recognition.	1
v.	_____ helps computers see and understand images or videos, making AI more intelligent.	1

vi.	Which term represent cases where the model incorrectly classifies a negative instance as positive? True Positive b) False Positive c) True Negative d) False Negative	1
Q. 5 Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions		1x5 = 5
i.	The process of breaking text into words and sentences in NLP is ____ Analysis	1
ii.	What is the correct formula for accuracy in ML? a) $(TP+TN)/(TP+TN+FP+FN)$ b) $TP/(TP+FP)$ c) $TP/(TP+FN)$ d) $(TP+TN)/(FP+FN)$	1
iii.	What is the main purpose of text normalization in NLP? a) To make text longer and more complex b) To clean and simplify text while retaining its essential meaning c) To add more stop words to the text d) To translate text into another language	1
iv.	_____ is the difference between the predicted values and the actual values in a Machine Learning model.	1
v.	Reinforcement Learning involves an agent learning through rewards and penalties. (True/False)	1
vi.	Assertion : Self-driving cars rely on CV to function Reasoning : CV enables vehicles to play music while driving a) Both Assertion and Reasoning are correct, and Reasoning explains Assertion b) Both Assertion and Reasoning are correct, but Reasoning does not explain Assertion c) Assertion is correct, but Reasoning is incorrect d) Assertion is correct	1

Section B : Subjective Type Questions

Answer any 3 out of the given 5 questions. Answer each question in 20 – 30 words		
Q. 6	What is the difference between classification and regression in supervised learning?	2
Q. 7	What is a Confusion Matrix? Write its Structure.	2
Q. 8	Differentiate the types of Chatbots.	2
Q. 9	Mention the steps involved in Text Normalization.	2
Q. 10	Differentiate Computer Vision and Image Processing	2

Answer any 4 out of the given 6 questions in 20 - 30 words each (2 x 4 = 8 marks)

Q. 11	Draw the types of Ethical Framework	
Q. 12	Mention the layers of Convolution Neural Network (CNN)	2
Q. 13	What is the difference between Stemming and Lemmatization?	2
Q. 14	What is the main advantage of using Artificial Neural Networks over traditional computer programs?	2
Q. 15	What role does a training dataset play in Machine Learning?	2
Q. 16	Identify the type of Deep Learning model. a) This DL model processes input images by learning to assign importance (weights and biases) to various features in the image allowing it to distinguish one object from another. b) This DL model is inspired by the structure of human brain. It can automatically extract features from large datasets without explicit programming.	2

Answer any 3 out of the given 5 questions in 50- 80 words each (4 x 3 = 12 marks)

Q. 17	Explain the differences between Supervised, Unsupervised and Reinforcement Learning with example for each.	4
Q. 18	A school recently tested an AI model designed to predict whether students would pass or fail their final exams. Out of 100 students, the model correctly predicted that 40 students would pass and they actually did. It also correctly identified 30 students who were going to fail. However, the model predicted 20 students would pass, but they ended up failing. Additionally, it predicted that 10 students would fail, but they actually passed. a) Draw the Confusion Matrix based on the above information. (2) b) Calculate the accuracy of this classification model. (1) c) Write the total number of wrong predictions made by the model. (1)	4
Q. 19	Explain the Bioethics Framework in AI and its four guiding principles with examples.	4
Q. 20	Define the following terms: a) Resolution b) Grayscale image c) Pixel d) Pixel values	4
Q. 21	Read the following three documents and answer the questions that follow: Doc 1: The cat sat on the mat Doc 2 : The dog barked at the cat Doc 3 : The cat and the dog are friends. Create TFIDF table.	4