

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION - VILLUPURAM DISTRICT

Assignment – March 2022

6th Standard

ENGLISH

Marks: 50

PART – I SECTION – A (Vocabulary)

I. Choose the correct synonyms to the words given below: (3x1=3)

- We are grateful to him.
a) ungrateful b) thankful c) unsatisfied d) debted
- He looked on amazed
a) surprised b) unaxious c) aware d) unsurprised
- Everybody in the jungle suffer a lot.
a) temperate b) uncultivated c) city d) forest

II. Choose the correct antonyms to the words given below: (3x1=3)

- The purr grew louder, and ended in the full throated howl.
a) noisy b) quiet c) harsh d) unquiet
- He as pushed one of my babies to one side already.
a) pulled b) rushed c) hit d) hurry
- The man- cub is mine and will come to me in the end
a) last b) stop c) start d) ready

SECTION – B

III. Identify the kinds of sentence : (4x1=4)

[Declarative, Interrogative, Exclamatory, Imperative]

- How many kilos do you want?
- Don't make a noise
- Wow! How wonderful it is!
- The Narration is simple and realistic.

IV. Rearrange the following sentence : (2x1=2)

- softly / Murali / Speaks
- come / Anand / to / school / early.

PART – II (Grammar) SECTION – A

V. Join the sentence of column A with B using the words given in the box (3x1=3)

A	B	
Velu thanked his friend It rained heavily eat slowly	You will get choked he helped velu in time the match continued	and or but because

VI. Identify the adverbs in the following sentence : (3x1=3)

- We never come late to the office.
- I prefer to leave early.
- Paraman sang in the choir happily.

PART – III SECTION – A (Poem)

VII. Read the lines and answer the questions given below : (2x2=4)

- Spring is pretty
but short and sweet
when you can smell the grass
from your garden seat
a) How does the poet desorite the spring season? b) Who does you refer to?

- Autumn is English
In red, yellow and brown
Autumn is Indian
Whenever leaves fell down
a) How is autumn in India? b) What is meant by red, yellow and brown?

SECTION – B

VIII. Read the following stanza and answer the questions (3x1=3)

Then seasons change
to muddy roads
Monsoons and mangoes
Leapfrogs and toads.

- Pick out the rhyming words in the above lines.
- Write the rhyme scheme of the given stanza
- Pick out the alliterating words in the third line.

SECTION – C

IX. Answer any one of the following in a paragraph: (1x5=5)

- How does the poet desoibe the Indian seasons?
- When is it autumn in India? Why does the poet say this? Is there an autumn season in India?

SECTION – D

X. Quote from the memory (1x5=5)

Summer
..... change.

PART – IV SECTION – A

XI. Read the following passage and answer the questions: (1x5=5)

Turkeys are interesting birds. A made turkey is called a Tom, a female tirkey is called a hen, and a baby is called pout. Turkey have a flap of skin under their chin called a Waddle. They like to eat acors, berries, insects and seeds. The turkey is a favourite meal during thanks giving and Christmas.

Questions :

- What is the title for the story?
- What is a female turkey called?
- Is turkey a bird?
- What do turkey like to eat?
- What is a Waddle?

SECTION – B

XII. Look at the picture and answer the following questions: (1x5=5)

- What do you see in this picture?
- How many coconut trees are there in this picture?
- Do you like this picture.
- Where is the cow?
- Give a suitable title to this picture.

PART –V SECTION – A

XIII. Write a letter to your class teacher asking a permission to leave. (1x5=5)

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I. Choose the synonyms of the underlined words

(5x1=5)

1. The train **proceeded** from the station
a) stopped b) halted c) carried d) moved
2. My father became **furious** when he heard the noise.
a) happy b) confused c) angry d) relaxed
3. The elephant could travel **rapidly** for long time.
a) quickly b) properly c) slowly d) calmly
4. The owner of the elephant was **refusing** initially.
a) willing b) not willing c) agreeing d) following
5. Mr Phileas Fogg had foreseen the **obstacle**.
a) difficulty b) break down c) hesitation d) problem

II. Match the phrasal verbs with their meanings.

(5x1=5)

Phrasal Verbs

Meanings

- | | |
|--------------|---|
| 6. Set out | -To go to the station to say goodbye to someone |
| 7. Get away | -To enter a bus, a train or a plane |
| 8. See off | -To leave a bus, a train or a plane |
| 9. Get off | -To go on a holiday |
| 10. Get into | -To begin a journey |

III. Answer the questions briefly.

(5x2=10)

11. Which mode of transport did Fogg choose?
12. Why did the train stop in the middle of the forest?
13. Who inhabited the jungle that the train passed through?
14. What was the price of the elephant?
15. Who was Mr Phileas Fogg's assistant?

IV. Read the following poem lines and answer the questions (5x1=5)

I must go down to the seas again, to the lonely sea and the sky,
A all I ask is a tall ship and a star to steer her by;
And the wheel's kick and the wind's song and the white sail's shaking,
And a grey mist on the sea's face, and a grey dawn breaking.

16. Which poem lines are these?
17. Who is the poet?
18. Write down the rhyming word from the above stanza.
19. Where does the poet want to go?
20. What do you need to go into the sea?

IV. Read the following passage and answer the questions. (5x1=5)

I decided to sail for the Persian Gulf with some goods. Our group sailed from one country to another, selling the goods. One day, when we were on board, we saw a beautiful small green island. Just to have some fun, we all got down on that green patch. We were hungry and so we decided to cook some food there. As soon as we lit the fire for cooking, we got a jerk. The island was trembling. It was no island. It was the back of a huge animal, which got disturbed when the fire was lit on his back. We were terrified when we realized this. Everyone jumped into the sea to save his life. Most of them boarded the ship. But a few were not so fortunate. Before they could climb up, the captain started the ship hurriedly leaving behind a few sailors, who were still struggling in the sea for their life. I was one among those strugglers. Fortunately, I caught hold of a big piece of wood floating nearby and held on to it.

21. What did they see when they were on board?
22. What happened when they lit the fire?
23. Was it really an island?
24. What did everyone do to save their life?
25. How did the narrator escape?

V. Rearrange the following sentences in the correct order.

(5x1=5)

26. I met a man on this strange island
27. Hearing my story, the king appointed me as an officer on the spot.
28. At last, I was thrown on an island
29. I became friendly with the people on the island.
30. They took me to the king.

31. Rewrite the story in the past tense.

(5x1=5)

The boy chases a cat. The cat climbs up the tree and purrs from the branch of the tree. The cat jumps to another tree. The boy sees a snake.

VI. Sort out the following sentences into Direct or Indirect Speech. (5x1=5)

32. My mother said, "Wake up dear"
33. I asked my mother if she could buy me a new pair of clothes.
34. "What is your name?" the police asked the wandering man.
35. The physical education teacher said, "Stand at ease"
36. I told him I was fine.

VII. Punctuate the following.

(5x1=5)

37. the woman said to the student please help me cross the street
38. sarathy said oh how thrilling it was
39. the teacher said to the students where do you want to go
40. i am tired mohana said to her aunt
41. Shankar said to this teacher madam i had prepared my project assignment but i forgot to bring it.

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SECTION – A (vocabulary)

I. Choose the correct synonym for the underlined words. 3x1=3

1. I was really scared.
a) frightened b) timid c) bold d) rude
2. She gathered the information from the internet.
a) disburse b) amass c) collect d) give
3. We browse in the internet.
a) skim b) scan c) download d) skip

II. Choose the correct antonym for the underlined words. 3x1=3

4. A stranger was roaming around the street.
a) foreigner b) newcomer c) unknown d) well known
5. A good diet is beneficial to health.
a) helpful b) harmful c) benefit d) useful
6. Vairavan is having a spot of bother with law.
a) pleasing b) pester c) annoy d) worry

7. Write the correct American English for the word “Torch”. 1x1=1

8. Write the correct euphemisms for the word “slow learner”. 1x1=1

SECTION – B (grammar)

III. Fill in the blanks with suitable question tag. 3x1=3

9. She is collecting stickers, _____?
10. Peter played handball yesterday, _____?
11. He hardly works _____?

IV. Identify the type of sentence whether it is Simple, Compound or Complex sentence. 3x1=3

12. I went because I was invited.
13. Whatever you do, do well.
14. His courage won him honour.

V. Write the correct punctuation mark in the given blanks. 3x1=3

15. What a wonderful event _____
16. What did you want to eat for lunch _____?
17. Please help me _____

VI. Answer the following questions in one or two sentences.(any3) 3x2=6

18. Why do we use internet?
19. Who is an online predator?

20. What are the benefits of computer?

21. What do strangers do with our personal information?

VII. Answer the following in about 100 words. 1x5=5

22. “We can’t ignore the benefits of internet and mobile phone” – Justify.

(Or)

What happens if someone is addicted to mobile phone?

SECTION – D (poem)

VIII. Read the poem lines and answers the following questions. 5x1=5

23. My computer has always been so brainy and smart
It seems to know mountains of information by heart.
If I type in a question, and give my mouse a click,
My computer always gives me the answer really quick!

- i) Write the rhyming words from the given lines.
- ii) Write the rhyming scheme from the given lines.
- iii) Write the figures of speech in 1st and 2nd line.
- iv) Write the words in alliteration in 3rd and 4th line.

24. Write the first 5 lines of the memory poem “Special Hero” 1x5=5

SECTION – E (supplementary reading)

IX. Identify the character from the given lines. 3x1=3

25. “Are you feeling unwell?”
26. “You are a brave pair!”
27. “I don’t have a camera phone.”

X. Read the passage and answer the questions given below. 2x2=4

Just then train moves. He runs towards a bogey door. The station Manager rushes forward to catch the man. But he disappears into the crowded train. They all go to the police station. “You are a brave pair.” says a policeman.

28. Who rush forward to catch the man?
29. Where did they all go?

SECTION - F (WRITING)

XI. Write an email. 5x1=5

30. Write a formal email to Mr.Sundar Pitchai CEO of Google, requesting him for an appointment to interview him.

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PART - I

I. Answer the following question

(7x2=14)

1. Where did the narrator work?
2. What was Clem Jones carrying in the box?
3. Who is Pongo?
4. Why did the policemen arrive a little late to the cabin?
5. Why did the narrator call Clem Jones a careful planner?
6. What did Pongo consider as evidence against the narrator?
7. What happened to the narrator's love for oranges after the incident?

PART - II

II. Read the following lines from the poem and answer the questions in a sentence of two.

(3x2=6)

8. " The way into my parlour is up a winding stair,
And I've many curious things to show when you are there"
 - a. Who does 'I' refer to?
 - b. What will the fly get to see in the parlour?
9. "And now dear little children, who may this story read,
To idle, silly flattering words, I pray you ne'er give heed:"
 - a. Who does 'I' refer to?
 - b. What is the advice given to the readers?
10. Faster than a cheetah
With a tail that's miles long.
 - a. Why is the comet compared to a cheetah?
 - b. Whose tail is compared here?

PART - III

III. Answer the following in about 80 - 100 words

(2x5=10)

11. Narrate the clever strategy followed by Clem Jones to deceive Pongo.
12. What happens if we fall a prey to flattery? Give instances from the poem 'The spider and the fly'.

PART - IV

IV. Answer the following question:

(1x5=5)

13. A stranger asks you to direct him to a nearby hospital. Guide him with your directions

V. Answer the following question:

(1x5=5)

14. Rampaging through
..... a cheetah.

PART - V

VI. Make notes or Summary of the following passage

(1x5=5)

15. Karagattam is a popular folk dance of Tamilnadu, which involves balancing a pot on the head to musical accompaniment. The Karagattam pots are decorated with a cone of flower arrangements, topped by a paper parrot. The parrot swings as the dancer swings along.

Karagattam has two divisions -- attam Karagattam and sakthi Karagattam. This form of dance is very popular all over Tamilnadu. Both male and female performers participate in this dance. Acrobatics such as dancing on a rolling block of wood, moving up and down a ladder, threading a needle while bending backwards form a part of this dance.

VII. Write a paragraph in about 150 words by developing the following hints

(1x5=5)

16. The young astronaut's - mother - bear - partition of his son - wants him - come back - earth - native place under sun - space allotted - us - live by nature - cradle of life - give up living - earth - its fabulous beauty - leaves the sun - anything may happen - lose his native land - beautiful seasons - his relatives - friends forever.