



INDIAN SCHOOL DARSAIT
TERM II- FEBRUARY 2019
YEARLY EXAMINATION
ENGLISH



Class: III Sec:

Max.Marks:50

Date: 28/02/19

Time: 2hrs

Name:

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General Instructions

- All the questions are compulsory

Section A –Reading Comprehension

Q.I Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:-

Trees are of importance not only to man but also to birds and animals. The branches of trees give shelter to millions of birds and forest give shelter to numerous wild animals. We value trees not only for their usefulness but also for their beauty. They have a way of refreshing the eye and also refreshing the mind. Perhaps that is why the rishis of olden days were drawn to the forests, and they and their peoples chose to go forest homes in company of Nature. In modern times when Rabindranath Tagore started a school, he too chose a place full of trees and called it Shanti Niketan or the home of peace.

Once upon a time large areas of India were covered with forests full of numerous kinds of trees. As the population grew, trees began to be cut down for man’s use. That is how the wonderful forest described in our ancient poems came to be destroyed, and a great part of our forest wealth was lost. Now we are trying to replace this loss, and our government wants trees to be planted all over the country. A new festival called ‘Van Mahotsav’ has been started for this purpose. Since trees are the country’s wealth we must consider it our sacred duty to protect them. We should plant new trees wherever we can and look after them well.

Fill in the blanks:

½ x2=1

- Trees are cut down for _____ use.
- Government wants _____ to be planted all over the country.

Say true or false:

½ x2=1

- Shanti Niketan is started by Rabindranath Tagore. True False
- Van Mahotsav is organised to spread awareness among people about the importance of trees. True False

Answer the following:-

1x 3=3

- How are trees important for birds and animals?

2 How can we replace the loss of forests?

3 What is meant by 'Shanti Niketan'?

Section B - Prose

Q.II Write the meanings of the following words:-

$\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$

1 moss-

2 fortune -

3 currants -

4 delight -

Q.III Frame interesting sentences :-

$1 \times 3 = 3$

1 stream –

2 monster –

3 grateful –

Q.IV Answer the following Questions :-

$2 \times 4 = 8$

1 How can you reach the spot where the fairies stay?

2 How did the shoemaker and his wife repay the elves?

3 What happened after Alice drank from the bottle?

4 Who was really the 'monster'?

Q.V Give Reference to Context :-

1 x4 = 4

1 'He had tears in his eyes.'

a. Who is 'he' in this line?

b. Why he had tears in his eyes?

2 'Oh my ears and whiskers, how late it's getting!'

a) Who said these words?

b) Where was the speaker?

Section- C Grammar

Q.VI Identify the adjective and state their kind.

1 x 5=5

1 He was wearing a red cap.

- 2 I have bought six eggs. _____
- 3 Victor has a white rabbit. _____
- 4 Add some sugar to my coffee. _____
- 5 Many students did not attend the class today. _____

Q.VII Fill in the blanks using the prepositions given in bracket: 1/2x10=5
(around, at, on, in, above, under)

- 1 There was a picture _____ the wall _____ the bed.
- 2 He arrived _____ one o'clock _____ the afternoon _____ Sunday.
- 3 She always gets up early _____ the morning and goes to bed late _____ night.
- 4 I looked _____ the place but there was no sign of the puppy. Later I found it fast asleep _____ my bed.
- 5 Rekha's books are lying _____ the floor.

Q.VIII Rewrite the sentences by changing the words in brackets into subject and object pronoun using the hints given below in the bracket. 1x 5=5
(we, he, she, it, they, them)

- 1 (Emma) works as a receptionist.

- 2 She drank (the coffee) quickly.

- 3 The teacher gave (the students) the answers.

- 4 (The mobile phone) is in my bag.

- 5 (Anna and I) are best friends.

Q.IX Use the conjunction given in the bracket and put the sentences together: 1x3=3

- 1 The cat caught a mouse. The cat killed it.(and)

- 2 The doctors did their best. The patient died.(but)

- 3 You must take him with you. You must leave him behind.(or)

Q.X

Choose the most suitable conjunction to fill in the blanks:

1/2x4=2

- 1 The good minister looked at the picture _____ a long time. (from, for, and)
- 2 She heard him scream, so she ran _____ his bedroom. (in, from, into)
- 3 I'm wearing a thick coat, _____ I'm still cold. (and, so, yet)
- 4 I'm hungry, _____ I have nothing to eat. (so, but, for)

Q.XI

**1 What is your favorite thing to do in the summer with your friends or family?
What do you like about this activity?**

2 x 4= 8

2 Complete the dialogues given below in a suitable way:

A: I can't believe how hot it is.

B: _____

A: Turn on the air conditioner.

B: _____

A: What happened?

B: I don't know.

A: _____ the repairman?

B: Of course.

A: _____

B: He's busy. He said next week.