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Subject : Second Language — ENGLISH

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General Instructions to the Candidate :

1. This Question Paper consists of 45 objective and subjective types of questions.

2. This question paper has been sealed by reverse jacket. You have to cut on the right side to open the paper at the time of commencement of the examination. Check whether all the pages of the question paper are intact.

3. Follow the instructions given against both the objective and subjective types of questions.

4. Figures in the right hand margin indicate maximum marks for the questions.

5. The maximum time to answer the paper is given at the top of the question paper. It includes 15 minutes for reading the question paper.

SECTION – A
Prose

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

$3 \times 1 = 3$

1. If you are so clever, why are you so poor ?
    Here the word 'you' refers to
    (A) lawyer   (B) businessman
    (C) administrator   (D) scientist.

2. "Discipline is a thing of the past, Sir. It's you or us."
    This statement was made by
    (A) Pepe   (B) Guillermo
    (C) Francisco   (D) Pedro.

3. Don Anselmo refuses the double amount offered by the Americans because
    (A) he was a rich man   (B) he was a man of principles
    (C) he was an arrogant man   (D) he wanted more amount.

II. Answer the following questions in 2 - 3 sentences each : $4 \times 2 = 8$

4. What makes the scientists pursue science in spite of low income ?

5. How was Swami honoured by his classmates, teacher and the headmaster ?

6. Don Anselmo had great love and concern for the children of Rio en Medio. Support your answer.

7. Why did Swami wish that the tiger had not spared the boy ?

III. Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow : $3 \times 3 = 9$

8. "Chacha, can I borrow your mobile ?"
    (a) Who is the 'chacha' referred to here ?
    (b) Why did the speaker need the mobile ?
    (c) After borrowing the mobile, who did the speaker call ?

9. "Give the order to heave to."
    (a) Who gave this order ?
    (b) What do you mean by the phrase 'heave to' ?
    (c) Why did the speaker give this order ?

10. "Will I ever make it."
    (a) Who does 'I' refer to ?
    (b) What does 'it' refer to ?
    (c) Why did the speaker feel so ?

IV. Answer the following question in about 8 - 10 sentences :   4

11. Watching of bird by Satish Gujral was a turning point in his life. Support this statement with your reference.

OR

"Pandit Ravishankar's visit to aunt Susheela's house is a remarkable incident." Explain this statement.

Poetry

V. Choose the most appropriate one and write the complete answer with the letter of alphabet in the answer-book : 1

12. In the poem 'I Am the Land' the lines
    YOU CANNOT PUT A FENCE
    AROUND THE PLANET EARTH,
    suggest the land's
    (A) anger (B) self expression
    (C) self assertion (D) suffocation.

VI. Answer the following questions in 2 - 3 sentences each : 2 × 2 = 4

13. Why, according to the poet John Masefield, has God created man ?

14. According to Norman Nicholson how would his life be in space ?

VII. Read the extract and answer the questions that follow : 3 × 1 = 3

15. "And earthly power doth then show likest God's."
    (a) What does earthly power mean ?
    (b) When does earthly power become divine power ?
    (c) What are the symbols of earthly power ?

VIII. 16. Quote from memory : 4

    You talk ....

    ....

    ....

    .... night ?

                            OR

    Then we ....

    ....

    ....

    .... clear.

IX. Answer the following question in 8 to 10 sentences : 4

17. 'Physical appearance of a person has nothing to do with one's talent.' Justify this statement with reference to Jazz player's physical appearance and artistic talent.

                            OR

    Summarise the essence of 'Grandma Climbs a Tree' in your own words.

Supplementary Reading

X. Answer the following questions in 2 - 3 sentences each : 2 × 2 = 4

18. Why were Babu and Manju a bit disappointed with the way students were marching ?

                            OR

    Write about the hardships of Dicky Dolma's life at her early age.

19. How do you say that Hanif was a talented person ?

                            OR

    Dr. B. R. Ambedkar describes the methods of civil disobedience, non-co-operation and satyagraha as the 'Grammar of anarchy'. Comment on this statement.

Vocabulary

XI. 20. Combine the word in **Column-A** with its collocative word in **Column-B** :   1

<table>
<tr><td align="center">**Column-A**</td><td align="center">**Column-B**</td></tr>
<tr><td align="center">swift</td><td align="center">[line, action, money, bag]</td></tr>
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21. Give one word for :   1

The state of being alone.

22. Fill in the blank with correct prefix to get the opposite of the underlined word :   1

All men are _mortal_, but great men become .... through their deeds and service to humanity.

23. Which one of the following has only one syllable :   1

father, school, necklace, again.

SECTION – B

Reading

XII. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow :   4 × 1 = 4

Once Narendra and his friends sat in meditation. A cobra came gliding along the ground. His friends were frightened and ran away, but Narendra stayed where he was. They shouted at him but he did not hear them. After some time the cobra crept away. What a powerful concentration of mind Narendra had ! Later his friends asked why he did not ran away. He replied "I do not know anything about the cobra. I was feeling happy."

Questions :

24. Why did Narendra's friends run away ?

25. Which word in the above passage means 'to move smoothly and quietly' ?

26. Narendra stayed where he was though his friends ran away. What does this act tell us about Narendra ?

27. What is the reply given by Narendra to his friends for not running away ?

XIII. Read the following conversation and answer the questions that follow :

                                                 2 × 1 = 2

Wasim	:	It seems you're a bit down, Kiran.
Kiran	:	Yes, Wasim. I lost my purse in the library.
Wasim	:	Sorry to know that. Can I lend you some money ?
Kiran	:	It's all right. I can manage.
Wasim	:	Don't bother too much Kiran.
Kiran	:	Thanks for your concern.

28. Which word in the above conversation gives the opposite of 'borrow' ?

29. Why did Kiran express his gratitude to Wasim ?

30. Rearrange the jumbled words into a meaningful sentence :   1

are / clever / how / you / ! /

31. Look at the two pictures. Write a sentence using 'taller than' based on what you see : 1

Vinutha   Saritha

Writing

XIV. 32. Imagine that you are Rahul / Sudiksha, studying in Govt. High School, Ragibommanahalli, Koppal.

Write a letter to your friend inviting him/her to attend your sister's marriage during summer holidays. 4

OR

Write a letter to Panchayat Development Officer to take necessary action for proper disposal of garbage in your locality.

33. Given below is a profile of Mrs. Roopashree. Write a paragraph using the clues given below : 4

Name	:	Mrs. Roopashree
Age	:	38 years
Qualification	:	M.A. (English), M.Lib.
Occupation	:	Assistant Librarian at St. Joseph's College, Madurai
Family	:	Small family, husband, a lecturer,
		son — 6th standard student.
Hobbies	:	Drawing, watching birds
Reasons for		
popularity	:	Honest lady, helps the poor children.

OR

Write a paragraph, using the clues given below. You may add some more points if necessary :

Robert Bruce — king of Scotland — waged war — defeated in the war — driven out of the city — hid himself in a cave — saw a spider trying to build web — fails in its attempts — fails many times — succeeds at last — king saw this — learnt the lesson — once again waged war — succeeded.

Editing

34. The following paragraph has two errors. Edit the paragraph and rewrite it in the answer-book. Clues are given below. 2

Suresh arrive at Bangalore City Railway Station in the evening. He intends to go to chinnaswami stadium. He does not like to take either a bus or an auto-rickshaw. He decides to go on foot.

Clues :

(a) Verbal mistake to be corrected

(b) Capital letter to be used.

GRAMMAR (Language Use)

XV. 35. John plays football, ... 1

The question tag to be used above is

(A) does he ? (B) didn't he ?

(C) doesn't he ? (D) don't he ?

36. Read the conversation : 1

Harshitha : What are you doing, Anushree ?

Anushree : *I am writing a story*.

The passive form of the underlined sentence is

(A) A story is being written by me.

(B) A story was being written by me.

(C) A story will be written by me.

(D) A story was written by me.

37. Read the conversation and identify the infinitive : 1

Chaitra : Where are you going ?

Gagana : I am going to Melukote to see the temple.

Chaitra : Is it ? I will also come with you.

Gagana : Okay. Let us go.

(A) going (B) to see

(C) is (D) come.

38. Read the conversation and fill in the blank choosing the correct 'If clause' : 1

Anitha : Oh, my God !

Hema : What happened Anitha ?

Anitha : We missed the train.

Hema : If we had been earlier, we .... the train.

(A) would have got (B) shall have got

(C) will have got (D) must have got.

39. Fill in the blanks with appropriate preposition and article : $2 \times \frac{1}{2}$ = 1

Pramod is .... engineer. He prefers coffee .... tea.

40. Fill in the blanks using the appropriate linking words given in brackets :

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

Jayalakshmi .... Rohini are sisters. Rohini is active .... Jayalakshmi is lazy.

     (*that, and, but, if*)

41. Fill in the blanks using the right form of verbs given in brackets :   2

While I .... (*be*) in Mysore last week, I .... (*meet*) Darshan in the Mysore Palace.

42. Read the following conversation and rewrite it into a reported speech :   2

        Nagesh   :   Good morning, Mahesh.

        Mahesh   :   Good morning, Nagesh

        Nagesh   :   Where did you go yesterday ?

        Mahesh   :   I went to Bangalore to meet the doctor.

Nagesh greeted Mahesh and asked ....

....

Mahesh replied that ....

....

Reference Skill

XVI. 43. Arrange the following words in the order in which they are found in dictionary : $4 \times \frac{1}{2}$ = 2

     dearth, decompose, debacle, decode.

44. Decode the following SMS into a sentence :   1

     Did u c d match ?

45. Choose the correct one and write it.

Madan wants to list out the synonyms of the word 'bliss'. So, he should refer to a / an   1

Thesaurus, Index, Encyclopaedia, Atlas.