



ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ಪ್ರೌಢಶಾಲೆ ಇಪ್ಪಾಡಿ

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8th Standard

GOVERNMENT HIGH SCHOOL IPPADI.

Kunigal Taluk, Tumkur District.

2025-26 - SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT - 1

Subject : SECOND LANGUAGE ENGLISH

Time: 90 minutes

Subject Code: 31E

Max.Marks: 40

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.

1. Identify the parts of speech of the underlined word:

1X3=3

She quickly finished her homework.

(A) Noun

(B) Adjective

(C) Adverb

(D) Pronoun

2. Choose the suitable antonym of the underlined word.

Some people walk fast and some others walk.

(A) Quick

(B) Speed

(C) Hurry

(D) Slow

3. Choose a correct form of the question to get the underlined word as answer.

This novel was written in 1946.

(A) When did the novel write?

(B) When was the novel written?

(C) Where was the novel written

(D) Why was the novel written?

II. Do as directed:

1X4=4

4. Fill in the blanks with the suitable verb form given in the bracket.

The children are _____(play/playing) in the ground.

5. Fill in the blank with the suitable article.

The Sun rises in _____ east.

6. Fill in the blank with the suitable homophone given in the bracket.

Do you like to _____(hear/ here) the music?

7. Fill in the blank with the suitable word form of the word given in the bracket:

His _____(discover) was called "Raman Effect".

III. Answer the following questions in 2-3 sentences each:

2X6=12

8. List out the handiwork practiced by Shantiniketan boys.
9. How can you say that the bee is intelligent and clever?
10. "The exercise is good for me", says the narrator. What was the exercise?
11. What do uniforms represent in the poem, "No men are foreign" ?
12. What does the mother tell the child in the poem "For a five year old boy"?
13. What made the housewife to delay in giving alms to Kaushika?

OR

According to lion what caused the crash?

IV. Answer the following question in a paragraph:

3X3=9

14. Describe Raman's childhood life and education?
15. Briefly explain the circumstances under which Oliver Twist was born.
16. Describe the physical appearance of the two boys in the lesson, "Jamaican Fragment".

V. This is the profile of a writer. write a paragraph using the clues below : 3X1=3

17. Name : Poornachandra Thejaswi
Born : 8 th September 1938, Kuppalli
Parents : Kuvempu, Hemavathi
Spouse : Rajeshwari
Pen Name : Poochanthe
Notable works : Karvalo, Jugarcross, Chidambara Rahasya etc.
Occupation : Writer, novelist, photographer, painter

VI. Quote from the memory :

4X1=4

18. Beauty is _____

_____harvest.

VII. Imagine that you are Ramya/Ganesh studying in 10th Standard Dolphin's High school Tumkur. And write a letter to your father about your examination preparations :

5X1=5

All the Best



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MODEL ANSWERS

1. (C) Adverb
2. (D) Slow
3. (B) When was the novel written?
4. playing
5. the
6. hear
7. discovery.
8. Carpentry, mechanical work, spinning, weaving, painting, music etc.
9. The bee is busy doing things. It collects nectar and saves it for future use. It builds its beehive skillfully and this is why it is clever.
10. The exercise was walking from his home to rail track lines in the morning, and from the lines to his home in the evening.
11. Uniforms represent the external differences like country or army, but beneath them, all people are human and alike.
12. Mother says the child that it would be unkind to leave it there because it might crawl on the floor and might get crushed under one's foot.
13. Housewife was attending to her husband who had just come home. Hence, she got delayed in giving alms to Kaushika. OR The lion, after listening to the hare guessed that a ripe bell fruit might have fallen from above on to the palm shrub and had caused the crash.
14. Raman was born in Trichy, India, and showed a keen interest in science from an early age. He studied physics at Presidency College in Madras. He was very much interested in science from his childhood days. Even as a boy Raman had made the model of dynamo. During his school days he borrowed science books from college students and read them.
15. Oliver was born in the poor house of a little town on a cold dark night in the winter. His mother had been found lying in the street at the time of his birth. Nobody knew who she was. The birth was attended by a doctor who was hastily called for the purpose and an old pauper woman who was experienced in such matters. Oliver's Mother died as soon as he was born, leaving him an orphan.
16. One boy was four years old perhaps, the other five. The bigger of the two was sturdy youngster, very dark, with a mat of coarse hair and coal-black eyes. The other was white, with Hazel eyes and light brown hair. Both were dressed in blue shirts and khaki pants.

17. Poornachandra Tejaswi was a multi-talented Indian personality born on 8th September 1938 in Kuppali. He was the son of renowned, Kannada, poet, Kuvempu, and Hemavathi. Affectionately known as Punchanthe, He was married to Rajeshwari. Tejaswi was a gifted writer, novelist, photographer, and painter, with a deep love for nature and science. His writing style was Engaging and thought provoking, often blending adventure with the philosophical insights. Some of his most notable works include Karvalo, Jugari cross and Chidambara Rahasya. He made a significant contribution to Kannada literature and inspired generations of readers with his creativity and imagination.

18. Beauty is seen
In the sunlight,
The trees, the birds,
Corn growing and people working
Or dancing for their harvest.

19. From,
Ramya
10th Standard, Dolphin's
Highschool Tumkur.

24th Agust 2025

Dear father,

I am safe here by the grace of God and I hope the same from you. I am studying fine here with the help of our teachers. I have got 90% in all the preparatory examinations. And I hope I will get more than 95% in the public examination. Please send 2000rs for my school excursion. I miss you all, please convey my regards to my mom and naughty brother.

Yours affectionately
Ramya

To.
Ranganth
II main, V cross
III lane Rajajinagar
Banglore- 02.



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A Day in the Ashram									1(2)												1(2)
Beauty					1(4)																1(4)
Sir.C.V.Raman														1(3)							1(3)
Little busy bee																		1(2)			1(2)
Jamaican Fragment								1(2)						1(3)							2(5)
No men are Foreign													1(2)								1(2)
The boy who asked for more														1(3)							1(3)
For a five year old boy													1(2)								1(2)
Dharmavyadha								1(2)													1(2)
Earthquake								1(2)*													1(2)*
Parts of Speech		1(1)																			1(1)
Antonyms						1(1)															1(1)
Framing questions						1(1)															1(1)
Verb form							1(1)														1(1)
Articles							1(1)														1(1)
Homophones		1(1)																			1(1)
Word form		1(1)																			1(1)
Profile writing														1(3)							1(3)
Letter writing															1(5)						1(5)
Total	4(7)					7(10)					7(21)					1(2)					19(40)

Knowledge : 07 marks : 17.50 %
 Comprehension : 10 marks : 25.00 %
 Expression : 21 marks : 52.50 %
 Appreciation : 02 marks :
 Easy : 8 marks : 20 %
 Average : 22 marks : 55 %
 Difficult : 10 marks : 25 %