

Tsi-7E

Tenkasi District Common Examinations
Summative Assessment - September 2022



Standard 7 27-09-22

ENGLISH

Time: 2.00 Hrs.

Marks: 60

I. Choose the appropriate synonyms:

3×1=3

- 1) For the poor woman, the pair of tongs was as precious as sacks of silver.
a) cheap b) valuable c) common d) useless
- 2) The dog was panting.
a) breathless b) secret c) breathing quickly d) effort
- 3) Pain vanished from the body.
a) disappeared b) appeared c) arrived d) showed up

II. Choose the appropriate antonyms:

3×1=3

- 1) A terrible storm destroyed the house.
a) dreadful b) awful c) horrific d) fearless
- 2) I recognized him immediately.
a) accept b) admit c) unidentified d) realize
- 3) Loyalty is the best quality.
a) disloyal b) devotion c) piety d) fidelity

III. Fill in the blanks with any / few / some / much:

4×1=4

- 1) Only a _____ apples are green in the basket.
- 2) There isn't _____ traffic on Sunday.
- 3) There is _____ coffee left in the pot.
- 4) Do you have _____ coins with you?

IV. Fill in the blanks with suitable tense:

3×1=3

- 1) We _____ (work) as teachers for two years. (**Present perfect**)
- 2) When the police arrived, the thief _____ (escape). (**Past perfect**)
- 3) I _____ (finish) this book. (**Future perfect**)

V. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions:

3×1=3

- 1) Let's meet _____ the weekend.
- 2) I was born _____ 2004.
- 3) She went _____ school.

VI. Unscramble the words:

3×1=3

- 1) mobo - _____
- 2) cohe - _____
- 3) murebl - _____

VII. Answer ANY FOUR of the following questions:

4×2=8

- 1) Why did Granny scold Hamid?
- 2) What did Granny say about Hamid's parents?
- 3) What did Usha buy in the market? List them.
- 4) What scared Usha during the dark rainy night?
- 5) What is inclusion? Why is it important?
- 6) What should we learn from our teachers?

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VIII. Answer ANY ONE of the following in about 70 (or) 80 words: 1×4=4

- 1) What story did grandfather tell them about the haunted hill? How did the children react when they met each other at the ruins?
- 2) In what ways are we doing injustice to nature? How does the ability to question help us?

IX. Quote from memory:

First five lines of the poem "The Listeners".

X. Read the following poetic lines and answer the questions given below:

3×1=3

- 1) It devoured her completely
Who does "it" refer to?
- 2) Speak gently - It is better for
To rule by love than fear
Speak gently - let not harsh words mar
The good we might do here
 - a) Which is better?
 - b) Pick out the rhyming words.

XI. Answer the following in a paragraph:

1×4=4

- 1) Write about the poet's search for his grandma.
- 2) Why should we speak gently? What are the disadvantages of speaking harshly?

XII. Identify the character / speaker:

3×1=3

- 1) "Oh, auntie, my sore toe's dying!"
- 2) The famous detective.
- 3) Shortest in the class VII.

[Anu, Tom, Ajay, Sherlock, Homes]

XIII. State whether the following statements are True or False:

3×1=3

- 1) Tom was really sick.
- 2) Mr. Jones was a lawyer.
- 3) Ajay enjoys bullying.

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XIV. Answer ANY THREE of the following:

3×2=6

- 1) How did Sid show his affection towards Tom?
- 2) What did Aunt Polly do to relieve Tom's toothache?
- 3) Describe Vincent Spaulding.
- 4) How did Holmes' team catch the thieves?
- 5) What is empathy?

XV. Write a letter to your class teacher asking permission to take leave.

(two days)

1×5=5