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COMMON SECOND MID - TERM TEST - 2022

Standard - VIII
ENGLISHReg No.

Marks: 100

Time: 2.30 hrs.

Choose the correct Synonym:

4x1=4

- Dixie was feeling very exhausted
a) joy b) wounded c) tired d) rejoiced
- The neem tree was a big antique in his garden
a) modern b) ancient c) updated d) outdated
- Praveen got sun stroke
a) fever b) nerves c) unconscious d) tired
- Heat exhaustion prevails
a) Wide spread b) not visible c) explosive d) hidden

Choose the correct Antonym:

4x1=4

- Karan visited his ancestral village
a) off spring b) family c) house d) relative
- We should use our mobile safely.
a) unsafely b) securely c) protect d) save
- Medicine should be stored.
a) consumed b) deleted c) preserved d) registered
- It is a latest mobile.
a) updated b) outdated c) new d) modern

9. Use the given homonyms in your own sentence:

2x2=4

- bat b) right

10. Match the phrasal verbs and its meanings:

5x1=5

- Call on (i) start
- look after (ii) visit
- keep on (iii) take care
- get rid of (iv) continue doing
- kick off (v) eliminate

11. Re - arrange the following words to form anagram:

3x1=3

- are b) care c) dog

GRAMMAR

12. Choose the correct tense:

5x1=5

- The climate of the city _____ pleasant most of the time
a) remains b) was remaining c) is remained
- One day he _____ into a hotel in Ooty.
a) booked b) was booking c) booking
- You will certainly _____ rewards for what you are doing.
a) get b) had get c) was getting
- Do you _____ the day we moved the piano upstairs?
a) remember b) remembered c) had remembered
- The rain completely _____ our day.
a) spoilt b) is spoilt c) was spoilt

13. Identify the errors, correct and rewrite them:

5x1=5

- I have met him yesterday.
- I am watching TV since morning.
- She is seeming sad.
- She watched TV when her husband came.
- He is having a cell phone.

14. Match the clause:

3x1=3

- If they worked hard - She will come to the party.
- If I invite Shalini- I would have bought the shoes.
- If I had got enough money - they would win

15. Change the following into indirect speech.

2x2=4

- He said, "I am fine".
- she said, "My sister is learning Bharatanatyam".

POETRY

Read the Poetic lines :

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- "Mistress, Master, hear me help,
I am out-of-doors, I want your help.
Let me in -oh, let me in
Before those fire works begin".
16. **Write the rhyme scheme of the above poetic lines:** 2
- To shoot again I can't bear that;
My tail is down, my ears are flat.
I'm trembling here outside the door.
Oh, don't you love me any more?
17. **Pick out the Rhyming words:** 2
18. **Match the rhyming words:** 4×1=4
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| a) Hark | - | do |
| b) too | - | help |
| c) yelp | - | hand |
| d) grand | - | dark |
19. **Write the first four lines of the poem: Lessons in life.** 5
- Having a
..... room.
- PROSE**
20. **Say true or false :** 5×1=5
- Keelakudi was the native of vetri.
 - The school was a middle school.
 - Vetri and Asif were good in studies.
 - Vetri never visited chennai
 - Asif was a business man.
21. **Answer any five :** 5×2=10
- What is street smart.
 - Which should be used with adults supervision?
 - What according to grandpa is the most serious illness?
 - What is must in every house hold?
 - What was the name of Vetri's company?
 - Which was the home town of vetri and Asif?
 - Why did he sell his property?
22. **Answer any one in a paragraph:** 5
- How can you make yourself cyber safe?
 - Write about road safety rules.
- SUPPLEMENTARY**
- 23) **Match the following:** 5×1=5
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| a) Man at the toll gate | - | had many stories to tell |
| b) Bridge | - | wise |
| c) John | - | Have special knowledge |
| d) Black beauty | - | flashing a torch |
| e) Animals | - | sturdy rail |
24. **Answer anyone in a paragraph:** 5
- What did the man at the tollgate on the otherside tell them?
 - How will you take care of your pet?
- LANGUAGE SKILLS**
25. **Read the following passage and answer the questions:** 5×2=10
- Maya was excited to start best the new school year. She sat down on the floor with her school books and her bright pink school bag. First, Maya put her crayons in her bag. She would use them in the class of her new teacher, Mrs. Sara. She put scissors in it to cut out hearts for her best friend.
- Why was Maya excited?
 - What colour is her school bag?
 - Did she put any crayons in her bag?
 - Who is her new teacher?
 - Why did Maya take scissors?
26. **Write a letter to your class teacher requesting him/her to grant you leave for you are going on a family-tour to mysore.**
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