

Government Boys Higher Secondary School

Gandarvakkottai- Pudukkottai

English

Std : XII

Test-3

Marks :25

Date :

Times :45

Choose the synonyms of the underlined word in the following sentences

1. I experienced not only agony and fear but also anger. 15 x 1=15
 a) increase b) frustration c) suffering d) pride
2. The trolley was commandeered by an intrepid crew of two.
 a) bold b) sad c) happy d) weak
3. Suffering seems so cruelly prevalent in the world today. .
 a) rare b) abnormal c) common d) irregular

Choose the antonyms of the underlined word in the following sentences

4. He had full of confidence in the mechanic.
 a) flatters b) diffidence c) unconcerned d) anxious
5. He had returned to the hospital because he had a malignant tumour of the bone.
 a) serious b) big c) benign d) harmful
6. Suffering was something basic that was full of solace for me.
 a) comfort b) distress c) anguish d) discomfort

Choose the right definitions given lines

7. Numismatics is the study of
 a) numbers b) money and coin c) speech sounds d) lunatics
8. Theo phobia is
 a) fear of light b) fear of God c) fear of devil d) fear of rain
9. is one who studies birds
 a) polyglot b) optimist c) pessimist d) ornithologist

Euphemism/polite alternate

10. **House wife** a) sweeper b) maid c) homemaker d) servant
 11. **Cheap** a) valuable b) economical c) comical d) expensive
 12. **Old** a) senior citizen b) citizen c) junior citizen d) junior

Write the American English word for the underlined word in the following sentence.

13. **Loo** a) waiting room b) waiting hall c) restroom d) hall
 14. **Autumn** a) fell b) season c) fall d) spring
 15 **Pavement** a) underground b) sidewalk c) bridge d) park

Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer any one of the following questions

(1) *“All the world’s a stage*

And all the men and women merely players”

16. What is the world compare to?

17. Write down the alliterated words above the given lines

“Jealous in honour, sudden and quick in quarrel

Seeking the bubble reputation

Even in the canon’s mouth”

18. Explain ‘ bubble reputation’

19. What is the soldier ready to do?

Explain any one of the following with reference to the context (3)

20. And shining morning face, creeping like snail.

21. His youthful hose, well sav’d, a world too wide

Write a paragraph of 100- 150 words (5)

22. Forgiveness is the best form of revenge” Substantiate this statement through Aksionov’s story.

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