

HSL HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION - 2022

8 - Std

ENGLISH



Marks : 60

Time : 2.00 Hrs

SECTION - A [VOCABULARY]

I Choose the appropriate Synonyms from the options given below for the Words underlined: $3 \times 1 = 3$

1. Praveen got Sun Stroke.
(a) fever (b) nerves (c) unconscious.
2. Heat exhaustion Prevails
(a) Widespread (b) not visible (c) hidden
3. The neem tree Was a big antique in his garden.
(a) Modern (b) ancient (c) out dated.

II Choose the appropriate antonyms from the options given below for the Words underlined. $3 \times 1 = 3$

4. We should Use Our mobile Safely.
(a) unsafely (b) Securely (c) Protect
5. Karan Visited his ancestral Village.
(a) off spring (b) family (c) house
6. It is a Latest mobile. (a) updated (b) Out dated (c) new

III Syllabify the following Words:- $2 \times 1 = 2$

7. English -
8. Teacher -

IV Pick out the Correct homophone. $[2 \times 1 = 2]$

9. The rises in the east. [Sun, Son]
10. Every morning my father likes to look at the on the grass.
[due, dew].

V Choose the Correct abbreviations. $[2 \times 1 = 2]$

11. IIT-
(a) International Institute of Teaching (b) Indian Institute of Teaching
(c) Indian Institute of Technology (d) International Institute of Technology.

12. SIM-

- (a) Subscriber Information Module
- (b) Subscriber Identification Module
- (c) Student Identification Module pid
- (d) School Identification Module.

VI Fill in the blanks with Suitable Collective Nouns: $[5 \times 1 = 5]$

[Swarm, Boul, Pair, Choir, shower]

1. A of rain
2. A of rice
3. A of shoes
4. A of ant
5. A of Singers.

VII Fill in the blanks with Suitable tags. $[3 \times 1 = 3]$

1. She is collecting stickers.....?
2. You have cleaned your bike.....?
3. Mari didn't do her homework Last Monday.....?

VIII Complete the following Sentences Using appropriate Confusable Words:- 3 x 1 = 3

1. I am going to down for an hour [Lie/ Lay]
2. She always gives me good [advise / advice]
3. The War had no good on oil prices. [affect / effect] [3x1=3]

IX Say True or False.

1. The school was a middle school.
2. Vetri never Visited Chennai
3. Asif Was a businessman. [4x1=4]

X Fill in the blanks:

1. Children Should use internet
2. Constructions was once a leading Company.
3. is a more Serious health related illness.
4. The author Speaks about the river

SECTION-B[GRAMMAR]

[2x1=2]

XI Choose the right Pattern:-

1. Pooja hired a bicycle. (a) SV (b) SVO (c) SVA
2. I promised the children a trip to the Zoo. (a) SVO (b) SVID.DO (C) SVC

XII Fill in the blanks with appropriate form of the Verbs given in the brackets: [3x1=3]

1. Manju (call) after we reach home.
2. The bus (leave) the stop before we could catch it.
3. Prasanna has (fall) sick after eating some snack at the street side shop.

XIII Identify the errors in the sentences given below and rewrite them. [3x1=3]

1. She or he have done well.
2. One of the boys are missing.
3. I am watching T.V. since morning.

XIV Change the following into Indirect speech: [2x1=2]

1. The teacher said to him, "Do not read so fast".

SECTION-C

XV Answer any about any three of the following questions in two sentences:- 6

1. What is STREET SMART?
2. What was the name of Vetri's. company?
3. How were the rooms arranged in his house?
4. What are the benefits of Computer?
5. Who is an Online Predator?

XVI Answer any One of the following in about 80 Words:- [1x5=5]

1. What did the man at the toll gate on the other side tell them?
2. Why did the sparrow throw the nose jewel in to Ramayya's house?

SECTION-D (POETRY)

XVII Quote from memory from the poem.

"A Thing of Beauty" First five lines.

SECTION E [SUPPLEMENTARY READER]

XVIII Choose the best answer from the option given n below: [4X1=4]

- a) The hermit lived in a (a) cottage (b) Palace (c) Wood.
- b)The bridge was broken in the (a) front (b) rear (c) middle
- c)The strange lady gave to Arun. (a) Coffee and Vadai b) tea and bajji
- (c) Tea and Samosas (d) black tea and Cake.
- d) Arun was sitting on platform (a) No. 7 (b) No.8 (c) No.4