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Time	e: 3.00 hrs. PART	-1	Marks: 100
Note	: i) Answer all the questions . ii) Choo	ose the most suitat	ole answer
Cho	ose the appopriate Synonyms for the i	talicized words:	$14 \times 1 = 14$
٦.	Prabha gruffly running around downstair	`S	an a harada
_	a) suddenly b) sadly		d) eagerly
2.	After the war, the people are in desperat	<u>te</u> position	
	a) hopeful b) fortunate	c) hopeless	d) vigorous
3	We have to be careful with the contagion	us disease	
	a) destroying b) spreading	c) dragging	d) pleasing
Cno	ose the appropriate Antonyms		
4.	The states were bifurcated based on lar	nguage	
	a) discovered b) divided	c) merged	d) created
5.	The argument of the defense lawyer was	<u>illogical</u>	
	a) acceptable b) legible	c) logical	d) idelogical
6.	The lose of the match never make the ter	am <i>interior</i>	
	a) superior b) prior Choose the correct plural form of "knife" a) knive b) knifes	c) senior	d) frustrated
7.	Choose the correct plural form of "knife"	from the following	
	a) knive b) knifes	c) knife	d) knives
8.	Form a derivative by adding the right presa) mis- b) in-	fix to the word	appropriate
	a) mis- b) in-	c) un-	d) dis -
9.	Choose the correct expansion of CBI		
	Choose the correct expansion of CBI a) Central Branch of India c) Central Bureau of Investigation	b) Crime Branch Inv	vestigation
	c) Central Bureau of Investigation	d)Commision Bure	au of Investigation
10.	Complete the following sentence with mo	ist appropriate phras	sal verb given below:
	I here will be a nower in your are	a nevt week	
	a) warm up b) stretch out	c) run out	d) shut down
11.	Choose the suitable option to pair it with	the word 'foot' to for	m a compound word
	a) cap b) ball	c) dance	d) walk
12.	Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate	te preposition given	below
	The train halts every station. a) from b) on		
	a) from b) on	c) by	d) at
13.	Complete the following sentence using the	e most appropriate	tense form of the verb
	diven below.		
	If she works hard, she scholarshi	ip	
	If she works hard, she scholarshi a) gets b) will get Chasse the appropriate linkers for the given	c) would get	d) would have not
14.	Choose the appropriate linkers for the given	ven iour alternatives	i viola i lave gor
	We came late we did not catch the	ne train.	
	a) and b) so	c) but	d) yet
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	SECTIO	N - I	
Ans	wer any three of the following question	is in a sentence or	two: $3 \times 2 = 6$
15.	How was the young seagull's first attemp	t to fly?	3 X Z = 0
16.	What does the term circumnavigation me	ean?	
17.	Which software helps Alisha to overcome	her difficulty in typi	ng?
18.	What was Frank sorry for?	announty in typi	9
	SECTIO	N - II	tall, and tall you have
Rea	d the following sets of poetic lines and	answer any three	of the following:
19.	Mot numying to, not turning morn the dost		
	Not mourning for the things that disappea	ar	$3 \times 2 = 6$
	a) Why do you think the poet is not in a	hurry?	hair and a second
	b) What should one not mourn for?		March 1981 The Control of the Contro
20.	There's a family nobody likes to meet:		
	They live, it is said, on Complaining Street	et .	
. 7	a) Where does the family live?		18 2 40
	b) Why do you think the street is named	as 'Complaining str	reet'?
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 $3 \times 2 = 6$

 $1 \times 2 = 2$

21. Strong is she in her faith and beliefs.

'Persistence is the key to everything,' says she.

b) How does she deal with the adversities in life? a) What is she strong about?

22. It never grows leaves,

Not in the winter, spring, summer or fall.

It just sits there never getting small or every growing tall

a) What does 'it' refer to?

b) in what way the tree is a mystery?

SECTION - III

Answer any three of the following:

23. Rewrite the following sentence to the other voice: The Defence Minister of India flagged off the voyage.

24. Rewrite the sentence using direct speech: The Headmaster said to the children "We are going to conduct a sports meet next week"

25. Punctuate the following sentence:

no one visits me he said in an unperturbed manner

26. Combine the sentence into a simple sentence : Rahesh changed his dress and went out to play.

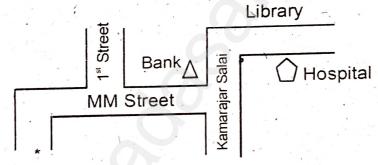
27. Rearrange the words in the correct order to make meaningful sentence:

a) happy / said/ he / will/ he/ has/that/ be b) carried / ship/ a / Antonio /us / on / board

SECTION - IV

28. Answer the following question:

A stranger approaches you to guide him to the hearest hospital. Give three instructions using the insturctions using the following road map.



You and the stranger are here

> PART - III SECTION - I

Answer any two of the following in a paragraph:

 $2 \times 5 = 10$

29. Explain the experience of the young seagull in "His First Flight'written by Liam O' Flaherty.

30. Highlight the factors responsible for the All- Women Indian Navy crew to carry out their expedition?

31. Technology is a boon to disabled. Justify.

32. Give an account of the last day of M.Hamel in school.

SECTION - II

Answer any two of the following:

 $2 \times 5 = 10$

33. Describe the journey of life as depicted in the poem by Hendry Van Dyke

34. How is mystery depicted in the poem "The House of Elm Street"?

35. Read the following stanza and answer the questions below: Though our smoke may hide the Heavens from your eyes,

It will vanish and the stars will shine again,

Because, for all our power and weight and size,

We are nothing more than children of your brain! a) Pick out the rhyming words from the given stanza.

b) Give the rhyme scheme of the given stanza

c) Identify the figure of speech employed in the first line. d) Pick out the Alliterating words in the second line

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36. Paraphrase the following stanza

Besides the house sits a tree.

It never grows leaves, Not in the winter, spring, summer or fall It just sits there, never getting small or ever growing tall How could this be?

SECTION - III

Answer any one of the following

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

37. Rearrange the following sentence in coherent order:

1) He climbed down the side of the dike and thrust his finger into the tiny hole

2) There was a small hole in the dike through which stream was flowing.

3) Suddenly Peter noticed that the sun was setting.

4) Just then he heard a noise of trickling water!

5) Peter understood the danger at once.

38. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow.

It was ZigZag's voice, clear and commanding. There was pin-drop silence in the room as everyone waited, open-mouthed, for Zigzag's next sentence. Dr. Krishnan was amazed! Gone was Zigzag's bored and grumpy expression. Instead the bird looked happy and alert as it went about the job it had been trained for, first with the African witch doctor and then with Dr. Somu. Dr. Krishnan;s clinic usually a noisy sea of tears and tantrums was transformed into a calm, orderly place as Zigzag efficiently soothed the frightened patients, scolded the naughty ones and made crying smile.

Questions:

1. How was Zigzag's voice?

- 2. How was the situation in the clinic room?
- 3. Why did Dr. Krishnan look amazed? 4. Who trained the bird?
- 5. How did Zigzag manage the situation efficiently in the clinic?

SECTION - IV

Answer any four of the following

 $4 \times 5 = 20$

39. Prepare an advertisement using the hints given below. Festival sale- Loyal Furniture show room- dinning tables- chairs- sofa- teakwood tables- cot with bed- 15% to 20% offer. Credit card pay facility- Easy EMI facility-

No.24. Oscar Street, Chennai- 44

40. You are Ranjith. You participated in a recently organized health camp from your school. You are surprised to observe that most of the residents were unaware of health and hygiene. Being a responsible citizen, write a letter to the editor stating the need to organize more camps focusing on the importance of health and hygiene

41. You are Martin / Kavitha, the school pupil leader of Government High School, Madurai, Prepare a notice on behalf of your school inviting all the students to take part in the 'Cultural Festival 'to be held in your school on the occasion of the children's day.

42. Look at the following picture and express your views on it in five sentences:



43. Make notes or Write summary of the following passage.

There are many different kinds of musical instruments. They are divided into three main classes according to the way they are played. For example, some instruments are played by blowing air into them. These are called wind instruments. In some of these the air is made to vibrate inside a wooden tube and these are said to be of the woodwind family. The examples of this family are the flute, the clarinet and the bassoon. Other instruments are made of brass; the trumpet and the horn are the examples. There are also various other wind instruments such as the mouth organ and the bagpipes. Some instruments are played by banging or striking them. One obvious example is the drum, of which there are various kinds. Instruments like

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this are called percussion instruments. The last big group of instruments are the ones which have strings. There are two main kinds of stringed instruments those in which the music is made by plucking the strings and those where the player draws a bow across the strings. Examples of the former are the harp and the guitar and that of the latter are the violin and the cello.

44. Identify and correct the errors in the following sentences.

a) My son is fond to music

b) His father is a M.L.A

c) As Ravi was suffering from fever so he did not come to school

d) If I was a bird I would fly

e) His pet dog fell across the river.

SECTION - V

45. Quote from memory:

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Remember , No Men and water (5 lines)

PART- IV (SUPPLEMENTARY)

 $2 \times 8 = 16$

46. Write a paragraph of about 150 words by developing the following hints:

The Tempest - play about magic - betrayal- love - Duke Milan - daughter -Miranda - lived- island- Prospero - Witch - Sycorax - powerful magician-Alonso - King of Naples - Ariel - storm - Alonso thought- son dead - Caliban ugly demon - Ferdinand - married - Miranda - Prospero - forgave everyone. (OR)

Peter - small boy - Holland - land lies - dikes - keep the North Sea - flooding b) The walls - strong - heard - sound of trickling water - small hole - soon make larger - country - would be - flooded - thrust fingers - water stopped - mother thought - he would spend - night - blind friend. Next morning - a man heard groan - a child clinging - side of the - great wall - never forgotten - little hero -Holland.

Read the following paragraph and answer the questions given below 47. a)

The Trojan War is one of the most famous wars in history. It is well known for the 10-year duration, for the heroism of a number of legendary characters, and for the Trojan horse. What may not be familiar, however, is the story of how the war began. According to Greek myth, the strife between the Trojans and the Greeks started at the wedding of Peleus, King of Thessaly, and Thetis, a sea nymph. All of the gods and goddesses had been invited to the wedding celebration in Troy except Eris, goddess of discord. She had been omitted from the guest list because her presence always embroiled mortals and immortals alike in conflict. To take revenge on those who had slighted her, Eris decided to cause a skirmish. Into the middle of the banquet hall, she threw a golden apple marked "for the most beautiful." All of the goddesses began to haggle over who should possess it.

Questions: a) Which is considered as one of the most famous war?

b) What is the duration of this particular war?

c) When did the strife started according to Greek myth?

d) Who were invited for the wedding celebration? (OR)

Read the following poem and answer the questions below:

A Bird, came down the Walk He did not know I saw He bit an Angel Worm in halves And ate the fellow, raw, And then, he drank a Dew From a convenient Grass-And then hopped sidewise to the Wail To let a Beetle pass He glanced with rapid eyes

Questions

1. What did the poet see? 3. What did the bird drink?

2. How did the bird eat the worm?

.4. How did the bird glance?