

CUDDALORE DISTRICT

COMMON FIRST REVISION TEST - 2023

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Standard XI

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ENGLISH

Time : 3.00 hrs

Part - I

Marks : 90
20 x 1 = 20

Choose the correct synonyms for the underlined words from the options given :

- My grandmother accepted her seclusion with resignation.
a) suitable b) isolation c) incomplete d) harmonious
- I am always reluctant to trust.
a) extraordinary b) domain c) unwilling d) disrespectful
- Confidence is the inherent ability.
a) inborn b) cultured c) difficult d) filled

Choose the correct antonyms for the underlined words from the options given :

- Saravana sees her often growing in moist areas.
a) marshy b) slimy c) sultry d) arid
- I found our speech copious without order.
a) meagre b) initiate c) original d) monotonous
- The win was an indelible experience.
a) seize b) forgettable c) free d) photograph
- Choose the trisyllabic word:
a) honourable b) confidence c) stupid d) meet
- Choose the appropriate syllabification for the given words :
a) edu-cat-ion b) e-duc-at-ion c) e-du-ca-tion d) e-du-cat-ion
- Choose the correct expansion of QUIZ
a) Questions Under Intellectual Zone b) Questions Under Internal Zone
c) Questions Understanding Intellectual Zone
d) Questions Unorganized Intellect Zone
- Choose the correct combination for the compound word "birthday"
a) noun + verb b) verb + noun c) noun + noun d) gerund + noun
- Choose the right combination for the blended words "tanqlish"
a) Tamil + English b) Tam + Eng c) tang + lish d) tang + English
- Choose the clipped word for the given word "pathway"
a) way b) path c) pathyway d) patway
- Choose the meaning of the foreign word in the sentence :
The post-mortem showed that she had been strangled.
a) evidence at a place b) circumstances
c) eye-witness d) medical examination of the dead body
- Choose the right definition of the given term "melomania"
a) fear of music b) crazy for music
c) strong desire to sing d) killing music lovers
- Replace the underlined phrasal verb into a single word :
I'm trying to calculate how much money owe you.
a) work upon b) work on c) work out d) work in
- Form a new word by adding a suitable prefix "qualify"
a) mis b) dis c) over d) un
- Choose the correct question tag for the following statement :
Saravana came late, _____?
a) did he? b) didn't he? c) do he? d) don't he?

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XI English

18. Choose the correct plural form of "calf"
 a) calfs b) calve c) calves d) calf
19. Choose the meaning of the idiom "tight corners"
 a) to deceive someone b) very different form
 c) difficult situation d) without any hesitation
20. Use a suitable link word :
 Saran is the leader _____ our class.
 a) for b) of c) in d) to

Part - II

Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer any four sets of the following :

4 x 2 = 8

21. "But now they only laugh with their teeth,
 While their ice-block-cold eyes.
 a) Explain : ice-block- cold eyes.
 b) Identify the figure of speech used here?"
22. "Buy tickets worth their radium,
 To watch you gambol in the stadium".
 a) What is meant by 'gambol'?
 b) Pick out the rhyming words?"
23. "Have I not reason to lament
 What Man has made of Man"
 a) What does 'lament' mean?
 b) Identify the figure of speech in the second line?"
24. "He sways his head from side to side
 With movements like a snake"
 a) Identify the poem and poet.
 b) Mention the figure of speech used here?"
25. "with all my heart I do admire
 Atheletes who sweat for fun on hire"
 a) Whom does the poet admire?
 b) For what reasons do the atheletes sweat?"
26. "To her fair works did Nature link
 The human soul that though me ran"
 a) What did Nature link?
 b) Mention the figure of speech used here?"

Answer any three questions :

3 x 2 = 6

27. Saravana said to me, "Do you have anything to say?" (change into indirect speech)
 28. If she had worked hard, she would have passed. (Begin with 'had')
 29. If you eat well, you will grow strong. (change into simple)
 30. One cannot solve the problem. (change into passive voice)

Part - III

Explain any two of the following with reference to the context:

2 x 3 = 6

31. "One infant grows up and becomes a jockey
 Another plays basketball on hockey"
 32. "There never was a cat of such
 deceitfulness and suavity"

(3)

33. "But that's gone, son
Now they shake hands without hearts"

2 x 3 = 6

Answer any two of the following :

34. What are our memories filled with?
35. Why did she call herself 'lucky'?
36. What was the happiest time of the day for grandmother?

3 x 3 = 9

Answer any three of the following :

37. The following table and answer the questions that follow :

Hotel	Type of Room	Rent (Per day)	Distance from Central Bus-stand (in kms)
Hotel Saravana	Double Deluxe A/c	750	4
Hotel Venus	Double / Non A/c	450	2
Hotel Ruby	Single / A.c	600	3
Hotel Meera	Single / Non A/c	400	5

- a) Which is the nearest hotel to Central Bus Stand?
b) Which hotel charges the maximum room rent? Why?
c) What are the disadvantages of Hotel Meera?
38. Complete the proverbs :
a) _____ was not built in a day. (India / Rome / Italy)
b) Care and diligence bring _____. (bless / luck curse)
c) The _____ is always greener on the other side. (stones / grass / parrot)
39. Re-arrange the shuffled words to make meaningful sentences:
a) students / good / get / hardworking / marks
b) two / participants / all / a / certificate / given / was
c) need / and / women / respect / recognition.
40. Preparing your favourite dish.

Part - IV

7 x 5 = 35

Answer in a paragraph of about 150 words :

41. a) Explain how the narrator got out of the tight corner?
(OR)
42. a) Why was Mary Kom named the "Queen of Boxing" and magnificent Mary?
b) Explain the things the poet has learnt when he grew into an adult?
(OR)
43. a) "Nature can nature" - Describe how this process happens.
b) 'The first patient' by C.V.Burgess - dentist's waiting room - dentist arrives - first patient enters - nurse carries - hammer, pair of pliers, a hacksaw - surgical room - strange sounds - reaction of patients - dentist tries to open tool cabinet - everyone leaves - except one.
(OR)
- b) The narrator wanted to take a photo - the photographer looked - like a scientist - studied faces of visitors - narrator wanted to show to his family - went to receive - got shocked - changes made - angry for destroying his real face - scolded - shed tears - left.

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XI English

44. a) Write a summary or make notes of the following passages :

Our blood consists of three types of blood cells, red blood cells, white blood cells and platelets. The red blood cells are small, thin and disc-shaped. They are composed of an iron - containing, component called haemoglobin. When blood passes through the lungs each haemoglobin molecule picks up our oxygen molecules and its supplies the oxygen to the bodies tissues. Red blood cells also transport the carbon dioxide from the tissues to the lungs. The lungs throw out this gas when we exhale. The white blood cells are big and they are few when compared with the red cells, numbering only one for every 700 red cells. They are the body's defenders. They are the soldiers that fight, bacteria and other enemies. One kind, for instance, destroys dead cells. Other kind produces antibodies against viruses. Some others eat up and digest bacteria. Platelets are linked around or oral plates. They are the key elements in blood clotting. When a blood vessel is cut, the platelets rush to the place. They stick to the edges of the wound, clump together and seal the hole. Each drop of blood has 15 million platelets and they have a life span of eight days.

(OR)

- b) Construct a dialogue between two friends discussing their holiday plans is not more than five exchanges.

45. a) Write a letter to your friend inviting him/her for your sister's marriage.

(OR)

- b) Write a letter to your friend congratulating him for his success in the IAS.

46. a) Read the following sentences, spot the errors and correct them.

- i) Have you ever seen Taj Mahal?
- ii) We bought a lot of furnitures.
- iii) I am absent yesterday.
- iv) He died with cholera.
- v) We enjoy the cricket.

(OR)

- b) Identify the each of the following sentences with fields given below :

- i) Shakespeare's plays are read by many people.
- ii) Saravana is planning to visit the US on tourist visa.
- iii) India is marching towards 0% illiteracy.
- iv) Faith is God helps one to lead a peaceful life.
- v) Owing to recession, value of shares came down.

[Education, Literature, religion, Commerce, Travel]

47. a) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow :

The pearl is considered as one of the most beautiful jewels. It is the one gem that is not up from a mine in the earth. It is grown in the shell of an oyster. The oyster does not make the pearl for the purpose of adoring the necks of women. It makes it only as a means of self-protection. They protect itself from the object like a grain of sand, the oyster begins to cover the object with a thick fluid which is secreted in its own body. When this layer hardness, and irritation begins, and another layer is added.

- i) Which is considered as one of the most beautiful jewels?
- ii) What is unique about the Jewel?
- iii) Where is it grown?
- iv) Why is the pearl made?
- v) How does the oyster protect itself?

(Or)

- b) Write a paragraph of about 150 words on the topic 'The role of school in a student's life'

(CUDDALORE DISTRICT)**+ 1 ENGLISH – FIRST REVISION – JAN 2023****HIGHER SECONDARY (FIRST YEAR) – FIRST REVISION EXAM – JAN 2023****(NEW SYLLABUS)****DATE : 20.01.2023 ENGLISH – SCORING KEY****ANSWERS WRITTEN ONLY IN BLACK OR BLUE SHOULD BE EVALUATED**

PART – I		
1.	Answer all the questions:	20 x 1 = 20
	Choose the correct synonyms for the underlined words from the options given.	
01	(b) isolation	3 Marks
02	(c) unwilling	
03	(a) inborn	
	Choose the correct antonyms for the underlined words from the options given.	
04	(a) arid	3 Marks
05	(a) meagre	
06	(b) forgettable	
07	(b) confidence	1 Mark
08	(c) e-du-ca-tion	1 Mark
09	(a) Questions Under Intellectual Zone	1 Mark
10	(c) noun + noun	1 Mark
11	(a) tamil + english	1 Mark
12	(b) path	1 Mark
13	(d) medical examination of the dead body	1 Mark
14	(b) crazy for music	1 Mark
15	(c) work out	1 Mark
16	(b) dis	1 Mark
17	(b) didn't he	1 Mark
18	(c) calves	1 Mark
19	(c) difficult situation	1 Mark
20	(b) of	1 Mark

PART - II		
SECTION - 1		
	Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer any four of the following.	4 x 2 = 8
21	(a) eyes lacking warmth (b) metaphor	1 Mark 1 Mark
22	(a) to run / jump happily (b) radium, stadium	1 Mark 1 Mark
23	(a) to express sorrow or unhappiness about something (b) alliteration	1 Mark 1 Mark
24	(a) Poem : Macavity - The mystery cat Poet : T.S.Eliot (b) snake	1 Mark 1 Mark
25	(a) athletes (b) fun or hire	1 Mark 1 Mark
26	(a) the soul of the poet connects with the Nature in regards of the beautiful(fair) work that Nature has done. (b) personification	1 Mark 1 Mark
	SECTION - 2	3 x 2 = 6
	Answer any three questions.	
27	Saravana asked me if I had anything to say.	2 Marks
28	Had she worked hard, she would have passed.	2 Marks
29	In the event of your eating well, you will grow strong.	2 Marks
30	The problem cannot be solved by one.	2 Marks
	PART - III	
	Section - 1	
(i)	Explain any two of the following with reference to the context.	2 x 3 = 6
	Name of the poem	1 Mark
	Name of the poet	1 Mark
	Explanation	1 Mark
31	Poem : Confessions of a born spectator Poet : Ogden Nash	
32	Poem : Macavity - The mystery cat Poet : T.S.Eliot	
33	Poem : Once upon a time Poet : Gabriel Okara	

SECTION - 2		
	Answer any two of the following in not more than 30 words.	2 x 3 = 6
34	Telephone Numbers, Addresses of friends, Names of Actors and actresses, Cricketers, Foot Ballers and Murderers.	3 Marks
35	She did not have any match that day.	3 Marks
36	Feeding sparrows in the afternoon.	3 Marks
SECTION - 3		
	Answer any three of the following.	3 x 3 = 9
37	a) venus b) hotel Saravana – double deluxe A/c c) distance & non A/c single	3 Marks
38	Complete the proverbs. a) rome b) luck c) grass	3 Marks
39	Rearrange the proverbs. a) Hardworking students get good marks. b) Participation certificate was given to all the participants c) Women need respect and recognition	3 Marks
40	Describe the process of preparing your favourite dish.	3 Marks
PART - IV		
	Answer the following:	7 x 5 = 35
41	➤ Content – (60%), Language, style and organisation (40%) or ➤ Exceptionally good paragraph (b) ➤ Correct answer with all points with no mistakes ➤ Correct answer with a few mistakes ➤ Answer with a few points ➤ Answer with a few points and many mistakes	5 Marks 4 Marks 3 Marks 2 Marks 1 Mark
42	➤ Content – (60%), Language, style and organisation (40%) or ➤ Exceptionally good paragraph (b) ➤ Correct answer with all points with no mistakes ➤ Correct answer with a few mistakes ➤ Answer with a few points ➤ Answer with a few points and many mistakes	5 Marks 4 Marks 3 Marks 2 Marks 1 Mark

<p>43 (a) or (b)</p>	<p>➤ Content - (60%), Language, style and organisation (40%) ➤ Exceptionally good paragraph ➤ Correct answer with all points with no mistakes ➤ Correct answer with a few mistakes ➤ Answer with a few points Answer with a few points and many mistakes</p>	<p>5 Marks 4 Marks 3 Marks 2 Marks 1 Mark</p>
<p>44 (a) (b)</p>	<p>Write a summary or make notes of the following passage. Summarising - Format Rough copy / Rough Draft / First copy / First Draft Fair copy / Fair Draft / Final copy / Final Draft Suitable title (An exceptional summary can be awarded Maximum marks. The number of words in the Fair Draft need not be taken into account) (or) Note making : Format Title Sub-titles Key points under each sub-titles</p>	<p>1 mark 3 Marks 1 Mark 1 Mark 2 Marks 2 Marks</p>

<p>46</p>	<p>i) Spot the errors and correct them. a) Have you ever seen the taj mahal? b) We bought a lot of furniture. c) I was absent yesterday. d) He died of cholera. e) We enjoy cricket. (or) a) Literature b) Travel c) Education d) Religion e) commerce</p>	<p>1 Mark 1 Mark 1 Mark 1 Mark 1 Mark 1 Mark 1 Mark 1 Mark 1 Mark 1 Mark</p>
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47.	a) The pearl	1 Mark
a)	b) It is the one gem that is not up from a mine in the earth.	1 Mark
	c) shell of an oyster	1 Mark
	d) self protection	1 Mark
	e) They protect itself from the object like secreted in its own body.	1 Mark

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