

KARUR DISTRICT**BE CONFIDENT ENGLISH GUIDE & QUESTION BANK**KR **FIRST REVISION TEST - 2023****CELL : 9597292925**

XI - Std

20.02.2023 ENGLISH

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Time : 3.00 Hrs

Marks : 90

Part-I

20x1=20

Answer all the questions :-

Choose the appropriate synonyms of the underlined words in the following sentences :-

- That seemed quite absurd and undignified. a. ridiculous b. silly c. reasonable d. strange
- Men with fallible memories have sometimes tried to make out a case for their superiority.
a. perfect b. weak c. thick d. bad
- Form a new word by adding a suitable prefix to the base word 'media'. a. multi b. over c. micro d. pre
- Choose the suitable option to pair it with the word 'life' to form a compound word. a. on b. side c. time d. short
- Choose the correct expansion of the abbreviation "LPG".
a. Local Petrol Gant b. Liquid Petrol gram c. Liquefied Petroleum Gas d. Local Petrol Gas
- Choose the clipped form of the word 'Pantaloons'. a. pants b. loons c. panta d. taloon
- The greatest disadvantage for me was my loss of appetite. a. hope b. memory c. alertness d. hunger
- Chemists make their fortunes out of the medicines. a. game b. factory c. riches d. popularity.
- It is indelibly branded in letters of fire on my heart. a. quickly b. erasable c. temporary d. permanently
- Choose the appropriate antonyms for the underlined words in the following sentences :-
- The role of the universities today is not cloistered and confined as in the past.
a. restricted b. meant c. liberated d. kept
- Choose the right definition for the word 'cardiologist'.
a. One who treats heart problems. b. One who treats kidney diseases
c. One who treats stomach disorders d. One who treats lung diseases
- Fill in the blank with the suitable phrasal verb.
The vehicle _____ on the way. a. broke in b. broke out c. broke up d. broke down
- Choose the appropriate expression for the underlined idiom.
The players started to square off at the beginning of the match.
a. prepare for the conflict b. give up c. avoid for facing d. hiding something
- Form a new word by adding a suitable suffix to the base word 'audible' a. in b. re c. un d. de
- Add a suitable question tag to the following statement.
I have seen the film 'Border' _____? a. didn't I? b. don't I? c. haven't I? d. hadn't I?
- Fill in the blank with the suitable prepositions.
The new officer will take charge _____ Monday. a. on b. in c. at d. over
- The plural form of alumnus is _____. a. alumni b. alumnes c. alumneses d. alums
- Choose the equivalent American English word for the British English word.
English movies have no interval. a. break b. pause c. interaction d. intremission
- Substitute the underlined word with the appropriate polite alternative.
The school is for the blind children. a. visual failure b. sightless c. visually challenged d. unsighted
- Fill in the blank with suitable relative pronoun.
My sister _____ is in Mumbai, is arriving today. a. who b. which c. they d. whose

Part - II Section - I

Answer any four of the following :-

4x2=8

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

- He, who does not stoop is a king we adore,*
We bow before competence and merit. a. Who is adored as a king? b. What is the figure of speech used here?
- Once upon a time, son*
They used to laugh with their hearts. a. To whom is the poet addressing?
b. How did the people laugh in olden days?
- If this belief from Heaven be sent*
If such be Nature's holy plan. a. What does 'Heaven' refer to? b. Why does the poet call it 'holy'?
- And his footprints are not found in any file of Scotland Yard'*
a. Why do they need his footprints? b. Pick out the alliteration in this line.
- Our lands, our lives, and all are Bolingbroke's.* a. Who is Bolingbroke? b. Write down the alliterated words.
- With all my heart I do admire*
Athletes who sweat for fun or hire a. Whom does the poet admire? b. Pick out the rhyming words

Section - II

Answer any three of the following questions.

3x2=6

- If he had explained the problem, I would have been able to help you.
(Change this sentence making an inversion in the conditional clause)
- Vidhya said to the visitor, "What can I do for you?" (Change this sentence into indirect speech)
- The policemen stop every car at this junction. (Change the voice of this sentence)
- The lid of the bottle is very tight. I cannot open it. (Combine the pairs of sentences into a simple sentence)

Part - III Section - I

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

2x3=6

- I have learned to wear many faces like dresses.*
- That you are not me and I am not you.*
- Our pride springs from the way we live.*

Section - 2

Answer any two of the following questions :-

34. What was the happiest time of the day for grandmother?
 35. What is a tight corner?
 36. Why are universities necessary for the society?

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Section - 3

Answer any three of the following questions. :-

3x3=9

37. Write a notice about the inauguration of an English Literary Club in your school.
 38. Write an email to your uncle thanking him for the gift that he had sent.
 39. Complete the following proverbs with right options.
 a. Don't judge a _____ by its cover. (*face, letter, book*)
 b. All that glitters is not _____. (*gold, silver, iron*) c. _____ where you are planted. (*carry, bloom, look*)
 40. Expand the following headlines.
 a. Monkeys trouble tourists. b. Argentina won FIFA World Cup. c. Students take out rally against child labour.

Part -IV

Answer the following in a paragraph of about 150 words :-

7x5=35

41. a. The grandmother played a vital role in the author's formative years. Explain. (OR)
 b. Explain how the narrator got out of the tight corner that he was in.
 42. a. What are the lamentations of King Richard in the poem 'The Hollow Crown'? (OR)
 b. The poet does not wish to exchange places with the athletes. How does he justify his view?
 43. Write a paragraph of about 150 words by developing the following hints :-
 a. Leacock - goes - to - studio - the photographer- dislikes - Leacock's face - passes - several - comments - Leacock - gets - irritated - the photo- taken-wants- see - proof - visits - studio- again- photo - edited - help - technology- Leacock upset- over-changes- calls-worthless- leaves - anger. (OR)
 b. The patients—waiting—dental clinic—Joe—the first patient—nurse took tools—hammer, pliers, hacksaw—other patients stunned—Joe's painful expressions—treated by the terrific tools—some patients leave—out of fear—children—cut school—Joe—returns well—open his tool cabinet.
 44. Make notes or summarise the following passage :-

Deforestation is the removal of trees on a vast level for fulfilling all the requirements of the growing population. Human beings are so selfish that they destroy forest by completely removing the trees without replanting. However they do not know that unknowingly they are digging a big pit for themselves. People are changing the forests into the land forms for getting more wood, fuel, making farms, building houses and cities to live comfortably.

Deforestation results in many effects like loss shelter for animals, environment change, seasonal change, increasing temperature, rising environmental heat, global warming, increasing greenhouse gas effect, melting ice caps and glaciers, increasing sea - level, weakening ozone layer, hole in the ozone layer, increasing, risks of natural disaster like storm, cyclone, typhoon, flood, drought and many more negative changes which are threat to the existence of life on the earth.

Forests play a great role in balancing the human life and environment cycle by regulating the water cycle, production of soil, providing habitat for animals, providing oxygen, utilising harmful CO₂, regulating environmental temperature, preventing soil erosion and many more.

45. Write a letter to a book seller placing an order for some books for your school library. (OR)

Respond to the advertisement suitably:

<p>Wanted enterprising persons for the post of salesmen for our new branch dealing in textiles Qualification: any degree with 2 years experience in the field. Apply with your curriculum vitae to: JJ Pvt Ltd. No:10, Greams Road Chennai 600 006</p>

46. a. Read the following sentences, spot the errors and correct them.
 i. He is senior than me. ii. Vijay have to improve his English.
 iii. We rarely go to the park, don't we? iv. Idly and chutney are his favourite breakfast.
 v. When I reached the station, the train left. (OR)
 b. Fill in the blanks as instructed.
 i. We recognised her at once, — we had not seen her for years. (Fill in with correct linker)
 ii. The stranger _____ for a few minutes before he _____ my house. (paused /passed)
 iii. We _____ (attend) summer camp by this time next year. (Fill in with correct tense form)
 iv. How _____ you disobey my words? (Use a semi modal verb)
 47. a. Identify each of the following sentences with the fields given below.
 i. Slow learners should be given individual attention. ii. The monitor was not working.
 iii. The flight was cancelled due to fog. iv. We go by train to Bangalore.
 v. Newspapers bring news from all parts of the world. (Education, Travel, Weather, Computer, Media) (OR)
 b. Read the following passage and answer in your own words.

Tejaswini Sawant is an Indian shooter from the Maharashtrian city of Kolhapur. Her father Ravinder Sawant is an officer in the Indian Navy. Tejaswini represented India in 2004 at the 9th South Asian Sports Federation Games. She, in 2006 Commonwealth Games, won one gold medal in Women's 10m Air Rifle Singles and Women's 10m Air Rifle pairs. In 2009, in the 50m Rifle 3 positions, she won a bronze and in 2010, she became a world champion in 50m Rifle Prone Game held in Germany. In 2010, Commonwealth Games, She won the bronze and two silver medals in the Women's 50m Rifle Prone pairs, Women's 50m Rifle Prone Singles and the Women's 50m Rifle 3 positions respectively. Tejaswini was the first Indian shooter to win a Gold medal at the World Championship in 50m Rifle Prone Game.

1. When and where did she become a world champion?
 2. Who is Tejaswini Sawant? 3. When did she win a gold medal?
 4. Who was the first Indian woman shooter? 5. What is her father?

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HIGHER SECONDARY (FIRST YEAR) – FIRST REVISION EXAM – JAN 2023

(NEW SYLLABUS)

DATE : 20.02.23 (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	(c) reasonable	3 Marks
02	(a) perfect	
03	(a) multi	
	Choose the correct antonyms for the underlined words from the options given.	
04	(c) time	3 Marks
05	(c) Liquefied Petroleum Gas	
06	(a) pants	
07	(d) hunger	1 Mark
08	(c) riches	1 Mark
09	(d) permanent	1 Mark
10	(c) liberated	1 Mark
11	(a) one who treats heart problems	1 Mark
12	(d) broke down	1 Mark
13	(a) prepare for the conflict	1 Mark
14	Mere attempt	1 Mark
15	(c) haven't I	1 Mark
16	(a) on	1 Mark
17	(a) alumni	1 Mark
18	(d) intermission	1 Mark
19	(c) visually challenged	1 Mark
20	(a) who	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) One who does not stoop before others is adored as a king (b) metaphor	1 Mark 1 Mark
22	(a) his son (b) In the past people laughed with their hearts sincerely. They greeted one another with real gladness.	1 Mark 1 Mark
23	(a) god's place (b) It was created by god	1 Mark 1 Mark
24	(a) They need Macavity's footprints to prove the crime done by him. (b) footprints, found, file	1 Mark 1 Mark
25	(a) cousin of King Richard II (b) lands, lives	1 Mark 1 Mark
26	(a) athletes (b) admire, hire	1 Mark 1 Mark
	SECTION - 2	
	Answer any three questions.	3 x 2 = 6
27	Had he explained the problem, I would have been able to help you.	2 Marks
28	Vidhya asked visitor what he / she could do for him / her.	2 Marks
29	Every car is stopped by the policemen at this junction.	2 Marks
30	The lid of the bottle is too tight for me to open.	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 :Once upon a time Poet : Gabriel Okara	
32	Poem :Confessions of a born spectator Poet :Ogden Nash	
33	Poem :Everest is not the only peak Poet :Kulothungan	

SECTION - 2		
	Answer any two of the following in not more than 30 words.	2 x 3 = 6
34	Feeding the sparrows	3 Marks
35	Difficult situation.	3 Marks
36	Universities are the repositories of knowledge and the nursing ground for emissaries of thought, wisdom and service. They equip individuals in the task of bettering society. Universities have in fact eschewed monarchy and autocracy and have initiated the era of democracy. Thus universities have helped the society.	3 Marks
SECTION - 3		
	Answer any three of the following.	3 x 3 = 9
37	Notice writing.	3 Marks
38	E-mail writing.	3 Marks
39	Complete the proverbs. a) book b) gold c) bloom	3 Marks
40	Headlines.	3 Marks
PART - IV		
	Answer the following:	7 x 5 = 35
41	➤ Content - (60%), Language, style and organisation (40%)	
(a)	➤ Exceptionally good paragraph	5 Marks
or	➤ Correct answer with all points with no mistakes	4 Marks
(b)	➤ Correct answer with a few mistakes	3 Marks
	➤ Answer with a few points	2 Marks
	➤ Answer with a few points and many mistakes	1 Mark

46	<p>i) Spot the errors and correct them.</p> <p>a) He is senior to me. 1 Mark b) Vijay has to improve his English. 1 Mark c) We rarely go the park, do we? 1 Mark d) Idly and Chutney is his favourite breakfast. 1 Mark e) When I reached the station, the train had left. 1 Mark</p> <p>(or)</p> <p>a) but 2 Marks b) paused, passed 1 Mark c) will be attending 1 Mark d) dare 1 Mark</p>	
47.	<p>Identify the field.</p> <p>a) a) education 1 Mark b) computer 1 Mark c) weather 1 Mark d) travel 1 Mark e) media 1 Mark</p>	
b)	<p>Comprehension passage</p> <p>a) 2010, Germany 1 Mark b) Indian shooter from Maharashtra 1 Mark c) 2006 1 Mark d) Tejaswini sawant 1 Mark e) officer in Indian navy 1 Mark</p>	

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