



**KALAIMAGAL MATRIC HR .SEC. SCHOOL, MOHANUR.
FULL TEST-1**

STD: XII

ENGLISH

TIME: 3Hrs

DATE: 03.03.2022

MARKS: 90

Choose the correct synonyms for the underlined from the options given. (20X1=20)

1. The boys had leaped from the car.

- a) Jumped b) fell down c) got down d) descended

2. The corpse would be placed against the boister.

- a) Support b) wall c) treed. d) grinding stone

3. liberty is not a personal affair.

- a) occurrence b) entertainment c) fund d) enjoy

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

4. He could clean and burnish the chair everyday till it shone like gold.

- a) Polish b) buff c) tarnish d) luster

5. They accept their fate.

- a) Destiny b) nemesis c) origin d) doom

6. We are liable to forget this..

- a) Unaccountable b) answerable c) amendable d) accountable

7. Choose the correct compound word for the combination "free kick".

- a) Adjective + Verb b) Gerund + Verb
c) Noun + Noun d) Noun + Verb

8. Choose the correct expansion of "IPC".

- a) Integrated Police Council b) Indian Penal Code
c) Independent Police Corps d) International Public Census

9. Choose the meaning of the foreign word, **Chauffeur**

- a) conductor b) driver c) bill collector d) writer

10. Choose the right combination for the blended word "melodrama".

- a) melodious + drama b) melody + drama
c) melodo + drama d) melodium + drama

11. Choose the clipped word for "Poliomyelitis".

- a) poly b) polio c) myelitis d) litis

12. One who studies the "fossils" is called

- a) optimist b) pugilist c) paleontologist d) pathologist

13. Form a derivative by adding the right prefix to the word "lingual".

- a) multi b) un c) co d) pre

14. Choose the right meaning of the phrasal verb from the sentence.

She **put forth** all her efforts to win the race.

- a) try hard b) spent c) tolerate d) worked

15. Fill in the blanks with a suitable preposition.

It was Ausable -----closed the door behind him.

- a) whose b) who c) whom d) which

16. Choose the correct question tag for the following statement.

I have a car of my own ?

- a) don't I b) do I c) shall I d) didn't I

Section – 2

Answer any three of the following questions. (3X2=6)

27. Rewrite in other speech.

Mcarthy asked Murali whether he would like to watch a film with him the next day.

28. Rewrite using positive degree.

Vetri is one of the smartest contestants.

29. Rewrite as directed.

If I had seen you, I would have greeted you. [Begin with "Had"]

30. Transform the following into a simple sentence.

While the cat is away, the mice will play.

PART III/ Section - 1

Explain any two of the following with reference to the context. (3X2=6)

31. " You and I are old: Old age hath yet his honour and his toll;"

32. Yet learning something out of every folly

Hoping to repeat none of the cheap follies

33. Is second childishness and mere oblivion;

Sans teeth, sans eyes, sans taste, sans everything.

Section - 2

Answer any two of the following questions in about 30 words each. (3X2=6)

32. Describe the girl with whom the boys were talking to in the cubicle?

33. What injuries did they sustain during the accident?

34. When did the children get over the fear of sitting on the chair?

Section - 3

Answer any three of the following questions in about 30 words each. (3X3=9)

35 Expand the following news headlines:

(a) Committee to implement new policy of Education.

(b) Museum to showcase Keeladi arte facts.

(c) TRAI fixes ring timings for mobiles and landlines.

38. Write a dialogue between a mother and her son who is weak in English. (Minimum of three exchanges)

39. Describe the process of making greeting cards.

40. Complete the proverbs using the words given below.

(a) Failures are- _stones to success.

(b) Fine __make fine birds.

(c) Still waters ___deep.

(run, stepping, feathers)

PART IV

Answer the following questions.

Answer in a paragraph in about 150 words.

(7x5=35)

41. Describe the Grand Prix at Cape Town's Red Cross Children's Hospital.

(or)

Narrate the humorous incidents that happened in the author's house before and after the arrival of the chair.

42. What makes Ulysses seek newer adventure?

(or)

How does nature communicate with the poet?

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

Venus- children - wait for sun - after 7 years- continuous rain -saw sun - when 2 years old - 7 years ago - Margot - thin pale girl - Ohio- USA - saw sun when 4 year old - describes sun - others - jealous - lock her up - sun comes out - only for two hours - rain again batters - children reformed - open the lock - release Margot.

(or)

Aksionov - sentenced - 26 years - crime not committee wife doubted - devastated - resigns to himself - turns up to God - works hard - reads books - earns respect in prison - Makar - wicked - blame on Aksionov - meets in prison - repents for mistakes - finally- comes forward to tell the truth - but Aksionov dies.

44. Write a summary (or) **Make** notes of the following passage.

Sea water is unfit for drinking. The water of the Dead Sea is about six times salty. It is called the Dead Sea because almost none of nature's creatures can live in this environment. It is mainly the Jordan which flows into it and at the surface, it is less salty. The Dead sea is deadly to ferns, plants and even to all kinds of fish. Any fish which accidentally swims into it from fresh water source is killed instantly. Its body is coated with mineral salts and tossed ashore. Human beings do not perish in it. Why? The answer to this question lies in your science teacher's exam question: Is it easier to swim in fresh water or sea water and why? The answer is that just as you find it easier to swim in the ocean or the sea than in the swimming pool, it is much easier to swim in the Dead Sea with its extreme concentration of minerals and consequent high density, It is really easy to float in the Dead Sea. Why is the Dead Sea so salty? The Dead Sea is located on the border between Israel and Jordan. It is completely and locked, thus no water can leave it except by evaporation. It is hot there so, evaporation takes place very rapidly making the sea salty.

45. Write a letter to AZ company requesting them to replace the defective juicer that you bought recently, Include the following details: the problem, the date of purchase, receipt number, model and warranty.

(or)

Write a paragraph on, "The Need for New Education Policy".

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

- (a) A bad weather prevented the match from continuing.
- (b) We look forward to receive the chief guest.
- (c) The criminal was to be hung last Sunday.
- (d) The sun is setting in the west .
- (e) David with his neighbors were quizzed by the police.

(or)

ii) Fill in the blanks appropriately;

- (a) He told us a ----- about a donkey's -----.(tale/tail)
- (b) He -----consult his parents right now.(Fill in with a modal verb)
- (c) They -----a fantastic programme.(Fill in with an Anomalous Finite verb)
- (d) -----there is no hike in their salary ,the workers are on strike.(Use a linker/pharse)

47. Identify each of the following sentences with the field in the list given below, by understanding the word or words serving as the clue.

- a) China-Russia border trade gets a boost.
- b) India bags a gold medal in wrestling.
- c) The health Department is taking remedial Measures to cure Bbola infection.
- d) Farmers learn mite control measure.
- e) English learning lab was opened for the students.

(Medicine, Commerce, Agriculture, Education, Sports)

(or)

Read the following passage and answer in your own words.

Schools all over India celebrate, Children's Day on 14th November Every year. On this day, our great Prime Minister who had a great love for children was born. His ancestors came down from Kashmir to the rich plains below. Kaul had been his family name; this changed to Kaul - Nehru; and in later years Kaul was dropped and they became simply Nehru's. Jawaharlal Nehru was the only son of his prosperous parents. His two sisters were much younger to Jawaharlal Nehru. And so, he grew up and spent his early years as a lonely child with no companion of his own age. Private tutors were in charge of his education. Then he went to England and was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.

Questions:

- (a) Why is 14th November celebrated as Children's Day?
- (b) Why did Jawaharlal Nehru spend his early years as a lonely child?
- (c) Where did Pt. Nehru's forefathers come from?
- (d) How many brothers and sisters did Jawaharlal Nehru have?
- (e) Name the educational institution he attended in England?