DISTRICT INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING ODDANCHATRAM, DINDIGUL DISTRICT – 624619

QUARTERLY EXAMINATION - 2023

Class: VIII ANSWER KEY Time: 3Hrs

Subject: English Marks: 100

SECTION - A

 $17 \times 1 = 17$

- 1. b) comforted
- 2. b) beneficial
- 3. d) well known
- 4. c) seriously
- 5. b) recognized
- 6. c) distaste
- 7. d) big
- 8. a) Believed
- 9. b) terrible
- 10. b) endure
- 11. b) Indian space research organization
- 12. allowed
- 13. a) ten-der-ness
- 14. b) tri
- 15. b) trophies
- 16. c) house
- 17. bunch

SECTION - B

Part - 1

 $4 \times 1 = 4$

- 18. Blue pen is mine
- 19. Transitive verb
- 20. On
- 21. Must

Part - II

22. Raja is the tallest boy in the class

 $2 \times 2 = 4$

23. a)How are you? b) where are you going?

SECTION - C (PROSE)

 $5 \times 2 = 10$

- 24. In 2004, Ajay was awarded a national award of accomplishment from the Indian president ,Dr. APJ Abdul kalam.
- 25. She picked it up with delight and wore it.
- 26. In a nice spot in the roof of Ramayya's house.
- 27. Mani's hobby is writing stories.

- 28. Wind mill, solar watch, water watch.
- 29. He jumped against the wind.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- 30. Somewhere in the muck-heap lay a diamond nose-jewel. The male bird picked it up and came to the nest withthe shining stud in his beak andsaid to his wife: "Look! Doyoulike this? The wife bird replied," What am I to do with diamondnose studs or with ear-rings? Find some grub; the young ones are hungry."
- 31. His father, once bought him a paint set to play. Ajay started to paint happily. He painted on the walls, floors etc. He looked happy, while using the paint set that was gifted to him. Soon, Ajay's father realised that Ajay was talented in painting.
- 32. Wind mill, solar watch, water watch and relevant answer

SECTION – D (POEM)

 $5 \times 1 = 5$

- 33. a) The poet
- b) dad
- 34. a) face, race; fame, game
- b) face, fame
- c) aabb

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- 35. When I was a baby, you would hold me in your arms. I felt the love and tenderness, keeping me safe from harm. I would look up into your eyes, and all the love I would see How did I get so lucky, you were the dad chosen for me. There is something specialab out a father's love.
- 36. My hobby is reading It helps me In thought breeding. It takes me to places Near and far,It keeps my rational Doors ajar. It teaches me To cackle and cry Without wings It lets me fly. I wish If all the children could read, In constructing a vigorous society, Then we shall succeed.
- 37. When I was a baby,

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

You would hold me in your arms.

I felt the love and tenderness,

Keeping me safe from harm.

I would look up into your eyes,

SECTION E (Supplementary Reader)

 $15 \times 1 = 15$

- 38. c) tea and samosas
- 39. d) no. 8
- 40. a) cine film camera
- 41. a) Robin
- 42. b) Three
- 43. good bye said the woman
- 44. naturalist

- 45. India's first national park
- 46. renowned for his wisdom
- 47. dressed simply
- 48. Arun
- 49. Strange lady
- 50. Arun
- 51. Learned man
- 52. Hermit

SECTION - F

 $5 \times 2 = 10$

- 53. 1. Jim Corbett
 - 2. It was initially named after, Lord Malcolm Hailey
 - 3. The park was renamed in 1957's, The Jim Corbett National Park
 - 4. Jim Corbett died on 19 April 1955.
 - 5. Jim Corbett was a British wild life photographer, naturalist.

54. The Greedy Farmer

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

There lived a farmer in a village. He had a hen. The hen used to lay a golden egg every day. The farmer used to sell the golden egg in the market and got huge amount of money. Soon, he became rich. The farmer was very greedy. He thought, "At present I get an egg every day. This is not enough. Why should not I get all the eggs at a time? I must kill the hen to get all the golden eggs at a time." And the greedy farmer killed the hen. He did not find any egg. He was very sad now.

55. Any relevant answer at least five utterances

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

56. Date 1 mark

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Salutation 1 mark Body of the letter 2 marks

Subscription 1 mark

57. Any five relevant sentences

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

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LEARNING OUTCOMES

Class: VIII

- ❖ Introduces guests in English, interviews people by asking questions based on the work they do (802)
- Participate in grammar games and kinesthetic activities for language learning (807)
- ❖ Ask questions in different contexts and situations (e.g., based on the test) (809)
- * Reads, compares, contrast, thinks critically and relates ideas to life (815)
- Prepares a write up after seeking information in print / online, notice board, newspaper (819)
- Writes a coherent and meaningful paragraph through the process of drafting, revising, editing and finalizing (821)
- ❖ Writes short paragraphs coherently in English with proper beginning, middle and end with appropriate punctuation marks (822)
- ❖ Develop a skit (dialogues from a story) and story from dialogues. (825)