

Ts10E

Tenkasi District

Second Mid Term Test - 2023



20-11-2023

Standard 10

Time: 1.30 Hours

ENGLISH

Marks: 50

Part - I

10×1=10

I. Choose the correct synonyms for the underlined words:

- 1) We had reached a point where the road bifurcated.
 a) Joined b) combined c) divided d) differentiated
- 2) They can control the computer screen with eyes gaze.
 a) stare b) deep c) Jump d) run
- 3) The attic has always been favourite with children.
 a) loft b) terrace c) apartment d) strong room

II. Choose the correct antonyms for the underlined words:

- 4) It's made a huge different to me.
 a) vast b) tiny c) massive d) great
- 5) We look forward to a more inclusive way of learning instead of the cloistered existence.
 a) enclosed b) detached c) opened d) united
- 6) **Choose the correct plural form of 'medium'**
 a) mediums b) media c) mediae d) mediams
- 7) A portion of a wall of the attic had crumbled down
 a) withered b) attached c) broken d) taken
- 8) Attach a suitable suffix to the word "**beauty**"
 a) ward b) like c) ful
- 9) **Choose the correct expansion of the abbreviation SIM**
 a) subscriber information module b) subscriber identification module
 c) school identification model
- 10) **Choose the most appropriate linker from the given four alternatives.**
 he is ninety years old, he is in the pink of health.
 a) when b) since c) yet d) even though

Part - II

3×2=6

III. Answer any Three :

- 11) Where was Nagen uncle's shop?
- 12) What did Aditya offer Sanyal?
- 13) How many people in India suffer with disability?
- 14) Who is kim?

Kindly send me your answer keys to padasalai.net@gmail.com

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IV. Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer any One of the following. 2×2=4

15) **A silly young cricket accustomed to sing.**
Through the warm, sunny months of gay summer and spring

- a) What was the routine of the cricket.
- b) Name the seasons mention here

16) **My Heart was so light**
That I Sang day and night

- a) Identify the rhyming words of the given lines.
- b) Mention the rhyme scheme employed in the above lines

V. Transform the following sentence (Any Three) 3×2=6

17) **Change into other voice :**

Please assemble in the ground.

18) **Change into indirect speech.**

Ravi said, "This is my watch".

19) **Join the sentence using 'Relative pronouns'**

I have a book. It was written by Rabindranath Tagore

20) **Combin the sentence using the appropriate connector**

Sita saw a snake. At once she ran away.

Part - III

2×5=10

VI. Answer any Two of the following in utmost 10 lines :

- 21) Give a detailed account of all thoughts and questions in the narrator's mind while accompanying Aditaya from the tea shop to Sanyal's house?
- 22) "Technology is a boon to the disabled". Justify.

VII. Answer any One of the following in utmost 10 lines. 1×4=4

- 23) Compare and contrast the attitude of the ant and the cricket
- 24) How do Machines confess they are inferior to human brain?

VIII. Quote from Memory:

- 25) We were taken
- all we ask

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1×5=5

IX. Write a paragraph of about 100 words by developing the following hints: 1×5=5

Shining - governed by a depotic governor - had dislike of old people - ordered to put them to death - a farmer - loved his aged mother - carried on back - painful journey up mountain - hidden mother gave idea - governor glad - total truth - abolished cruel law.
