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Tenkasi District



Second Mid Term Test - 2023

20-11-2023

Standard 9

Time: 1.30 Hours

ENGLISH

Marks: 50

PART - I

10×1=10

Choose the correct synonyms for the underlined words.

- 1) Clem was quiet
 a) polielely b) gently c) silently d) furiously
- 2) Soil erosion occurs in successive steps.
 a) runs b) happens c) acts d) flows

Choose the correct antonyms for the underlined words.

- 3) The river flows into the deep sea
 a) shallow b) empty c) depth d) narrow
- 4) These tanks play vital role in Agriculture
 a) important b) unimportant c) sure d) safety

Choose the correct preposition

- 5) David stayed with his uncle five months.
 a) since b) for c) in d) after

6) Fill in the blanks with correct homophones

The boy, pieces of cake (eight, ate)

7) Complete the sentence using the present perfect tense.

How long? (have you been waiting, have you waited)

8) Fill in the blanks with correct phrasal verb.

He smoking on doctor's advice

- a) gave up b) gave in c) gave out d) gave away

9) Complete the sentence with suitable modal auxiliary verb

You wear a coat, its quite warm

- a) should b) shouldn't c) shall d) may

10) Choose the correct compound word 'green' from the following

- a) hall b) dress c) house d) pen

PART - II

Answer any three of the following:

3×2=6

- 11) Who is pongo?
 12) What is the imaginary elixir of life?
 13) How does water help in the formation of fertile lands?
 14) What is the idea of civilized forest?
 15) How did the narrator feel after eating seventeen oranges?

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

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Answer any one of the following:

1×5=5

16) a) Narrate the clever strategy followed by Clem Jones to deceive Pongo.

(OR)

b) How does C.V.Raman show that water is the real elixir of life

PART - III

Answer the following questions:

5×1=5

17) "And now dear little children, who may this story read,
To idle, silly flattering words, I pray you ne'er give heed:"

a) Who does 'I' refer to?

b) What is the advice given to the readers?

18) O'er the yellow pebbles dancing,
Through the flowers and foliage glancing
Like a child at play.

a) Pick out the rhyming words.

b) Pick out the words in alliteration.

19) "Your eyes one look the diamond bright"

What is the figure of speech employed here?

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Quote from memory:

1×5=5

20) "River, River at play"

Answer any one of the following questions.

1×5=5

21) a) Write a character sketch of the spider

(OR)

b) How does the poet bring about the comparison of life with the river - Explain.

PART - IV

Write suitable questions for the answers:

4×1=4

22) a)? No; they aren't singing.

b)? yes; Joy is writing a new poem.

Find out the meaning of the idioms.

23) to be a fish out of water

24) Write the American English for Jam.

25) Write any five sentences of your own in future tense.

1×5=5

PART - V

1×5=5

26) Prepare the advertisement for the following.

Colourful toys - novel - eco friendly - nontoxic - offer 10% - gift to everyone.
