

SECOND MID-TERM TEST - 2023

Exam No. [REDACTED]

Time : 1-30 Hours

X - ENGLISH

Marks 50

Section - I**Note:** i) Answer all the questions.

ii) Choose the most suitable answer and write the code with corresponding answer. (8x1=8)

Choose the appropriate Synonyms for the underlined words.

1. They continue to grapple with the challenges
a) support b) agree c) avoid d) fight
2. I had counted on the commotion to get to my desk
a) peace b) harmony c) silence d) uproar

Choose the appropriate Antonyms for the underlined words.

3. Technology is also a boon to citizens with special needs
a) gift b) blessing c) curse d) benefit
4. Lesson repeated in unison very loud
a) harmony b) disharmony c) accordance d) unity
5. **Choose the correct plural form of loaf**
a) loafs b) leaves c) loaves d) loafes
6. **Choose the abbreviation for GPS**
a) Good Positioning Survey b) Goods Project System
c) Global Positioning System d) Global Position Survey
7. **Choose the correct meaning for the idiom break off.**
a) reveal b) explode c) finish d) reacquire
8. **Choose the suitable option to pair with the word compound form a compound word.**
a) hall b) house c) wall d) van

Answer any three of the following questions.

(3x2=6)

9. Who is Kim?
10. Which devices are controlled by ACTIV controller?
11. What was Franz sorry for?
12. How many years had M. Hamel been in the village?

Section - II**Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer the questions.**

(4x1=4)

13. i) *They too aware of sun and air and water
Are fed by peaceful harvests, by war's long winter starv'd*
a) What is common for all of us?
b) Mention the season referred here.
- ii) *We can pull and haul and push and lift and drive
We can print and plough and weave and heat and light*
a) Who does we refer to?
b) Who are the speakers and listeners of this poem?

Section - III**Answer the following questions.**

(4x2=8)

14. **Join the sentences using relative pronoun.**
She invited most of her friends.
They attended the party.

15. Rewrite using indirect speech.
"Why do volcanoes erupt?" said the teacher.
16. Punctuate the following.
i am glad they are strong he said
17. Replace the underlined words by a participle in the sentence.
Since he is a king, he can order everybody.

Section - IV

Answer in a paragraph.

(2x5=10)

18. a) How do we use technology in our day to day life? (OR)
b) Give an account of the last day of M. Hamel in School.
19. a) What is the importance of machines in our life? (OR)
b) Sum up the theme of the poem No men are foreign.

Quote from memory.

(4)

20. We were taken.....
.....gauged to fit.

Section - V

21. Develop the hints and write the summary of the story. (1x5=5)
a) Holland - dikes-peter-walks beside the canal - small hole in the dike-puts his finger - all night - next morning a man - notices peter - alarm - people mended - brave hero.

(OR)

- b) This story - July 25, 2889 - Francis Bennett - Herald - leading newspaper - astronomical reporters - news - got his lunch - tubes - Niagara for his - accumulator - aero coachman - reducing the final - petitions.

Section - VI

Answer any one of the following questions. (1x5=5)

22. Say 'No to Drugs' - design a poster for it in not more than 50 words. You may use slogans / phrases.
23. You are Raja. The street light of area do not work properly. Write a letter to the Newspaper Editor about the problem.
24. Look at the following picture and express your views on it in about five sentences.

