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SUBJECT: ENGLISH TENTATIVE ANSWER KEY MARKS: 100

Q.N	PART - 1 (Answer all)	14x1=14
	Synonyms	
1.	anticipate - a) foresee	1
2.	Gaze - d) stare	1
3.	hysterical - c) emotional	1
	Antonyms	
4.	ascending x d) descending	1
5.	affluent x a) poor	1
6.	strange x b) usual	1
7.	b) eskimos	1
8.	a) hood	1
9.	a) Augmentative and Alternative Communication	1
10.	b) work out	1
11.	c) man	1
12.	b) on	1
13.	a) attends	1
14.	a) incase	1
	PART - II Section - 1 (Any Three)	3x2=6
15.	The slamming of their doors had awakened their mother.	2
16.	David controls his TV, Blu-ray and music players using an ACTIV controller. This device is attached to the headrest of his chair in his bedroom.	2
17.	Holmes thought that Smith was the only man in London who	2
	knew well about the deadly disease. So he wanted Smith to treat	
	him.	
18.	Franz was sorry for not learning his lessons regularly.	2
	Section - 2 (Any Three)	3x2=6
19.	a) The family lives on Complaining street.	1
	b) Everyone living there keeps complaining about everything. So	1
	the street is named as 'Complaining street'.	
20.	a) Starvation and famine made the cricket bold	1
	b) It was winter and he had not made his shelter. So he dripped	1
	with wet and trembled with cold.	
21.	a) The way of life could go up the hill or down, rough or smooth.	1
	b) The journey of life must be joyful remail id - padasalai.net@gmail.	com 1

22.	a) 'Yowwefead as Human beings here. www.Trb Tnpsc.com	1
	b) The Machines' task is referred to here.	1
	SECTION -3 ANY -3	3x2=6
23.	He said that he had bought five apples from the shop.	2
24.	Has Raman been invited to the party by you?	2
25	"Do you know the symptoms", asked Smith.	2
26.	He followed my suggestion. (simple)	2
27.	a) He had made his first flight.	1
	b) Mulan heard this from inside her tent.	1
	SECTION - 4	1x2=2
28.	❖ Go Straight.	2
	Turn left and walk along the Gandhi main road.	
	❖ Walk past the bus stop.)
	❖ Turn left & Walk a few metres	
	❖ You reach / see the school on your right.	
	PART-III (Any 2)SECTION-1	2x5=10
	Full marks can be awarded for paragraphs with any	
	relevant answers without mistakes.	
29	The Night the Ghost got in	
	- James Grover Thurber	
	Prose : The Night the Ghost got in	5
	Author : James Grover Thurber	
	Theme: Chaos in the house	
	Characters: The narrator's family, Mr. Bodwell, Joe, Reporter, Herman	
	James Grover Thurber was an American cartoonist, best	
	known for his cartoon and short stories. This lesson clearly tells	
	that too much of imagination will mislead the situation. The	
	narrator says that on the night of November 17, 1915 the ghost	
	got into their house. The time was quarter past one o'clock. All	
	of sudden the author heard footsteps. They were the steps of	
	man walking around the dining-table. The steps went round and	
	round the table. The board creaked when it was trod upon. The author thought that if might be a burglar. He roused Herman.	
	The steps started up the stairs. Filled with fear the author and	
	his brother slammed the door shut The noise of slamming	
	roused the mother. She suspected that there were burglars	
	inside. She wanted to call the police. But the phone was	
	downstairs. So, She opened the windows and threw a shoe into	
	the bedroom window of the neighbours. The window pane	
	shattered down. The noise roused Bodwell and his wife annoyed	
	them. Mr. Bodwell was furious with her. He called the police, thinking that there was a burglar in their house. The police who	
	came there started ransacking the entire house. The police broke	
	the door open and entered the house. Their flashlights gleamed	
	up and down. They flashed the light everywhere. They couldn't	
	see anything. They opened the doors yanked the drawers, kindly send the your key Answers to our email id - padasalai.net@gmail.	

opened the whiteword and pulled down the furniture. Then they heard a creaking in the attic. Grandfather was turning over in bed. The cops (police) used into the attic without words or warning. Grandfather mistook the policemen to be General Meade's men. He thought that they were deserters from the army. So he grabbed at a handgun and shot at a policeman. At once everyone retreated from the place. The police started ransacking the house once again. They took leave when the author promised to bring the gun to the station the next day. The police left the house empty handed finally. Next morning, grandfather told that he came to the dining room for water, the previous night. These are the incidents that caused the confusion in the house.

"Imagination will often carry us to worlds that never were"

30. Tech Bloomers Empowering the disabled with technology

This lesson is about the use of technology in empowering the disabled to do their day to day chores of life, like travelling, communicating, learning, doing business and living in comfort. Alisha and David's life has changed with the use of technology. 'Technology is a boon to the disabled', because it made to a lot of difference in their life. According to the 2011 Census, 2.21 percent of India's population is disabled. Then she can print them out. Kim who is an Assistive Technologist helps students to use technology in different ways. They are struggling with challenges of access, acceptance and inclusion.

"I have cerebral palsy and I can't physically type as fast as I think or anywhere near. But right now, that's what I'm doing. I bet you're wondering how!

Technology has made her achieve things only she dreamt of. She can do Maths GSCE herself without being dependent on a computer. Technology has opened up the world to her. Twentyone-year-old David was born with Athetoid Cerebral Palsy. He says that technology is very important because it enables him to communicate and be independent. For verbal communication, he uses a Liberator Communication Device, which he controls with eye movements. He has an ACTIV controller also in the headrest of his chair in his bedroom, which means he can control his TV, Blu Ray and music players. They are able to manage their daily activities with the aid of technology. Hence technology is a boon to the disabled. Thus Technology makes our life easier. It impacts the environment, people and the society as a whole. Newer Technology allows differently abled learners with their peers as well as contribute fruitfully to the collaborative process of learning.

"For most of us technology makes things easier For a person with disability it makes things possible"

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31.	www.Padasalai.Net _{THE} ATTIC www.Trb Tnpsc.com	
J 11	- SATYAJIT RAY	
	"MISTAKES ARE THE PORTALS OF DISCOVERY"	5
	(Mistake- Realize- Rectify)	3
	In the story 'The Attic' the narrator and Aditya	
	went to visit Aditya's village after twenty nine years. While	
	accompanying Aditya from the tea shop to Sanyal's house, the	
	narrator had lot of thoughts and questions regarding Aditya's	
	behaviour. Aditya and the narrator went to visit Aditya's village	
	after twenty nine years. They went to Nagen uncle's tea shop.	
	They met Sasanka Sanyal there. Sasanka Sanyal was a talented	
	boy in the school days. He received Special Prize for Recitation of	
	Tagore's Panraksha. He was a generous student when his friend	
	Aditya asked him to lend the medal to be shown to the father to	
	impress him. He did not have a second thought. He blindly lent)
	him. When Aditya did not return the medal he would have felt	
	bad.	
	"Man does change with time"	
	Another interesting aspect of his character is when he	
	recognized Aditya by the mole on his right cheek, he recited the	
	same verses of Tagore to make him realize and repent for the betrayal of trust. Moreover, though he lost his wife and son and	
	sold the lands, he did pay the bill everyday at the tea shop. Aditya	
	enquired Nagen about Sanyal. He could recognize that the man	
	was Sanyal who he had deceived a long time ago. So there was a	
	sudden change in his expression. He felt his guilt. Once Aditay	
	was jealous of Sanyal, when Sanyal got a medal for recitation of	
	Tagore's poem.	
	"Shall I laugh or cry? Aditya has given me money!	
	Why this sudden generosity?"	
	Now he wanted to prove that he was not the same as he had	
	been earlier. He said to Sanyal that 'man changes with time.'	
	Aditya too changed and realized his mistake. So he gave Sanyal	
	the cost of the medal one hundred and fifty rupees. As Sanyal	
	refused, Aditya handed over the silver medal to him and proved	
	that he has changed with time.	
	"Mistakes are always forgivable	
	If one has the courage to admit them"	
32.	EMPOWERED WOMEN NAVIGATING THE WORLD	
	Adventure is synonymous with woman	
	Women of the past stayed indoors and they were not allowed	5
	to go out without an escort. But today things have changed to the	
	extent that the real power of women is being projected to the	
	world through the advancement of technology and media.	
	Currently women's achievements are tremendous in many fields.	
	One such achievement is the All-women Indian Navy crew who	
	sailed around the world for 254 days all alone, in a sailboat called	
	INSV Tarini. Navika Sagar Parikrama was a project undertaken in	
	consonance with the National policy to empower women to attain	
	their full potential. As the sea does not discriminate between kindly send me your key Answers to our email id - padasalai.net@gmail.	com

	genders, the crew undertook this expedition to boost the moratem	
	in the country and for more women to take part in adventures like sailing. The crew members really worked as a team, with each one	
	doing different tasks. Vartika Joshi, as the head of the crew, would	
	discuss different ways of solving a problem and choose the best	
	one. Teamwork was the most important in the middle of the crisis. This team effort helped in navigating through the 20 hours	
	long storm. These factors motivated the crew to undergo this	
	expedition. Out of the thirty women, who had applied, six were	
	shortlisted based on the little survival skills they showcased. The	
	all-women Indian Navy crew underwent some theoretical courses	
	on navigation communication and weather prediction. They are	
	trained to repair things, to deal with emergencies in tactical	
	aspects. They underwent basic sail training courses in Mumbai at	
	the Indian Naval Waterman Ship Training Centre (INWTC). They	
	also sailed on INSV Mhadei to Mauritius and back and also to cap	
	town. They were trained almost for 3 years to prepare for voyage. The trip was a tutorial for them to manage food, water and even	
	electricity during the voyage. Out of the thirty women, who had	
	applied, six were shortlisted based on the little survival skills they	
	showcased. Vartika Joshi said that this expedition is a great	
	honour for them. Since it is a all-women team, it is a great boost to	
	women in the country.	
	"Success is the result of perfection and hard work."	
	SECTION-2(Any 2)	2x5=10
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he will lear it their ways, their attitudes, behaviours and Topsc.com mannerisms. So it would be wise if we do not wander into complaining street. We should never growl at whatever we do. If not, we will be considered Grumblers. The poet wants us to realize that life is not a bed of roses. Like a pessimist we should not keep looking at the dark cloud. We should remember that every dark cloud has a silver lining. Heat and cold are common in summer and winter respectively. They are unalterable. So we should learn to accept everything with a smile. So let us root out this evil quality and look at things with cheer and joy.

Grumbling leads to pessimism and downfall.

34. THE ANT AND THE CRICKET - AESOP

"Two ants do not fail to pull one grasshopper"

Aesop is the name of the man credited with the authorship of a collection or book of fables. Each one of Aesop's fables has a lesson, or moral, just like a parable or allegory. The Morals, Sayings and Proverbs featured in the Book of Aesop's fables ensure that they still have meaning for us today. The poem "The Ant and the Cricket" is a fable-that is a story consisting of animals as characters, that convey a moral-written in a poetic format. The poem "The Ant and the Cricket" teaches us the importance of hard work and planning. The cricket in the poem is a silly creature who sings and dances all summer and does not save any food for its future. It used to enjoy its good times during the summer season. He doesn't plan anything for the future. Whereas the ant is clever and saves food during summer, so that he doesn't have to do any work during winter. The ant gives a very important lesson of life during its conversation with the cricket.

But we ants never borrow; we ants never lend.

The ant says that ants never borrow from anyone. They never lend to anyone. They are hard working creatures who save for their future. Though it says that it is a friend and servant to the cricket, it gets angry with what the cricket has done during the summer. It turns him out of his house saying to sing and dance once again during winter. "Some cricket have four legs and some have two", this last line means that the fable is true for human beings as well. Though two-legged, some of us behave like that four legged crickets. This fable drives home the message even for the human beings that we should indeed enjoy our happy moments but must not ignore our future. Carefully planning our future is essential and significant for everyone, in order to ensure one's security in future.

"Your future is created by what you do today not tomorrow"

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35.	a) Rhyming words: fallt – tall www.Trb Tnpsc.com	2
	b) Rhyming scheme : abcc	1
	c) Personification	1
	<u>d) s</u> pring - <u>s</u> ummer	1
36.	NO MEN ARE FOREIGN	_
30.	- JAMES FALCONER KIRKUP	
	The poet tells that men are not different from each other simply	
	on the basis that they come from separate countries. They may	
	fight for the army of their country, but underneath the uniform,	5
	they are all similar. Our opponent army's soldiers live and breathe	
	just as we do. Most fights between two countries result from	
	disputes over a piece of land. However, all the land on earth is the)
	same. Moreover, every man will have to lie in the earth at one	
	time or the other. That is, all men have to die and all pieces of land	
	are potential graveyards in which they fight.	
	SECTION- 3 (Any -1)	1x5=5
37.	i) The Emperor said that one man from each Chinese family must	1
	join the army.	
	ii) Mulan, a teenage girl who lived in a faraway village of China heard the news.	1
	iii) Mulan went into her room and cut her long hair.	1
	iv) She climbed on a horse and joined the army.	1
	v) In the army, Mulan proved to be a brae soldier.	1
38.	a) Peter's mother wanted him to take cake to his blind man.	1
	(Friend)	1
	b) Her advice was to come home before getting dark.	1
	c) The little boy was glad that he was going to meet his friend.	1
	d) The little boy told his friend about his walk along the dike and	1
	about the sun and the flowers and the ship far out at sea.	
	e) The little boy remembered his mother's wish that she should return before dark.	
	SECTION-4(Any -4)	4x5=20
39.	Advertisement	1
	Outline	1
	Title	1
	Picture	1
	Captions	1
	Address	
40.	From – To	1
	Date- Salutation	1
	Body of the letter	2
	Subscription and Superscription	1

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41.	Notice Writing: www.Trb Tnpsc.com	
	Title	1
	Date and Writer's Name	3
	content	1
42.	Any five relevant sentences without mistakes	
43.	Title	1
	Words /Phrases with all important points.	4
	(with /without hyphen) sub heading with points	
	(OR)	
	Summary	
	Title	1
	Rough copy	2
	Fair copy	2
44.a)	<u>The</u> earth goes round the sun.	1
b)	It <u>is pouring</u> outside now	1
c)	I <u>will</u> be fifteen next April.	1
d)	Her cousins as well a she <u>are</u> hard working.	1
e)	<u>As</u> we were late, we apologised. (or) We were late <u>so</u> we	1
	apologised.	
	SECTION- 4	1X5=5
45.	Life	
	Not mourning for the things that disappear	
	In the dim past, nor holding back in fear	5
	From what the future veils; but with a whole	
	And happy heart, that pays its till	
	To Youth and Age, and travels on with cheer.	
	- Henry Van Dyke	
46.	THE AGED MOTHER	
a)	- MATSUO BASHO	
	SYNOPSIS	
	❖ Introduction	
	 Proclamation of the cruel decree 	
	❖ Painful journey up the mountain	
	 Care and concern of the mother 	
	❖ Withdrawal of the cruel decree	
	❖ Conclusion	8
	Knowledge Vs Wisdom	
	through learning through experience	
	The aged mother is a story which appreciates 'Old is gold'.	
	They are really gold because of their wisdom.	
	because of their wisdom.	
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Proclamation of the cruel decree: www

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Here in this story the governor proclaimed a law ordering but all the aged people should be put to death. The foundation for all the new things in the present world was laid in the olden days. On the other hand, we see on two occasions, the old mother guiding her son the young farmer.

Painful journey up the mountain:

First when the farmer carried her to the top of the steep and narrow mountain, the old mother saw the paths crisscrossed in many ways which might be very dangerous for the son to get back home. So she broke the twist to pieces and quietly dropped them a handful until they reached the summit.

Care and concern of the mother:

When the son bade farewell to his mother, the unselfish and loving mother told him about the path she had made with a handful of broken twigs on the path. She advised him to walk along the path with the help of the piles of twigs.

"Oh, honorable mother, your kindness breaks my heart! I will not leave you. Together we will follow the path of twigs, and together we will die!"

Withdrawal of the cruel decree:

Time passed. One day, the governor again demanded the people of the valley to present him with a rope of ashes. His mother gave him a clever idea to the despaired farmer. She told him to make a rope of twisted straw and burn it on a windless night. The cruel ruler was pleased with what he had witnessed and asked the farmer where he had obtained that wisdom. The farmer stated all the truth to him. The governor listened and mediated in silence.

Conclusion:

The Governor decided to abolish the cruel law and realized to importance of the elders to shape the society. He realized Shining needs Wisdom of old more than the strength of the youth. He said, "With the crown of snow, there cometh wisdom". Moral:

<u>"Knowledge is being aware of what you can do.</u> Wisdom is knowing when not to do it"



SYNOPSIS

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Introduction

William Shakespeare (1564 –1616) is an English poet, playwright and actor. He is regarded as the greatest writer in the English language and the world's greatest dramatist of all time. He is often called 'England's National Poet' and 'Bard of Avon'. His works consist of approximately 37 plays, 154 sonnets, and two long narrative poems

Main Characters

- 1. Prospero An old man Rightful Duke of Milan, Miranda's father, Antonio's brother.
- 2. Antonio Prospero's younger brother.
- 3. Miranda -Beautiful young lady, Prospero's daughter.
- 4. Sycorax A witch and Caliban's mother.
- 5. Ariel -Chief of gentle spirits.
- 6. Caliban -Ugly monster and Son of Sycorax.
- 7. King of Naples -Alonso -Powerful prince, Prospero's enemy, Father of Ferdinand.
- 8. Ferdinand -Hero of the story and son of Alonso.
- 9. Gonzalo Kind lord of Prospero's court.

Prospero-a Hero

Prospero is the protagonist, the main character in the story, and the rightful Duke of Milan, in William Shakespeare's play **The Tempest.** Prospero was more interested in reading books and in the art of magic. He trusted his brother Antonio and asked him to look after his affairs in his kingdom. But Antonio overthrew Prospero out of the kingdom, with the help of the king of Naples.

Prospero-A kind man

Prospero reached an island with his daughter and stayed there for twelve years. He released many good spirits from the clutches of the witch Sycorax. Prospero had mastered the art of masic with the masical power he could ordered the goods spirits mail.com

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With their help Prospero could command the winds and the waves of the sea. Prospero got the help of Ariel, he created a violent storm in the sea. He made his enemies travelling in the ship, to suffer for their mistakes done to him.

The ship wreck

Ferdinand jumped into the sea but was safe in the corner of the island. On the other-hand his father thought that his son had been swallowed up and lost in the sea. Propsero asked Ariel to bring Ferdinand to the cave: Miranda and Ferdinand were attracted to each other. But Prospero tested Ferdinand to try his constancy.

"Come on, young man", said Prospero to the Prince;

"You have no power to disobey me"

Ariel, the spirits help

Ariel had caused tremendous sufferings to the enemies. They were terribly frightened to see and hear strange things. They were very hungry and famished for want of food. Ariel set before them a delicious banquet and appeared before them as a harpy. When they were about eat the feast vanished. This was done to make them realise their cruelty to Prospero.

Antonio's repentance

At last, he forgave all of them, as they realized their mistakes and repented. The king of Naples and Antonio repented the injustice they had done. To get back his Dukedom, he wanted Miranda to get married to Ferdinand.

Conclusion

Moral:

At last he released his faithful slave, the spirit Ariel. Everyone left the island and Prospero restored his dukedom. Thus, Prospero was portrayed as a noble man by Shakespeare. It is clear that Prospero is just and fair, in addition to be intelligent.

"The happiness of life is to be attained by nobler forgiveness than cruel vengeance".

i) Books are the greatest treasure of mankind and the habit of reading gives pleasure.

ii) One should start collecting book from his youth.

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iii) The books contain eternal truths and are better friends than those of flesh and blood as they not only entertain but also guide us.

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	iv) We learn beauties and perfection in a short a span of life.	2

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7721 **SECTION - 2** 3x2=6Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer any three of the following. 19. There's a family nobody likes to meet; They live, it is said, on Complaining Street Where does the family live? Why do you think the street is named as Complaining Street? (b) 20. At last by starvation and famine made bold, All dripping with wet, and all trembling with cold, What made the cricket bold? (a) (b) Why did the cricket drip and tremble? 21. So let the way wind up the hill or down, O'er rough or smooth, the journey will be joy: How is the way of life? (b) How should be the journey of life? 22. And now, if you will set us to our task, We will serve you four and twenty hours a day! Who does the pronoun 'you' refer to here? Whose task is referred to as 'our task' here? (b) **SECTION - 3** Answer any three of the following. 3x2=623. Rewrite the sentence in Reported speech. He said, "I have bought five apples from the shop." 24. Rewrite the following sentence in other voice. Have you invited Raman to the party? Punctuate the following sentence. 25. do you know the symptoms asked smith 26. Change the following sentence into a simple sentence. He followed what I suggested. 27. Rearrange the words in the correct order to make meaningful sentences. had/made/He/flight/his/first. (a) heard/from/tent/her/this/Mulan/inside. (b)

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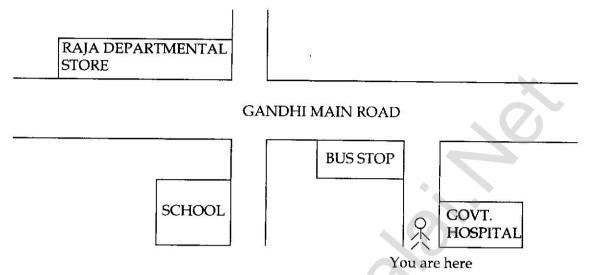
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28. Answer the following question.

1x2=2

A stranger asked you to direct him to the school. Guide him to reach his destination.



PART - III SECTION - 1

Answer any two of the following in a paragraph.

2x5=10

- 29. Narrate the extensive search operation made by the policeman in the house.
- 30. 'Technology is a boon to the disabled'- Justify.
- 31. Give a brief character sketch of Sasanka Sanyal.
- 32. Highlight the factors responsible for the all-women Indian Navy Crew to carry out their expedition.

SECTION - 2

Answer any two of the following.

2x5 = 10

- 33. What optimistic attitude should the readers possess according to the poem 'The Grumble family'?
- 34. Compare and contrast the attitude of the ant and the cricket.
- 35. Read the following stanza and answer the questions given below.

Beside the house sits a tree.

It never grows leaves,

Not in the winter, spring, summer or fall.

It just sits there, never getting small or ever growing tall,

- (a) Pick out the rhyming words from the given stanza.
- (b) Give the rhyme scheme for the given stanza.
- (c) Identify the figure of speech employed in the first line of the given stanza.
- (d) Pick out the alliterating words in the third line.

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36. Paraphrase the following stanza.

Remember, no men are strange, no countries foreign

Beneath all uniforms, a single body breathes

Like ours : the land our brothers walk upon

Is earth like this, in which we all shall lie.

SECTION - 3

Answer any one of the following.

1x5=5

- 37. Rearrange the following sentences in coherent order.
 - (i) Mulan went into her room and cut her long hair.
 - (ii) In the army, Mulan proved to be a brave soldier.
 - (iii) Mulan, a teenage girl who lived in a faraway village of China heard the news.
 - (iv) The Emperor said that one man from each Chinese family must join the army.
 - (v) She climbed on a horse and joined the army.
- 38. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow.

One afternoon in the early fall, when Peter was eight years old, his mother called him from his play. "Come, Peter," she said. "I want you to go across the dike and take these cakes to your friend, the blind man. If you go quickly, and do not stop to play, you will be home again before dark." The little boy was glad to go on such an errand, and started off with a light heart. He stayed with the poor blind man a little while to tell him about his walk along the dike and about the sun and the flowers and the ships far out at sea. Then he remembered his mother's wish that he should return before dark and, bidding his friend goodbye, he set out for home.

Questions:

- (a) What did Peter's mother want him to do?
- (b) What was her advice?
- (c) Why was the little boy glad?
- (d) What did the little boy tell his friend?
- (e) What did the little boy remember?

SECTION - 4

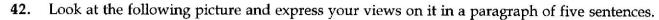
Answer any four of the following.

4x5 = 20

- 39. Prepare an attractive advertisement using the hints given below.
 Tasty and hygienic home made taste 200 varieties to select Purely vegetarian special combo offers available Icecream and Fruit juices Mani Vilas M.G. Road, Madurai.
- **40.** You are Gomathi, a resident of a colony adjacent to the Cauvery River. Daily you see many people throwing waste into it, spoiling the pure water. Write a letter to a newspaper showing your concern about it and also voicing your worry.

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41. You are Nikil/Nikitha, school pupil leader of GHSS, Trichy. Prepare a notice on behalf of your school inviting the grandparents of the students to celebrate WORLD ELDERS DAY in your school auditorium on the 20th of next month.





43. Make notes or write a summary of the following passage.

Many of us use internet on a regular basis and even have access to it from our homes! The 'net' in internet really stands for network. A network is two or more computers connected together so that information can be shared, or sent from one computer to another. The internet is a vast resource for all types of information. You may enjoy using it to do research for a school project, downloading your favorite songs or communicating with friends and family. Information is accessed through web pages that companies, organizations and individuals create and post. It's kind of like a giant bulletin board that the whole world uses! But since anyone can put anything on the internet, you also have to be careful and use your best judgement and a little commonsense.

Just because you read something on a piece of paper someone sticks on a bulletin board doesn't mean that it's a good information, or even correct, for that matter. So you have to be sure that whoever posted the information knows what they are talking about, especially if you are doing research! But what if you're just emailing people? You still have to be very careful. If you've never met the person that you're communicating with online, you could be on dangerous ground! You should never give out any personal information to someone you don't know, not even your name. And just like if you can't believe the information on every website out there, you can't rely on what strangers you 'meet' on the internet tell you either. Just like you could make up things about yourself to tell someone, someone else could do the same to you.

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- 44. Identify the errors in the following sentences and rewrite them correctly.
 - (a) A earth goes round the sun.
 - (b) It poured outside now.
 - (c) I can be fifteen next April.
 - (d) Her cousins as well as she is hard working.
 - (e) As we were late, so we apologised.

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PART-IV

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

2x8 = 16

1x5 = 5

(a) The Emperor of Shining - orders - old people - to be - deserted - farmer - very sad - carries old mother - to Obatsuyama - leaves mother - arranges bed to sleep - mother warns - son - of danger - asks to follow - twigs - son moved - carries mother back home - hides - at home - Emperor orders - rope of ashes - farmer worried - old mother helps - emperor surprised - farmer revealed the truth - Emperor - calls back the order - abolished his cruel law.

OR

- (b) Prospero and Miranda island cave help of Ariel raises storm the shipwreck the command of Prospero Ferdinand separated brought to cave Miranda meets Ferdinand both surprised Prospero tries Ferdinand with hard tasks Ariel brings Alonso and Antonio to Prospero both repent dukedom restored to Prospero marriage of Miranda and Ferdinand.
- 47. Read the following paragraph and answer the questions given below.
 - a) Books are the greatest treasure of mankind. The habit of reading them is a source of pleasure. He, who is in the habit of reading books should buy books for himself. He should start collecting books from his youth. The books collected and arranged properly in a room not only decorates the room but also makes the presence of their authors felt. Books contain eternal truths and are better friends than those of flesh and blood as they not only entertain but also guide us.

Questions:

- (i) What are the treasure and what gives pleasure?
- (ii) When should one start collecting books?
- (iii) What do books contain in them?
- (iv) Mention any two uses of reading books.

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(b) Read the following poem and answer the questions given below.

It is not growing like a tree

In bulk, doth make man better be;

or standing long an oak, three hundred year,

To fall a log at last, dry, bald, and sere;

A lily of a day

Is fairer far in May,

Although it fall and die that night -

It was the plant and flower of Light.

In small proportions we just beauties see;

And in short measures life may perfect be.

Questions:

- (i) Which shows beauty the lily or the oak?
- (ii) What happens to the oak at last?
- (iii) Compare the life of the oak and the lily.
- (iv) What do you learn from the last two lines?