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Tenkasi District



Third Mid Term Test - 2024

05-03-2024

Standard 9

ENGLISH

Time: 1.30 Hours

Marks: 50

Part - I

Answer all the questions.

10x1=10

I. Choose the appropriate Synonyms for the underlined words.

- 1) If no banana is distributed among no one.
 - a) added
 - b) started
 - c) shared
 - d) covered
- 2) It was evident that he was a prodigy
 - a) proud
 - b) perfect
 - c) genius
 - d) popular
- 3) The world is wide
 - a) different
 - b) unique
 - c) broad
 - d) wonderful

II. Choose the appropriate Antonyms for the underlined words.

- 4) I have liked my talks with you.
 - a) wished
 - b) disliked
 - c) desired
 - d) interested
- 5) It is no easy matter to decide.
 - a) lucky
 - b) difficult
 - c) fast
 - d) simple
- 6) His work was included by them.
 - a) fused
 - b) added
 - c) excluded
 - d) concluded
- 7) **Choose the most appropriate connector.**
It was the thing he prized
 - a) except
 - b) thus
 - c) as long as
 - d) above all
- 8) **Choose the correct determiner**
..... Earth revolves around the sun
 - a) an
 - b) a
 - c) the
 - d) this
- 9) **Frame sentence of your own by using the word 'Birthday'**
- 10) **Identify, whether the following statement is of OPINION or FACT**
A letter can hardly take the place of a talk, (Opinion/Fact)

Part - II

Section - I

II. Answer any three of the following questions.

3x2=6

- 11) Who discovered a rare mathematical genius in Ramanujan?
- 12) Why did the students laugh at Ramanujan?
- 13) Did Nehru send any presents to Indira?
- 14) What does the phrase 'great drama' refer to?

Section - II

III. Answer the following questions.

3x2=6

- 15) **Change the following sentence into passive voice.**
They are decorating the wall.
- 16) **Change the following into indirect speech.**
Rahul said, "Do not spoil the eco-system"

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17) Punctuate the following sentence.

its so easy to walk here son

Section - III**IV. Answer any one of the following paragraph.****1x5=5**

- 18) a) Describe the life of Srinivasa Ramanujan in India.
b) Explain the important elements of Nehru's letter.

Section - IV**V. Read the following stanza and answer the questions given below. 3x1=3**

19) But I know no better spectacle

Than a comet in full flight

- a) Who does 'I' refer to?
b) What is the best spectacle mentioned in the above lines?
c) Pick out the alliterating words.

Section - V

20) Quote from Memory:

"Rampaging a cheetah".

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3x5=15**Part - III**

21) Answer all the questions.

Write a paragraph of 100 - 120 words about your favourite personality.

22) Develop the following hints into a passage.

Elephants - largest of living land animals - two kinds - Indian and African - caught and tamed for their strength, intelligence - useful - draws heavy loads - piles logs - state processions - circus - olden days used in war - most children love elephants - can see tamed ones in zoos and temples - wild ones live in forests.

23) Read the following paragraph and answer the questions given below.

The 2015 South Indian floods resulted from heavy rainfall generated by the annual north east monsoon in November - December 2015. They affected the coromandel coast region of the South Indians states of Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh and the union territory of Puducherry, with Tamil Nadu and the city of Chennai particularly hard-hit more than 500 people were killed and over 18 lakh people were displaced with estimates of damages and losses ranging from nearly 200 billion rupees to over 1 trillion rupees the floods were the costliest to have occurred in 2015, and were among the costliest natural disasters of the year. The flooding has been attributed to the 2014-16 EL - Nino event.

Questions.

- 1) Which affected the coromandal coast region?
- 2) How many persons were affected?
- 3) How were the floods the costliest to have occurred in 2015?
- 4) What has the flooding been attributed to?
- 5) Name the disaster mentioned in this passage.

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