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REVISION TEST, APRIL - 2021 STANDARD - XII

Time : 3.00 hrs

ENGLISH

Marks: 90

Part - I

Write synonyms for the words underlined from the options given:-

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- 1) he did not like to intrude upon the happy family.
a) interfere b) help c) trouble d) visit
- 2) The Liberties of every one must be curtailed
a) decreased b) increased c) developed d) improved
- 3) something basic that was full of solace
a) pain b) sorrow c) comfort d) help

Write antonyms for the following choosing from the options given:-

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- 4) She was walking with no peril
a) danger b) safety c) chaos d) confusion
- 5) _____ which are not to be despised
a) hated b) loved c) opted d) preferred
- 6) Suffering seems to be cruelly prevalent in the society
a) un believable b) un avoidable c) un common d) in evitable
- 7) The correct form of acronym INSAT is expanded as
a) Indian Satellite b) Indian National Satellite
c) ISRO nuclear Satellite d) Indian Satellite and Technology
14×1=14
- 8) Choose the combination for the structure NOUN+ADJECTIVE
a) red + blood b) snow+white c) red+hot d) butter+milk
- 9) Choose the correct pair to make compound word: Snow _____
a) fall b) ice c) fog d) mount
- 10) The correct meaning for the foreign phrase - lingua france
a) mother tongue b) common language c) official language d) natural language
- 11) Choose the right definition for the word:- _____ xeno phobia
a) fear of water b) fear of strangers c) fear of height d) fear of crowds
- 12) Supply suitable tag for the statement for:- Stop the car.
a) won't you? b) don't you? c) shan't you? d) Do you?
- 13) The meaning of the phrasal verb:- Put up with
a) tolerate b) anger c) irritate d) soften
- 14) Form a word using prefix for the root word:- danger
a) un _____ b) en _____ c) im _____ d) non _____
- 15) The correct clipped form of the word microphone is _____
a) mic b) mice c) phone d) micro
- 16) The word motel is the blending of _____
a) motor way + hotel b) motor + pedal c) motor + telephone d) motorist + hotel
- 17) Write a suitable preposition
The brothers quarrelled _____ themselves.
a) between b) among c) along d) across

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- 18) The American english word for ___ tap
 a) faucet b) pipe c) hose d) sink
- 19) Supply a suitable quasi modal ____
 You ___ respect road rules a) Need not b) dare not c) used to d) ought to
- 20) The idiom ___ herculean task means ____
 a) very strenuous b) lazy c) brave d) bold

Part - II**Section - I**

Read the following poetic lines and answer the following questions (any 4):- 4×2=8

- 21) Sighing like furnace, with a woeful ballad
 a) What is a ballad? b) Who writes ballad and on what subject?
- 22) For his shrunk shank and his big manly voice
 Turning again toward childish treble
 a) What is shank? b) What stage of man's life is referred here?
- 23) matched with an aged wife I mete and dole
 Un equal laws unto the savage race
 a) Who are Savage race? b) Whose wife is aged?
- 24) Life is a soft loam be gentle go easy
 this too might serve him
 a) What is a soft loam? b) What is the figure of speech used to here in the lines?
- 25) To follow knowledge like a sinking star
 a) Who followed knowledge like a sinking star?
 b) What is the figure of speech used here?
- 26) A gray baboon sits statue - like alone
 Watching sunrise
 a) What is a baboon? b) What figure of speech is referred to here?

Section - II

Answer any three of the following:-

3×2=6

- 27) Rama said to me "I shall come to your house tomorrow".
 (Change into indirect speech)
- 28) Unless you study well, you can not score good marks. (Begin with if)
- 29) What do I do? (Change the voice)
- 30) he drove fast. he met with an accident.
 (Combine the two sentences using a suitable if clause)

Part - III

Section - I Explain with reference to the context (any two)

2×3=6

- 31) A creeper climbs in whose embraces bound
 no other tree could live.
- 32) Jealous in honour sudden and quick in quarrel
 Seeking bubble reputation
- 33) tell him time as stuff that can be wasted
 tell him to be a fool ever so often.

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Section - II (answer any two briefly)

2×3=6

- 34) Why individual liberty by curtailed?
 35) What are the various jobs undertaken by the two boys Jacopo and Nicola?
 36) Describe the stool that the narrator's family had.

Section - III (answer any three)

3×3=9

- 37) Identify each of the following sentences with the fields given.
 a) Very few indoor games are more interesting than chess.
 b) "Education for all" brought all the children to schools.
 c) Internet and e-mail brought the world under a single roof.
 (science, sports, education, politics, astrology)
- 38) Describe the process of Painting a doll.
 39) Construct a dialogue between a Conductor and a Passenger. (three exchanges)
 40) Correct, Edit and Rewrite the following passage:-
 Tolrence refer to an attitude of openness and respect for the differences that exist among people it was originally used to refer to ethnic and religious difference and the concept of diversity.

Part - IV

Answer the following in about a paragraph of about 150 words each:- 7×5=35

- 41) Write a paragraph on the lesson the two gentle men of Verona describing the mettle and honesty proved by the two boys. [or]
 Why should Being alive is to be celebrated according Dr.Barnard?
- 42) Write about the stages in man's life as visualized by William Shakespeare. [or]
 Write about the casuarina tree as seen in the life of Toru Dutt.
- 43) Developing the following hints into a readable story:-
 Akisnov valdimir bade good bye - murdered a merchant - stayed in another inn - arrested - sent to prison - makir accepted - akisnov nof -- guilty - released but late - breathed his last - justice delayed is an in justice. [or]
 Ausable - fat fowler - writer max - room knocking - documents - max nervous - balcony - warned swung - leg - police free himself - dropped down -diligence in spying - professionalism out wit max.

- 44) Either make notes or summarize the following passage:-

The Aim of Education is to enable the human personality to grow to its full stature. We have a body mind and spirit. Accordingly the education aims at our physical, mental and spiritual development. Games are the means of keeping the body healthy and fit. Physical fitness enables any individual to attain his goals effectively.

Those who play games generally maintain good health. Games are the excellent means of bodily exercise. Whether it is simple games like kabadi, or Sophisticated games like tennis or hockey or foot ball, the ultimate aim of all games enable one to keep his body fit and make his mind brisk and keep one agile all through his life.

Players have good appetite than those who do not play at all. Games not only keep one fit also make his muscular. Hence play games and keep you fit in all walks of life. [or]

Write a paragraph in about 150 word about the merits and demerits of internet.

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- 45) Write a letter to a factory manager asking him to permit a group of students to visit the factory to know the technical know how. [or]
- Write a letter to your friend describing about your experience of visiting TajMahal.
- 46) a) Read the following sentences, spot the error and correct the same.
- Two and two make four
 - What is the time in your watch?
 - Neither I nor he were rich.
 - He is an Indian but his wife is an European.
 - It is a SI Unit. [or]
- b) Fill in the blanks appropriately
- We asked him _____ the _____ was fine in the U.S. (weather, whether)
 - The children _____ not go near the fire. (Use a semi modal)
 - _____ of his poverty he could not follow his higher studies. (In spite of, instead of)
 - It _____ (Rain) since 11 o'clock in the morning.
- 47) a) Write an article on the following.
- Recently you and your classmates went on an excursion to Ooty. Write briefly about the places that you visited and experience that you had [or]
- b) Read the following poem and answer the questions given below:
- Oh anger is an ugly thing
And spoils the fairest face
It comes like a rainy cloud
Upon a sunny place
One angry moment often does
What we repent for years
It works the wrong we never make right
By sorrows or by tears
The hand of peace is frank and warm
And soft as ringdoves wing
And he who quells an angry thought is
Greater than a king
- Questions:-**
- Why is anger an ugly thing according to the poet?
 - What is anger compared to in the poem?
 - Which is frank and warm?
 - Who is greater than a king?
 - What is repenting?

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