



## Standard 6

## ENGLISH

Time: 2.00 Hours

Marks: 60

**I. Choose the appropriate synonyms for the underlined words****3×1=3**

- 1) The boar loosening the earth around his cosy dug out.
  - a) soft
  - b) comfortable
  - c) rough
- 2) The land was parched
  - a) very dry
  - b) wet
  - c) frozen
- 3) The cycle stopped abruptly
  - a) slowly
  - b) suddenly
  - d) fastly

**II. Choose the appropriate antonyms for the underlined words****3×1=3**

- 4) My brother got bored
  - a) dull
  - b) sick
  - c) interested
- 5) I was starting to whoop with glee
  - a) misery
  - b) laugh
  - c) smile
- 6) The trees lining the roads were shady
  - a) cloudy
  - b) sunny
  - c) rainy

**III. State True or False****3×1=3**

- 7) The land was wet and green
- 8) The pit was comfortable for the wild boar to sleep in .
- 9) A tiny bird looked for a place to lay her eggs.

**IV. Fill in the blanks with words given in the box to make compound words. 3×1=3**

[coat, sail, fire, rain]

- 10) Clean the ashes out of the ..... place
- 11) We use a ..... coat on a rainy day.
- 12) We can see a ..... bow after summer showers.

**V. Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions.****5×1=5**

(but, because, and, so, or)

- 13) The box was heavy ..... he could not lift it.
- 14) She slipped badly ..... she did not hurt herself.
- 15) The clouds moved away ..... the sun came out
- 16) Eat slowly ..... you will get choked.
- 17) Velu thanked his friend ..... he helped velu in time.

**VI. Complete the following using their group names.****3×1=3**

- 18) I ate a ..... of grapes
- 19) She bought a new ..... of shoes for her birthday.
- 20) A ..... of bees had settled on a mango tree.

**VII. Answer any four of the following Questions****4×2=8**

- 21) Name the tools the farmer brought out. What did he do with them?
- 22) What sight made the farmer thankful?
- 23) Why did the farmer have to travel for?
- 24) Why did the family move to patna?
- 25) How does patna differ from Delhi?
- 26) Why did the girl reply haughtily?



## VIII. Read the lines and answer the questions given below.

5×1=5

- 27) **Autumn is English  
in red, yellow and brown  
Autumn is Indian  
Whenever leaves fall down**  
i) How is autumn in India?  
ii) Compare the English autumn with the Indian Autumn.
- 28) **And though his efforts never slack  
And though he twist and twirl and tack  
Alas! still faithful to his back  
The pigtail hangs behind him.**  
i) Pick out the rhyming words from the above lines.  
ii) Did he quit his trying?
- 29) 'He mused upon this curious case'  
i) What is the figure of speech used in this line?

## IX. Quote from memory.

5×1=5

- 30) From: Then seasons .....  
..... garden seat.

## X. Match the phrases with their meanings.

3×1=3

- 31) jammed on the brakes - shout with enthusiasm and happiness  
32) beat a hasty retreat - tried to stop the motion immediately  
33) Whoop with glee - to leave a place quickly

## XI. Fill in the blanks with suitable adverbs.

3×1=3

- (always, fast, slowly)  
34) The lift is moving .....  
35) Paul ..... plays cricket with his friends  
36) The car was moving too .....

## XII. Identify the character / speaker.

2×1=2

- 37) "I want to see kutti oppu"  
38) I wonder whether its' a cyclone.

## XIII. Say True or False.

2×1=2

- 39) The coconut Palm crashed down due to heavy rain.  
40) Ammayi comforted Malathi kutty when she sobbed.

## XIV. Read the lines and answer the question.

2×1=2

- 41) *I especially envy my brother who belongs to shobitha*  
i) Who is envy of whom?  
ii) What does he envy his brother?

## XV. 42) Write a paragraph on "Laughter is the best medicine"

5×1=5

## 43) Read the passage and answer the questions.

5×1=5

I began to feel sleepy after lunch Malathikutty came back with us to Nalapat. Barely an hour after we got home. We heard the sound of the gale. The wind tore through the coconut palms in the southern compound with a frightening roar. The dry leaves that had collected around the pond swirled upwards beligerently. The seat of the swing that hung from the ilanji tree fell down.

- i) Who came back to Nalapat?  
ii) When did they hear the gale?  
iii) What had collected around the pond?  
iv) What was fell down  
v) Where were the coconut palms?