

Class : 11

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UNIT TEST - 2, AUGUST - 2024

ENGLISH

Time Allowed : 1.30 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 45

PART - I

10x1=10

I. Answer all the questions.

Choose the most suitable answer from the given four alternations and write both the option code and the corresponding answer.

- Choose the correct synonyms for the underlined words from the options given
- Chemists make their fortunes out of the medicines people forget to take
a) debts b) losses c) distresses d) huge sum of money
 - I am always reluctant to trust a departing visitor to post an important letter.
a) ready b) unwilling c) lager d) anxious

Choose the appropriate antonyms of the underlined words from the given options:

- Absent-mindedness of this kind seems to me all but a virtue.
a) honour b) integrity c) merit d) vice
- Memories prevent than from remembering to do such is small prosaic things.
a) stop b) impede c) hinder d) allow
- Choose the clipped form of 'Demarcate'.
a) market b) mark c) mate d) cat
- Choose the right definition for the given term 'Archaeologist'.
a) One who studies artifacts and physical remains b) One who studies arts
c) One who studies earthquakes d) One who studies Anatomy
- Form a new word by adding a suitable prefix to the rootword 'efficiency'.
a) non b) im c) no d) in
- Choose the right combination for the blended word 'wifi'.
a) Wireless + fidelity b) Wire + fire
c) Wire + fidelity d) Wi + life
- Choose the tetra syllabic word
a) creator b) individual c) antipathy d) classroom
- Choose the expanded form of LoC.
a) Lots of Concern b) Lot of Chances
c) List of Counties d) Line of Control

Section - B (Poem)

II. Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer any two of the questions that follow: 2x2=4

11. And 'tis my faith that every flower
Enjoys the air it breathes...

- a) What is the poet's faith? *enjoys the air it breathes*
b) What trait of Nature do we see here? *selfless trait of nature*

12. If this belief from heaven be sent
If such be Nature's holy plan.

- a) What does 'heaven' refer to? *God, creator of nature*
b) Why does the poet call it 'holy'? *and it is the creator*

13. And I must think, do all I can,
That there was pleasure there...

- a) What did the poet notice about the twigs? *spreads out to catch the breezy air*
b) What was the poet's thought about then? *There was a pleasure in nature.*

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III. Explain the following lines with reference to the context.

14. "In that sweet mood when pleasant thoughts
Bring sad thoughts to the mind".
15. "Have I not reason to lament
What Man has made of Man?"

2x3=6

Lines written in Early Spring.
William Wordsworth.

Section - C (Grammar)

IV. Fill in the blanks with suitable Homophones.

2x1=2

16. I managed to get out of bed and on my _____ today. (foot / feet)
17. I need to fix the door because the handle is _____ (loose / lose)

V. Rewrite the following sentence in other voice.

18. India has won three Bronze medals in Paris Olympics. *Three* *Bronze medal has been won by India in Paris.*
19. Let the door not be slammed. *You are requested not to slam the door.*

2x2=4

Section - D

V. Answer any two of the following questions in about 30 - 40 words each:

2x3=6

20. Why, according to Lynd, should taking medicines be one of the easiest actions to remember?
21. What kind of absent-mindedness is regarded as a virtue by Lynd?
22. Narrate the plight of the baby on its day?

VI. Answer any one of the following.

3x1=3

23. Describe the process of making Fruit salad.
24. Expand the following news headlines in a sentence.

- i) Heavy rains lash Chennai.
- ii) ATMs without security guard to close.
- iii) India won the world cup.

VII. Answer the following in a paragraph about 100 - 150 words.

2x5=10

25. Discuss the fundamental reasons for forgetfulness in humans by stating few examples from the lesson 'Forgetting' by Robert Lynd.

(OR)

'Lines Written in Early Spring' highlights the feelings towards nature and the lesson William Wordsworth learnt from it. Explain.

26. Many patients wait - dentist's clinic - tensed - tooth - being extracted - the arrival of the dentist - Joe, the first patient - called in - the nurse goes - with hammer - reaction - other visitors - go away fear - waste open tool box.

(OR)

Read the following sentences and spot the errors

- a) Laugh is the best medicines. *Laughter*
- b) The children was playing in the Giant's garden. *were*
- c) The sweets was distributed between all the children. *among were*
- d) Many peoples attended the function.
- e) Man have depended on nature for a long time.

21. a) medicines ^{has} before and after meal.
- b) meals. should tense her - reminder
- c) on taking medicines one of the easiest action.
22. a) anxious and the poets are regarded as virtue.
- b) more glorious matter.
- c) no time to remember ordinary things.

23. A doctor forget the baby.

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