

Class: XII
English

Mark: 25
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45 mts

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- a. defeat, b. victory, c. climax, d. final.

2. If you can't they accept their fate.

- a. destination, b. destiny, c. decision, d. significance.

b. Choose the best antonym of the underlined word in each of the following sentences.

3. He had returned to the hospital because he had a malignant tumour of the bone.

- a. harmless, b. painless, c. realising, d. successful.

4. It opened my eyes to the fact that I was missing something.

- a. story, b. fiction, c. truth, d. fiction.

c. Add suitable question tags to the following questions.

5. Anita never comes late, _____?

- a. does she, b. doesn't she, c. did she, d. has she.

6. You should add a little salt to the butter milk, _____?

- a. should you, b. shouldn't you, c. are you, d. have you.

II Answer all the questions.

a. Read the given lines and answer the questions that follow.

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7. ... and his big manly voice,

Turning again toward childish treble and pipes

i. When does one's big manly voice turn toward childish?

ii. Identify the figure of speech in the given line.

8. Then the whining school-boy, with his satchel

And shining morning face, creeping like a snail.

i. What are the characteristics of this stage?

ii. Pick out the words in alliteration in the above lines.

b. Rewrite as directed.

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9. It is time to stop the work. (Change into passive voice)

10. Our television is being repaired now. (Change into active voice)

III Answer all the questions.

a. Explain the following with reference to the context.

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11. Jealous in honour, sudden and quick in quarrel, seeking the bubble reputation.

b. Build a conversation for the following situation with a minimum of three exchanges. 1x3=3

12. A father and his daughter about the advantages of the habit of reading news paper.

IV Answer any one of the following in a paragraph of 100-150 words.

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