

COMMON SECOND TERM SUMMATIVE EXAMINATION - 2024

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Standard VII

Reg.No.

ENGLISH

Time : 2.00 hrs

Marks : 60

Choose the appropriate SYNONYMS for the underlined words:

3 x 1 = 3

- The startled boy turned and looked up at his master.
a) surprised b) started c) stopped
- Go aside and say your prayers, while I engage them in combat.
a) combine b) fight c) collide
- His arms felt heavy and his vision blurred.
a) clear b) blind c) unclear

Choose the appropriate ANTONYMS for the underlined words:

3 x 1 = 3

- He stumbled to his feet.
a) unsteady b) steady c) lost balance
- He would read about the incredible adventures of knights.
a) imaginable b) believable c) unbelievable
- Shock had immobilised him.
a) mobilised b) stopped c) immunised

Fill in the blanks with the correct HOMOPHONES:

2 x 1 = 2

- A _____ never fights at _____. (night, knight)
- I _____ a _____ of cattle making noise. (heard, herd)

SYLLABIFY the words:

2 x 1 = 2

- Shepherd
- Heard

Fill in the blanks with SUPERLATIVE ADJECTIVES:

2 x 1 = 2

- Vatican City is the _____ (small) country in the world.
- Cheetah is the _____ (fast) animal in the world.

Fill in the blanks with the PASSIVE FORM of verbs:

2 x 1 = 2

- The pack _____ (open) and the contents are mixed.
- The soup is _____ (garnish) with fried corns.

Answer ANY TWO of the following questions:

2 x 2 = 4

- What kind of books did Don Quixote like to read?
- Who listened to the chipping sound of the chisel?
- Who was the young stone carver?

Answer ANY ONE of the following in a paragraph:

1 x 5 = 5

- Describe the adventures of Don Quixote.
- What was the problem the stone carver encountered?
How did he complete this masterpiece?

Read the poetic lines and answer ANY TWO of the following:

2 x 2 = 4

- With lutes in our hands ever-singing we roam
i) Who does 'we' refer to?

21. When to fight for a righteous cause
one did gain considerable applause
i) When will one get an applause?
22. Our lays are of cities whose lustre is shed
i) What does 'lays' mean?

Answer ANY ONE of the following in a paragraph:

1 x 5 = 5

23. What does Sarojini Naidu say about the wandering singers?
24. Explain the heroic exploits of a knight.

Read the poetic lines and answer the questions:

2 x 1 = 2

25. Our lays are of cities whose lustre is shed,
The laughter and beauty of women long dead;
The sword of battles, the crown of old kings,
And happy and smile and sorrowful things
i) Pick out the rhyming words.
ii) Write down the alliterated words in the last line.

Identify the character/speaker:

3 x 1 = 3

26. I must find out why he's in a hurry.
27. Wake up. you've been sleeping for too long.
28. I hate white roses.

Choose the correct answer:

3 x 1 = 3

29. The Queen of Hearts was playing _____
a) Hockey b) cricket c) croquet
30. _____ is a type of story telling using painted scrolls.
a) Pata Chitra b) Pot Maya c) Patuas
31. Alice found a green bottle that said _____.
a) DRINK ME b) EAT ME c) LEAVE ME

32. Quote from memory:

1 x 5 = 5

From: Where the voice

To: lustre is shed.

33. Rearrange the sentences in coherent order:

5 x 1 = 5

- i). He wished to have Gopal with him.
ii) He thought he wouldn't be able to finish it.
iii) The oldman worked tirelessly on the sculpture.
iv) He had a strong wish to finish it in time.
v) Over days, he felt very weak.

34. Match the tools with the art forms:

5 x 1 = 5

- a) Hammer and chisel - Painting
b) Paint brush and palette - Sculpture
c) Moulds and roll pin - Embroidery
d) Scissors and paper - Pottery
e) Needle and thread - Collage

35. Your friend has presented a beautiful art piece on your birthday.

1 x 5 = 5

Write a letter to your friend appreciating his/her art work.
