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T COMMON FIRST REVISION TEST - 2025
Standard - X

Time : 3.00 hrs

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Part - I

Marks: 100

Note: i) Answer all the questions. ii) Choose the most appropriate answer from the given four alternatives and write the option code and the corresponding answer:-

Choose the appropriate Synonyms for the underlined words:-

- 1) His parents were beckoning to him calling shrilly
a) staring b) challenging c) watching d) signalling
2) I could see the faint shine of plates
a) bright b) clear c) fine d) unclear
3) They underwent extensive sea trials.
a) narrow b) wide c) near d) spread

Choose the appropriate Antonyms for the underlined words:-

- 4) The farmhouse had a certain rustic charm about it
a) urban b) rural c) non urban d) provincial
5) The project was taken in consonance with the national policy.
a) agreement b) constant c) disagreement d) harmony
6) He was indignant about the way he had been treated
a) angry b) pained c) cheerful d) unhappy
7) Choose the correct plural form of 'negro' from the following
a) negros b) negro c) negroes d) negrose
8) Form a derivative by adding the right prefix to the word " mature"
a) mis_ b) en_ c) pre_ d) in_
9) Fill in the blanks by choosing the most appropriate prepositional phrase from the given options:
The parents must be informed any indiscipline conduct of their wards
a) because of b) in case of c) in spite of d) in addition to
10) Complete the following sentence with the appropriate phrasal verb given below:
He abandoned his plan to build a factory
a) give in b) give up c) give away d) get away
11) Choose the suitable option to pair it with the word 'trip' to form a compound word
a) fly b) day c) field d) safe
12) Fill in the blank with the most appropriate preposition given below:
There is a park the school. a) below b) into c) about d) behind
13) Complete the following sentence using the most appropriate tense form of the verb given below:
Kalal selvan (correct) the note books for two hours.
a) corrected b) had been correcting c) will correct d) will have been correcting
14) Choose the most appropriate linkers from the given four alternatives.
He registered to vote he turned eighteen
a) when b) while c) unless d) As soon as

Part - II

Section - I [Prose]

Answer any three of the following questions in a sentence or two:- 3×2=6

- 15) What did the young bird do to seek the attention of his parents?
16) Where was the author when he heard the noise?
17) What did Nagen uncle tell about Sanyal?
18) How did the all-Indian Navy crew go about their Voyage?

Section - II [Poem]

Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer any three of the following: 3×2=6

- 19) "Not hurrying to, nor turning from the goal
Not mourning for the things that disappear"
a) Why do you think the poet is not in a hurry?
b) How does the poet want to live his life?
20) "And so it were wisest to keep our feet
From wandering into complaining street"
a) What is the wisest thing that the poet suggest?
b) What does the phrase 'to keep our feet from wandering' refer to?

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- 21) "Strong is she in her faith and belief
Persistence is the key to everything says she"
a) What is the strong about? b) How does she deal the adversities in life?
- 22) Thus ending, he hastily lifted the wicket
And out of the door turned the poor little cricket
a) The ant refused to help the cricket why? b) Explain the second line?

Section - III [Grammar]

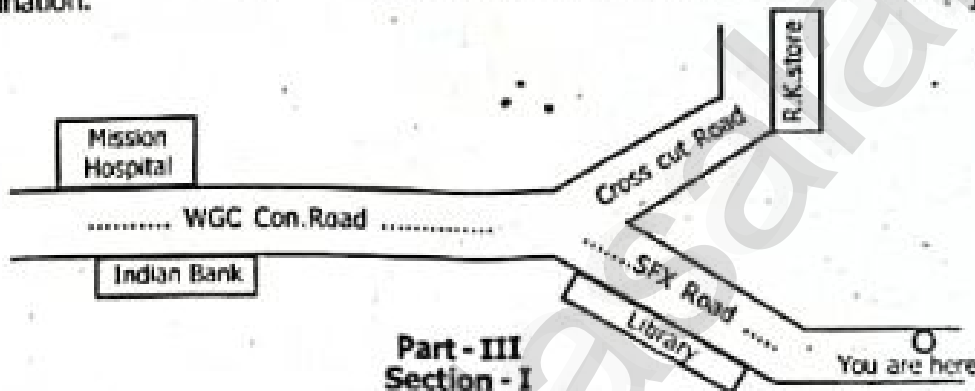
Answer any three of the following:-

3×2=6

- 23) Rewrite the following sentence Passive Voice.
No one is borrowing the novels from the library.
- 24) Rewrite the following sentence to other voice.
When will the building be finished by you
- 25) Punctuate the following sentence:
no one visits me he said in an unperturbed manner
- 26) Transform the following sentence into a complex sentence.
unless you obey the law, you will be punished
- 27) Rearrange the words in the correct order to make meaningful sentences:-
a) you/all/places/should/important/visit
b) INSV Tarini/second/sail/the/of/Navy/Indian/is/boat/the

Section - IV [Roadmap]

- 28) A stranger want to go to a hospital. Write the steps to guide him to reach his destination. 1×2=2

**Part - III
Section - I**

Answer any two of the following in a paragraph:-

2×5=10

- 29) Describe the experience of the young seagull in His First Flight Written by Liam O' Flaherty.
- 30) Narrate the extensive search operation made by the policemen in the house.
- 31) Highlight the factors responsible for the all women Indian Navy crew to carryout their expedition.
- 32) Give a brief character sketch of Sasanka Sanyal.

Section - II

Answer any two of the following:-

2×5=10

- 33) From the poem, "The Grumble family" - What kind of behaviour does the poet want the readers of possess?
- 34) Compare and contrast the attitude of the ant and the cricket.
- 35) Read the following stanza and answer the questions given below:-
"In the dimpast, nor holding back in fear
From what the future veils; but with a whole
And happy heart, that pays its toll
To youth and Age, and travels on with cheer.
a) Pick out the alliterating words in the 3rd line.
b) What is the rhyming words of the above stanza.
c) Identify the rhyme scheme of the given lines.
d) What is the figure of speech in 2nd and 3rd line?
- 36) Paraphrase the following stanza.
"The summer of life, she's ready to see in spring
She says, "Spring will come again, my dear,
Let me care for the one's who're near"
She's The woman - She has no fear!

Section - III (Supplementary Reader)

Answer any one of the following:-

1×5=5

- 37) Rearrange the following sentences in coherent order:-
- Using his power, Prospero released the good spirits from large bodies of trees.
 - Prospero and Miranda came to an island and lived in a cave.
 - He raised a violent storm in the sea to wreck the ship of his enemies.
 - He ordered Ariel to torment the inmates of the ship.
 - Ariel was instructed to bring Ferdinand, the prince of Naples to his cave.

- 38) Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:

Just at sundown, when his day's work was ended, he took a quantity of unwhitened rice which was the principal food for the poor and he cooked, dried it, and tied it in a square cloth, which he swung in a bundle around his neck along with a guard filled with cool sweet water.

Then he lifted his helpless old mother to his back and started on his painful journey up the mountain. The road was long and steep; the narrow road was crossed and recrossed by many paths made by the hunters and wood cutters. In some place, they lost and confuse, but he gave no heed. Once path or another, it mattered not. On he went, climbing blindly upward - ever upward towards the high bare summit of what is known as 'Obatsuyama' the mountain of the 'abandoning of the aged'.

Questions:-

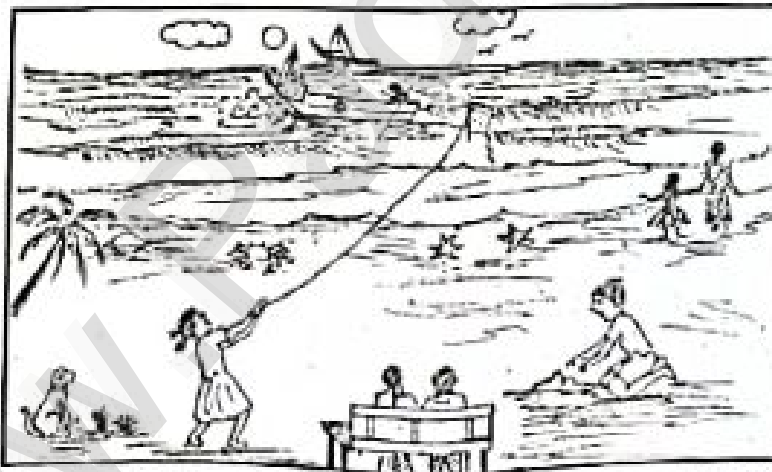
- When did he start his journey to the mountain?
- What did he carry for his mother?
- How was the road on his journey?
- Who made many path on the narrow road?
- What was the name of the mountain?

Section - IV (Writing competency)

Answer any four of the following:-

4×5=20

- 39) Prepare an attractive advertisement using the hints given below:-
Solar lamps - cheap cost - long lasting - maintenance free - good for hotels, homes and offices - 50% offer - Jose enterprise - No.137/G-F; Sharon complex, Vadecherry, Nager Kovil. WWW.Jose.125@gmail.com
- 40) Write a letter to the whole sale book dealer, after receiving the order, some of the dictionaries are damaged. Write a letter of complaint.
- 41) You are Sanju/Sanjay, the president of your school natural club. Draft a notice about, "World Environmental Day Celebration" to display on your school notice board.
- 42) Look at the following picture and express your views on it about five sentences.



- 43) Make notes of the following passage and prepare a summary using the notes.

There are many different kinds of books that are published each year. These are the new titles available for us to read. Besides these, there are books that have been published through the years. Together, there are millions of books available throughout the world in as many languages as are spoken by people. There are different genres in which books are published. There are fiction and non-fiction categories in books, and each of these categories has many different genres of books. The academic books we study at school belong to the text book category.

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We study them to complete our syllabus and pass the examinations at the end of each academic session. There are other books that we read for our pleasure and enrichment. We read story books of different types. There are comedy, horror, detective and thriller stories in prose, plays and poetry forms. Books are our best friends.

44) **Spot the Errors and write the correct sentence:**

- i) Every children are happy.
- ii) My uncle bought many furnitures.
- iii) You may speak politely to the elders.
- iv) She is the girl whom won the prize.
- v) I live in united states.

Section - V

45) **Quote from memory:-**

"O'er rough or
..... the best."

1×5=5

Part - IV

46) **Write a paragraph of about 150 words by developing the following hints:-**

1×8=8

- a) Dr. Krishnan's family - Vishnu and the pet bird - Dr. Somu requested - take care - harmless bird - zigzag deposited - blades of fan - slept - snored loudly - spoiled Mrs. Krishnan's painting - took to his clinic - changed - wanted to keep for ever.

[or]

- b) Poor farmer - old mother - order of the despot - farmer carries his mother - mother's advice on the way - the son is surprised at her wisdom - takes her back - hides her in the closet - another unreasonable order - mother's clever idea - a rope of ashes - governor realises, has folly - lifts his decree.

47) **Read the following paragraph and answer the questions given below: 4×2=8**

- a) Preserving Nature is man's prime responsibility. The earth does not belong to us for us to use and abuse. It belongs to our children. As man became civilized he lost his attachment with nature. In his quest, for development man cleared pristine forests and polluted the environment. The magnitude of destruction increased in proportion to the magnitude of his greed. As man drifted away from nature, his problems increased and his heart became hard and cold. The many calamities, misfortunes and the problems of our time are but the manifestation of the greed. This is why we have injured people, animals and environment. If we want to set things right we must reconnect with nature.

Questions:-

- i) What is the prime responsibility of man?
- ii) Whom does the earth belong to?
- iii) When does man lose attachment with nature?
- iv) What is the manifestation of man's greed?

[or]

b) **Read the following poem and answer the questions given below:**

"Success is counted sweetest
By those who never succeed
To comprehend a nectar
Requires sorest need
Not one of the purple host
Who took the flag today
Can tell the definition
So clear, of victory
As he defeated dying
On whose forbidden ear
The distant strains of triumph
Break, agonized and clear

Questions:-

- i) Who can feel the value of success?
- ii) Who is the purple host?
- iii) What does 'triumph' mean?
- iv) Can anyone tell the definition of victory?
