

Department of School Education - Villupuram District

Assignment – March 2022

8th Standard

English

Marks 50

SECTION – A (vocabulary)

I. Choose the correct synonym for the underlined words.

3x1=3

1. I was really scared.

- a) frightened b) timid c) bold d) rude

2. She gathered the information from the internet.

- a) disburse b) amass c) collect d) give

3. We browse in the internet.

- a) skim b) scan c) download d) skip

II. Choose the correct antonym for the underlined words.

3x1=3

4. A stranger was roaming around the street.

- a) foreigner b) newcomer c) unknown d) well known

5. A good diet is beneficial to health.

- a) helpful b) harmful c) benefit d) useful

6. Vairavan is having a spot of bother with law.

- a) pleasing b) pester c) annoy d) worry

7. Write the correct American English for the word “Torch”.

1x1=1

8. Write the correct euphemisms for the word “slow learner”.

1x1=1

SECTION – B (grammar)

III. Fill in the blanks with suitable question tag.

3x1=3

9. She is collecting stickers, _____?

10. Peter played handball yesterday, _____?

11. He hardly works _____?

IV. Identify the type of sentence whether it is Simple, Compound or Complex sentence.

3x1=3

12. I went because I was invited.

13. Whatever you do, do well.

14. His courage won him honour.

V. Write the correct punctuation mark in the given blanks.

3x1=3

15. What a wonderful event _____

16. What did you want to eat for lunch _____?

17. Please help me _____

VI. Answer the following questions in one or two sentences.(any3) 3x2=6

18. Why do we use internet?

19. Who is an online predator?

20. What are the benefits of computer?

21. What do strangers do with our personal information?

VII. Answer the following in about 100 words.

1x5=5

22. “We can’t ignore the benefits of internet and mobile phone” – Justify.

(Or)

What happens if someone is addicted to mobile phone?

SECTION – D (poem)

VIII. Read the poem lines and answers the following questions.

5x1=5

23. My computer has always been so brainy and smart

It seems to know mountains of information by heart.

If I type in a question, and give my mouse a click,

My computer always gives me the answer really quick!

i) Write the rhyming words from the given lines.

ii) Write the rhyming scheme from the given lines.

iii) Write the figures of speech in 1st and 2nd line.iv) Write the words in alliteration in 3rd and 4th line.

24. Write the first 5 lines of the memory poem “Special Hero”

1x5=5

SECTION – E (supplementary reading)

IX. Identify the character from the given lines.

3x1=3

25. “Are you feeling unwell?”

26. “You are a brave pair!”

27. “I don’t have a camera phone.”

X. Read the passage and answer the questions given below.

2x2=4

Just then train moves. He runs towards a bogey door. The station

Manager rushes forward to catch the man. But he disappears into the

crowded train. They all go to the police station. “You are a brave pair.”

says a policeman.

28. Who rush forward to catch the man?

29. Where did they all go?

SECTION - F (WRITING)

XI. Write an email.

5x1=5

30. Write a formal email to Mr.Sundar Pitchai CEO of Google, requesting him for an appointment to interview him.