

Standard 11

Time: 1.30 Hrs.

ENGLISH

Marks: 80

Section - A [Vocabulary - Lexical Competency]

I. Answer the following: 5×2=10

- 1) Write a sentence using the singular form of 'children' or 'teeth'.
- 2) Write a sentence using the plural form of 'medium' or 'mouse'.
- 3) Write sentences using 'fire' as noun and verb.
- 4) Write sentences using 'free' as verb and adjective.
- 5) Syllabify the words 'mercy' and 'behind'.

Section - B [Grammatical Competency]

II. Fill in the blanks with suitable form of the verb: 5×2=10

- 6) Slow and steady _____ (win) the race.
- 7) My uncle _____ (go) to Chennai next week.
- 8) The plane _____ (arrive) just now.
- 9) They _____ (play) chess when I entered the room.
- 10) I _____ (take) bath at 6 a.m. every day.

Section - C [Writing Competency - Prose]

III. Write an essay in about 250 words: 10

- 11) Kalpana Chawla's determination and achievement.

Section - D [Literary Competency - Poetry]

IV. a] Write a paragraph in about 100 words: 5

- 12) Describe what Norman Nicholson feels about his space flight.

b] Explain the following with reference to the context: 2×3=6

- 13) You can cross out my name in the telephone book.
- 14) I'll doze when I'm sleepy and wake without a knock.

Section - E [Supplementary Reader]

V. a] Write an essay by developing the following hints: 10

- 15) Phatik - village boy - no father - lived with mother and brother - gang leader - indifferent to others - inattentive in studies - taken to Calcutta by uncle - illtreated - left uncle's home - died of fever.

b] Complete the following by choosing the correct answers from the options given: 5×1=5

- 16) One day Phatik and his friends wanted to _____.
a) swim b) play c) roll a log d) fly a kite

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Section A Lexical Competency I, Answer the following:

- i) Write a sentence using the singular form of 'children' or 'teeth'
- 2) Write a Sentence using the plural form of 'medium' or 'mediums'
- 3) Write Sentences 'using 'fire' as noun and verb.
- 4) Write sentences using 'free' as verb
- 5) Syllabify the Words 'mercy' and 'behind'

Section B [Grammatical Competency] Fill in the-blanks with suitable form of the verb:

1) Kaipaha's determination and achievement.

Section D [Literary Competency » Poetry] i) a] write a paragraph in about 160 words: 5 12) Describe what Norman Nicholson feels about his space flight. b] Explain the following with reference to the context:

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- 17) Phatik was chewing _____.
a) betel b) reed stalks c) chocolate d) tobacco
- 18) Phatik lost his _____.
a) books b) bag c) pen d) purse
- 19) The teacher started to _____ Phatik every day.
a) beat b) humiliate c) tease d) beat and humiliate
- 20) The doctor said that Phatik's condition was _____.
a) safe b) critical c) better d) satisfactory

Section - F [Learning Competency - Study Skills]

VI. a) **Answer the following:** 5×2=10

- 21) When do you refer to a dictionary?
22) What is meant by 'editing'?
23) Mention the two common systems of classifying books in libraries.
24) What does the reference section of a library contain?
25) How will you search a book using online catalogue?

b) **Read the following, spot the errors and correct them:** 5×1=5

- 26) He told to me to read.
27) I have bought some new furnitures.
28) Bible is a holy book.
29) My brother is senior than you.
30) Chungi is a honourable man.

Section - G [Reading Competency]

VII. **Identify each of the following sentences with the semantic field in the list given below, by understanding the word or words serving as clue:** 5×1=5

- 31) The party staged a walkout.
32) Science journals publish interesting articles.
33) The London Stock Exchange is an independent institution.
34) The judge stayed all further proceedings.
35) Penicilin is used for treating infections.
[business, medicine, politics, media, law]

Section - H [Creative Competency - Literary Skills]

VIII. **Match the slogans with the products:** 4×1=4

- | <i>Products</i> | <i>Slogans</i> |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 36) Hair oil | - a) Prevention is better than cure |
| 37) Mineral water | - b) Keep everything fresh |
| 38) Vaccine | - c) Have a cascade of your own |
| 39) Fridge | - d) Drink and save life |
