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JAGADGURU INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, LOHEGAON PUNE TERM-1 EXAM (2024-25)

Class: VII Subject: ENGLISH GRAMMAR

Date: 25/09/2024 M.M.: 30
Roll No.: Time: 2 Hrs.

General Instructions:

This paper is divided into two sections:

Section A – Writing Skills-15 marks and **Section B** – Grammar-15 marks

- ❖ All questions are compulsory.
- Separate instructions and options are given with each section and question, wherever necessary.
- * Read the instructions very carefully and follow them.
- ❖ Do not exceed the prescribed word limit while answering the questions.

SECTION A - WRITING SKILLS (15 MARKS)

Each Question in Section A Carries 5 marks.

Q.1) You are the Cultural Secretary of your school. You have been asked to inform students of Classes VI to VIII about an Inter School Dramatics Competition. Draft a notice in about 50 words to be put up on the School notice board, with all necessary details.

OR

You purchased a color television from M/s Diamond Electronics, JM road, Pune. Since the television is now not working properly, write an e-mail to the company asking for its replacement immediately.

Q.2) Write a bio-sketch of R K Narayan with the help of the given hints in about 80 words.

Born: Chennai, India – 10 October 1906---- a working-class South Indian family.

His father: a school headmaster.

Childhood: spent in the loving care----grandmother---- Parvati—taught arithmetic, mythology and Sanskrit. Schooling: attended different schools in Chennai—Lutheran Mission School, Christian School etc.

Interested ----- English Literature.

1926: joined Maharaj College of Mysore Profession: school teacher-----a local school.

Major works: Malgudi, Swami and Friends, The English Teacher, The Dark Room.

Awards and Achievements: Sahitya Akademi (1958), Padam Bhushan (1964), Padam Vibhushan (2001)

Died: 13 May 2001.

Q.3) You are Ruchi/Arpit. You have lost your library card. Write a letter to the librarian to issue you duplicate card.

OR

Independence Day was celebrated in your school. District Magistrate, Ms. Indu Bala Sharma was the Chief Guest. Write a report on the function in 100-120 words describing all the activities that took place. You are Head boy/Head girl.

SECTION B - GRAMMAR (15 MARKS)	
Q.4) Choose the appropriate options for the questions given below:	(3)
i) Iin this school since 1975. (study)	
a) will study b) have been studying c) study d) studied	
ii) My friendsthe prime minister yesterday. (see)	
a) saw b) sees c) have seen d) are seeing iii) I the work an hour ago. (finish)	
a) finished b) had finish c) will finish d) have finished	
iv) Which verb tense is used in the sentence: "Recycling helps to conserve natural resources."?	
a) Present simple b) Past simple c) Future simple d) Present continuous	
v) recycling process involves sorting and processing materials.	
a) a b) an c) the d) no article	
vi) The new school principal, Mrs. Seema, asked to speak at the assembly.	
a) I b) me c) my d) mine	(4)
Q.5) Determine whether the verb is transitive or intransitive in the following sentences:	(4)
i) The teacher is grading papers.	
ii) The company is expanding. iii) The dog is barking.	
iv) She wrote the letter.	
Q.6) Read the passage and choose the correct answer to the questions given below it:	(2)
"The new school principal, Mrs. Johnson, has introduced several changes to improve student life	(2)
has increased the number of clubs and societies, allowing students to explore their interests. Addition	
she has extended the lunch break to give students more time to relax and socialize."	iiaiiy,
i) "The new school principal, Mrs. Johnson, has introduced several changes to improve _ life."	
a) her b) hers c) she d) Hers'	
ii) "Mrs. Johnsonseveral changes to improve student life."	
a) has introduce b) have introduced c) has introduced d) have introduce	
iii) What is the meaning of the phrase "to relax and socialize" in the passage?	
a) To work and study b) To take a break and interact with others	
c) To eat and drink d) To play and exercise	
iv) "allowing students to explore their interests". Identify the given sentence is Phrase or Clause.	
Q.7) Change the following sentence from active to passive voice:	(4)
i) The principal wrote the letter.	
ii) Sohan can lift the box.	
iii) The man cut down the tree.	
iv) Her teacher praised her.	
Q.8) Put the verb in parentheses in the correct form, either gerund or infinitive:	(2)
i) I want (go) to the movies tonight.	
ii) She is good at (play) the guitar.	
iii) The question is easy(answer).	
iv) Are you thinking of(visit) my place?	