

SUBJECT: ENGLISH (Subjective)

STD-VII

Time Duration-1 HR 20 Minutes

Max Marks-40

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:-

1. There are Three Sections: A , B and C
2. There are 16 questions in the question paper.
3. All the questions are compulsory.
4. Adhere to the word limit.
5. After completion of your writing make a single PDF.
6. Save the PDF as follows : section-roll no-name (ex-D- 01-Rahul)
7. Attach the PDF in the Google Form.
8. Submit in time.

SECTION-A

Answer the following questions (Q1 to 10) within 25 words. (2x10=20)

1. The child offers a necklace to the bird. What is it made of?
2. The bird refuses the offer of a golden cup and an ivory seat. What does it prefer?
3. Why did Manjula want to go to Bombay ?
4. What were the gifts that Manjula got on her thirteenth birthday ?
5. What were the three in-built principles of Ram Singh 070 ?
6. What is the conflict that brought Ram Singh's end?
7. Describe the traits of a flattering foe.
8. Explain: "*fortunes once do frown*"
9. What does chocolates contain? How does it harm our health?
10. Why did Gopa's mother ask him to do his work himself ?

SECTION-B

Answer the following questions within 30-40 words. (3x5=15)

11. Describe how the spider praised the beautiful appearance of the fly.
12. Imagine you are Vishal. Write a **diary entry** describing your experience about how you saved the Trishna- " A Stormy Adventure".
13. You are going to organize a Yoga Competition for the students of Std VI and VII. Giving all relevant information, write a **Notice** in not more than 40 words and put it in the box . You are Tarun/ Tara - the Secretary of Youth Committee of your School.
14. Use the following information and write a short **Bio- sketch** of Shakespeare in not more than 40 words.

Name: William Shakespeare
Raised in : Stratford-upon-Avon
Profession: Actor, Writer
Notable work: between 1589 and 1613
Plays: comedies, histories and romances
Famous Tragedy : Hamlet, King Lear, Othello, Macbeth
Died: 1616 at the age of 52

15. Recently you visited the Taj Mahal situated in Agra. **Describe** the monument in not more than 40 words using the hints given below:

[Hints: white marble- bank of Yamuna- built in Agra between **1631** and 1648 - by Mughal Emperor **Shah Jahan** - in memory of his favourite wife - masterpiece of the world's heritage.]



16. Answer the following question within 100 words **(5)**

You are Pratik/ Prachi living at Lingaraj Vihar, Bhubaneswar. You have observed that people often drive recklessly and violate traffic rules causing risk to their own lives as well as that of others.

Using the hints given below, write a letter to The Editor of 'The Times of India' expressing your deep concern about the safety of people and how these carelessness can be prevented.

Hints:

- Riding a Two-Wheeler with Helmet on
 - Do not use a Mobile Phone while Riding.
 - Avoid Over Speeding.
- Maintain a safe distance between vehicles

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SUBJECT: ENGLISH (Objective)

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:-

1. There are 8 No. Of Questions with 40 MCQs in the question paper.
2. All the questions are compulsory.
3. Read the questions carefully.
4. Submit in time.

1. Read the passage carefully:

For two months, I have been trying to decide who makes the best ice cream. I have narrowed it down to my three favorite manufacturers: Goodies, Disco, and Twinkle.

Let's start with Goodies. Goodies makes excellent ice cream. Goodies uses all natural ingredients. They only make three different flavors—strawberry, vanilla, and chocolate—but they make them very well. The strawberry is amazing. Every bite of it reminds me of the strawberries that I used to pick behind my old house. The vanilla is wonderful. It is very smooth and has a refreshing, creamy taste. The chocolate is outstanding. It is made with real cocoa beans from Bolivia. I didn't know where Bolivia is so I decided to look for it on a map. After hunting awhile, I discovered that it is in South America! That's a long way to go to get cocoa, so it must be good. I would say that the only drawback to Goodies ice cream is that they only make three different flavors.

Second, we have Disco. Disco ice cream is okay. They don't have many good flavors. Actually, the only Disco flavor I like is Bubblegum. It is vanilla ice cream with little chunks of bubblegum in it. After you eat the ice cream, you can blow bubbles with the gum. That's pretty fun.

Finally, there is Twinkle. Twinkle ice cream is mediocre. The only good thing about Twinkle is that it is relatively inexpensive. You can buy a whole carton of twinkle ice cream for Rs 150. That's only two weeks' allowance for me.

Now, answer the following questions by choosing the best suitable option: (10X1)

1. Which of the following would be the best title for this passage ?
 - A. Mango and Bubblegum Too !
 - B. The Three Top Manufacturers
 - C. Twinkle ice cream
 - D. Picking the Best Ice Cream Manufacturer

2) If the author wanted to get a scoop of strawberry ice cream, where would he or she probably go?

- A. Goodies
- B. Disco
- C. Twinkle
- D. Both (A) and(B)

3) The author likes Goodies ice cream because it

- A is all natural
- B is made in Bolivia
- C. it is in South Africa
- D. has a creamy taste.

4) In paragraph 2 the author writes, "*That's a long way to go to get cocoa, so it must be good.*" It means -

- A. Goodies loses money on sales of chocolate ice cream
- B. Bolivia makes cocoa
- C. things that are hard to get must be high quality
- D. cocoa from the Goodies is not very good

5) The author likes Disco ice cream because it

- A. is relatively inexpensive
- B. has bubblegum in it
- C. is made in Bolivia
- D. is okay

6) What is the only drawback to Goodies ice cream?

- A. cheap ingredients
- B. expensive price
- C. mediocre quality
- D. a lack of flavors

7) A per the information given in the passage, which of the following statements would the author most likely agree with?

- A. Each manufacturer has its profits .
- B. The best manufacturers are the ones with the most flavors.
- C. Goodies is certainly not the best manufacturer, as they only have three flavors.
- D. Each manufacturer is good for different reasons.

8. How many weeks would it take for the author to save enough money to buy two cartons of Twinkle ice cream?

- A. 1 week
- B. 2 weeks
- C. 3 weeks
- D. 4 weeks

9. Find the word in the passage which means the opposite of – *ordinary*

- A. relatively
- B. outstanding
- C. inexpensive
- D. ingredient

10 . Find the word in the passage which means the same as – *passable*

- A. *wonderful*
- B. *excellent*
- C. *mediocre*
- D. *pretty*

2. Read the given poem carefully:

Birds:

I saw birds flying and thought
How happy those birds were;
They have no worries, no sorrows.

When the sky darkens,
They fly to their nests
Perfectly happy and delighted.

If I were a bird flying in the sky
With colorful wings,

I thought
But at that moment
A bird fell at my feet,
A pretty bird, it didn't
Get time to enjoy this beautiful world
A poor bird, shot down by a man.

On the basis of your reading of the poem above complete the summary by choosing the most suitable option; (5X1)

Once the poet saw some birds flying in the sky and thought that those were (a)

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- A. colourful
 - B. happy
 - C. pretty
 - D. poor

creatures and they did not have any (b) _____ ,

- A. worries or sorrows.
- B. time to enjoy
- C. colorful wings
- D. flying in the sky

when in the evening they came back to their nest they are in perfect delight, but that very(c) _____

- A. motion
- B. minute
- C. movement
- D. Moment

when the poet was thinking so, a bird, which was (d) _____ by a man, fell at his feet.

- A. shot
- B. Flying
- C. Delighted
- D. worried

This was a beautiful bird, but it couldn't enjoy much of its life because of the (e) _____ of man.

- A. kindness
- B. cruelty
- C. thought
- D. feet

3 Read the extract given below and answer the questions by choosing the most suitable option; (5X1)

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Mrs Dev: Remember, I won't buy you anything the next time you come to the market!

Gopa: Oh, Mummy! My dear Mummy! (Makes faces and dances) I will get what I want!

Mrs Dev: (Lunges at him) I'll show you what you'll get the next time! (To parry her, Gopa quickly runs away from her without looking ahead and narrowly escapes being hit by a cyclist: he falls in a heap.) 1) What did

Gopa buy the first time?

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A. bread and butter

B. TV

C. Chocolate

D. potato wafer

2. How does Gopa save himself from his mother when she lunges at him?

A. runs away from her

B. makes faces and dances

c .lunges at her

D. falls in

3 Mrs Dev says - "Remember, I won't buy you anything the next time you come to the market"! By saying this she intends to _____ Gopa.

A. disturb

b.hurt

C. warn

D.neglect

4.The word in the text which means the same as -"ward off" is_____ .

A. straight

B.adorn

C. parry

C. heap

5. Gopa narrowly escapes from _____ .

A. a showcase containing knick-knacks

B. being hit by a cyclist

C. a trolley in a corner

D. turning around

4. On the basis of the given procedure complete the following process by choosing the most suitable option: (4 X1)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKING SOUP

- Mix the soup powder with 750 ml of water without allowing it to form lumps.
- Pour the mixture into a heavy bottomed vessel
- Bring it to a boil, stirring continuously.

The packet of soup powder is opened and the contents (a)_____ with 750 ml of water, without allowing it to form lumps.

- a) (i) has been mix
(ii) are mixed
(iii) has mixed
(iv) is mix

The mixture (b) _____ into a heavy bottomed vessel.

- (i) is poured
(ii) are poured
(iii) have been poured
(iv) is being poured

It (c)_____ continuously

- (i) has been stirred
(ii) has stirred
(iii) is stirred
(iv) was stirred

and (d) _____ to a boil.

- (i) had brought
(ii) brought
(iii) has been brought
(iv) had been brought

5. Fill in the blanks by choosing the most suitable option: (4X 1)

While driving you (a)_____ keep your driving license with you

- i) may
ii) will
iii) should
iv) could

or you (b) _____ be challenged by the police.

i) might

ii) will

iii) must

iv) dare

You (c) _____ keep to the left so that you

i) may

ii) will

iii) ought to

iv) shall

(d) _____ avoid any accident.

i) will

ii) ought to

iii) should

iv) can

6. An error in each line has been marked in CAPITALS. Write the correction by selecting the most suitable option: (4X1)

Electricity replaces the wind as (a) THE source of energy. Wind mills stand along (b)THEY coast. They work the turbine (c)WITH produces electricity.

This is (d) KNOWS as wind energy.

a) i) this

ii) a

iii) those

iv)an

(b) i) the

ii)is

iii)an

iv)them

c) i) as

ii)for

iii)which

iv)with

d) (i) knowing

- ii)knew
- iii) know
- iv) known

7. Read the following conversation and complete the paragraph by filling the blanks with the most appropriate answer from the given options: (4 X1)

Commentator: And the umpire has given a ' No Ball' decision.

Grandmother: How foolish! Everyone can see it is a ball.

Commentator: 'I can see the drink trolley being rolled on to the field.'

Grandmother: ' What about the spectators? They too are thirsty.'

Grandmother (a)_____and decided that there was no ball

(i) thought that the vampire was a foolish man

ii) thought it was a foolish man

iii)thought it was a bad decision

iv)thought that the umpire was a foolish man

when (b)_____

(i) everyone else could see the ball.

(ii) everyone has seen the ball.

(iii) everyone else should see the ball.

(iv) no one else could see the ball.

. Grandmother(c) -----

i)Encouraged

ii)Grumbled

iii)Complained

iv) enquired

why there were no drinks for the spectators as they ,(d)-----

(i) too were thirty

(ii)too, were thirsty.

(iii) to were spectators

(iv) two see the drink trolley

8. Complete the passage by choosing the most appropriate option: (4X1)

Ustad Bismillah Khan, the great Shehnai player (i)_____ ,

(i) (a) died at the age of 90

- (b) has died at the age of 90
- (c) had died at the age of 90
- (d) has his death at the age of 90

His (ii) _____. He had a lot of devotion for Goddess Saraswati.

- (i) (a) born name was Quamaruddin Khan
- (b) birth name was Quamaruddin Khan
- (c) name was Quamaruddin Khan when he was born
- (d) name was Quamaruddin, when his birth took place

To honour him for his greatness as a music player (iii) _____ .

- (iii) (a) his shehnai was buried along with him
- (b) his Shehnai were buried along with him
- (c) his Shehnai is buried along with his grave
- (d) his Shehnai will be buried along in his grave

His vision was to spread peace and love (iv) _____ .

- (iv) (a) of music
- (b) through music
- (c) although music
- (d) between music

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