



INDIAN SCHOOL SOHAR
TERM-II EXAM (2017-18)
SUBJECT: ENGLISH
CLASS: V
SET-B

Date of Exam:08-03-18

Time allotted: 2 hours

Max. Marks:40

(Note: This question paper consists of 3 printed pages. Please check that you have all the pages.)

SECTION-A : READING

I. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions: (1×6=6)

Ramappa was a hardworking man. He sold spectacles- because of him, many people with weak eyes could read. The Headman of Palam village heard of this and came to buy a pair. He tried on seven pairs but still could not read. ‘You are a cheat,’ he shouted at Ramappa. Ramappa scratched his head thoughtfully and asked, ‘Sir, may I ask you something?’

‘Yes’ replied the Headman. ‘Sir, do you know how to read?’ Ramappa asked. ‘If I knew how to read, I wouldn’t buy spectacles. The spectacles are to help me read, aren’t they?’ the Headman said. Ramappa wanted to laugh and said, ‘Sir, it’s only if you know how to read, that spectacles can help you. Spectacles don’t teach you how to read. The Headman learnt a lesson and learnt how to read.

Answer the following questions:

- 1) What did Ramappa sell?
- 2) Complete the following:

Ramappa helped people with weak eyes to read with his _____

- 3) Why couldn’t the Headman read with the spectacles?
- 4) How many pairs did the Headman try?
- 5) Why did the Headman call Ramappa a cheat?
- 6) Find the

a) antonym of **strong** from the passage. _____

b) adverb from the passage which means to think seriously about something. _____

SECTION-B: GRAMMAR & WRITING

II. Fill in the blanks using *for* or *since*:

($\frac{1}{2} \times 6 = 3$)

- 1) It has been raining _____ morning.
- 2) Sheela has studied in this school _____ five years.
- 3) My parents have lived in Delhi _____ 2000.
- 4) She hasn't visited Britain _____ his last birthday.
- 5) They had been walking _____ two hours.
- 6) He has worked for this company _____ last summer.

III. Fill in the blanks with the *Present Perfect tense* form of the verbs given in brackets:

($1 \times 5 = 5$)

- 1) He _____ this letter. (write)
- 2) Mother _____ Nidhi's new dress. (stitch)
- 3) Our school _____ so many awards. (win)
- 4) Rajiv and Nikhil _____ to the school. (go)
- 5) We _____ to Dubai twice. (be)

IV. Fill in the blanks using *Interrogative words*:

($\frac{1}{2} \times 6 = 3$)

- 1) _____ are you going tomorrow? I'm going to my Aunt's house.
- 2) _____ is her birthday? It's on 6th of this month.
- 3) _____ hat is this? It is Susan's.
- 4) _____ do you need? A box of apples.
- 5) _____ fruit do you prefer, oranges or plums?
- 6) _____ is your health today? I feel better today.

V. Identify the *Type* of the given sentences: (½×4=2)

- 1) I am your friend.
- 2) Please leave your footwear outside.
- 3) Never speak to me like that, please.
- 4) Where do you stay?

VI. Write the Autobiography of a television or an umbrella. (any one) (1×4=4)

SECTION-C: LITERATURE

VII. Give meanings of the following words: (1×3=3)

- 1) Thud 2) Charity 3) Magnificence

VIII. Make meaningful sentence: (1×3=3)

- 1) Expensive 2) Opportunity 3) Excited

IX. Answer the following briefly: (2×4=8)

- 1) How did the writer's waiting time get shorter and shorter?
- 2) Why was Sudha upset? What did she decide to do?
- 3) Why was Ani worried about the art competition?
- 4) Why did the poor lady believe that Old Jack's money was not dirty?

X. Read the following line and answer the questions given below: (1×3=3)

‘Jeh, this young woman is an engineer and that too, a postgraduate.’

- 1) Who is Jeh here?
- 2) Whom is he talking about?
- 3) Pick out the compound word from the line.
