



INDIAN SCHOOL SOHAR
TERM –I EXAM (2023–24)
SUBJECT: ENGLISH
CLASS- V
SET –A

Date of Exam: 19/09/2023

Time Allotted: 2 hours

Max. Marks: 40

(Note: This question paper consists of 4 printed pages. Please check that you have all the pages.)

SECTION A: READING

Q 1. Read the passage carefully and answer ANY FIVE of the following questions: (1×5=5)

The great advantage of early rising is its good start to our day's work. The early risers have done much hard work before other men have gotten out of bed. In the early morning, the task is typically completed better than at other hours of the day since the air is fresh and there are fewer sounds and other natural distractions without any disturbance. In many cases, the early risers also find time to exercise in the fresh morning air, which supplies them with a fund of energy that will last until dusk.

The early risers could go to bed at a proper time since they know they will have enough time to do the job for the day thoroughly by getting started so early. They will have plenty of downtime in the evening before their scheduled bedtime so they never hurry to complete their day's work. After going to bed for several hours before midnight, when sleep and energy for the new day are at their best, a good night's sleep and waking up early the next morning in good health is quite refreshing and helps to reduce stress and do better at work and school.

- i. What is the great advantage of early rising?
- ii. What enables the early risers to go to bed at a proper time?
- iii. What are the advantages of a good night's sleep?
 1. do better at work
 2. poor sleep
 3. reduce stress
 4. getting sick
 5. lazy morning

Choose the correct option.

- A. 1 & 2 B. 3 & 5 C. 1 & 3 D. 2 & 4

iv. How is the task carried out in the early morning different from other hours of the day?

v. Find the synonym of the following words from the passage.

- A. diversion B. reviving

vi. Early risers are able to complete their day's work without hurrying because_____

- A. they start the day with morning exercise, which makes them feel tired.
- B. they will have plenty of downtime in the evening before their scheduled bedtime.
- C. they have less leisure time before going to bed in the evening.
- D. they do not get focused as they have less time to complete their work.

SECTION B: WRITING AND GRAMMAR

Q 2. Write a letter to your friend in about 60-80 words, informing him/her about your success in winning a prize in a debate competition. (5×1=5)

OR

Write a paragraph in about 60-80 words on 'My Dream Vacation'.

Q 3. Do as directed: [Attempt ANY EIGHT of the following questions.] **(1×8=8)**

- i. Rewrite the following sentence by using the correct Reflexive Pronoun
We decorated the room.
- ii. Complete the sentences by adding a suitable Subject and an Object.
 - a. _____ played the piano beautifully at the concert.
 - b. My friend read _____ to me.
- iii. Use the correct Interrogative Pronoun in the given sentences.
 - a. _____ did you eat for breakfast?
 - b. _____ bicycle is parked outside the house?
- iv. Choose the sentence that uses the correct Adverb of Degree.
 - A. He was sometimes tired after playing the soccer match.
 - B. He was often tired after playing the soccer match.
 - C. He was rarely tired after playing the soccer match.
 - D. He was very tired after playing the soccer match.
- v. Identify the Subject and Object in the given sentence.
She found the lost kitten in the garden.
- vi. Pick the Adverb that indicates Frequency in the following sentences.
 - a. Our father usually takes us out for dinner.
 - b. He rarely eats junk food because he prefers home-cooked meals.
- vii. Select the correct Object in the provided sentence.
The children are playing with their toys.
 - A. are playing
 - B. children
 - C. their toys
 - D. with
- viii. Choose the appropriate Determiner to complete the sentence.
_____ book on the shelf is my favorite. (Those / This)
- ix. Identify the pronouns in the following sentences and state whether it is Interrogative, Demonstrative or Reflexive.
 - a. This pen belongs to me.
 - b. The horse has hurt itself.
- x. Fill in the following sentence with an Adverb of Degree.
She sang _____ beautifully during the performance.

Q 4. Choose the appropriate answers for the following: (1×2=2)

- i. Replace the underlined words by choosing an appropriate phrase from the bracket that conveys meaning.

They also said, “We have no idea what the Mayor will say.” [could help it / can't imagine]

- ii. What is the state of being extremely famous known as? [stargaze / stardom]

SECTION C: LITERATURE

Q 5. Read the following extract and answer the questions given below: (1×3=3)

“What a magnificent sight!” cried the Mayor, rubbing the blue flies on his waistcoat. “Two hundred out of fifty, without any doubt”. Then he gave Old Molly the big silver cup and drove home, humming a tune.

- i. Who gave Old Molly the big silver cup?

A. Mr and Mrs Bunce. B. Mr Bennett
C. Mayor of Bunting. D. Mrs Gordon

- ii. What was the Mayor rubbing on his waistcoat?

A. musical tune B. silver cup C. snails D. blue flies

- iii. What was the Mayor’s reaction when he saw the sight?

Q 6. Read the following extract and answer the questions given below: (1×3=3)

*‘I marvel at its beauty from afar,
And wonder what is it doing, and why?
Could the shooting star be a happy star,
Trying to turn cartwheels in the sky?’*

- i. What playful action does the speaker imagine the shooting star might be attempting in the sky?

- ii. What does the speaker marvel at in the sky?

A. colourful birds flying B. cloud formations in different shapes
C. the beauty of shooting star D. aeroplanes passing by

- iii. The speaker wonders about _____ (Complete the sentence)

A. shooting star’s appearance. B. shooting star’s origin.
C. shooting star’s reason. D. shooting star’s destination.

Q 7. Write the meanings and frame sentences from the following words: [ANY TWO]

- i. chuckle ii. rage iii. sneer (2×2=4)

Q 8. Answer ANY FOUR of the following questions in one sentence: (1×4=4)

- i. In 'The Woman Who Grew Butterflies', what were the people living in the first three cottages greatly proud of?
- ii. In the poem 'Shooting Star', when and where does the speaker spot the shooting star?
- iii. Where exactly did Robinson Crusoe set up his tent?
- iv. *By, on the highway, low and loud....* What do you think low and loud refers to in the poem 'Windy Nights'?
- v. What did the silver cup transform into at the end in 'The Woman Who Grew Butterflies'?

Q 9. Answer ANY THREE of the following questions briefly: (2×3=6)

- i. What do you understand from the text about the Mayor of Bunting?
- ii. How did Robinson build his raft, and how did he transport the things he gathered from the ship to the shore?
- iii. When does the speaker hear the man galloping about, and how is the scene described in the poem 'Windy Nights'?
- iv. In 'Shooting Star', what are the various thoughts that cross the mind of the speaker when she sees a shooting star in the sky?
