

Time Allowed : 2:30 Hrs] Language - Part- II - ENGLISH PAPER-I [Maximum Marks : 100

Instructions : (1) Check the question paper for fairness of printing. If there is any lack of fairness, inform the hall supervisor immediately.
(2) Use Black or Blue ink to write and underline.

Note : This question paper contains five sections

Section -A (Vocabulary :20 Marks) Part-I

1. Choose the appropriate synonyms of the underlined words: 5 × 1 = 5
He was introduced in antique pictures. He (i) secured some of the earnings to buy some pictures. When he went to a picture gallery he (ii) appreciated the pictures. Some of them really (iii) articulated to him. So he very diligently chose two pictures and bought them. He thought his wife would praise him for his selection. But she gave an (iv) irreverent look and said that he had picked up some (v) leftovers from the gallery.

- (i) (a) separated (b) saved (c) took (d) gave
(ii) (a) liked (b) valued (c) saw (d) wanted
(iii) (a) talked (b) drew (c) laughed (d) lifted
(iv) (a) accepted (b) respected (c) disrespected (d) observed
(v) (a) left behind (b) wastes (c) eatables (d) torn
2. Choose the appropriate antonyms of the underlined words: 5 × 1 = 5
Nasrudin was treated with hostility (i) by his neighbour for unsophisticated (ii) way of life. But he treated his neighbour with reverence (iii). He was under the impression that polite words would suffice (iv) to make a person change his invidious (v) point of view.
(i) (a) humility (b) simplicity (c) friendliness (d) anger
(ii) (a) showy (b) refined (c) just (d) real
(iii) (a) funny (b) sweetness (c) respect (d) contempt
(iv) (a) insult (b) insufficient (c) soft (d) shout
(v) (a) desirable (b) unfair (c) injustice (d) apt

Answer any ten of following :

Part-II

10 × 1 = 10

3. The common expansion of UAE is ---- a) United Arab Exchange
(b) Unified Arab Excellence (c) United Arab Emirates (d) Uniformed Arab Endowment
4. Choose the sentence that is correct in meaning :
a) I found this credit card on the upper birth b) I found this credit card on the upper berth
5. Replace the underlined word with its equivalent American English word:
The party workers travelled in a lorry.
6. Which of the following words given below can be placed after the word 'door' to form a compound word. (a) key (b) open (c) side (d) way
7. What is the plural form of 'innings' ? (a) innings (b) inniges (c) inning
8. Add a prefix to the word 'circle' from the list given below :
Flood waters began to ---- circle the village. (a) re - (b) un - (c) en - (d) ir -
9. Replace the underlined word in the sentence with one of the phrasal verbs given below to convey the same meaning. The school publishes its magazine every year.
(a) brings up (b) brings out (c) bring up (d) bring at
10. Separate the syllables of any one of the following words. (a) recreation (b) pursuit (c) integral
11. Choose the appropriate word to make a meaningful sentence :
Cold and fever ---- the child. (a) effected (b) affected
12. Construct a sentence using one of the following words given : (a) active (b) activity (c) action
13. Reframe the sentence using the underlined word as a verb : A post is vacant in our office now.
14. Which one of the two sentences given below conveys the following meaning ?
You needn't have cooked so much food.
(a) You have cooked more food than necessary (b) You should not cook more food in future.

Section - B (Grammar : 25 marks) Part-I

Answer all the questions. Respond to the following as directed.

10 × 1 = 10

15. Which of the options given below will suit the following sentence ? If you told her the way ---- your home
(a) She can find (b) She could have found (c) She could find
16. Identify the pattern of the following sentence : Suddenly they heard a cry (a) SVAA (b) ASVO (c) ASVC
17. Choose the correct question tag for the following statement : She seldom remains at home, ----?
a) doesn't she ? b) does she ? c) do she ?
18. Complete the sentence : The less you carry the ---- your journey will be.
(a) more comfortable (b) most comfortable (c) as comfortable as
19. Choose the correct sentence which conveys the meaning of the sentence given below :
There is no rose without a thorn
a) Some roses have no thorn b) No rose has a thorn c) Every rose has a thorn.
20. Complete the sentence with a correct prepositional phrase : The crops began to wither ----- water.
a) by reason of b) in virtue of c) for want of
21. Choose the correct verb form to complete the sentence.
The teacher let the children ----- the models. (a) touch (b) to touch (c) touching
22. Choose the correct phrase to complete the sentence
I prefer pen ----- (a) to pencil (b) more than pencil (c) on pencil
23. Choose the correct appropriate article to complete the sentence : The award was just ---- honour.
(a) an (b) a (c) the
24. Choose the appropriate preposition to complete the sentence :
The girl ----- red is attractive. (a) with (b) on (c) in

Answer all the following : Rewrite as directed: Part-II

5 × 2 = 10

25. Combine the two sentences into a single sentence : He is tall and strong. He is timid by nature.
26. Rewrite the sentence using the passive voice : She has done a mistake. She regrets it.
27. Rewrite the sentence in reported speech :
Lilly said to me, "Thank you. I shall never forget your help".
28. From the context of the two sentences given below form a single sentence using 'If' clause :
Eat fatty food. You will gain weight.
29. Read the following sentences about the topic and write an observation in a single sentence using any one of the degrees of comparison : a) Raghu has got twelfth rank.
b) Ravi has got first rank. c) Reena has got fiftieth rank d) Reeta has got fourth rank [P.T.O.]

Part-III

30. Punctuate the following sentence : peter said to goind are you ready ill get ready in a minute $1 \times 5 = 5$

Section -C (Prose: 15 Marks) Part-I

Answer briefly any five of the following questions not exceeding 30 words each : $5 \times 2 = 10$

31. What was the condition laid down by the colonel ?
32. Why didn't the narrator play the piano after the terrible incident ?
33. What makes students give way to emotions easily ?
34. What is our duty towards fellow students ?
35. What does Kamal Bhate do every morning ?
36. How was life in the concentration camp ?
37. Who is Messiaen ?

Part-II

Answer in a paragraph on any one of the following questions not exceeding 120 words : $1 \times 5 = 5$

38. (a) Give the character sketch of Hughie. (or)
- (b) Describe the daily routine of Chaya and her family. (or)
- (c) Describe any two duties of the students as pointed by Gokhale.

Section-D (Poetry - 20 Marks) Part-I

39. Quote from memory any one of the following extracts. $1 \times 5 = 5$
- (a) Five lines of the Poem 'Manliness'. From : If you can dream — To : — never, and sinew. (or)
- (b) First five lines of the Poem 'Going for Water'. From : With laughter — To : — We heard the brook.

Part-II

Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer the questions given below : $5 \times 1 = 5$

40. Piles of purple crystal
Sparkling in the light. What is a crystal ?
41. Softly, in the dusk, a woman is singling to me;
Taking me back down the vista of years. What is the poet reminded of on hearing the song of a woman ?
42. Now drops that floated on the pool
Like pearls, and now a silver blade. What are compared to pearls ?
43. And so hold on when there is nothing in you
Expect the will which says to them "Hold on"
What keeps one going on inspite of being confronted by failure ?
44. Inspite of myself, the insidious mastery of song
Betrays me back, till the heart of me weeps to belong. Who is the speaker ?

Part-III

Read the following lines from the poem you have studied and answer the questions below : $1 \times 5 = 5$

45. Inspite of myself, the insidious mastery of song
Betrays me back, till the heart of me weeps to belong
To the old Sunday evening at home, with winter outside
And hymns in the cosy parlour, the tinkling piano our guide. Pick out the rhyming words in these lines.
46. Piles of purple crystals. Identify the words which make this sentence an example of alliteration!
47. The well was dry beside the door, And so went with pail and can
Across the fields behind the house To seek the brook if still it ran,
Bring out the rhyme scheme used in these lines.
48. We ran as if to meet the moon
That slowly dawned behind the trees. Identify the figures of speech.
49. Then what gems would we see? Perhaps a beautiful heart
Find out the figure of speech employed in this line. a) Personification b) Simile c) Metaphor

Part-IV

50. Answer in a paragraph on any one of the following questions not exceeding 120 words : $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Why does Paul Holmes say that appearances can be deceptive ? (or)
- (b) What are the essential qualities needed to face challenges of life according to Rudyard Kipling? (or)
- (c) Describe the visit of the children to the woods.

Section-E (Language Functions) (20 Marks)

51. Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow : $5 \times 2 = 10$

During the American war, the captain of a little band of soldiers gave an order to raise a beam which was very heavy. He was standing aside and shouting, "come on, come on; it goes up!" Another officer who was not in uniform was passing by and asked the captain why he did not give a little aid. He turned and said, "Sir, I am a corporal". The other man said that he did not know he was a corporal. He took off his hat, bowed and said, "I am sorry Mr. Corporal". Then he got down from his horse and helped the soldiers in lifting the beam. Then with sweat on his face he came to the corporal and said, "Mr. Corporal when you have such job and do not have enough men send for your Commander — in — chief. I shall be glad to help you". The corporal was thunder — struck to know the other man was Washington.

Questions :

- a) What is the meaning of 'thunder-struck'?
i) listening ii) storm iii) surprised
- b) When did this incident happen ?
- c) What was the work assigned to the soldiers ?
- d) What was the Corporal doing ?
- e) Who came to the help of the soldiers ?
52. Identify and correct the errors in the following sentences : $5 \times 1 = 5$
- a) Let me play guitar for a while. b) Shankar is having a car.
- c) He went to the temple by foot.
- d) The inspector along with the detectives have reached the spot.
- e) He is not eligible to promotion.
53. Look at the picture given below and answer the following questions in one or two sentences of your own : $5 \times 1 = 5$
- Questions : a) What do you see in the picture ?
- b) What would have happened to all the neighbouring buildings ?
- c) Is the building constructed according to norms ?
- d) Which department would you contact on a fire accident ?
- e) What are the causes for fire accident ?

