

FIRST REVISION MODEL Q.P - 2022

STD : X

ENGLISH

MARKS : 50

TIME : 1:30 hrs

PART - I

10 MARKS

CHOOSE THE SYNONYMS :

1. The young seagull's mother had swooped upwards
(a) to move very slowly (b) to move very quickly (c) gradually
2. He kept calling plaintively. (a) happily (b) sadly (c) joyfully
3. He was preening his feathers. (a) cleaning (b) sharing (c) feeling

CHOOSE THE ANTONYMS :

4. He is moving upwards. (a) onwards (b) backwards (c) downwards
5. He sank no farther. (a) shallow (b) floated (c) soared
6. He saw a vast green sea. (a) broad (b) deep (c) narrow
7. change the form of the underlined word
The young seagull gave out a loud call. (to adverb)
8. Fill in the blanks with suitable modals.
Poongothai _____ speak several languages. (ability in the Present)
9. Fill in the blanks using Article.
He is _____ M.L.A. [a, an, the]
10. Fill in the blanks using Prepositional Phrase.
Everything falls to the ground _____ earth's gravitational pull.

(a) in addition to (b) because of (c) cause of

PART - II

ANSWER ANY THREE OF THE FOLLOWING 3x2=6

11. How was the young seagull's first attempt to fly?
12. What prompted the young seagull to fly finally?
13. Give an instance that shows the pathetic condition of the young bird.
14. How did the bird feel when it started flying for the first time?

15. QUOTE FROM THE MEMORY POEM 'LIFE'
From : still seeking To : best

4x1=4

READ THE FOLLOWING LINES AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS
[ANY THREE] $3 \times 2 = 6$

16. Not hurrying to, nor turning from the goal
Not mourning for the things that disappear
(a) Why do you think the poet is not in a hurry?
(b) What should one not mourn for?
17. And happy heart, that Pays its toll
To youth and Age, and travels on with cheer
(a) How can one travel on with cheer?
(b) Identify the figure of speech in the 2nd line.
18. Let me but live my life from year to year
With forward face and unreluctant soul
(a) pick out the alliterated words in the 1st line
(b) What is the meaning of the word "unreluctant"?
19. Still Seeking what I sought when but a boy
New friendship, high adventure, and a crown.
(a) When did the poet seek?
(b) What did the poet seek?

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING AS A PARAGRAPH! $2 \times 5 = 10$

20. Describe the Journey of life in the Views of Henry Van Dyke.
21. Describe the struggles underwent by the Seagull to overcome its fear of flying.

PART - III - GRAMMAR $2 \times 2 = 4$

Change the following sentence to the other voice.

22. A cake is being made by you.
23. When will the building be finished by you.

PART IV

LANGUAGE FUNCTION

10 MARKS

24. You are the School Pupil Leader. You have been asked to write a report on the Inaugural Ceremony of English Literary Association of your school which was held recently. Write a report on the same in not more than 120 words.

25. Prepare attractive advertisement using the hints given below:

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