

S-3-A

MIDTERM EXAMINATIONS (2018 - 19)

ENGLISH

(Third Language)

PART - A & B

Class : VI

(Max. Marks : 80)

Time : 2.45 Hrs.

PART - A (50 marks)

Time : 1½ Hrs.

INSTRUCTIONS :

1. Answer all the questions under Part - A on a separate answer book.
2. Write the answers under Part - B on the question paper itself and attach it to the answer book of Part-A.

SECTION - A

READING COMPREHENSION (30 Marks)

1. Read the following passage.

Once upon a time, in a very thick forest there lived many animals, birds, snakes and insects. They all lived together happily. They roamed about the jungle and played together in the open field without any fear. The peacocks were very proud of their dances but admired the melodious songs of the cuckoos. The elephants enjoyed watching the fish swimming in the pool. The pythons which were blessed with long bodies, spoke well of the fine fur of the flat - footed rabbits. The tiny ants, which were always busy, tickled the dark buffaloes.

I. Answer the following questions.

5 x 2 = 10

1. Name the creatures that were lived in the forest.
2. How did they play in the open fields ?
3. Which birds sing songs ?
4. What did the elephants enjoy ?
5. What is the meaning for the word 'Tiny ants'?

II. Read the following poem carefully.

I am big and round

I wonder if there will be peace

I hear the sound of people who are being killed

I see the people crying for life

I want to help the poor people.

Answer the following questions.

5x1 = 5

1. Who is big and round ?
2. Who were being killed ?
3. What sound did the speaker hear ?
4. Who does the speaker seek to help ?
5. What does the speaker wonder about ?

III. Read the following passage carefully.

Shivaji once attacked the city of Surat, which was under the Mughals then. The English men, who lived in Surat, ran away for safety. Though they escaped, their belongings were taken away by the soldiers of Shivaji to Raigarh, the capital of Shivaji's kingdom.

Adam smith and his nephew John were the two English men. Adam smith was particularly upset because he had lost a small golden casket. The casket contained a beautiful picture of his dead wife decorated with rubies and diamonds.

Now answer the following questions.

5 x 1 = 5

1. Who attacked the city of Surat ?
2. Who were ruling Surat when Shivaji attacked ?
3. What is the capital city of Shivaji's Kingdom ?
4. Why was Adam smith upset ?
5. What did the casket contain ?

IV. Read the following passage carefully.

I have nothing grand to offer you. I don't glow or sing. But what I have I give with my heart, and he scampered away. He returned, dragging his dry branches. The Great one looked grave.

Answer the questions.

5 x 1 = 5

1. Who is 'I' in the passage ?
2. Who is 'you' refer to in the passage ?

Choose the correct answer from the choices given below.

3. I give with my []
 a) hands b) heart c) head
4. The squirrel don't glow or []
 a) shout b) scream c) sing
5. Which of the following statements is True ? []
 1. The squirrel offered a beautiful gift.
 2. The Great one refused the gift.
 3. The Great one felt very happy.

V. Study the following table.

Name	Age	Class
Shalini	15 yrs	X
Ramu	13 yrs	VIII
Ravi	12 yrs	VI
Ramani	11 yrs	VI
Kalyani	14 yrs	IX

Answer the following questions.

5 x 1 = 5

1. How old is Ramani ?
2. Who is in class VIII ?

Choose the correct answer from the choices given below.

3. Who is elder than kalyani ? []
 A) Ramu B) Ramani C) Shalini
4. Who is the youngest of all ? []
 A) Ramani B) Ravi C) Ramu

5. Which of the following statements are true ? []

1. Shalini and Kalyani are in the same class.
2. Ramu and Ravi are in the same age group.
3. Ramani is eleven years old.

SECTION - B

CREATIVE EXPRESSION (20 Marks)

VI. Fill in the blanks in the following conversation between Rohit and his father. Change the words in brackets into Adverbs.

A) 10 marks

Father : Your exams are approaching. Are you studying ?
(serious)

Rohit : Yes Dad, I'm studying all the subjects (Careful)

Father : Last time you failed in Maths. Are you working
(Through) on the exercises ?

Rohit : I've revised them several times. Now I can do them
(Confident)

Father : I hope you'll do the exam (Excellent)

Rohit : Sure, dad.

(OR)

B) You visited Mallavaram Dam in summer holidays. Describe the Dam in your own words at least in 5 sentences.

VII. Answer any one of the following. (10 marks)

A) Write a letter to your class teacher requesting him/her to grant leave for 3 days for your illness.

(OR)

B) Write about your school in your own words at least in 10 sentences.



Regd. No. **S-3-B**Marks : **MIDTERM EXAMINATIONS (2018 - 19)****ENGLISH****(THIRD LANGUAGE)****Part - B****Class : VI]****(Marks : 30)****Time : 1 Hr.**

Academic Standard	Reading Comprehension	Creative Expression	Vocabulary	Grammar	Total	Total Grade
Marks Allotted	30	20	15	15	80	
Marks Obtained						

Name of the Student : Roll No. :

Instructions:

1. Answer the questions in this part on the question paper itself.
2. Candidate must be write Capital Letters while answering the multiple choice questions.

SECTION - C**VOCABULARY (Marks 15)**

VIII. Choose the words with similar meanings (synonyms) from the list given to the underlined words. 2 Marks

(Angry, moved, dignity, vain)

They roamed (1) about the jungle, and played together in the open fields without fear. The peacocks were very proud (2).

Answers :

1.
2.

IX. Write the opposite words of the underlined words. 2 Marks

The jackal was very cruel (1) with what the Sadhu was doing. He did not want the animals to live (2) in peace and harmony.

Answers :

1.
2.

P.T.O

- X. Fill in the blanks with the right form of the words given in the brackets. 2 Marks

The soldiers with remarkable (swift) threw off his heavy shawl. He drew his sword and ran to a narrow passage. He was (wait) for the three men 1. 2.

- XI. a) Complete the following words using "ea, au, ie, ou, ee".

$$2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

1. C _ _ ntry. 2. F _ _ t

- b) Complete the following words with the letter given in brackets.

$$2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

1. Posi (tion/sion) 2. Audi (ance/ence)

- c) One word in each list is wrongly spelt. Find the word and re-write it.

$$2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

1. Bolt, disapointed, heard, strange.

Ans:

2. Between, passage, solder, weapon

Ans:

- XII. Put the following words under correct headings.

$$4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2$$

Squirrel, Peacock, Hen, Elephant

Animals

Birds

1.

1.

2.

2.

- XIII.A) Write the other degrees of comparison for the following words.

$$2 \times 1 = 2$$

Positive Degree Comparative Degree Superlative Degree

1. Dark

2. Nearer

- B) Write the present participle forms.

$$2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

1. Walk + ing =

2. Balance + ing =

C. Fill in the blanks with words given in the box. $2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$

Sweetly, Beautiful, Majestically.

There was a (1) peacock which danced (2) in the zoo.

SECTION - D

GRAMMAR (Marks 15)

XIV. Read the following passage and correct the Underlined parts and Re-write the correct parts in the space provided. $4 \times 1 = 4$

All the animals requested the sadhu (1) Help, so he talked (2) the animals (3) the birds and solved (4) problem.

Answers:

1.
2.
3.
4.

XV. Complete the following passage choosing the right words from the choices given below. Each blank is numbered and four choices are given. Choose the correct answer and write (A), (B), (C) or (D) in the blanks. $4 \times 1 = 4$

Rohini (1) Seriously preparing (2) the state level dance competition (3) Ravindra Bharathi. I went along with (4) Mother to see the programme.

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|-----------|--------|---------|---------|-------|
| 1. A) is | B) are | C) was | D) were | [.] |
| 2. A) to | B) for | C) so | D) but | [] |
| 3. A) in | B) on | C) over | D) at | [] |
| 4. A) her | B) his | C) him | D) she | [] |

XVLA) Complete the following sentences using correct form of adjectives. $2 \times 1 = 2$

1. Praveen is the (short) boy in the class.
2. The donkey is (small) than the elephant.

- B) You want to enter the class room when the teacher was in. What would you ask ? 1

Ans :

- C) They write books. (Change to Yes/No question) 1 Mark

- A) Did they write books? B) Do they write books ?
 C) Does they write books ? D) None

- D) Change the following into polite request. 1 Mark

* You to your friend : "Give me your book".

Ans :

- E) Your friend lost his purse. What would you say ? 1 Mark

- a) Very good ! ()
 b) So very nice ! ()
 c) I'm sorry. ()
 d) You can buy a new one. ()

- F) What does the following sentence mean ? 1 Mark

* You can leave the class now.

- a) Offering ()
 b) Warning ()
 c) giving permission ()
 d) Taking permission ()