

FIRST MID TERM TEST - 2022

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ENGLISH

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No.

Time : 1.30 Hrs

Marks : 50

I Choose the correct synonyms for the underlined words. 3 X 1 = 3

1. The mother consoled her little girls.
a) pretended b) comforted c) let
2. What is the secret of your whispering.
a) rumourers b) murmuring c) shouting
3. Ajay started to paint happily.
a) depressed b) joyfully c) sadly

II Choose the correct antonyms for the underlined words. 3 X 1 = 3

4. Ajay suffered an injury.
a) sorrow b) endure c) hurt
5. Ajay mastered the techniques of painting.
a) skilled b) unskilled c) proficient
6. Ilavazhagi won World Championship in 2008.
a) win b) succeed c) lost

III Fill in the blanks. 3 X 1 = 3

7. Manj's grandfather noticed it and helped him by reading
8. The diamond jewel belonged to
9. The sparrows built their net in the

IV Choose the correct homophone. 2 X 2 = 2

10. The rises in the east.
a) son b) sun
11. The cat caught the of a mouse.
a) scent b) cent

V Write the expansion of the following acronyms. 4 X 1 = 4

12. NATO -
a) North Asia Treaty Organization.
b) North America Treaty Organization
c) North Atlantic Treaty Organization
13. PAN
a) Permanent Account Number
b) Past Account Number.
c) Postal Aid Number.
14. Choose the correct plural form of the word 'datum'.
a) datum b) data c) datums
15. Which can be placed after the word 'blue'
a) cane b) print c) see d) land

SECTION - II (GRAMMAR)

VI

16. What are the kinds of adjectives. 1 X 2 = 2
Change the underlined words with correct pronoun. 2 X 1 = 2
17. He helped the old lady. He gave the **old lady** food.
18. I saw Mr. Balu this morning and gave **Mr. Balu** My homework.
Change the possessive adjective into possessive pronoun. 1 X 1 = 1
19. This is my pen :

SECTION - III (POEM)

VII Quote from memory.

1 X 5 = 5

20. From : When I was a baby
To : about a father's love.
21. 'There is something special,
about a father's love.
Identify the alliteration in the given lines. 1 X 1 = 1
22. **Pick out the rhyming words from the following lines.** 2 X 1 = 2
Down crept its light
Into the speed too bright.

SECTION - IV (SUPPLEMENTARY)

VIII Choose the best answer.

3 X 1 = 3

23. The train would come at
a) 10' O'clock b) 12 O' clock c) 3 O'clock
24. Jim Corbett shot the tigress dead, near the
25. The strange lady gave to Arun.
a) Coffee and Vadai b) Tea and Bajji c) Tea and Samosas

IX Identify the character / speaker.

3 X 1 = 3

26. 'Are you all alone, my son?' -
27. 'He is one of my friends.' -
28. 'Yes, I am going to school' -

SECTION - V (PROSE)

X Answer any three of the following questions in one or two sentences.

29. Why did the bird drop the diamond stud? 3 X 2 = 6
30. What happened to Ramayya's wife at the end?
31. What did Ashadevi teach Ajay?
32. Why writing in beneficial according Mani?

XI Answer any one of the following questions in 100 words.

1 X 5 = 5

33. Why did the sparrow throw the nose jewel?
34. How did Ajay's father find his son's talent?

SECTION - VI (LANGUAGE SKILL)

XII Letter.

1 X 5 = 5

35. Write a letter to the Post Master General on non - receipt book parcel.