

**KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA SITAPUR Ist Shift  
Periodic Test 1 (2018-19)**

**Subject – English**

**Class -VI**

**Time: 90 mins**

**M.M:40**

**General Instructions-**

**This paper is divided into 4 sections:**

<b>Section A-</b>	<b>Reading section:</b>	<b>10 marks</b>
<b>Section B-</b>	<b>Writing</b>	<b>08 marks</b>
<b>Section C</b>	<b>Grammar:</b>	<b>08 marks</b>
<b>Section D-</b>	<b>Literature :</b>	<b>14 marks</b>

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Section - A (Reading):-

Marks 10

Read the passage and answer the questions that follow:-

1. The giraffe is the tallest of all living land animals. A male can go up to 18 feet and a female up to 15 feet. Such height enables them to escape the competition for ground level grass that exists among the leaf-eaters. It also gives him a long range of vision. He takes the warning of the approaching enemy early.

2. Giraffes eat a variety of leaves. A giraffe's long neck is made up like that of man and most other mammals. The bones are attached to one another with ball and socket joints. These make the neck flexible. It can run at 50km per hour. Rising from a lying position is a problem for such a large animal. So it usually keeps standing even while it sleeps.

**On the basis of your reading of the above passage fill in the blanks with suitable words(5)**

- i. A giraffe is the \_\_\_\_\_ of all land animals.
- ii. The height of a \_\_\_\_\_ giraffe can go up to 18 feet.
- iii. The \_\_\_\_\_ of a female giraffe can be up to 15 feet.
- iv. Giraffes eat a \_\_\_\_\_ of leaves.

v. It can run at \_\_\_\_\_ km per hour.

Q.2. Read the following passage and answer the questions .

**SIBERIAN CRANE.**

The Siberian crane , also known as snow crane are the most distinctive among cranes. The adults are all snowy white in colour, except for their black primary feathers which can be seen only when they are flying. They breed in the arctic tundra region of western and eastern Russia .They migrate to China Iran and India during winters. They make the longest distance migration among cranes. However their population is steadily declining.

Answer the following briefly.[5]

a. What is the other name given to the Siberian crane?

b. Where do Siberian cranes breed?

c. How do adult Siberian cranes look?

d. Where do they migrate?

e. Find the antonyms of the following in the passage-

(a) the shortest

(b) secondary

**SECTION B- [WRITING](8)**

Q.3 .Suppose you are Anu / Amit. You have lost your pen somewhere in the school. Draft a notice informing everyone and request him/her to deposit it in the games room. Do not use more than 50 words. (4)

Q.4 Write an application to your Principal requesting him for 3 days leave as you are suffering from viral fever. [4]

[ GRAMMAR]

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Q.5 Complete each of the following phrases with a suitable word from the box. (4)

herd	fleet	bundle	school
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i. a \_\_\_\_\_ of sticks

- ii. a \_\_\_\_\_ of sheep
- iii. a \_\_\_\_\_ of fish
- iv. a \_\_\_\_\_ of cattle

Q.6. Fill in the blanks with the suitable adjective : (2)

[a] Rose is a \_\_\_\_\_ flower.

[b] He is a \_\_\_\_\_ boy.

Q.7. Rearrange the following jumbled words /phrases into meaningful [2]  
Sentences.

[a.] the/king/of/the/lion/is /the jungle.

[b.] festival/Diwali/is/a /of /lights.

Section -D [Literature] (14)

Q.8. Read the following extract and answer the questions given below- [3]

How bright on the blue .  
Is a kite when it's new!

With a dive and a dip  
It snaps its tail

Then soars like a ship  
With only a sail.

- I) Name the poet and the poem.
- ii) What is bright on the blue?
- Iii) What is the kite compared to?

Q.9. Answer any 2 of the following questions. [2x2=4]

i). Why did the little man grant Patrick a wish?

Ii )What was Patrick's wish ?

iii).Why did the dog feel the need for amaster ?

iv ) Why did the emperor reward Taro?

Q.10 . Answer any two- (Supplementary Reader) [2x2=4]

I How did the two baby birds got separated?

Ii Why did the farmer bring a baby mongoose into the house?

iii Who visited the shepherd one day and why?

Q.11. Write a paragraph about 'My sweet home'. (1x3=3)

OR

'One is known by the company one keeps' explain with reference to the story  
'A Tale of Two Birds'