

**KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA SITAPUR 1st Shift**  
**Periodic Test 1 (2018-19)**  
**Subject – English**  
**Class -VII**

**Time: 90 mins**

**M.M:40**

**General Instructions-**

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

<b>Section A-</b>	<b>Reading section:</b>	<b>10 marks</b>
<b>Section B-</b>	<b>Writing</b>	<b>09 marks</b>
<b>Section C</b>	<b>Grammar:</b>	<b>08 marks</b>
<b>Section D-</b>	<b>Literature :</b>	<b>13 marks</b>

**Section A**

**( Reading)**

**[10] marks**

Q.1. Read the given passage carefully and answer the following questions-

Milk is the best food. It has in it water, sugar, fat, vitamins and proteins. Milk tastes sweet and can be easily digested. It is an ideal food for all. The old, the sick and children cannot live without milk. We generally get milk from our domestic animals like cows, buffaloes. Cow milk is best in quality. So, it is liked by everybody. New-borns get milk from their mother. People drink milk from different animals. In England , New Zealand and many other cool lands there are cows. In hot countries like Arabia and middle of Asia there are camels .

We prepare various sorts of sweets and many other delicious food items from milk. Milk has many by-products. Curd and cheese are made from it. We also get ghee and butter from the cream of milk. Thus, milk is a very useful for us.

- a. What is the best food? (5)
- b. Why is the milk regarded the best food?
- c. Who can't live without milk?
- d. Which animals are kept for milk in hot dry countries?
- e .i. Write the antonyms of –i) different ii.

Write the synonyms of --ii) domestic

Q.2. Read the given passage carefully and answer the following questions- (5)

Amazon is the world's second largest river and the chief river of South America. 3900 miles long, it has more water than the Yangtze, Nile and the Mississippi put together. River is formed

in the Andes mountains. It flows east, through the jungles in Brazil and empties into the Atlantic Ocean. The river flows at a speed of about 2.5 kilometres per hour during the dry season and increases to about five kilometres per hour when the river is swollen by rain.

Amazon rainforest is the world's largest tropical rainforest and covers approximately 5.2 million square kilometres in the Amazon River Basin of South America. About two thirds of the rainforest lies in Brazil. It contains a wider variety of plant and animal life than any other place in the world. More than 1500 species of birds make their homes here, and the region's rivers contain up to 3000 species of fish.

**Complete the following sentencesm:**

- a) Amazon is the chief river of \_\_\_\_\_ (1)
- b) The river is formed in \_\_\_\_\_ (1)
- c) The river empties \_\_\_\_\_ (1)
- d) Two thirds of the rainforest lies in \_\_\_\_\_ (1)
- e) More than \_\_\_\_\_ make their homes here.. (1)

**Section –B (WRITING SECTION) 9 MARKS**

Q.4. You are Raj / Riya .You have lost your school bag somewhere in the school. Draft a notice informing everyone about the details of the bag in not more than 50 words. (4)

Q.5. Write a story in about 80 words based on the given outlines.Give a suitable title. (5)

Outlines: One summer-very hot day- a cap seller- going –village-sell-caps- tired and thirsty –looking for shade-to take rest –put –basket – tree –sleeps-wakes up-caps gone-looks up in wonder- many monkeys on the tree-each wears a cap –tries several methods to recover caps-no use-snatches the cap off his head –throws it down in anger-monkeys do the same –recovers all his caps. Moral.....

**Section C ( GRAMMAR ) ( 08 marks)**

Q.5 . Fill in the blanks with the correct article given in the bracket— 2 marks

- 1. You eat \_\_\_ apple. (a, an)
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ Taj Mahal is a Beautiful building . (a,the)

**Q. 6 Make nouns from the words given below using---nes/ity/ (2)**

Calm\_\_\_\_\_ Active\_\_\_\_\_

**Q.7 Change the following sentences into indirect speech—**

**(2)**

i) Ram said, "I am a good boy."

ii) My father says, " I am going to the market."

**Q.8 . Rearrange the words and Phrases to form meaningful sentences. [2]**

(i) is/famous / its /for /beauty /TajMahal

(ii) palace/ was /the /king /in/the

**SECTION C: ( LITERATURE)**

**[ 13 MARKS]**

**Q.9. Read the extract given below and answer the following questions. (2)**

When everybody says, No thank you,  
The rebel says, Yes please.  
When everybody says, Yes please

The rebel says, no thank you.  
It is very good that we have rebels.  
You may not find it very good to be one.

i. Name the poet and the poem.

ii. When everybody says, Yes please. What does the rebel say ?

**Q.10. Answer any two-**

**(2x2=4)**

a. Why was the king advised to go to the magicians?

b. How does Ravi get milk for the kitten?

c. What three things did Gopal do before he went to buy the hilsa-fish?

d. Had the beggar come to Rukku Manni's house for the first time? Give reason for your answer.

**Q.11. Answer any two-(Supplementary Reader)**

**(2x2=4)**

(a) Mention three things that we can learn from this tiny teacher? Give reason for your answer.

(b) Did Kari enjoy his morning bath . Give reason for your answer.

(c) A camel do without water for days together. What is the reason given in the text?

**Q.12. Long answer:**

i. Describe the music master as seen from the window.

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OR

ii. What were the hermit's answers to the three questions? Which answer do you like the most and why?.