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Periodic Test 1 (2017-18)
Subject – English

Class -VII

Time: 1.30hrs

M.M:40

General Instructions-

This paper is divided into three sections:

Section A-	Reading section:	8 marks
Section B-	Writing & Grammar:	10+8 marks
Section C-	Literature :	14 marks

Section A

(Reading)

Read the following passage and answer the questions given below: (8)

There is a story of a man who thought he had a right to do what he liked. One day, this gentleman was walking along a busy road, spinning his walking-stick round and round in his hand, and was trying to look important. A man walking behind him objected.

"You ought not to spin your walking-stick round and round like that!" he said.

"I am free to do what I like with my walking-stick," argued the gentleman.

'Of course you are," said the other man, "but you ought to know that your freedom ends where my nose begins."

The story tells us that we can enjoy our rights and our freedom only if they do not interfere with other people's rights and freedom.

Questions

1. Why was the gentleman on the road moving his walking stick round and round?
2. Who objected him?
3. What argument did the gentleman give?
4. Was the other man satisfied with the argument?

5. Complete the following statements with the correct options:

A. The gentleman was walking along a.....

- (i) lonely road.
- (ii) busy road.
- (iii) narrow road.

B. The gentleman was

- (i) running along the road.
- (ii) disturbing others on the road.
- (iii) spinning his walking-stick round and round.

c. The man who protested was a.....

- (i) teacher.
- (ii) passer-by.
- (iii) policeman.

6. Give synonyms of the following words:

- (a) Spinning (b) interfere

Writing Section

(10)

2.a You are Raj/Riya of class VII. You have lost your expensive pen in the playground.

Draft a notice for school notice-board informing the students about it in not more than 50 words.

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b. Read the following telephonic conversation between Rahul and Soni. Soni is about to leave the home for school and will not be able to meet her brother Mohit. She leaves a message for him. Write the message in about 50 words.

Rahul: Hello!, Can I speak to Mohit, please.

Soni : He is not at home I'm his sister. Would you like to leave a message for him.

Rahul: I'm his friend Rahul. Kindly tell him that tomorrow we are going to Pragati Maidan where a book fair is held. Incase he is interested tell him to call me in the evening.

3. You are Rohit. Write a letter to your father informing him about your success in the last examination.

OR

Write the following story with the help of the outlines and also give the moral & title of the story.

Points: A man and a hen laying a golden egg daily- man wants to become rich overnight-kills the hen -finds no egg- repents-Moral.

GRAMMAR

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4. Fill in the blanks with the suitable verb forms-4

1) She _____ costly ornaments in the party. (wear/wears)

li)They _____ their lunch. (finish/finishes)

lii) We _____ in the playground. (play, plays)

lv) You _____ english movie.(watch/watches)

5. Three options have been given after changing the following sentences into indirect speech. Write the correct option: 2

1) Monu said ,” I have seen this boy”.

(a) Monu said that he had seen that boy.

(b) Monu said that he has seen that boy.

(c) Monu said that he has seen this boy.

II) Sita said. "I am ill today."

(a) Sita said that she is ill that day.

(b) Sita said that she was ill today.

(c) Sita said that she was ill that day.

6. Rewrite the following pairs of sentences as a single sentences using 'if' clause. 2

(a) Walk fast. You'll catch the bus.

(b) Don't spit on the road. You'll be fined.

Literature 14 marks

7. Read the given extract and answer the questions given below: 3

When everybody says, Yes please

The rebel says, no thank you.

When everybody says, No thank you,

The rebel says, Yes please.

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. Why is it good to have rebels?

iii. When everybody says, No thank you, what does the rebel say ?

8. Answer any two- (2x2=4)

a. Why did the king want to know answers of three questions?

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

c. How does Ravi get milk for the kitten?

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

9. Long answer- (3)

a. . "Importance of Time" Explain in reference to 'Three Questions'

OR

b. Do you think we should help the people in need? Why so?

10. 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?
