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SUB: ENGLISH

TIME: 90mts

CLASS: VII

MARKS: 40

SECTION – A (READING)

I. Read the following passage carefully and answer the given questions (5x1=5)

Coorg is the heart of India's coffee country. Coffee is the world's most heavily traded commodity after crude oil. Coorg boasts a land area four times larger than Hong Kong and seven times the area of Singapore. Most of it is under tree cover because unlike tea plants, the coffee bush requires shade.

India is acknowledged as the producer of the finest mild coffees. Coorg and the neighbouring Chickmangalur districts in Karnataka have consistently produced and exported high quality coffee for over 150 years. The coffee output of these two districts accounts for 70 per cent of the total coffee produced in the country. Coorg coffee is valued for its blue colour, clean beans and fine liquoring qualities and hence is in demand in the international markets.

In March and April, the coffee blossom time in Coorg, when blossoms transform into berries, the bushes are cropped. The cherry-red fruit is then pulped; the seeds separated, dried and sent for curing. Coorg or Kodagu is the district which is one of the largest producers of pepper, cardamom and honey in the world.

- 1 The world's most heavily traded commodity is _____.
2. Besides Coorg name the other big producers of high quality coffee.
3. India produces
 - a. The largest amount of coffee
 - b. the finest mild coffee
 - c. the best hard coffee
 - d. the best blue coffee.
4. The other name of Coorg is _____.

5. Find the synonym of the word "need" from the passage.

II. Read the following poem and answer the given questions.
(5x1=5)

**The beauty of the sunset,
Tells us something each day,
That another day has ended today,
The beauty of sunrise,
Tells us this day is here to stay,
The wind blowing on the face,
Tells us life is a running race,
So, get inspired by nature each day,
To make your way!**

6. Give a suitable title to the poem.
7. What does the beauty of sunset tells us?
8. What does the beauty of sunrise tells us?
9. The wind blowing on the face tells us_____
10. What message do the poet want to give through the last lines?

III. SECTION – B (WRITING)

11. Write a leave application to the Principal requesting him to grant a week's leave.
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12. Imagine you are Vino Bhatia, CCA captain of your school. Prepare a notice to ask students to give their name to the subject teacher for the English Poem Recitation competition that is going to conduct in your school, as part of CCA Activities.
(5)

IV. SECTION – C (GRAMMAR)

Rearrange the following words to change them into meaningful sentences.

(5x1=5)

13. Clever/ that / is / very / boy
14. All the students / English / in our school / learn
15. All / have been eaten / mangoes / the
16. These girls / fond of / dogs / are / very / their
17. In/long/Soepat/you/have/lived/how/?

V Fill in the blanks using correct form of 'wh' question. (4x1=4)

18. Neha: _____ did you get this book?
Sheela: Yesterday morning.
19. Neha: _____ is your sister crying?
Sheela: Because she has lost her doll.
20. Neha: _____ room is this, yours or hers?
Sheela: It's ours.
21. Neha: _____ do you go to school?
Sheela: We walk to school. It is nearby.
22. Neha: _____ is your school from your home?
Sheela: It's only 2 kilometers from my home to school.
23. Neha: _____ You have to be there in your school.
Sheela: I have to be there up to 2.40 pm.

SECTION – D (LITERATURE)

Read the following extract and answer the questions that follow

(3x1=3)

He wore a question mark for tail,
and overcoat of gray.
He sat up straight to eat a nut.
He liked to tease and play.

And if we ran around his tree he went the other way.

24. Name the above poem and poet.

25. Who wore a question mark for tail? What is question mark?

26. If humans ran around, he _____

VI. Answer any 3 question the following:

(3x2=6)

27. Kari learnt the commands to sit and walk. What were the instructions for each command?

28. Why does Mridu suggest to give the chappals from the house to the beggar?

29. How long does it take for a grub to become complete ant?

30. What is master call?

31. How the hump help the camel?