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SUBJECT:	ENGLISH	CLASS :	V
TIME :	2 HOURS	MAX.MARKS:	80

INSTRUCTIONS :

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Write the answer in the space provided in the booklet itself.
3. VSA – 1 Mark each ,answer in one word to one sentence.
4. SA - 2 Marks each , answer in 10 words.
5. LA – 5 Marks each , answer in 50 words.

Q1.	<u>Reading: (Unseen passage)</u>	
	Read the passage carefully and answer the questions given below it : Once a cat was caught in a hunter's net. The mouse started playing around the cat. A mongoose wanted to kill the mouse but an owl sitting on a tree. The mouse thought "When the hunter takes away the cat, the owl will not spare both of us." The Mouse went to the cat and said, "I can cut the net if you promise to save my life." The cat agreed. when the hunter was just near, the cat and the mongoose took to heels. The owl was disappointed to see even the mouse running away. A few days later, the cat being hungry, requested the mouse to come out for a game. He replied, "I sought friendship and saved you to save my life." Now you can go home.	
a)	Who was caught in hunter's net ?	1M
Ans.	_____	
b)	Write the names of all the animals mentioned in this passage.	1M
Ans.	_____	
c)	Write the meaning of the idiom –‘took to heels’	1M
Ans.	_____	
d)	Find and write the past tense of ‘think’ from the passage.	1M
Ans.	_____	
e)	Who wanted to kill the mouse ?	1M
Ans.	_____	
f)	The cat was playing around the mouse. (True / False)	1M
Ans.	_____	

g) Ans.	What did the mouse think ? <hr/>	1M
h) Ans.	Rewrite the following sentence using another word for ' disappointed ' . The owl was disappointed to see even the mouse running away. <hr/>	1M
i) Ans.	Why did the cat called the mouse for a game ? <hr/>	1M
j) Ans.	Write a suitable title for the passage. <hr/>	1M
Q2.	<u>Reading: (Seen passage)</u> Read the passage carefully and answer the questions given below it : I did not sleep that night. The more I thought about what I had seen, the more afraid I became. I thought it could be one of the savages of the mainland who had wandered out to the sea, in a small boat. Luckily I was not on shore at that time, but what if he had seen my boat! If he had seen the boat he would have realised that someone lived on the island and would soon return with others to kill and eat me. And so I lay fearful for many days and prayed for protection. In doing so, I was much comforted and began going out to investigate. But even now as I went forward, I looked behind me frequently, because I was still very frightened.	
a) Ans.	Who does 'I' refer to ? <hr/>	1M
b) Ans.	Write the meaning of ' savages' . <hr/>	1M
c) Ans.	Write the past tense of ' begin' from the passage. <hr/>	1M
d) Ans.	Why did he pray ? <hr/>	1M
e) Ans.	Make a meaningful sentence using the word ' frequently' . <hr/>	1M

f) Ans.	Write the opposite of 'wake' from the passage. _____	1M
g) Ans.	The savages of the mainland came in a big boat. (True / False)	1M
h) Ans.	Find and write any one describing word from the passage. _____	1M
i) Ans.	Find and write any two conjunctions from the passage. _____	1M
j) Ans.	Write the name of the lesson from which this passage is taken. _____	1M
Q3.	Answer the following questions :	
a) Ans.	Where did the geese live ? _____ _____	1M
b) Ans.	How is the mood of the poet in the first two lines of the poem 'Crying' ? _____ _____	1M
c) Ans.	What did Bhaiya do all the day? _____	1M
d) Ans.	What activity was going on in the class? _____ _____	1M
e) Ans.	What does the frog do all the day? _____	1M

f) Ans.	Write the different flavours of ice-cream the ice-cream man has in his cart. _____ _____ _____	2M
g) Ans.	Why did geese cry , “Help! Help!”? _____ _____	2M
h) Ans.	Write two sentences about Rip Van Winkle? _____ _____	2M
i) Ans.	Why did the Barber take so long to shave the Sultan ? _____ _____	2M
j) Ans.	What are the three things Sultan gave to the Barber ? _____ _____	2M
Q4. a)	Grammar : Write any two compound words- i) _____ ii) _____	1M

b)	Write the contraction for the given word - Have not _____	1M
c)	Fill in the blank with correct preposition. (in / into) The frog jumped _____ the well.	1M
d)	Join the sentences using the correct conjunction. (but / and) i) I was very tired. ii) I was confused. _____	1M
e)	Fill in the blank with the correct choice - Nobody has seen him _____ yesterday. (from / since)	1M
f)	Write the meaning of - grizzled _____	1M
g)	Fill in the blank using correct describing word. (Part-time / odd-looking) Mrs. Das has a _____ job in a clothes shop.	1M
h)	Write any two words with silent letters - gh i) _____ ii) _____	1M
i)	Write a meaningful sentence using - rarely _____ _____	1M
j)	Write the rhyming words for – Vain - i) _____ ii) _____	1M
k)	Write one word for it – Trunk of a tree that has been cut. _____	1M
l)	Write the describing word used for the given thing in the poem ‘ The ice-cream man’ _____ umbrella	1M
m)	Fill in the blanks using one of the words given in brackets. (who / whose / whom / that / which)	1M

b)	Write the recipe for preparing 'AVIAL', in the correct sequence.	5M

c)	<p>Write a notice about a cricket or a football match.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 300px; width: 100%;"></div>	5M
Q6.	<u>Spelling</u>	
a)	<p>Encircle the word with the correct spelling.</p> <p>i) Passess Passes Pasess</p> <p>ii) Flapped Flaped Flaaped</p> <p>iii) Butercup Battercup Buttercup</p> <p>iv) Savages Saveges Savagess</p>	<p>1M</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1M</p>
b)	<p>Arrange the jumbled letters to make a meaningful word.</p> <p>i) KOASED _____</p> <p>ii) REDMASTE _____</p> <p>iii) FERPER _____</p>	<p>1M</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1M</p>
c)	<p>Fill in the blanks with the alphabets to make a correct word.</p> <p>i) D____S____E____D</p> <p>ii) ____T____R____ED</p>	<p>1M</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1M</p>

