

	KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA SANGATHAN CHENNAI REGION- MADURAI CLUSTER		
	HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION 2017 MODEL PAPER		
	SUBJECT: ENGLISH		
	CLASS: V	SEC:	TIME: 2 1/2 HOURS
NAME OF THE STUDENT:			ROLL NO:
Invigilator's Sign:		Evaluator's sign:	
Maximum marks: 80		Marks obtained:	

General Instructions:

- a) All questions are compulsory.
- b) The question paper consists 62 questions divided into three Parts A, B and C.
- c) Part A contains 50 questions of 1 mark each.
- d) Part B contains 10 questions of 2 marks each.
- e) Part C contains 2 questions of 5 marks each.

PART – A

Read the passage given below carefully and answer the questions.

Deep in a forest stood a very tall tree. Its leafy branches spread out like strong arms. This tree was the home of flock of wild geese. They felt safe there. One of the geese was a wise old bird. He noticed a small creeper at the foot of the tree. He spoke to the other birds about it. "Do you see that creeper?" He said to them. "Let us destroy it". " Why must we destroy it?" asked the geese in surprise. " It is so small. What harm can it do?" " My friends," replied the wise old bird, " That little creeper will soon grow. As it creeps up this tree, it will become thick and strong. It will be possible for someone to climb the tree and kill us all"

1) Where did the tree stand?

2) How was the tree and its branches?

3) Where did the wild geese live?

4) Who noticed a small creeper?

5) Where was the small creeper?

6) “Do you see that creeper?” - Who said this to whom?

7) Why did the wise bird tell the birds to destroy the creeper?

8) Write the meanings of the following words from the passage.

a) jungle - _____ b) intelligent - _____

9) Write any two describing words from the passage.

10) Did the birds agree to destroy the creeper?

Read the given passage and answer the following.

Kamal was a rich man. He worked hard during the day and slept soundly at night. One night, Kamal could not sleep. It was hot in his room. He changed his clothes and went outside. While walking on the road, Kamal saw a beggar with a bowl in his hands. The beggar came near him and asked for money. As Kamal was going to take some money out, a thought came to his mind. He asked the beggar to give him something first. The beggar got annoyed. He threw a grain of rice at Kamal saying “ take this!” Kamal took out his wallet and put a one hundred rupee note into the beggar’s bowl. Now the beggar felt bad. He should have thrown more grains of rice at

the rich man. This is very true in life too. Learn to give first, only then should you expect to take !

11) Who was a rich man in this story?

12) Kamal could not sleep because

13) The beggar got annoyed because

14) The moral of the story is

15) How much money did Kamal put in beggar's bowl?

16) Make as many smaller words as you can out of these words. The first one is done for you.

i) During – ring, in , dug iii) outside - _____

ii) Wallet - _____ iv) hundred - _____

17) Find the words from the passage that mean the same as

i) Purse - _____ ii) century- _____

18) Write the describing words from the passage.

i) _____ man ii) _____ rupees

19) Fill in the blanks.

i) The beggar _____ (feel / felt) bad.

ii) Kamal (see / saw) a beggar with a bowl in his hands.

20) Give a suitable title to the passage.

Do as directed

21) What is common in the following group of words? Circle them.

i) Knee , knife , knot , know

ii) Neighbour , fight , straight , daughter

22) I have lived in this house _____ I was a baby (for / since)

23) This necklace has been there in our family _____ the last 200 years.

(for / since)

24) Shankar is _____ (intelligent) than

Saravana.(Degrees of comparison)

25) He is the _____ (good) teacher. .(Degrees of comparison)

26) Rewrite the sentences with proper contractions.

a) They are not students. - _____

b) Do not come here. - _____

27) They (was / were) living at Mumbai.

28) The students were (taking / taken) to the stadium.

29) Fill in the blanks with prepositions.

I am sorry (of / for) you. - _____

Frame questions for the following sentences.

30) I want a pen. (where / what) - _____ ?

31) My friends are fine. (how / where)- _____ ?

32) Will you _____ (play/ plays) with me?

33) The girl _____ (that / whom / which) I met in your house, is my class mate.

Rewrite the following sentences using the joining words.

34) Tina is tall (and / but) Gita is short.

35) She cannot speak (and / because) She is dumb.

Fill in the missing letters in each of the following:

36) Bright flame or fire - b__a__e

37) Stick used in relay race - b__t__n

Underline the correct spelling:

38) shirk / sherk

39) loll / lall

Unscramble these words:

40) pooh - _____

41) esaft - _____

Circle the correct spelling:

42) Time table - schedule / shedule

43) Type of plant - creeper / creaper

Fill in the missing letters.

44) Partner or friend - c_mp__i_n

45) Wild people in primitive state - s_v_g_

Make two words from the given word.

46) breakfast - _____

Sunflower - _____

47) Make two words from ' Education '

48) Change the first letter and make new words.

a) Nice - __ice b) round - __ound

49) Cost of something - (prize / price)

50) Part of something - (piece / peace)

PART -B

IV. Answer the following questions.

51) What were the ingredients to cook avail?

52) Why was Robinson afraid when he looked at the bushes and trees?

53) Why was Munna not happy with the time table that Bhaiya made for him?

54) What kind of a man was Rip Van Winkle?

55) Why did the geese pretend to be dead?

56) "Beneath his round umbrella,

Oh, what a joyful sight,"

- Where are these lines taken from?" His" refers to whom?

57) "The funniest thing about the shadow is the way he likes to grow"

Who is he in the given lines? _____

What is the funniest thing about

him? _____

58) Besides lazy, what other word can you think of to describe the frog.

59) What can you do after crying a lot?

60) What did the frog do all day?

PART -C

61) Write a report on visiting ice-cream parlour.

(OR)

These pictures tell a story. The sentences below say the same story as the pictures. But the sentences are in the wrong order. Can you put them in the proper order? (5M)



- 1) The wind blew off her hat.
- 2) It fell into the river.
- 3) One day Mary was going for a walk by the river.
- 4) He took her hat out of the water with his stick.
- 5) Then an old man with a walking stick came by the way.
- 6) She could not reach it with her hand.
