FIRST YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY SECOND TERMINAL EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2023 Subject: English Code: FY 01

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Q No	Answer Key/ Value Points	Score	Total Score	
1	Young Seagull	1	1	
2	The edge/end of a cliff	1	1	
3	He pretended to be asleep as he wanted to invite the attention	2	2	
	of his parents.			
4	All earthly titles and nobilities achieved by men in life.	1	1	
5	Personification	1	1	
6	Nothing can save us from our fate (DEATH)	2	2	
7	Has gone	1	1	
8	otherwise	1	1	
9	Would win	1	1	
10	An India/ is their country/ they have an effective voice	3x1	3	
11	Character sketch of Mr. Gupta			
	Comprehensiveness of the character	1		
	Relevance of the traits discovered- (an able gentleman, friendly,	2	4	
	calm and peaceful, respects others emotions and feelings,			
	dependable, honest.)			
	Organization of ideas	1		
12	Significance of the title-"The Price of Flowers"			
	Relevance of content- (The narrator has tried to symbolize the			
	deep love and affection of Maggy for her brother with those		4	
	shillings which could get some flowers to be kept on her dead	2		
	brother's tomb.)			
	Proper communication of ideas	1		
	Appropriateness of language	1		
13	Relevance of content- (Dr Kalam says that 'No youth needs to			
	fear about the future' because the ignited mind of the youth is			
	the most powerful resource on the earth, under the earth and	2	4	
	above the earth. This youth force can make progress and bring			
	development to this country.)			
	Proper Communication of ideas	1		
	Appropriate use of language	1		
14	Relevance of content- (Stephen Hawking could overcome his			
	crippling disease and become the 'Supernova' of world Physics			
	by ignoring and fighting against the difficulties of life with great	2		
	courage and willpower.)		4	
	Proper Communication of ideas	1		
	Appropriate use of language	1		

15	Profile Writing		
	Title	1	
	Interpretation and Organization of the given data	2	4
	Logical sequencing of ideas	1	
16	Relevance of content- (Along with other famous event of world		
	history, the Titanic's story shall always remain in people's		
	memory, because there was no courage more noble and true		
	than that shown by the Titanic's crew on the night it sank.)	2	4
	Proper Communication of ideas	1	
	Appropriate use of language	1	
17	Comprehensiveness of the Content- ('Turtle Calling Ceremony': a		
	ritual followed by the people of Namuana village based on a		
	legend passed since many generations- the story of Tinaicoboga		
	and Raudalice- their life and tragic end)	2	6
	Clarity in presentation	2	
	Appropriateness of language	2	
18	Comprehensiveness of the Content- (Judging a person based on		
	his/her appearance: the character of Jope Smith, the chief of		
	social promoters in the ship Ranaganji- her remarks of contempt		
	and ridicule on Hasan the Serang- the acts of great humanity		
	and character portrayed by the latter at the peak of crisis.)	2	
	Clarity in presentation	2	6
	Appropriateness of language	2	
19	Comprehensiveness of the Content- (All three types of Imagery		
	used in the poem 'Sunrise on the Hills'- Visual, Auditory and		
	Kinesthetic imageries used to depict the awesome beauty of	2	
	Nature by the poet)	2	6
	Clarity in presentation	2	
	Appropriateness of language		
20	Live TV Report		
	Relevance and accuracy of facts- (About the crowd and		
	preparations at the Gas works of La Villette, the passengers and		
	the crew- the different gadgets and other instruments carried-	2	
	the final lift-off.)	2	6
	Development of ideas using appropriate Tense forms	2	
	Appropriateness of language		
21	Comprehensiveness of the Content- (Mahatma Gandhi and his		
	dream India- an India in whose making all sections in the society		
	have an effective voice, an Indi a with no racial or class		
	discriminations, an India in which all communities live in perfect		

	harmony, an India with no curse of untouchability or curse of intoxicating drinks and drugs- and India where Women will enjoy the same right as men.)	2	6
	Clarity in presentation	2	
	Appropriateness of language	2	
22	E-Mail		
	Relevance of the Content- (Captain Jovis as an efficient Captain-		
	he carried out his responsibilities with silent efficiency- he		
	maneuvered the balloon with great skill and care ensuring the	2	
	safety of its passengers.)		6
	Proper communication of ideas and format	2	
	Appropriateness of language	1	
	Clarity of language	1	
23	Letter to the Editor		
	Format	2	
	Presentation of ideas- (Issue of Stray Dog menace in the locality-		1
	the dangers and threats caused- reasons for this crisis- feasible		6
	solutions which could be implemented to check this situation.)	2	
	Appropriateness of language	2	
24	Script of a Speech		
	Format	1	
	Presentation of ideas- (The essence of the various lessons- to		
	overcome the difficulties of life with determination and		
	confidence- understanding innate talents and skills to pursue		
	excellence in life- the importance of being unique and different		
	in life-enduring pain and sufferings in life with courage and		
	confidence to become great- understanding those qualities to	3	8
	become an ideal human being etc.)		
	Logical organization of ideas	2	
	Appropriate use of language	2	
25	Article		
	Title	1	
	Organization of ideas- (Disasters and Disaster Management in		
	India/nature of disasters in India- reasons and its consequences-		
1	- how to equip our disaster management units/ following rules		8
	and instructions of the Court	`	
	and instructions of the Govt.)	2	
	Clarity in presentation	2	

26	Appreciation of "Journey to Success" by Bhavya Paranjpe Comprehension of the poem- (The poem "Journey to Success" as a good example for motivational and didactic poem- the poet shares the secrets to success in life-the need to have a determined and resilient mind towards failures and setbacks in life- The Poet's call for an indomitable mind to make as many attempts thus reducing the distance between us and our goals of life and finally achieve them. The lines set a new anthem of	2	8
	success to the youth.) Quality of language	2	
	Proper analysis of the poem: (Poetic devices used/ rhyme scheme)	2	
	Organization of ideas	2	

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