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ಕೆಎಸ್‌ಕ್ಯುವಿಎಸ್, ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560003.

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Assessment - March 2024 Model Paper

Class : 8

Second Language English

Marks : 50

Time : 2 Hours 30 min.

Information to be filled by the Student

Name of the Student : _____

Student SATS No :

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Signature of the Student : _____

Information to be filled by the Room Invigilator

School DISE Code :

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School Name : _____

Cluster : _____ **Block :** _____ **District :** _____

School Type : Govt. ☐ **Aided** ☐ **Un-aided** ☐

(Put "✓" mark for applicable information)

Signature of the Room Invigilator : _____

Information to be filled by the Evaluator at the time of evaluation

Question Number	Obtained marks	Question Number	Obtained marks	Question Number	Obtained marks
1		11		21	
2		12		22	
3		13		23	
4		14		24	
5		15		25	
6		16		26	
7		17		27	
8		18		28	
9		19		29	
10		20		30	
-		-		31	
				Grand Total	

Total marks obtained (in words) : _____

Signature of the Evaluator : _____

- I Four alternatives are given for each of the following questions/ incomplete statements. Choose the correct alternative and write the complete answer along with the option for question numbers 1 to 16 :**

16 x1 = 16

- 1. The children are the treasure of a nation.**

The synonym of the underlined word is

- | | |
|-----------|-----------|
| A) beauty | B) burden |
| C) wealth | D) loss |

Answer : ☐ _____

- 2. Though we become old, we must think we are _____ enough to do our work.**

The appropriate antonym of the underlined word is

- | | |
|-----------|----------|
| A) new | B) young |
| C) clever | D) hard |

Answer : ☐ _____

- 3. Ganga is _____ sacred river. It is also _____ longest river in India.**

The appropriate articles to be filled in the blanks are

- | | |
|-----------|-----------|
| A) a, an | B) an, a |
| C) the, a | D) a, the |

Answer : ☐ _____

- 8.** Sristi is polite _____ her sister is rude.

The appropriate conjunction to be filled in the blank is

- A) because B) so
C) therefore D) but

Answer :

9. The word 'free' rhymes with the word

- A) bathe B) sea
C) queue D) here

Answer :

Study the following picture and choose the correct answer for question numbers 10 and 11.



- 10. The girl in the picture is**

- A) feeding the birds. B) watching the rabbits.
C) feeding the rabbits. D) playing with her brother.

Answer :

11. The picture tells us that we must

- A) hurt the birds and animals.
- B) take care of birds and animals.
- C) be cruel to birds and animals.
- D) not love birds and animals.

Answer : ☐ _____

Read the given passage and choose the correct answer for question numbers 12 and 13

Erik began climbing mountains at an early age. He finally climbed Mount Everest, at the age of 33. It was not easy to achieve this feat. He bravely faced the weather conditions and steep slopes. He gave the team, some anxious moments. But Erik's spirit and confidence remained unbeaten. He was the first blind man to reach Mount Everest. Isn't that a great achievement?

12. Erik finally climbed Mount Everest at the age of _____

- | | |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| A) thirty | B) thirty one |
| C) twenty three | D) thirty three |

Answer : ☐ _____

13. The quality of Erik that successfully helped him to climb Mount Everest was his _____

- | | |
|-------------|-------------|
| A) beauty | B) bravery |
| C) weakness | D) laziness |

Answer : ☐ _____

II Do as directed for question numbers 17 to 20.

4 x 1 = 4

17. Sinchana is writing a novel.

Change the above sentence into passive voice.

18. 23 comes in _____ 24 and 25.

Fill in the blank with appropriate preposition.

19. Last week Rahim _____ (be+draw) a picture on the wall.

Fill in the blank with appropriate form of the verbs given in the bracket.

20. Stella said to Jesintha, "I am writing a letter".

Change the above sentence into reported speech.

III Do as directed for question numbers 21 to 26.

6 x 2 = 12

- 21. Read the given passage and answer the following question:**

Raman was a great scientist. Throughout his life, he was intensely attached to science. For the sake of science, he gave up the highly paid post of the special Accountant General and accepted professorship at Calcutta University. He would forget all about food and rest while he was at work, and his wife had often to tell him that his breakfast or coffee was getting cold. Like all great scientists, Raman had a lot of curiosity. Earlier in his life, while on a voyage to

Europe, he saw the wonderful blue of the Mediterranean sea. This led to his work on the laws of light scattering in liquids and it ended in his discovery of Raman effect. He was awarded the Noble prize for this in 1930.

What made Raman discover the 'Raman Effect' ?

22. Read the given passage and answer the following question:

One morning, about halfway between my front gate and the rail track, I noticed two boys playing in the garden of the more modest cottages. They were both very little boys, one was four years old perhaps, the other five. The bigger of the two was a sturdy youngster, very dark, with a mat of coarse hair on his head and coal-black eyes. He was definitely a little Jamaican - strong little Jamaican. The other little fellow was smaller but also sturdy.

He was white, with hazel eyes and light brown hair. Both were dressed in blue shirts and khaki pants. They wore no shoes and their feet were muddy. They were not conscious of my standing there, watching them, they played on the game, if it would be called a game, was not elaborate. The little white boy walked majestically up and down, and every now and then shouted in a commanding tone at his bigger playmate. The little brown boy dragged on quietly behind him and did what he was told.

Describe the appearance of dark boy and white boy.

23. Some important events in the story 'All the world her stage' are given in a jumbled order.

Put them in the order in which they appear in the story.

- Sai's drawing the attention of the playmates.
- Grandfather telling her to treat books with respect.
- The usual sight of grandpa and Sai playing together.
- The wedding of dolls.
- Sai's telling a story to her grandfather.

24. Read the given paragraph and fill in the blanks with correct answers.

Burbank was born on March 7, 1849 and was brought up on a farm in the state of Massachusetts. He was attracted towards the wonders of nature and learned the techniques of growing various crops and plants during his early years. But when he read Darwin's "Variation of animals and plants under Domestication", he decided to devote his life to grow new varieties of plants.

A) Burbank was attracted towards the _____ of nature.

B) "Variation of animals and plants under Domestication" was written by _____

25. Smitha meets her friend Syeda at a birthday party.

Write a short conversation between them in 4-5 exchanges.

26. You have read the life history of Lal Bahadur Shastri. What qualities of Shastriji would you like to adopt in your life ?

[illegible]

IV. Answer question numbers 27 to 29 as directed : 3 x 3 = 9

27. Read the following poem and answer the given question.

He paused beside her, and whispered low,

"I'll help you across, if you wish to go."

Her aged hand on his strong young arm

She placed and so, without hurt or harm.

He guided the trembling feet along,

Proud that his own were firm and strong.

Then back again to his friends he went.

His young heart happy and well content.

What were the good qualities of the boy that won the old woman's heart ?

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28. Given below is a profile of Miss Sindhu.

Write a paragraph using the given details.

Birth	:	May 05, 1981
Place of birth	:	Belgaum
Parents	:	Mr. Kumar, Mrs. Janaki
Education	:	M.Sc, B.Ed.
Occupation	:	Lecturer in GPUC, Hosanagar
Hobbies	:	Reading and singing
Reasons for popularity	:	Kind, helpful and innovative.

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29. Develop a meaningful story using the clues given below.

In a forest a lion killing many animals everyday
for food animals met the lion lion agreed
 sent an animal each day the turn of a rabbit
 thought of a plan went to the lion the lion was angry
 rabbit told another lion in the well lion saw it's
 reflection roared jumped into the well died.

[illegible]

V 30. Read the given passage and answer the given questions.

4 Marks

Pt. Puttaraj Gawai is a person without eyesight, attired in a plain dhoti and spotless clean khadi full shirt with a laced turban adorning his head, vibhuti (sacred ash) on his forehead, a sandal tilak between the eyebrows and a Braille wrist watch on the left hand. He has a rosary of rudrakshi round his neck. He is playing the veena.

The word 'Gawai' means a great singer. Puttaraj Gawai is vaggeyakara (a composer). He has created and contributed new ragas to the world of music.

A) Describe the appearance of Pt. Puttaraj Gawai.

B) What are Pt. Puttaraj Gawai's contribution to the world of music?

- 31. Imagine you are Rakshith / Reshma, studying in 8th standard, Government High School, Mysore. 5 Marks**

Write a letter to your head teacher asking him / her to issue your original TC and Marks card.

OR

Write a letter to your friend about the 'Republic Day' celebration in your school.

Year	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040	2041	2042	2043	2044	2045	2046	2047	2048	2049	2050	2051	2052	2053	2054	2055	2056	2057	2058	2059	2060	2061	2062	2063	2064	2065	2066	2067	2068	2069	2070	2071	2072	2073	2074	2075	2076	2077	2078	2079	2080	2081	2082	2083	2084	2085	2086	2087	2088	2089	2090	2091	2092	2093	2094	2095	2096	2097	2098	2099	2100																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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