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Class – VI

Subject – English

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M.M.: 80
Wednesday

Section – A (Reading - 20 Marks)

Q.1 Read the passage and answer the following:-

One day Ranjit Singh, the Lion of Punjab, was walking along the road with his followers. Suddenly a stone struck him on the head. His followers brought before him a very old woman dressed in rags.

The poor woman was trembling. “Your Highness,” said the woman with folded hands, “My children have been hungry for three days. When I saw ripe apples hanging from the branches, I threw a stone at them. I hoped to get an apple or two to satisfy my children’s hunger, but the stone missed its aim and fell on Your Highness. Would you kindly forgive me?”

The Lion of Punjab ordered his Prime Minister to give the woman two bags of wheat and one thousand rupees. The Prime Minister stared at the king. “If the tree gave fruit when struck with stones,” said the king, “then I should give much more since I am a man and have a reason.”

A. Answer the following: -

(6)

- 1) Why was the old woman brought before Ranjit Singh?
- 2) Why did the woman try to get the apples?
- 3) What did the king decide to give her?

B. Choose the correct answer: -

(2)

- i) Ranjit Singh learnt from the tree the lesson that
 - a) one should help the poor
 - b) a man should be good to those who are good to him
 - c) a man should be good to others even if they hurt him
- ii) This passage tells us that Ranjit Singh was
 - a) bold
 - b) noble
 - c) patient

C. Find the word from the passage which means the same as:-

(2)

- i) Shivering
- ii) Looked

Q.2. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions set below: - (10)

We left Dehradun early in the morning and stopped by for breakfast at Mussouri. From Mussouri, the picturesque road heads north to Yamuna bridge, then to Barkot (where one road branches to Gangotri). The road winds along the Yamuna river through luxurious dense green vegetation to Hanumanchatti, the end of motorable road. The remaining journey has to be undertaken on foot or pony. Yamunotri is only 13 km. from Hanumanchatti. But it is better to proceed another 6 km. and have the night halt at Janakibaichatti. The journey to Yamunotri is simply breathtaking. High snowcovered peaks all around, glaciers, streams and waterfalls, vibrant green foliage, and the pristine air are a sheer delight to tired city lungs. Yamunotri, 3322 metres above sea level, is located on the western bank of the great peak of Banderpunch (meaning - monkey's tail) which is 6315 metres high.

Answer these questions:-

1. Where did the travellers stop for breakfast?
2. Why is a part of the journey to Yamunotri to be undertaken on foot?
3. What has made the journey to Yamunotri breathtaking?
4. (a) Vibrant green foliage.
(Choose the appropriate meaning for the underlined word)
(i) vibrating (ii) full of life and energy
(iii) shivering (iv) trembling.
(b) Give another word for (i) Snow-Covered (ii) Foliage.
5. Do you think a journey of this kind is dangerous as well as pleasant? Why?

SEC B: WRITING SKILLS

Q.3 Write a letter to your principal requesting her to give your class, the responsibility to conduct the special assembly on "World Health Day" (6)

OR

Write an interesting story justifying the proverb, 'Slow and steady Wins the Race'.

Q.4 Your school's Christmas Carnival is coming up in a month's time. As you are the cultural secretary of your school, you are required to write a notice for your school notice board inviting students to give their names for the various cultural events to be held that day. (4)

OR

Write a paragraph on 'The importance of reading NEWSPAPER in daily life.'

SEC C: GRAMMAR

Q.5 Fill in the blanks with appropriate preposition: (4)

{at, from, though, to, for, on, with}

- a) I met him _____ the station.
- b) They sat _____ the floor.
- c) I am senior _____ you.
- d) He is suffering _____ malaria.

- Q.6 Change the following into passive voice. (3)
- I love music.
 - He can throw the ball so far.
 - My teacher appreciated me alot.
- Q.7 Change the following into Indirect Speech. (any 2) (2)
- He said to me, "I will help you."
 - He said, "They went to the zoo".
 - Leela said, "I can solve the puzzle".
 - I said to him, "Have you ever been to Singapore?"
- Q.8 Give one word for the following. (4)
- One who designs buildings _____?
 - One who keeps accounts _____?
 - One who writes books _____?
 - One who has grownup _____?
- Q.9 Complete the following collective nouns: (2)
- A bunch of _____
 - A flock of _____
 - A team of _____
 - A pride of _____
- Q.10 Add –'un' to the words to make their opposites. (2)
- Educated
 - Attended
- Q.11 Write the meanings of the following Homophones and use them in your own sentences. (3)
- Son, Sun
 - Dear, deer
 - Pray, prey

SEC D: LITERATURE

- Q.12 Read the following extract and answer the questions.
- a. I can see through my open window the
watchman walking up and down
The lane is dark and lonely and the street
Lamp stands like a giant with one red eye in its head
- Name the poem and the poet. (1)
 - Explain 'like a giant with one red eye in its head' (2)

b. What if I never learn to dance?

Everything seems swell and then the night-time what if strikes again.

i. What is the biggest worry of the poet? (1)

ii. What does the poet want to learn? (2)

Q.13 Answer the following questions. (8)

a. Why was the banyan tree the noisiest place during fig season?

b. What truth did uncle tell Rashhed about the lucky shop game?

c. How do desert animals survive without water?

d. What was Jumman's verdict as head panch? How did Algu take it?

Q.14 VBQ

a. Ruskin Bond treasures staying at his grandfather's place. Do you love to visit your grandparent's place? What do you specially like there? (4)

OR

b. Dolma believes in herself, she wants to make things better for everyone. Can you make things better for your family or friends? If so, how would you do it?

Q.15 Supplementary Answer the following (8)

a. What is your own formula for keeping good health? (A pact with sun)

b. What happens to our body when we sleep?

c. What made the ghost believe that Vijay Singh was dead?

d. Why was the crocodile's wife annoyed with her husband one day?

Q.16 Write the meaning of. (2)

i. abide ii. Resent iii. twitter iv. Shaggy

Q.17 Replace the underlined word with suitable phrases. (2)

i. The best way to avoid an unnecessary argument is to remain silent.

ii. I was in a difficult situation till my friends came to my rescue.

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