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ENTRANCE EXAMINATION – 2017

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

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Write only the answers against the appropriate question number, as given in the question paper.

SECTION - A

1. Punctuate the given passage: [3]  
(a) He said why do you come and disturb me what a nuisance you are why cant you play somewhere else can you see that I want to work go away at once and do not come here again.
2. Fill in the blanks with suitable articles: [2]  
(a) Yesterday \_\_\_\_\_ European called at my office.  
(b) Mount Everest is \_\_\_\_\_ highest mountain in \_\_\_\_\_ world.  
(c) He is not \_\_\_\_\_ honourable man.
3. Use the appropriate word given in brackets to complete the sentence: [2]  
(a) Each one of the men \_\_\_\_\_ punished. [was/were]  
(b) The man and the women \_\_\_\_\_ absconded. [has/have]  
(c) Bread and butter \_\_\_\_\_ his only food. [is/are]  
(d) The cost of all these articles \_\_\_\_\_ risen. [has/have]
4. Complete each of the following sentences with a suitable form of the word given in brackets: [2]  
(a) He has no \_\_\_\_\_ (know) of the case.  
(b) Whenever he \_\_\_\_\_ (go) abroad, he brings a present for his parents.  
(c) The purpose of the filter is to \_\_\_\_\_ (pure) the drinking water.  
(d) If he hadn't gone to Nepal he \_\_\_\_\_ (climb) Mount Everest.
5. Fill in each blank with a suitable word. [2]  
(a) If you look \_\_\_\_\_ the telescope distant stars appear very near.  
(b) His application for transfer was turned \_\_\_\_\_.  
(c) He requested his friend to hand \_\_\_\_\_ the cake at the party.  
(d) This plan will remain a secret \_\_\_\_\_ you and me.
6. Fill in the appropriate word in the blank given: [1]  
(a) He brought 10 litres of milk from the \_\_\_\_\_. [diary/dairy]  
(b) The sun is \_\_\_\_\_ while the planets revolve around it in \_\_\_\_\_ their orbits. [stationery/stationary]
7. Rewrite the given sentences as directed: [3]  
(a) The teacher said to the boys, "You should do your work regularly." [Change to Reported/Indirect Speech]  
(b) People believe that the house is haunted. [Change the voice]  
(c) My father met her son. He is now in America. [Change to Complex Sentence]

## SECTION – B

Read the given passage and answer the questions:

1. The beaver had made a dam two hundred yards long and it had formed a part of the quickly flowing stream a wide stretch of water about twenty feet deep. The dam was so firm and broad that it was easy for me to walk along it. After hundred and fifty yards I came to a beaver's castle a great heap of logs skilfully fitted together, the lower part covered with earth and plants the upper logs were put loosely together so that air could pass through to the interior. 5
  2. In the late autumn before land and water is covered with snow and ice, the beaver has to make its dwelling frost proof. It collects young trees and gnaws the stem in a double cone until the tree falls. Then the long stems are gnawed into small sections, the thin twigs bitten off the logs dragged to the dwelling. There, the timber is piled on the 'castle', sometimes to ten or a dozen feet. Mud is brought from the bottom of the lake and packed between the logs with the animal's clever forepaws. The interior is lined with the finest wood shavings. In this tall shelter the beaver remains high and dry and protected from frost throughout the winter. The only access to the dwelling is under the water, and even the forest wolves are unable to pull the building apart. 10 15
  3. The water is the beaver's element. On land it moves slowly and awkwardly. Thus it is vital for the beaver to have water in which it can swim and where Nature has not provided this condition for it, it has created it with its dam.
  4. The beaver's activities change whole landscapes. With the dam for instance on which I was standing beavers had turned a whole wooded valley into a lake, trees that had stood there had been killed by the water and had disappeared. Aquatic game had settled there. Ducks swam past us and great must have been the number of fishes, as swamps of trouts had swam past me in the clear stream. Wide stretches of meadows had come into existence on the banks, with flat landing places to which well-beaten beaver tracks lead. Many years of building and gnawing and dragging must have gone to the completion of this immense work, creating a new region for the beavers to live in. 20 25
- (a) Make sentences for the following words with the same meaning as used in the passage: [2]  
(i) aquatic (ii) gnaws
- (b) Give the meaning of the following words: (A one word answer or a short phrase will be accepted.) [2]  
(i) Access (ii) Vital
- (c) What is the dimension of the beaver dam described in the passage? [1]

## SECTION - C

Letter Writing:

1. You have won a prize in the inter school mono-acting competition. Write a letter to your friend describing your feelings before, during and after the performance. [5]



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Question-1

Write a composition in Hindi approximately 150 words on any one of the following topics:-

निम्नलिखित विषयों में से किसी एक विषय पर हिन्दी में संक्षिप्त लेख लिखिए जो १५० शब्दों से कम न हो। [10]

i-पुस्तकें हमारी सच्ची मित्र।

ii-समय का महत्व।

iii-खेल

Question-2

Write a letter in Hindi in approximately 120 words on any one of the topics given below:-

निम्नलिखित विषयों में से किसी एक विषय पर हिन्दी में लगभग १२०(१२०)शब्दों में पत्र लिखिए:-

[5]

(i) आप अपने विद्यालय में दो दिनों से ठीक समय पर उपस्थित नहीं हो सके थे। प्रधानाचार्य को विद्यालय में विलम्ब से (देर से) पहुँचने का कारण बताते हुए क्षमादान पत्र लिखिए।

अथवा

(ii) अपने छोटे भाई को केबल टि.वी. द्वारा दिखाए जाने वाले कार्यक्रमों के आकर्षण से दूर रहने और अपने पढ़ाई पर ध्यान केंद्रित करने की शिक्षा देते हुए एक पत्र लिखिए।

Question-3

Answer the following according to the instructions given:-

निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों के उत्तर निर्देशानुसार लिखिए।

(i) दिये गये शब्दों के दो-दो पर्यायवाची शब्द लिखिए। [2]

i - आँख

ii- किनारा



(ii) दिये गये शब्दों के विपरीतार्थक शब्द लिखिए।

[2]

i - आध्यात्मिक

ii - इच्छा

(iv) निम्नलिखित मुहावरो के अर्थ लिखकर वाक्य बनाइए।

[3]

i- उन्नीस-बीस का अन्तर

ii-कलई खुलना

iii-किनारा करना

(v) वाक्यों को निर्देशानुसार पुनःलिखिए।

[3]

i-असफल हो जाने पर ,उसे भारी दुःख हुआ।

(वाक्य शुद्ध कीजिए।)

ii- परिश्रमी व्यक्ति विपत्तियों से नहीं घबराता है।

(वचन बदलिए)

iii- जीवन भर में इसी आचरण का पालन करता आया हूँ ?

( रेखांकित शब्दों के लिए एक शब्द लिखकर वाक्य को पुनः लिखिए)

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எல்லா வினாக்களுக்கும் விடையளி.

I.சரியான விடையைத் தேர்ந்தெடுத்து எழுதுக. (5)

1.வாகனங்கள்-----மாசை ஏற்படுத்துகின்றன.

அ. ஒழி ஆ. ஒளி இ. ஒலி

2.சத்தான உணவைச் சாப்பிடவில்லை என்றால் உடல்-----விடும்.

அ. இலைத்து ஆ. இளைத்து இ. இழைத்து

3.காடுகள் அழிப்பால் மழை-----குறைந்து விட்டது.

அ. வளம் ஆ. வலம் இ. வழம்

4.-----நிலங்கள் இன்று வீட்டுமனைகளாக மாறிவிட்டன.

அ. விலை ஆ. விளை இ. விழை

5.வேதிப்பொருட்களால் விவசாய நிலங்கள்-----பட்டு விட்டன.

அ. பாழ் ஆ. பால் இ. பாள்

II.எதிர்ச்சொல் தருக. (5)

1. நன்மை 2. உயர்வு 3. எளிது 4. மறைந்தது 5. இளமை

III.வாக்கியத்தில் அமைத்து எழுதுக. (5)

1. இயற்கை 2. பந்தயம் 3. மழை 4. சினம் 5. தூய்மை

IV.பொருள் தருக. (5)

1. அச்சம் 2. நகை 3. வனம் 4. ஞாலம் 5. மெய்

V.ஏதேனும் ஒன்றிற்கு 75 வார்த்தைகளில் விடையளி. (5)

அ. காணாமற்போன மிதிவண்டியைக் கண்டுபிடித்துத் தருமாறு காவல்துறை

ஆய்வாளருக்கு முறையீட்டுக் கடிதம் வரைக.

ஆ. உங்கள் பள்ளியில் நடைபெற்ற ஆசிரியர் தின விழாவினைப் பற்றி உன்

தோழன் அல்லது தோழிக்கு ஒரு கடிதம் எழுதுக.

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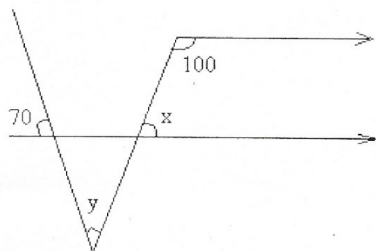
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### SECTION A

Attempt all questions in this Section

1. Find the square root of 1296 by prime factorization method. [2]
2. Find the value of  $x$  in the proportion  $2 : 7 :: x : 35$  [2]
3. Find the simple interest on Rs.3500 at 4% per annum for 3 years. [2]
4. Find the product of:  $a + 2b - 3c$  and  $3a - 2b + c$  [2]
5. Find the value of  $x$  and  $y$  from the following diagram. [2]



### SECTION B

Attempt any five questions in this Section

1. A shirt was bought for Rs.120 and sold for Rs.150. Find the profit and profit percent. [3]
2. Expand:  $(2a + 5b)^2$  [3]
3. Find the area and perimeter of a square of side 14.5 cm. [3]
4. Find the average of the following data:  
32, 34, 35, 40, 42, 45, 15, 19, 25, 35 [3]
5. Simplify:  $22 - [24 - \{14 - (15 - (8 - 3))\}]$  [3]
6. Find the value of  $x$ , if  $2^{x+4} = 64$  [3]