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SAMPLE PAPER

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Subject: English Class: V M. M. 50

SECTION A(READING)

Q1. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow: (5marks)

I am thrilled that May is finally here! Now I can enjoy what I call “the sweet taste of summer”!
Watermelons are in the stores, and I plan to eat one every day for the next three months. I think watermelons taste better than any other fruit. Peaches, plums, and strawberries are also great in the summer. I enjoy eating those, too. But they just don’t taste as good to me as a sweet, sweet watermelon. My whole family likes eating watermelons. We ate at least three watermelons a week last year. This year, I am going to eat watermelon every day, all summer long.

1. Why is the girl excited that May has arrived?
2. What is her favourite fruit?
3. How long will the watermelons be available?
4. What other summer fruits does the girl enjoy?
5. What is your favourite summer fruit? Why do you like this particular fruit?

Read the following poem carefully and answer the questions that follow: (5 marks)

The cold winter winds
Blowing harshly through the tree
Snow under my feet
Bothering my toes
And my nose
Which is in deep freeze
Snuggled under a warm quilt
Just cannot stay up late
Crackle of a fire at night
With hot water bottle clutched to my side
And I have to get up again
And go out in the cold tomorrow morning
I feel so sleepy
How wonderful... if I could... also...
Hibernate

1. How does the winter wind blow?
2. Which part of the narrator's body is in deep freeze?
3. What is the poet snuggled under?
4. What does the poet wish?
5. Find out any two nouns from the above poem.

SECTION B (WRITING)

Q3. Write a paragraph on –Diwali

(5marks)

Q4. Application to the Principal for issuing your identity card

(5marks)

SECTION C (GRAMMAR)

Q5. Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct preposition. (3marks)

- a) Rohan is sitting __ (under/near) the tree.
- b) The distance ____ (among/between) Delhi and Chandigarh is around 300 kilometres.
- c) The show will begin ___ (at/in) five minutes.

Q6. Rewrite the sentences using commas and semicolons, as required. (3marks)

- a) Rohan come and sit here.
- b) I like pizza but it is unhealthy for us
- c) We had a flat tyre moreover there was not a spare as well.

Q7. Circle the subject and underline the object. (3marks)

- a) The birds are flying in the sky.
- b) The children are going to perform a dance program.
- c) Tom and Monty are best friends.

Q8. Read these simple sentences about popular tales. Underline the subject and circle the verb. (3marks)

- a) Cinderella left the ballroom at the stroke of midnight.
- b) Goldilocks has golden hair.
- c) The big bad wolf blew down the house made of straw.

Q9. Complete these sentences with antonyms from the box for the words in brackets. (3marks)

- a) Sanjana bought an ____ (cheap) necklace for her anniversary.
- b) The princess was keen to know the __ (myth) of her secret powers.
- c) Everybody will ____ (criticise) your sincere efforts to make peace.

SECTION D(LITERATURE)

Q10 Read the following extract and answer the questions that follow:

(4marks)

During the day, they dozen on the hat stand. After dark they had the freedom of the house, and their nightly occupation was catching beetles, the kitchen quarters being a happy hunting ground. With their sharp eyes and powerful beaks, they were excellent pest destroyers.

- a) What do 'they' refer in the above extract?
- b) What did 'they' do during the day?
- c) What did 'they' do at night?
- d) Name the chapter from which the above extract has been taken.

Q11. Unscramble the following words: (3 marks)

- a) SEE FROM - _____
- b) LKQUICY - _____
- c) EWOLTS - _____

Q12. Answer the following questions. (6 marks)

- a) How did the cloud show his power?
- b) When did Stonecutter's work seem to grow to be such a burden?
- c) Whom did owlets like the most?

Q13. Choose the right options to complete these sentences. (2 marks)

- a) What did the narrator's grandfather do to the owlet he found in the veranda?
 - I) He shooed it away
 - II) He gave it to his grandson.
 - III) He took it to a vet
 - IV) He picked it up
- b) What happened when the narrator release an owlet on a mango tree?
 - (I) It flew back to him
 - (II) It began to screen
 - (III) Its mother attacked him
 - (IV) It attacked him