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General Instructions to the Candidate :

1. This Question Paper consists of 56 objective and subjective types of questions.
2. This question paper has been sealed by reverse jacket. You have to cut on the right side to open the paper at the time of commencement of the examination. Check whether all the pages of the question paper are intact.
3. Follow the instructions given against both the objective and subjective types of questions.
4. Figures in the right hand margin indicate maximum marks for the questions.
5. The maximum time to answer the paper is given at the top of the question paper. It includes 15 minutes for reading the question paper.

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[Turn over

SECTION - A**Prose**

- I. *Four alternatives are given for each of the following questions / incomplete statements. Only one of them is correct or most appropriate. Choose the correct alternative and write the complete answer along with its letter of alphabet.*

5 × 1 = 5

1. Who was Baleshwar ?
Baleshwar was
(A) a graduate (B) an high school dropout
(C) a postgraduate (D) an illiterate
2. It took months of negotiation to come to an understanding with Don Anselmo to sell his land because
(A) he was not in the station for many days
(B) he was in no hurry to sell his land
(C) he thought to sell his land for his own people
(D) it was not measured properly
3. When the second monster blew through his beard, Wangjia lost his
(A) shoes (B) eyesight
(C) food (D) memory
4. Who did Smitha go to the concert with ?
Smitha went to the concert with
(A) her father (B) her aunty Sushila
(C) her mother (D) her brother Anant
5. Where did the technical experts from the Soviet Union, United States and United Kingdom meet to discuss about Nuclear Test Ban ?
(A) New York (B) London
(C) Moscow (D) Geneva

- II. Answer the following questions in 2 - 3 sentences each : 6 × 2 = 12

6. Why did Swami's father want him to sleep alone in the office room ?
7. Though Swami was not courageous, he became a hero overnight. How ?
8. Don Anselmo was passionate about his land and the children of Rio-en-Medio. Support this statement with your answer.
9. Why was the story teller unable to convince the old man about the trees ?
10. Give a short description of the bird that Satish saw one day.
11. Scientists are the most practical people in the world. Justify the statement.

- III. Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow : 4 × 3 = 12

12. "The trees in the orchard are not mine."
(a) Who does 'mine' refer to ?
(b) When did he say so ?
(c) What does this statement tell us about his character ?
13. "Whom can 'I' call ? He asked quickly, fearing that she would black out once more."
(a) Who does 'I' refer to ?
(b) What did the listener answer ?
(c) What do you mean by 'black out' here ?
14. "What reckless fool has dared to come here ?" he thundered.
(a) Who thundered like this ?
(b) According to the speaker, who was reckless fool ?
(c) What was the answer given for this question ?

15. "Little girl, said the moustachioed man who had made the long speech. Panditji is a busy man, you must not bother him with such requests."
 (a) Who is the moustachioed man ?
 (b) Who does 'you' refer to ?
 (c) Why did the listener come there ?
- IV. Answer the following question in about 8 - 10 sentences : 4
16. Give some instances to show that Pepe was loyal to Columbus till the end.
 OR
 How can you say that Satish became popular all over the world ?

Poetry

- V. Choose the most appropriate one and write the complete answer with the letter of alphabet in the answer-book : 3 × 1 = 3
17. In the poem 'I Am the Land', 'I wait' is used several times. Here the poet feels that
 (A) the land has patience
 (B) the land warns human beings
 (C) the land feels proud of its resources
 (D) the land waits to see its future disasters.
18. The tone of the poem 'Laugh and be Merry' is
 (A) optimistic (B) pessimistic
 (C) enthusiastic (D) agonistic.
19. His run down shoes have paper in them. This suggests that the Jazz player was
 (A) poor (B) simple
 (C) mad (D) ordinary man.
- VI. Answer the following questions in 2 - 3 sentences each : 4 × 2 = 8
20. How is man over using the land ?
 21. The poet John Masefield feels that the laughter not only makes us happy but will better the world also. How do you justify this ?
 22. What is the message of the poem, "The Blind Boy" ?
 23. According to the poet 'Normal Nicholson' outer space is solitary confinement for him. Why ?
- VII. Read the extract and answer the questions that follow : 3 × 1 = 3
24. "The quality of mercy is not strain'd
 It droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven."
 (a) What is 'mercy' compared to ?
 (b) Why does the poet say that mercy is not strain'd ?
 (c) What is the meaning of the word 'strain'd' in this context ?
- VIII. 25. Quote from memory : 4

We were

 the deep."

OR

My day

 always day.

- IX. Answer the following question in 8 to 10 sentences : 4
 26. According to the poet Ruskin Bond, his grandmother was 'unique'. Write a paragraph to support this statement.

OR

How does the poet discriminate Jazz player's appearance with his artistic character ?

Supplementary Reading

- X. Answer the following questions in 2 - 3 sentences each : 2 × 2 = 4
 27. What had the police expected about the way of protest ?

OR

Dicky Dolma says, "It is not a difficult decision for her to take up the challenge of the lofty mountains." Why does she say so ?

28. How was life for Hanif always 'ekdam bindas' ?

OR

How did Dr. Ambedkar and Mahatma Gandhi try to wipe out caste discrimination from India ?

Vocabulary

- XI. 29. Combine the word in **Column-A** with its collocative word in **Column-B** : 1

Column-A

Rapid

Column-B

[growth, progress, movement, speed]

30. Fill in the blank with the correct form of the word given in brackets : 1
 Short stories are very (*interest*) for children to read.
 31. Which one of the following words has only one syllable ? Write it : 1
 Remain, Behind, Lawn, Arrange.
 32. Nowadays, most of the children are very clever but a few are
 The opposite word to be filled in the blank for the underlined word is 1

SECTION - B

Reading

- XII. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow : 4 × 1 = 4
 Once addressing a huge gathering Dayananda Saraswathi thundered, "Your ancestors were not uncivilized men living in forests. They were great men who enlightened the world. Your history is not a story of defeats. It is the story of the conquerors of the world. Your Vedic scriptures are not the songs of cowherds. They are immortal truths which shaped mighty souls like Sri Rama and Sri Krishna. Arise, awake and be proud of your glorious history. Take inspiration from it to mould the present. Shame upon your modern education which fills you with contempt for your ancestors."
 33. What does Dayananda Saraswathi say about our ancestors ?
 34. What is history according to Dayananda Saraswathi ?
 35. What are the 'Vedas' ?
 36. What does the speaker advise us to do ?
 XIII. 37. Rearrange the jumbled words into a meaningful sentence : 1
 wonderful / a / place / it / what / ! / is.

Read the following conversation and answer the questions that follow :

Raju : What a wonderful pudding ! The best I've ever tasted.

Manu : Thanks for complement. The recipe is my mom's.

Raju : Could you please give it to me ? I'd like to try it.

Manu : Certainly don't forget to call me when you try it for proof of the pudding.

38. Which word in the conversation means a set of instructions for cooking a particular type of food ? 1
39. Why did Raju ask Manu the recipe ? 1
40. Look at the two pictures. Write a sentence using 'costlier than' based on what you see : 1



Pot A — Rs. 100



Pot B — Rs. 200

Writing

41. Given below is a profile of Dr. Ravi Shankar, a professor. Write a paragraph using the clues given below : 4
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|---------------------------|---|---|
| Age | : | 52 years |
| Height and weight | : | 5.6 feet, 64 kgs |
| Family | : | Two sons, Engineers |
| Reason for his popularity | : | More helpful in the society, more friendly and engaged in social work |
| Education | : | MA, Ph.D |
| Awards | : | National award |
| Hobbies | : | Gardening, helping poor students, writing books and reading books. |

OR

Write a paragraph, using the clues given below. You may add some more points if necessary :

In a village — a clever elephant — there a river nearby — used to go for bath daily — it was passing by a tailor shop. The tailor — bananas daily. One day not given bananas — pricked needle. Elephant — angry — came with muddy water in its trunk — sprayed muddy water — tailor's shop — dirty. The tailor — repented.

42. Imagine that you are Manu / Manasa, Govt. High School, Channigepura. Write a letter to your father requesting him to send you Rs. 5,000 to provide food for 100 orphans on your birthday. 4

OR

Write a letter to your headmaster / headmistress, requesting him / her to help your friend to pay the school fees as he / she is poor.

43. Write two paragraphs, on any *one* of the following topics : 4
- Television
 - Vanamahotsava
 - Water pollution.

Editing

44. The following paragraph has two errors. Edit the paragraph and rewrite it in the answer-book. Clues are given. 2
- Impulsively, Baleshwar went and grabed the train's red emergency chain and pulled it down frantical.

Clues :

- Use correct spelling
- Adverbial mistake to be corrected.

GRAMMAR (Language Use)

45. Read the conversation and choose the language function of the underlined sentence : 1

Mom : Where are you going Ramya ?

Ramya : School mom.

Mom : Then, go with dad dear.

Ramya : Yes mom.

- Order
- Request
- Obey
- Advice.

46. Read the conversation and rewrite into a reported speech for the underlined sentences : 2

Raghu : Good morning sir.

Kiran : Good morning Raghu. Thank you.

Raghu : How is your father, sir ?

Kiran : He is doing good but his age is 100 years.

Raghu : Is it ? O my God ! How is he working ?

Kiran : No matter, he is strong, he is helping others.

Raghu asked Kiran

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Kiran replied

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47. Fill in the blanks with appropriate 'preposition' and 'article' : $2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$

Kalpna earned her bachelor's degree and moved the United States. On very first day, at the University of Texas, Kalpna met Jean Pierre Harrison.

48. Fill in the blanks choosing the right form of verbs given in brackets :

$$2 \times 1 = 2$$

Rajanna is a good teacher. He (*complete*) his Physical Education Training in S.L.N. College. Now, he (*be + work*) in a private high school in his home town.

49. Read the conversation :

- Teacher : Why didn't you come to school yesterday, Teja ?
 Teja : Sir, I went to Mysore with my dad.
 Teacher : Have you completed your homework ?
 Teja : Yes Sir, I have completed the homework.
 Teacher : What about others ?
 Teja : Sir, they have completed the homework.

The passive form of the underlined sentence is

- (A) The homework has been completed by them
 (B) The homework is being completed by them
 (C) The homework is completed by them
 (D) The homework was completed by them. 1
50. Read the conversation and fill in blank choosing the correct 'If Clause' given below : 1

- Ramesh : Why can't you come with me Ravi ?
 Ravi : No, I have some urgent work now.
 Ramesh : May I know the correct reason Ravi ?
 Ravi : I don't have vehicle to take my dad to the hospital, that's it.
 Ramesh : Is it ? If you had told me earlier, I
 a vehicle.

- (A) will arrange (B) would have arranged
 (C) would arrange (D) shall arrange.

51. Sheela doesn't tolerate any mistake. 1

The question tag to be used for the above is

- (A) Is she ? (B) Does she ?
 (C) Doesn't she ? (D) Isn't she ?

52. Combine the *two* sentences using the word 'although' : 1
 Prema is a short girl. She runs like a deer.

53. Fill in the blanks using the linking words given in brackets : $2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$

Nisarga is a famous doctor. He doesn't want to charge much he is very rich. He is helping poor doing social work.
 (*and, so, that, as*)

Reference Skill

54. Which sources of information would you refer to know the meaning of difficult words ? 1

Choose one of the following sources :

Atlas, Dictionary, Encyclopedia, Grammar book.

55. Write it in the normal way : 1

I n my friends r ready 2 hav T.

56. Arrange the following words in the order in which they are in dictionary :

$$4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2$$

fortune, favour, future, format.