झारखंड शैक्षिक अनुसंधान एवं प्रशिक्षण परिषद, राँची

Jharkhand Council of Educational Research and Training, Ranchi

Second Terminal Examination - 2021-2022

Model Question Paper

Set - 3

Class- 9	Subject – English	Full	Marks-	Time- 1.30 hour
		40		

General Instructions:

- ➤ The Question Paper contains THREE sections READING, WRITING and LITERATURE.
- Attempt questions based on specific instructions for each part.
- Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.
- ➤ The total number of questions is 19.

SECTION - A (Reading) (10 Marks)

I. Read the passage carefully and answer any five of the following questions: (2*5=10)

Punctuality is an etiquette which encourages us to complete our work on time. It enables a person to do right thing at right time without any excuse. It is important in every walk of life and benefits a person in many ways. A person who is punctual lives a much disciplined life and gets lot of respect and love in the family and society. Punctuality is a powerful quality which can make a person successful and famous personality. All the parents should understand their responsibilities and help their children in developing punctuality. Punctual and successful people become the role models. People who waste their time and do not understand the importance of punctuality can never get success in their life.

Q1. What is punctuality?
Q2. Mention two things that a punctual person gets?
Q3. According to the given passage what should be the responsibilities of the parents?
Q4. Who become role models?
Q5. Who cannot get success in life?
Q6. Complete the sentences:-
a) It is important in b) It enables a person
Q7. Make meaningful sentences in Past tense with the given words:-
a) Encourage b) Develop

SECTION – B (Writing) (10 Marks)

II. Attempt any two. (5*2=10)

- Q8. Write a letter to your father requesting him to send some money to buy books and copies.
- Q9. Write an application to the Principal of your school requesting him to grant leave for three days.
- Q10. Write a paragraph on "The game I like most" or "An Ideal student".

SECTION – C (Literature) (20 Marks)

III. Attempt any five. Q11 and Q12 are compulsory. (3*5=15)

Q11. Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow:-

Away, away in the Northland,

Where the hours of the day are few,

And the nights are so long in winter

That they cannot sleep them through

- a) Name the poem from where this extract has been taken.
- b) Who has written these lines?
- c) Which country or countries do you think the Northland refers to?
- Q12. Read the passage and answer the questions that follow:-

The Second World War broke out in 1939, when I was eight years old. For reasons I have never been able to understand, a sudden demand for tamarind seeds erupted in the market.

I used to collect the seeds and sell them to a provision shop in Mosque Street. A days collection would fetch me the princely sum of one anna.

- a) Who is 'l' here?
- b) What was in high demand during the Second World War?
- c) What did the speaker use to do with the tamarind seeds?
- Q13. Can a 'simple jab of the knife' kill a tree? Why/ Why not?
- Q14. How does the Poet suggest that all people on earth are the same?
- Q15. Why did Einstein write a letter to Franklin Roosevelt?
- Q16. Why was the 'holy man' who gave Santosh's mother his blessing surprised?
- Q17. What are the two strange things the guru and his disciple find in the Kingdom of Fools?

IV. Attempt any one. (5*1=5)

- Q18. What was Behrman's masterpiece? What makes Sue say so?
- Q19. How has Prashant a teenager been able to help the people of his village?