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**YEARLY EXAMINATION- MARCH 2020- 2021.**

**CLASS: VI**

**SUBJECT: ENGLISH**

**MAXIMUM MARKS – 50**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**❖ This paper consists of four sections:**

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| ➤ SECTION A: | Reading    | 10 marks |
| ➤ SECTION B: | Writing    | 10 marks |
| ➤ SECTION C: | Grammar    | 15 marks |
| ➤ SECTION D: | Literature | 15 marks |

**❖ GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Answer all the questions
2. Do not split sections. Attempt all the questions in each section before going on to the next section.
3. Read each question carefully and follow the instructions.
4. Questions need not have to be copied in the answer sheet.

**SECTION A- READING (10 MARKS)**

**Q.1. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:**

**Conserving Our Environment**

Our natural resources require conservation. We have exploited them to such an extent that it has created an alarming situation. This requires our serious and wholehearted attention. The pace at which exploitation of resources is going on will soon lead to exhaustion of some natural resources. Some of the natural resources that require conservation are soil, water and forests.

Soil conservation is very important for the agricultural output of a country. The continuous use of soil decreases its productivity. Crop rotation and proper use of manures are the best methods for protecting the soil.

A very important step in conserving water is its right and sensible use. Water management plays a very crucial role in its conservation. Water should not be wasted. Over irrigation should be checked because it leads to water logging.

Aggressive and unsustainable farming and logging and expanding city development caused by population explosion are the main cause of man induced abuse of the forests. Forests also need to be protected. They are an extremely important part of our ecosystem. Deforestation increases soil erosion.

**Q.1 On the basis of reading the above passage, answer the following questions by choosing the correct option given below. (6x1=6 Marks)**

**1. What has created an alarming situation?**

- a) Exploitation of natural resources
- b) Careful usage of it
- c) Natural calamities

**2. Soil conservation is very important for \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) the agricultural output of a country.
- b) reduce the population.
- c) increase the needs of human beings.

3. The best methods important for protecting the soil are\_\_\_\_\_.

- a) water conservation
- b) crop rotation and proper use of manures.
- c) continuous use

4. Why should over irrigation be checked ?

- a) because it leads to soil erosion
- b) it leads to deforestation
- c) because it leads to water logging.

5. What is the important step in conserving water?

- a) its right and sensible use.
- b) unaware of the use of water
- c) use continuously

6. Deforestation increases \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) water pollution
- b) air pollution
- c) soil erosion.

**Q.2. Answer the following questions: (2x2=4 Marks)**

1. What are the natural resources that require conservation?

2. What are the main cause of man induced abuse of the forests ?

**SECTION B- WRITING (10 MARKS)**

**Q.3. Write a letter to your friend describing the Coringa Wild Life Sanctuary using the information given below. (1x10=10Marks)**

- Location : 20 km away from Kakinda city, Andhra Pradesh, India
- Area : 235sq. km
- Created in : July 5, 1978
- Managed by : Andhra Pradesh forest department
- Climate : Average temperature of the region 17° C - 40°C.  
Best time to visit October-May.
- Species : Many species of tiger, bear, deer and more than 120 birds.  
Elephant and wild bear in large number

**SECTION C GRAMMAR (15 MARKS)**

**Q.4. Identify the Adjectives and state its kind. (3x1=3Marks)**

- a. I like these bananas.
- b. Rahul Dravid is a brilliant batsman.
- c. Which book do you like?

**Q.5. Fill in the blanks with suitable form of Adjectives given in the brackets.**

**(2x1=2 Marks)**

- a. Adil was the \_\_\_\_\_ boy in the class. (strong)
- b. Your handwriting is \_\_\_\_\_ than mine.(good)

**Q.6. Change the following sentences into Indirect speech. (3x1=3 Marks)**

- a. She said, "I want a new bag."
- b. Neena said to me, "I am reading a book."
- c. The children said, "We played in the park."

**Q.7. Change the following sentences into Passive voice by choosing the correct answer. (3x1=3 Marks)**

**a. He wrote a story.**

- i) A story was written by him.
- ii) A story is written by him.
- iii) A story is writing by him.

**b. Rahul brings a new book.**

- i) A new book is brought by Rahul.
- ii) A new book is bringing by Rahul.
- iii) A new book are brought by Rahul.

**c. My mother was baking a cake.**

- i) A cake is being baked by my mother.
- ii) A cake baked by my mother.
- iii) A cake was being baked by my mother.

**Q.8. Fill in the blanks with suitable forms of the verbs given in the bracket.**

**(4x1=4 Marks.)**

a. She \_\_\_\_\_us yesterday.(visit)

- i) visited
- ii) have visited
- iii) visits

b. They \_\_\_\_\_in the park now. (play)

- i) played
- ii) are playing
- iii) has played

c. He \_\_\_\_\_ to the market tomorrow. (go)

i) will go

ii) gone

iii) have gone

d. He \_\_\_\_\_ to school everyday. (walk)

i) walk

ii) walks

iii) walking

#### **SECTION D: LITERATURE (15 Marks)**

**Q.9. Read the following extract and answer the following the questions by choosing the correct answer. (3x1=3 Marks)**

**“I didn’t mean to hurt old “Hank.”**

a. Who is the speaker?

i) Sam

ii) Bill

iii) Red Chief

b. Who is mentioned here as ‘Old Hank’?

i) Bill

ii) Sam

iii) Red chief

c. Name the author.

i) O.Henry

ii) Charles Thomson

iii) Tagore

**Q.10. Read the extract and answer the following questions.(3x1=3 Marks)**

**“What a frightful situation to be in, with a mad butler dangling over one’s head.”**

- a) Who is the speaker here?
- b) What is the name of the butler?
- c) Name the author.

**Q.11. Answer any 2 questions. (3x2=6 Marks)**

- a. Why did people stare at John?
- b. Why did the old man buy just one small bowl of noodles?
- c. *A kidnapping plan ought to do better in the country than in the city.* Why did Sam and Bill think so?
- d. Why does Louis consider Dora’s visit as awkward ?

**Q.12. Write the meaning of the words given below by choosing from the options. (3x1=3Marks)**

- a) souls- (child, people, walk slowly)
- b) clung- (held tight, run fast, untidy)
- c) soared- (happily, flew very high, angry )

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