



Q.No.	Questions	Marks
1	<p>Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow:</p> <p>Florence Chadwick was the first woman to swim the English Channel in both directions. At age 34, her goal was to become the first woman to swim from Catalina Island to California Coast.</p> <p>On the 4th of July morning in 1952 the sea was like an ice bath. The fog was so dense she could hardly see her support boats. She struggled on hour after hour while millions watched on television.</p> <p>Alongside Florence in one of the boats, her mother and her trainer offered encouragement. They told her that the goal wasn't much farther. But all she could see was fog. They urged her not to quit. But with only half a mile to go, she asked to be pulled out. Several hours later she told a reporter that it was not fatigue or even cold water that defeated her. It was the fog .She was unable to see her goal</p> <p>Two months later she tried again. It was the same dense fog. But she swam with her goal clearly pictured in her mind. She knew that somewhere behind the fog was land. And this time she succeeded. She became the first woman to swim the Catalina Channel eclipsing the men's record by two hours</p> <p>On the basis of your reading of the above passage, answer the following questions:</p> <p>(a) What was Florence Chadwick's goal at the age of 34? (b) How did her mother and her trainer encourage Florence ? (c) What made her quit when she was only half a mile to go? (d) In spite of the same fog, what made her to succeed the second time? (e) What record did she set ?</p>	5
2	<p>You are Arun/ Aruna, a student of Adarsh Public School, Meerut. Write a notice informing the students about Slogan Writing Competition to be conducted in the school on the topic Save Trees. Invent necessary details.</p>	4
3	<p>Fill in the blanks with Correct Form of the Verb :</p> <p>(a) My grandmother always _____(snore). (b) Mr. Sinha _____(teach) in this school since 2002. (c) I _____(play) in the garden when he came. (d) The school _____(reopen) from the first of next month.</p>	1/2x4=2
4	<p>Rearrange the following words / phrases to make meaningful sentences :</p> <p>a) means of / these days / are available / transport / different b) by air / travelling / of these / the fastest / is c) people / most / it saves / prefer it / time / because</p>	1x3=3
5	<p>Fill in the blanks with Articles</p> <p>(a) I broke ___ vase my brother brought. (b) She is studying at ___ university. (c) He wants to become _____ astronaut and travel to _____ moon.</p>	1/2x4=2
6	<p>Read the stanza carefully and answer the questions that follow :</p> <p>I'd rather sleep in the ivy wall No rain comes through, tho I hear it fall</p>	4

	<p>The sun peeps gay at dawn of day, And I sing and wing away away</p> <p>a) Where does the bird prefer to sleep ? b) What makes her happy ? c) What would she do when she is happy ? d) What is the rhyme scheme of the stanza and mention the poetic device used in the last line ?</p>	
7	<p>Read the extract carefully and answer the questions that follow: “You must sleep alone hereafter!”</p> <p>a) Name the chapter and its author. b) Where was Swami asked to sleep ? c) With whom did Swami usually sleep and where ? d) Why did Swami’s father want him to sleep alone ?</p>	4
8	<p>Answer the following questions in 30-40 words:</p> <p>(a) Why did grandmother allow grandfather to keep Tutu as a pet ? (b) What did Tutu do with the necklace ? Who found it ? (c) “Come and join us ! Help your aunt choose a beautiful ring</p> <p>i) Who is speaking these lines to whom ? ii) Why is the speaker choosing a ring here ?</p>	2x3=6



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2	<p>You are Akhil/ Alisha, the cultural secretary of your school. Your school has planned an Educational Tour to Gwalior for class VII for five days. Draft a notice in 50 words giving necessary details.</p>	4
3	<p>Fill in the blanks with Correct Form of the Verb :</p> <p>a) I _____(wait) for him for half an hour. b) I _____(pray) to God when she arrived. c) Ajay_____(return) from London last week. d) The school _____(remain) closed tomorrow.</p>	1/2x4=2
4	<p>Rearrange the following words / phrases to make meaningful sentences :</p> <p>a) man/was/uncivilised/quite/olden days,/in/the b) covered/body/his/he/leaves/with/of/trees c) became/he/and/cultured/civilised/as time/advanced/but</p>	1x3=3
5	<p>Fill in the blanks with Articles</p> <p>(a) John bought _____ car last week, unfortunately _____ car broke down just after two days. (b) European has taken admission in our college. (c) Rohan is _____ best actor in the play.</p>	1/2x4=2

6	<p>Read the stanza carefully and answer the questions that follow :</p> <p style="text-align: center;">O Birdie, Birdie, won't you pet? We will buy you a silver fret. A golden cup and ivory seat, And carpets soft beneath your feet.</p> <p>a) What does the child offer to the bird in this stanza ?</p> <p>b) Which poetic device is used in the first line and mention the rhyme scheme of the stanza.?</p> <p>c) "Won't you pet?" Why has the sentence has negative interrogative?</p>	4 2 1 1
7	<p>Read the extract carefully and answer the questions that follow:</p> <p>Leave alone strength. Can you prove you have courage ?</p> <p>a) Name the chapter and its author.</p> <p>b) Who said these words to whom ?</p> <p>c) What is father's opinion about courage ?</p> <p>d) What challenge was given to swami to show his courage ?</p>	4
8	<p>Answer the following questions in 30-40 words:</p> <p>(a) Why did Aunt Ruby and Rocky decide to go to the bazaar ? Why did narrator follow them ?</p> <p>(b) What did Tutu do when she saw the pearl necklace in the shop ? What did she do with it in the end ?</p> <p>(c) "Its true that some guests for not seen for several days after the marriage but no one said anything against the cake."</p> <p>i) Whose wedding is mentioned here ?</p> <p>ii) Why were some guests not seen after the wedding ?</p>	2x3=6



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2	<p>Notice</p> <p>Name of the School The word 'NOTICE' Date Heading / Topic Content Name Designation *Put in a box</p>	4
3	<p>Fill in the blanks with Correct Form of Verb :</p> <p>(a) snores (b) has been teaching (c) was playing (d) will reopen</p>	1/2x4=2
4	<p>Rearrange the following words / phrases to make meaningful sentences :</p> <p>a) different means of transport are available these days b) Travelling by air is the fastest of all these c) people prefer it most because it saves time</p>	1x3=3
5	<p>Fill in the blanks with Articles</p> <p>(a) the (b) a (c) an , the</p>	1/2x4=2
6	<p>a) In the ivy wall b) Rainfall, sunrays, open sky c) She would sing and wing away away d) aabb, repetition</p>	4
7	<p>Read the extract carefully and answer the questions that follow: "You must sleep alone hereafter!"</p> <p>a) A Hero , R K Narayan b) In father's office room</p>	4

	c) With granny in the passage d) To make him bold and fearless	
8	Answer the following questions in 30-40 words: (a) When she came to know that Tutu was a girl monkey , she was convinced (b) Tutu flung the necklace in a canal. Rocky found it (c) “Come and join us ! Help your aunt choose a beautiful ring i) Rocky to the narrator ii) For engagement ceremony	2x3=6



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Answer key

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3	<p>Fill in the blanks with Correct Form of Verb :</p> <p>a) Have been waiting b) Was praying c) returned d) will remain</p>	1/2x4=2
4	<p>Rearrange the following words / phrases to make meaningful sentences :</p> <p>a) in the olden days ,man was quite uncivilised b) he covered his body with leaves of trees c) But as time advanced he became civilised and cultured</p>	1x3=3
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) A Hero R K Narayan b) Swami's father to Swami c) Courage is everything, strength and age are not important d) To sleep alone in father's office room 	
8	<p>Answer the following questions in 30-40 words:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) To buy an engagement ring, because he wanted to go with them but Aunt Ruby said that she didn't want anyone around (b) She wore it, at the end flung it in a canal (c) "Its true that some guests for not seen for several days after the marriage but no one said anything against the cake." <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) Aunt ruby and Rocky ii) They ate a cake which had a weired taste 	2x3=6