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INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT MIDDLE SECTION FIRST TERM EXAMINATION 2018 SUBJECT - ENGLISH



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CLASS: V Time Allotted: 2½ hours

25.09.2018 Max. Marks: 80

General Instructions.

- 1. The question paper comprises of **four Sections**, **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**. You have to attempt all the sections.
- 2. All questions are compulsory.
- 3. All answers should be written in the answer sheet provided.

SECTION A(READING) 15 marks

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

Bees live in a house that is called a hive. There are three kinds of bees; workers, drones and queens. Only one queen bee can live in each hive. If she is lost or dead, the other bees will stop their work.

Bees are very wise and busy little creatures. They all join together to build cells of wax for their honey. Each bee takes its proper place and does its own work. Some go out and gather honey from the flowers; others stay at home and work inside the hive. The cells which they build are all of one shape and size, and no space is left between them. The cells are not round. They have six sides.

It is not safe for children to handle bees. Bees have a painful sting that they use in their defense.

A On the basis of your reading, choose the correct option.

(i) Bees live in a

- (a) kennel
- (b) hive
- (c) stable
- (ii) How many queen bees live in a hive?
 - (a) three

- (b) nine
- (c) one

- (iii) All the bees go out and gather honey
 - (a) Yes

- (b) No
- (iv) The cells bees build are
 - (a) round

- (b) not round
- (c) oval

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B.	Complete the following sentences.			
(i)				
(ii)	Only one queen bee can			
_	Fill in the blanks	•		
C.	Fill in the blanks.	2		
(i)	It is not safe for to handle All the bees join together to build cells of for their			
(11)	All the bees join together to build cells of for their			
D.	Answer the questions in one sentence.			
(i)	Name the three kinds of bees.			
(ii)	How do bees defend themselves?			
(iii)	What will happen if queen bee is lost or dead?			
(''')	Trinat IIII Happeri II queen see le leet er dead.			
Q.2	Many years ago, at the foothills of Kaatskill (kat-skill) mountains, was a little village. In the village lived a simple, good-natured fellow named Rip Van Winkle. He was a kind neighbour, ready to help anyone. Everyone in the village liked him. The children of the village shouted with joy whenever they saw him because he played with them, he taught them to fly kites and shoot marbles and told them long stories.			
	The only problem with Rip was that he was very lazy. He didn't work on his own farm			
	and just idled away his time. His fences were falling to pieces. His cow was going			
	astray. Weeds grew on his farm. Rip's constant companion was his dog, named			
	Wolf. To avoid work, he would walk away into the forest with his dog.	2		
A.	Fill in the blanks with the correct words.			
(i)	At the foothills of mountains, was a little			
(ii)	was lazy.			
(iii)	Rip Van Winkle was a neighbour.			
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B.	Choose the correct option.	1		
(i)	Rip's was going astray.			
(::)	a) dog b) cat c) cow Everyone in the village Rip.			
(ii)	a) hated b) liked c) disliked			
	a) flated b) fined c) distinct			
C.	Write True or False.	4		
(i)	Rip was very active.	1		
(ii)	To avoid work, Rip would walk away in the forest with his dog.			
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D.	Answer the questions in one or two sentences.	3		
(i)	What was the problem with Rip?			
(ii)	Why did the children shout with joy whenever they saw Rip?			
(iii)	Who was Rip's constant companion?			
. ,	SECTION B(WRITING) 20 marks			
Q.3	Write a factual description on 'My Teacher' in not more than 50 words.	4		

Q.4	Write a paragraph on 'A visit to a mall'.	4
Q.5	Given below are a few jumbled sentences. Read them carefully, rearrange the given sentences and write a meaningful PARAGRAPH.	
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	One day, a lion was sleeping in the jungle. He ran over the lion's head. A tiny mouse was running about in the grass. The mouse got frightened. The lion awoke with a loud roar. The lion said, "You may go because you are too tiny." The mouse said, "I am sorry. Let me go." The mouse thanked the lion and ran away.	
Q.6	Look at the pictures given below and frame a story with the help of the given outline.	8
	a monkey called Jackwas a fooldecided to govillagehis friends advisedis a dangerous placedon't godid not listenwentin the villagesaw a dog beside his kennelhe thought that the cage is beautifulasked can I get insidethe dog agreedstarted barkingdog's master camehappy to see the monkeysold him to the circus company.	
	SECTION C (GRAMMAR) 20 marks	
Q.7 a)	Pick out the subject and the predicate in the given sentences and write in the answer sheet. The lion is the king of the jungle.	2
b)	The king was very angry.	
Q.8 a) b) c)	Rewrite the following sentences using the correct punctuation marks. i want to buy some cakes pastries and chocolates we respect our teachers did you complete your project	
Q.9	Rewrite the following sentences by changing the gender of the underlined	3
a) b) c)	nouns. My grandfather is talking to my father. The man went to England to meet the king. My uncle looks after my son.	
Q.10 a) b) c)	Fill in the blanks with the correct pronouns are watching football match. (they/them) Are from England? (you/she) These sweets are all (her/yours)	3
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C.	Strap me in your time mach Let the motors whirr Switch controls to speed of			3	
4.	How many owlets were in the (a) five	(b) two	(c) one		
3. <i>4</i>	Whom does 'she' refer to? (a) the grandmother How many evaluate were in the	(b) the mother owl	(c) the grandfather		
2.	Who left a mouse with its tail (a) the owlets	(b) the narrator	(c) the mother owl		
1.	Who is 'I' referred to in the above (a) the narrator	(b) the grandfather	(c) the mother owl		
B.	netting. Clearly, she had no	ne had left a mouse with its organization great trust in me as a parent		4	
1. 2. 3.	Who is 'he' referred to in the What was the sixth question? Which answer that he wrote was the wrote				
A.	"Out of the six questions set, he had answered the first question to his satisfaction but the second was doubtful. The third and fourth were satisfactory, while the fifth was clearly wrong."				
Q.14	·	ION D (LITERATURE) 25 marl write the answer choosing the			
Q.13 a) b) c)	Rearrange the given words storm the ship the damaged popular is very coffee many in painted beautiful the artist a	•	nce.	3	
e) f)	cows were grazing in the Ms. Gupta was half hour la	e field.			
b) c) d)	I lost one rupee coin yeste Mary is artist. Cut vegetables into sn				
Q.12 a)	Fill in the blanks with the a	ver.		3	
b) c) d) e) f)	The plane flew th Mary was born October. I sleep night. (in, at) I will study the morning. (Sam sat Tom ar	e Eiffel Tower. (under, over) (in, on) (at, in)			
Q.11 a)	Choose the correct preposition. There is a cup of coffee the table. (in, on)				
a) e) f)	I went to see the movie with _ This pen is not mine. It is	,	IS)		

Make my senses blur

- **1.** Name the poem from which the above lines are taken.
- **2.** Where does the poet want to be strapped?
- **3.** Who is 'me' referred to in the above extract?

Q.15 Answer any THREE of the following questions in 30 to 40 words.

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- **1.** How did the owlets become a part of the family?
- **2.** How did Swaminathan feel as soon as he stepped out of the examination hall? Why did he feel uneasy afterwards?
- **3.** Why were the narrator and the others taking shelter in a cave?
- 4. In the poem 'A Minor bird', what irritated the poet the most and why?

Q.16 Answer any ONE from the questions given below in 60 to 80 words.

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- **1.** Was the mother owl a good parent? Support your answer with the help of examples from the story.
- **2.** Describe the scene of the examination hall in the lesson 'Testing Times'.

End of the Question Paper.

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