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**INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT
MIDDLE SECTION
FIRST TERM EXAMINATION 2019-20**



ENGLISH

Code:MXEN12

CLASS: VI

Time Allotted: 2 ½ Hrs.

29.09.2019

Max .Marks: 80

SECTION A (READING)15 Marks

Qns Marks
1.

A. On the basis of your reading choose the correct option. ½ x4 = 2

- (i) Prafulla Chandra Ray was born on
 - a) 2 August,1861
- (ii) Ray had his early schooling in the village school founded by
 - a) his father.
- (iii) Madhusudan Dutt was widely regarded as
 - a) The Milton of Bengal
- (iv) Prafulla Chandra Ray at the age of nine shifted to the city of
 - a) Calcutta

- B. i) bustling 1/2x6= 3**
- ii) wonder
 - iii) illness
 - iv) worst
 - v) formal
 - vi) uneducated

C. Answer the questions in one sentence. 1x3=3 marks

- i) the cultural and intellectual leaders of the time
- ii) Ray's father Harish Chandra Ray
- iii) due to illness

2. A. Find words in the text that mean the same as - 1/2x4=2

- i) radiation
- ii) scientist
- iii) discover
- iv) arrive

B.i) True ii) False iii) False iv) True 1/2x4=2

C. i) Radiation is a type of energy that comes from the sun, but it is harmful to living beings 1x3=3

ii) scientist will use this information to make sure that when humans arrive on this planet, they have powerful space suits that keep them safe.

iii) Curiosity is a robot. It was sent to Planet Mars in 2012

SECTION B (WRITING) 18 MARKS

3. Write a factual description of a garden that you visited recently in not more than 50 words. Format 1 fluency 2 content 2 4

4. Given below are few jumbled sentences. Read them carefully, rearrange the given sentences and write a meaningful story. Write it as a paragraph. 4

The Clever Fox

2. Once, a fox was walking through a forest when it was picked up by an eagle.
3. He wriggled and managed to free himself from the eagle's grasp and fell on a tiny Island.
1. He discovered that he was alone on a tiny island.
5. He struck upon an idea to escape from the island and began to sing.
4. Many sea animals came to hear his song.
6. He told the sea animals that he was wondering whether the land or the sea has more animals.
7. He made them line up so he could count them.
8. The fox jumped over the sea creatures and reached home.

5. 4

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| 1. <u>MESSAGE</u> _____ |
| 2 <u>Date</u> |
| 3 <u>Time</u> |
| 4.Rohan |
| 5 <u>Himanshu</u> , |
| 6.He cannot go on picnic tomorrow |
| 7.His uncle is coming tomorrow |
| 8. Juhi |

6. Format 1 content 3 language and fluency 2 6
OR

SECTION C(GRAMMAR) 20 MARKS

7. 1. I 2. He /She 3. Itself 4. Yourself 5 These / those 6 theirs 3
8. 1 looks 2 are 3 sends 4 speaks 5 tells 6 teaches 3
9. 1 films 2 pens 3 theories 4 mosquitoes 5 photos 6 brushes 3
10. 1 The match begins at 5 pm. 3
 2 The masons were building this building.
 3 The examiners are marking the answer books.
11. 1 Meera says, ' I will go to the market'. 2
 2 Rohit told me that he was going to Mumbai and Pune .
12. **Fill in the blanks with suitable articles.** 3
 1 an 2 a 3 the
13. 1. Neeta and Shobhit are watching a film 3
 2 The robbers divided his money among themselves.
 3 Orpheus was a poet and a musician who lived in Greece

SECTION D(LITERATURE) 27 MARKS

14. **A. 'Enough is enough. It's better to go and live in the forest than to suffer fools. What can happen? I may get eaten by a tiger.'** 3
- 1) Bagha
 2) forest
 3) may be eaten by a tiger
- B. 'What sort of way is that to render justice? said the Caliph to himself.**
- 1) a)Cadi
 2) a) give 3
 3) b)There were no witnesses
- C.**
- 1) Habits 2) to keep in a grip like a chain or a prison 3) . a habit 3

15. 3
1.happy 2.crack , narrow opening 3. Serious 4. judge
5. injustice 6 dry
16. 9
1. A bar of Wonka’s Whipple Fudgemallow Delight . He liked eating the chocolate
2. The sun ... because it is due to the sun that the trees and plants bloom .It is the source of energy ... In winter or autumn when the sun rays are not strong the plants shed their leaves
3. Kanu chased Goopy away because Goopy sat in his shop and sang only one song repeatedly due to which his customers would run away . people stopped coming to his shop
4. Haroun Al raschid ... made the grand cadì .

17. **Answer any ONE from the questions given below in 60 to 80 words.** 6

Looked fat and well fed ... fat around his neck bulged out all round the top of his collar like a rubber ring ...was kind and caring towards Charlie

Told not to let anyone have the Golden ticket ... to take it straight home ... not to lose it and run all the way home and not stop till he reaches home

OR

Three cases ... first oil merchant and the porter. For gold coin . second was between the tailor and the writer for the Book of Learning ... third was between the lame old amn and the caliph

Asked to leave the coin with him ... put the coin in a glass of clear water for overnight ... next morning he observed that there were oil droplets on the surface of the water .. thus he understood that the coin rightly belonged to the oil merchant

Was ordered to offer his services free of charge to the oil merchant for a month