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कक्षा / CLASS-VI

अधिकतम अंक/Max. Marks: 60

विषय/Sub.: अंग्रेजी / ENGLISH

समय/Time: 2 ½ घंटे / Hrs.

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- (i) The question paper contains THREE sections:
- Section A: Reading
  - Section B: Grammar and Creative Writing Skills
  - Section C: Literature
- (ii) Attempt questions based on specific instructions for each part.

**SECTION A- READING (15 MARKS)**

**Q.1. Read the passage carefully.**

**8 Marks**

Manga is a popular form of storytelling that originated in Japan and is now read by people all over the world. Unlike regular storybooks, manga is usually read from right to left and uses black-and-white illustrations along with text. These drawings help readers understand emotions, actions, and settings clearly.

Many manga stories are about friendship, courage, hard work, and never giving up. Characters often face challenges, make mistakes, and grow stronger through their experiences. This makes manga relatable and inspiring for young readers. Manga also covers a wide range of genres such as adventure, sports, fantasy, and school life, so readers can easily find stories they enjoy.

Reading manga can help improve imagination and reading skills. The combination of pictures and words encourages readers to guess meanings and understand the story better. However, reading manga for too long can reduce outdoor playtime and cause eye strain. Some manga may also contain complex themes that are not suitable for all age groups.

Therefore, choosing age-appropriate manga and maintaining a balance between reading and other activities is important. When read thoughtfully, manga can be both educational and entertaining.

**Answer the following questions based on the above passage:**

i) Manga encourages readers to understand the story better by combining \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.  
(1M)

ii) Which statement is most suitable according to the passage? (1M)

- Manga should replace all other books.
- All manga is suitable for students.
- Manga can be educational if chosen wisely.
- Manga reduces imagination.

iii) Find a word from the passage that means “not appropriate”. (1M)

iv) Some parents feel that manga is only for entertainment and not useful for learning. Do you agree or disagree? Give two reasons from the passage to support your answer. (2M)

v) State whether the following statement is True or False. (1M)  
Manga stories only focus on fantasy and adventure.

vi) Why should readers choose age-appropriate manga? (1M)

vii) Assertion (A): Reading manga for too long can cause eye strain. (1M)

Reason (R): Manga is usually read from right to left.

- a) Both A and R are true and R explains A
- b) Both A and R are true but R does not explain A
- c) A is true but R is false
- d) A is false but R is true

**Q.2. Read the passage carefully.**

**7 Marks**

Games and sports are an important part of a student's life. They help children stay physically fit and mentally active. Outdoor games such as football, cricket, and kabaddi make the body strong and improve stamina. Indoor games like chess help children develop concentration and decision-making skills.

Apart from health benefits, sports teach important values. Players learn discipline, teamwork, and respect for rules. A sports person understands that winning is not everything; losing helps one learn from mistakes and try harder next time. Sports also help students manage stress and develop self-confidence.

In the modern world, many children prefer spending time on mobile phones rather than playing outside. This habit reduces physical activity and can affect both health and social skills. Therefore, schools and parents should motivate children to take part in games regularly.

Balancing studies and sports is essential. When students plan their time wisely, they can succeed in academics while enjoying the benefits of games. Thus, games and sports help in building a healthy body, a sharp mind, and a positive attitude.

**Answer the following questions based on the above passage:**

i) Which quality is NOT mentioned as a benefit of sports? (1M)

- a) Teamwork
- b) Discipline
- c) Self Control
- d) Confidence

ii) Assertion (A): Children should play games regularly. (1M)

Reason (R): Games help in reducing stress and improving confidence.

- a) Both A and R are true and R explains A
- b) Both A and R are true but R does not explain A
- c) A is true, R is false
- d) A is false, R is true

- iii) \_\_\_\_\_ is developed by playing chess. (1M)  
iv) Why is losing a match considered valuable? (1M)  
v) Find a word from the passage which does not mean 'unimportant'. (1M)  
vi) If your school reduces sports periods, how might it affect students? (2M)

**SECTION B: GRAMMAR & WRITING (20 MARKS)**

**Q.3. Attempt Any One of the following questions. 5M**

**A.** Write a paragraph on **Any One** of the following topics within 80-100 words.

- i) My Hobby      ii) Importance of Cleanliness      iii) Importance of Exercise

**OR**

**B.** Develop a story based on the given outline within 80-100 words and suggest a suitable title to the story.

The mice very unhappy-the cat killed many of them-held a meeting to discuss how to get rid of the cat-various suggestion - no plan practicable. Then a young mouse suggested that a bell should be tied round the cats' neck - all welcomed the proposal with joy - an old mouse stood up ? - asked who was going to tie the bell round the cat's neck?

**Q.4. Attempt Any One of the following questions. 5M**

**A.** Write an application to the principal of your school requesting him to grant you two days' leave to attend your uncle's marriage.

**OR**

**B.** You are Srikant Verma, a student of class VI-C of Blooming Dale Public School, Pune. You lost your English Textbook in the school premises. Giving details of the book, draft a notice (in about 50 words) to be put up on the school notice board. Announce a suitable reward for the finder. Put the notice in a box.

**Q.5. Fill in the blanks with suitable options from the box. (1X4 = 4)**

- i) \_\_\_ I borrow your pencil for a minute? ((will/ may/should)  
ii) He arrived \_\_\_\_\_ for the meeting. (*always/late/very*)  
iii) We enjoyed a \_\_\_\_\_ meal at the restaurant. (*nasty/bland/delicious/*)  
iv) She \_\_\_\_\_ a letter to her friend. (*wrote/ writing/written*)

**Q.6. Fill the blanks with suitable degree adjectives. (1/2 x 2 = 1M)**

- i) This book is \_\_\_\_\_ than the one we read yesterday. (*interesting*)  
ii) December is the \_\_\_\_\_ month of the year. (*cold*)

**Q.7. Add Suffix to the root words.**

**(1/2x 4 = 2M)**

- i) child      ii) quick      iii) develop      iv) happy

**Q. 8. Add prefix to the root words.**

**(1/2 x 4= 2M)**

- i) Write      ii) like      iii) understand      iv) virus

**Q.9. Rewrite the sentences with expanded form of the underlined words. (1/2\*2) = 1M**

- i) I won't be late for school.  
ii) We couldn't attend the function.

**SECTION C- LITERATURE (25 MARKS)**

**Q.10. Attempt Any One of the following extracts.**

**(1x4) = 4M**

**A. Read the extract and answer the following questions:**

Surprisingly, Prabhat could not sleep well that night. He had won the game but he did not feel as happy as he usually did. What was surprising was that Surya did not feel bad about losing. What was more surprising was that Prabhat saw Surya playing basketball the next day.

(i) How was Prabhat was feeling that night?

- (a) hurt  
(b) unhappy  
(c) afraid  
(d) focused

ii) Complete the analogy with ideas from the extract.

**Winning : Prabhat's restlessness :: Losing : \_\_\_\_\_.**

iii) What does Surya's playing basketball the next day show about his attitude?

iv) Which of the following statements is not true?

- A: Surya felt bad about losing the game.  
B: Prabhat was not happy after winning the game.

**OR**

**B. Read the extract and answer the following questions:**

Subhodayam! I am Balamurali from Andhra Pradesh. I want to tell you about the 400-year-old art of making toys in my village, Kondapalli. To make the toys, we take soft wood from the nearby hills. After that, we carve each part of the toy separately. Then, we use makku—

a paste of tamarind seed powder and sawdust to join the pieces together. Next, we add details and finish the toys. Finally, we use oil and water-colours or vegetable dyes and enamel paints to colour them. These toys are based on folk stories, animals, birds, bullock carts, rural life, etc.

i) Which material is used to join the parts of Kondapalli toys?

- a) glue and saw dust
- b) tamarind pulp powder and glue
- c) sawdust and tamarind seed powder
- d) Oil and makku

ii) Which of the following is NOT a theme of Kondapalli toys?

- a) animals and birds
- b) Village life
- c) Folk stories
- d) Jewellery designs

iii) Match the following and select the correct option:

<u>Column A</u>	<u>Column B</u>
A. Soft Wood	1. joining paste
B. Makku	2. colouring
C. Vegetable Dyes	3. 400 year old
D. Art Form	4. hills

- a) A-4, C-3, B-2, D-1
- b) A-2, C-4, D-1, B-3
- c) A-4, C-2, D-3, B-1
- d) A-2, B-2, C-3, D-4

IV) Are Kondapalli toys environment friendly? Give reason for your answer.

**Q.11. Attempt Any One of the following extracts. (4M)**

**A. Read the extract and answer the following questions:**

Up in the air  
 See the kites fly,  
 Like coloured birds  
 In the wind-whipped sky.

- i) Find a word from the extract that means “blown strongly by the wind.”
- ii) Why do you think the poet compares kites to birds?
- iii) The comparison between kites and birds uses the word “like”. This is an example of:
  - a) Metaphor
  - b) Simile
  - c) Personification
  - d) Alliteration
- iv) What feeling does the poem create when describing kites in the wind-whipped sky?
  - a) Fear
  - b) Joy
  - c) Anger
  - d) Confusion

**OR**

**B. Read the extract and answer the following questions:**

*I lived first in a little house,  
 And lived there very well,  
 I thought the world was small and round,  
 And made of pale, blue shell.*

- i) Fill in the blanks with words from the text:  
 The bird thought the world was \_\_u\_\_d\_\_ and \_\_m\_\_l\_\_.
- ii) Find a word from the extract which is the opposite of ‘huge’.
- iii) Identify the rhyme scheme of the stanza.
  - a) abab    b) abcb    c) aabb    d) abcd
- iv) Why do you think the bird imagines the world as a “pale, blue shell”?

**Q12. Attempt Any Four and answer the questions within 40 to 50 words. (3x4 = 12 M)**

- i) Who were the friends at the end? Give two examples to show that Gajaraj was very happy to have a friend.
- ii) How do we know that natural cures are passed from one generation to another? Why do you think we should know about the healing properties of spices?
- iii) Based on your reading of ‘The Unlikely Best Friends,’ what do you think is the difference between a friend and a caretaker?
- iv) How Yoga can improve heart health? When can our practice become a yogic practice?
- v) How did ‘new independence’ help Ila? Why was the first state exhibition an important event in Ila’s life?

**Q.13. Attempt Any One and answer the questions within 100 to 120 words. 5x1=5 M**

i) In the chapter 'Change of Heart', jealousy and pride caused problems until the character had a change of heart. What lesson does this give us about controlling negative emotions? Why is it important for us to admit our mistakes and correct them?

**OR**

ii) The Chapter 'Hamara Bharat: Incredible India', The chapter highlights India's rich heritage. How does learning about our heritage make us responsible citizens? Why is it important to respect different cultures and traditions?

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