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General Instructions:

i) The question-cum-answer booklet contains two Parts, **Part - A** & **Part - B**.

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- ii) **Part A** consists of 35 questions and **Part B** consists of 24 questions.
- iii) Space has been provided in the question-cum-answer booklet itself to answer the questions.
- iv) Follow the instructions given in Part A and write the correct answer in full in the space provided below each question.
- v) For **Part B** enough space for each question is provided. You have to answer the questions in the space provided.

PART – A

Four alternatives are given for each of the following questions / incomplete statements. Only one of them is correct or most appropriate. Choose the most appropriate alternative and write it in the space provided below each question.

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1.	Willia	am Morris was man.		
	(A)	funny	(B)	ordinary
	(C)	observant	(D)	wonderful.
	Ans.			
2.	The A	american who visited Mr. Regnier's sh	op w	ras
	(A)	left handed	(B)	playful
	(C)	serious	(D)	right handed.
	Ans.	:		
3.	Glint	of eagles means		
	(A)	sharp eyes	(B)	watchful eyes
	(C)	keen eyes	(D)	ordinary eyes.
	Ans.	:		

4.	The	other word used in the lesson 'Th	ie World i	n a Wall' for bulging is
	(A)	swollen	(B)	sagging
	(C)	convex	(D)	concave.
	Ans.	:		
5.	R. K.	. Narayan is a well known Indian	Novelist,	who writes in
	(A)	Kannada	(B)	Telugu
	(C)	Tamil	(D)	English.
	Ans.	:		0
6.	The	Corinth canal is in		0
	(A)	Africa	(B)	America
	(C)	Italy	(D)	Greece.
	Ans	÷	20	
7.		· or's mother promised to give Victo	or	if he behaves.
	(A)	cake	(B)	honey cake
	(C)	pineapple cake	(D)	fruit cake.
	Ans.	:		
8.	The	poet in the poem 'The Axe in	the Wood	d' says he saw the death cut down a
	thou	sand men in that tall lovely legac	ey of	
	(A)	wood	(B)	forest
	(C)	trees	(D)	forest animal.
	Ans.	:		
9.		inhabitants of the wall were m t workers.	ixed lot, a	and they were into day and
	(A)	divide	(B)	division
	(C)	divided	(D)	divisioning.
	Ans.	:		

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	(A)	witness	(B)	evidence
	(C)	answer	(D)	reason.
	Ans.	:		
11.	We ca	an form the opposite of 'respect' by a	dding	g the prefix
	(A)	im	(B)	mis
	(C)	dis	(D)	in.
	Ans.	:		
12.	He do	pesn't drive carefully,		
	Add a	a suitable question tag.		
	(A)	did he?	(B)	does he?
	(C)	doesn't he ?	(D)	didn't he ?
	Ans.	:	0	
13.	It wo	uld be to expect 15 rupee	s for	three unripe mangoes.
	(A)	scandal	(B)	scandalous
	(C)	scandalize	(D)	scandalising.
	Ans.			
14.	Stude	ents are to the weekend.		
	(A)	looking at	(B)	looking in
	(C)	looking forward	(D)	looking up.
	Ans.	:		
15.	Praka	ash is M.A. He is	so	n of a high school teacher.
	(A)	a, the	(B)	an, the
	(C)	the, the	(D)	a, a.
	Ans.	:		

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16.	How beautiful the place is									
	The	The correct punctuation mark to be used here is								
	(A)	question mark	(B)	exclamatory mark						
	(C)	hyphen	(D)	semi-colon.						
	Ans.	:								
17.	The	teacher appreciated the good w	ork of the	e students. The correct passive voice of						
	the s	sentence is								
	(A)	The good work of the students	was appre	eciate by the teacher						
	(B)	Students' good work was appre	ciated by	the teacher						
	(C)	Teacher appreciated the good w	vork of the	e students						
	(D)	Students were appreciated by t	the teache	r for their good work.						
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		:	.0							
18.	Whe	ther she comes not m	akes no d	ifference.						
	(A)	or	(B)	are						
	(C)	that	(D)	in.						
	Ans.	:								
19.	Pleas	se, help me to cross the road.								
	Here	the word 'please' indicates								
	(A)	request	(B)	order						
	(C)	command	(D)	admiration.						
	Ans.	:								
20.	In th	e poem 'The Other Time' they pi	nned the r	nedal, when he killed						
	(A)	a man in the fight	(B)	a man in the war field						
	(C)	general time	(D)	during the quarrel.						
	Ans.	:								

Ans.:

26. We go to school

Fill in the blank with an infinitive.

(A) to learn

(B) by learn

(C) of learn

(D) for learn.

Ans.:_____

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27.	The a	author of the poem 'Going Blind' is		
	(A)	Rainer Maria Rilke	(B)	Philip Callow
	(C)	Theodore Roethke	(D)	Peter Appleton.
	Ans.	:		
28.	Com	plete the following statement :		
	If I w	vere the principal		
	(A)	I would have made you my secretary	y	
	(B)	I would make you my secretary		
	(C)	I will make you my secretary		60,
	(D)	I could have made you my secretary		0
	Ans.	:		:10
29.		weet and dry was the ground as tobac	cco di	ust.
	The i	figure of speech employed here is	.0	
	(A)	simile	(B)	metaphor
	(C)	personification	(D)	alliteration.
	Ans.	:		
30.	He w	as born in an affluent family.		
	Here	'affluent' means		
	(A)	rich educated :	(B)	generous
	(C)	educated	(D)	intelligent.
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0.1	Ans.	:		
31.	How	dare you my box?		
	The	correct preposition to be used in the a	above	sentence is
	(A)	are open	(B)	to open
	(C)	for open	(D)	in opening.
	Ans.	:		

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McManus treated George as his enemy

George quarrelled with McManus.

Ans.:

(C)

(D)

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PART – B

36.	Quote from memory:	4
	From here	
	damp	
	to run	
	again.	
Ansv	wer the following questions in <i>two</i> or <i>three</i> sentences each :	
37.	Where did William Morris look for the ring as the girl was going out? What did	l he
	find?	2
38.	Why did Butcher think of going to Ford as soon as the ploughshare stuck into earth?	the
	4.	
39.	"You seem to be an extraordinary idiot."	3
	a) Who is the 'you'?	
	b) Why did the author call him an extraordinary idiot?	

11 55-E 44. Who was Victor? What kind of boy was he? 2 Why did Swami's father refuse to tell him whether mangoes were ripe or not? 45. 2 What was the result of Scorpions bringing to the house finally on the writer? 46. 2 Answer the following questions in about 5 to 6 sentences each : 47. Summarise the poem 'Going Blind'. 4

48.	How did James Herriot look after Amber in her last days?
49.	Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions : $2 \times 1 = 2$
	He was born Ramanathapura, a village Karnataka.
50.	Fill in the blanks with correct tense forms of the verbs given in the brackets : $2 \times 1 = 2$
	Imagine that you (travel) in a crowded compartment. One of the passengers (read) a newspaper.
	passengers (Teau) a newspaper.
	Fill in the blank with withh a serious diana.
51.	Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions: $2 \times 1 = 2$
	a) Latha worked very hard she couldn't pass.
	b) you work hard you will earn a lot.
	b) you work hard you win carri a lot.

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Fill i	$2 \times 1 = 2$	
a)		
b)	English is interesting language.	
Cha	nge into indirect speech :	2
The	voice said, "Nakula, answer my questions and then drink water."	
Com	abine the sentences into one simple sentence :	2 × 1 = 2
a) 	I was walking along the street. I saw a cobra.	
b)	I have some work. I must do it today evening.	
	a) b) Cha The	b) English is interesting language. Change into indirect speech: The voice said, "Nakula, answer my questions and then drink water." Combine the sentences into one simple sentence: a) I was walking along the street. I saw a cobra.

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55.	Write a paragraph using the clues:
	Boy set to guard sheep — told to cry "wolf!" if he sees a wolf near the flock — watches the sheep for several days — gets tired of the monotonous work — so one day shouts "wolf!" as a joke — all the villagers hasten to his help — they find no wolf — boy laughs at them — villagers angry — plays the same joke a few days later — some villagers take no notice, some came running — finding nothing, they beat the boy — at last wolf really comes — boy is terrified and shouts "wolf! wolf!" — villagers take no notice — wolf kills several sheep.
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	Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:
	One day Sardar Patel was arguing a case before the judge with utmost concentration. He was still on his feet. When an urgent telegram was handed over to him, he glanced at the contents, folded it and put it in his pocket. It was only when he concluded his argument and sat down that those who were near him learnt about the content of the telegram. It said, his wife was dead.
56.	What was Sardar Patel doing when he received the telegram? What was the content of the telegram?
57.	What does this incident show about Patel?

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58.	Writ	te an essay in about a page on any <i>one</i> of the following:	5
	i)	Importance of celebrating national festivals	
	ii)	The problems of dowry system	
	iii)	Evils of drinking.	
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59.

Assume that you are Aravind / Vidya of Shimoga. Write a letter to your father requesting him to send Rs.3000 to join school excursion. 5 OR Write a letter to the editor of a newspaper about dog's menace in your area.