

ST. ARNOLD'S CENTRAL SCHOOL, PUNE
TERM -1 EXAMINATION, 2018-19
SUBJECT – ENGLISH

STD: V

M.M: 50

1. Read the following passage carefully: (8)

1. Puppetry is an ancient form of theatre and entertainment practised mostly in rural India. It is a combination of several art forms like sculpture, painting, designing, acting, writing and music. It is an art which enchants children as well as adults.
2. A large variety of raw materials are used to create puppets. The famous puppets of Rajasthan are made out of wood and are known as Kathputli. Leather, papier-mâché, and stuffed cloth are also frequently used to make puppets.
3. Puppets may be classified according to the materials they are made from or the methods of manipulating them, that is, the means used by the puppeteer to make the puppet move, for example, hand puppet, string puppet, rod puppet and shadow theatre. In India, puppets are regarded as divine and held in reverence by the puppeteer. After they become old and worn out, they are not discarded but kept at home like aging relatives.

1.1 Answer the following questions given below: (1x3=3)

- a) What do you mean by the term 'puppetry'?
- b) How are puppets classified?
- c) Why are puppets of Rajasthan called 'Kathputli'?

1.2 Complete the following statement: (1x1=1)

- a) Puppeteers are so attached to their puppets that _____.

1.3 Find words from the passage which mean the following: (1x2=2)

- a) to throw away (para 3)
- b) very often (para 2)

1.4 Make a sentence of your own with each of the words given below: (1x2=2)

- a) entertainment
- b) designing

2. On the outline given below develop a story: (4)

A hungry boy- mango tree- jumped high to reach mangoes- not successful- monkey on the tree- boy threw a stone at monkey-monkey threw mangoes at boy-collected mangoes-boy thanked monkey-happily went home.

3. Write a letter to your friend inviting him / her for a picnic organized by your family. (5)

4. Do as directed: (1x10=10)

- a) A _____ of wolves surrounded the rabbits. (Use a suitable collective noun)
- b) My grandmother gave me a piece of (advice / patience). Circle the correct abstract noun from the bracket
- c) My fathers office is near my grandmothers shop. (Use apostrophes (') wherever required)
- d) There are lots of dusts in the classroom. (Rewrite the sentence correctly)
- e) My mother has two nephews who live in Chennai. (Rewrite the sentence replacing the opposite gender)
- f) He hurt ____ while playing the cricket match.(Fill in the blanks with a suitable reflexive pronoun)
- g) The bookseller **sold** some books to the boy. (Write whether the verb in bold is transitive or intransitive)
- h) Ice is (warm / cold), but steam is hot.
(Circle the suitable adjectives in the given option)
- i) We reached at the party very late. (Underline the adverb of time and circle the verb)
- j) Himalayas lie to north of India. (Insert articles wherever necessary and rewrite the sentence)

5. Rearrange the words to form meaningful sentences: (1x2=2)

- a) went / tina / the / for / picnic /
- b) Gopal / honest / is / an / man /

6. Complete the following by filling the correct form of adjectives: (1x2=2)

Positive	Comparative	Superlative
a) difficult	_____	_____
b) _____	_____	heaviest

7. Read the following extract and answer the following questions:

7.1) "I would like to taste the olives in Ali's jar" (1x3=3)

- a) Who said this to whom?
- b) Why did he want to taste the olives?
- c) What did he discover when he tasted the olives?

7.2) 'And there diffused its sweet perfume'
Within the silent shade. (1x2=2)

- a) What does 'diffused its sweet perfume' mean?
- b) Why does the poet use the word 'silent' to describe the shade?

8. Answer the following questions in 30-40 words:

(2x3=6)

- a) What was the first question that Akbar asked Birbal? What did Birbal reply?
- b) What were the difficulties that Louis faced while reading the books meant for the blind at his school?
- c) Why did the Sheriff want Little John to join his service?

9. Answer the following questions in 80 – 100 words:

(4x2=8)

- a) Who was Ali? How did Ali prepare himself before leaving for Mecca?
- b) Why do you think it is necessary to protect nature?