

ST. ARNOLD'S CENTRAL SCHOOL, PUNE
TERM -2 EXAMINATION, 2017-18
SUBJECT – ENGLISH

STD: V

M.M: 50

1. Read the following passage carefully:

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1. We must take proper care of our hair. Healthy hair looks beautiful and makes us feel good. It is important to keep our hair clean by washing it regularly with soap or shampoo. This removes the dirt and dust and prevents scalp infections. To have healthy hair, we must eat a balanced diet, which provides nourishment to our hair and skin. We should eat lots of green leafy vegetables, fresh fruits and cereals.
2. Consumption of amla juice, ashgourd juice, pumpkin and coconut water enhances hair growth. Vitamin B6 found in cereals and egg yolk, helps to prevent dandruff. Vitamin B12 helps to prevent hair loss and can be found in fish, eggs, chicken and milk. We should avoid the intake of maida (fine flour) and deep fried dishes, sweets made of white sugar, soft drinks, tea and coffee. If we follow a healthy regime of yoga and breathing exercises, we can enjoy healthy hair for a long time as it slows down the process of graying and ageing.

1.1 Answer the following questions given below:

(1x3=3)

- a) How does using shampoo help in maintaining hair hygiene?
- b) State any two means by which we can enhance hair growth?
- c) Why should we follow a healthy routine for our hair?

1.2 Complete the following statement:

(1x1=1)

- a) A balanced diet provides _____.

1.3 Find words from the passage which mean the following:

(1x2=2)

- a) improves (para 2)
- b) a particular way of doing something (para 2)

1.4 Make a sentence of your own with each of the words given below:

(1x2=2)

- a) intake
- b) cereal

2. Write a paragraph on the topic 'The Importance of Obeying Traffic Rules' in about 100 - 120 words.

(4)

3. Write a leave application to the Principal of your school asking permission for four days leave to go out of station to attend a family function. (4)

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

- a) The books of Mary are on the table. (Rewrite the sentence using the possessive form of the underlined words)
- b) The girl's bedroom is very tidy. (Change the sentence into plural)
- c) Rita has promised that _____ will visit me this evening. (Fill in the blank with a suitable **Personal Pronoun**)
- d) Mr. Gupta is _____ (rich) than all my friends. (Use the **Comparative degree of adjective** in bracket)
- e) He is the _____ (wise) of all men in the village. (Use the correct form of **Adjective** in the bracket)
- f) They _____ (walk) towards the market. (Fill in the blank by using **Past Continuous Tense** of the Verb given in bracket)
- g) Ashok wins the first prize. (Rewrite the sentence changing the verb to **Simple Past Tense**)
- h) The grocer sells sugar. (Change the sentence from **Active into Passive Voice**)
- i) Suman (will be taking / takes) dance lessons next Friday. (Choose the correct form of the **Verb** in the bracket)
- j) Gopal said, "Bali is working hard." (Change the sentence into **Indirect Speech**)

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

- a) dreams / like / some / are / reality
- b) immediately / letter / this / please / to / reply

6. Pick out the Direct and Indirect Objects in these sentences and write them under the right heading: (1x2=2)

	Indirect Object	Direct Object
a) The President awarded John a gold medal.	_____	_____
b) Mona told Peter a story.	_____	_____

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

7.1 "Do you see that? That's your very own humph that you've brought upon yourself by

not working. Today is Thursday, and you've done no work since Monday, when the work began. Now you are going to work." (1 x 3 = 3)

- a) Who said these words and to whom?
 - b) How did the animal get its hump?
 - c) From which lesson is the above extract taken?
- 7.1 " Long, long afterwards, in an oak
I found the arrow, still unbroken;
And the song, from beginning to end,
I found again in the heart of a friend." (1 x 3 = 3)
- a) Who is the poet of the above extract?
 - b) Why was the arrow not broken?
 - c) Where did the poet find the song?
8. Answer the following questions in 30-40 words: (2x3=6)
- a) Who according to the poem 'The Victor' wins the life's battle in the end?
 - b) Why was camel given a hump?
 - c) How do people believe about the origin of Angel Hair?
9. Answer the following questions in 80 – 100 words: (4x2=8)
- a) What happened when the pirates took Gulliver's ship?
 - b) Louis Braille was a visually challenged person but he was determined to work hard and be successful in life. What qualities about him do you admire and why?