

**I. Four alternatives are given for each of the following question/incomplete statements. Only one of them is correct or most appropriate. Choose the alternative and write the complete answer along with its letter of alphabet.** **4x1=4**

1. My wife prepares food. The passive voice form of the given statement is
  - a. Food is prepared by my wife
  - b. Food is being prepared by my wife
  - c. Food has been prepared by my wife
  - d. Food is being prepared by my wife
2. She has written a story. The correct question tag to be added to the given statement
  - a. had she?
  - b. is she?
  - c. has she?
  - d. hasn't she?
3. I went to market to buy vegetable. The infinite verb in the given line is
  - a. to market
  - b. to buy
  - c. went
  - d. vegetables
4. "You should consult a doctor." Identify the language function.
  - a. advice
  - b. suggestion
  - c. order
  - d. Command

**II. Do as directed.**

**12x1=12**

5. Fill in the blanks with appropriate tense form of the verbs given in the bracket.  
Mohan is my friend. He \_\_\_\_\_ (be+work) in the post office.
6. Fill in the blanks with appropriate preposition.  
Congratulations were showered \_\_\_\_\_ Swami next day.
7. Give one-word answer. - To breathe in a noisy way.
8. Choose the appropriate auxiliary verb to fill in the blank.  
Shilpa \_\_\_\_\_ (have/has) presented a pen to her friend.
9. Fill in the blank with a suitable linker.  
Charvi is very active \_\_\_\_\_ Chandana is lazy.
10. Write the opposite of the underlined word in the given sentence.  
There are merits and \_\_\_\_\_ of mobiles
11. Frame a question to get the underlined words as answer.  
The box is on the table.
12. Change the following underlined sentence into reported speech.  
Ajith: Shalini, what is your profession?  
Shalini: I am a teacher.
13. Fill in the blank with appropriate articles.  
We are going to school by \_\_\_\_\_ auto.
14. Combine the word in column A with its Collocate word in B.  

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>
Key	(group, drive, remote, bunch)
15. Which one of the following word has two syllables?  
Quiz, accept, primary, direction
16. Change the following sentence into superlative degree.  
Shakespeare was greater than many other dramatists.

**III. Following paragraph has two errors. Using clues edit and rewrite it.**

**1x2=2**

17. There had been a accident whom he went hiking with his brother inder.

- a. Correct article to be used.
- b. Capital letter to be used.

**IV. Answer the following in two three sentences**

**7x2=14**

18. Why did Baleshwar revisit the spot where Roma had fallen?

19. What was frightful preposition for Swami?

20. Americans were willing to pay double the amount, but Anselmo was not ready to take. Why?

21. How can you say that Ambedkar had a great thirst for books when he was a student?

22. As silence deepened in the room what was Swami reminded off?

23. Babu and Manju were a bit disappointed with the way students were marching. Why?

OR

Why had Patil, the sub-inspector come to Mohan's house?

24. Mention any two events to show that Dicky Dolma had a tragic child hood?

OR

How had Dolma described her preparations for the task of scaling Mt. Everest?

**V. Answer the following questions in five to six sentences each.**

**2x3=6**

25. Narrate Swami's dreadful experience when he was lying under the bench.

26. Write the summary of the poem "The Song of India."

**VI. Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow.**

**4x3=12**

27. "It is disgraceful sleeping beside his granny or mother."

- a. Who made this statement?
- b. Who slept beside his granny or mother?
- c. Why did he sleep beside her?

28. "Chacha can I borrow your mobile?"

- a. Who wanted the mobile?
- b. Who is the 'chacha' here?
- c. Why did he want the mobile?

29. "These Americans are Buena gente."

- a. What is the meaning of 'Buena gente'?
- b. Why did the speaker called so?
- c. Who is the speaker?

30. "You cannot put a fence around the planet earth."

- a. Which poem is this line taken from?
- b. Who is the speaker?
- c. What does the statement say about the speaker?

**VII. Given below is a profile. Write a paragraph using the clues given below.**

**1x3=3**

31. Name: P.T.Usha

Born : 27th June 1964

Nationality : Indian

Other names : Payyoli Express, Golden girl

Known for : Track and Express field athlete

Employed : Indian railways

Awards : Padmashri

**VIII. Develop the story using clues given below.**

**1x3=3**

32. An old woman-greedy-a goose in her house-golden egg-every day sold-her living-become very rich though-hundreds of golden eggs-its stomach-killed only one egg lost what she had.

**IX. Study the picture given below.**

**1x3=3**

33 Write a description or an account of what the picture suggests to you in a paragraph.



**X. Quote from memory.**

**1x4=4**

34. The quality \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ takes.

**XI. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow.**

**2x2=4**

35. The great Saint Teresa wished to have a torch in her right hand and a vessel of water in her left. So that with the one she might burn the glories of heaven, and with the other extinguish the fires of hell and men might learn to serve god from love without fear of hell and without the temptation of heavenly bliss.

- a. Who is the paragraph about? Why did she hold a torch in her right hand?
- b. What was Saint Teresa's message to humanity?

**XII. Answer the following questions in about 8-10 sentences.**

**1x4=4**

36. Summarize the poem "Grandma Climbs a Tree."

OR

What is the mother Earth trying to convey in the poem, I am the Land?

**XIII. Write an essay on any one of the following.**

**1x4=4**

- 37. a) Covid-19
- b) Newspaper
- c) Uses of Internet

**XIV. Write a letter using the information given below.**

**1x5=5**

38. Imagine that you are Anand / Anjali of X standard, studying in Vidyashree school, Bengaluru. Write a letter to your headmaster requesting him to issue your study certificate. Give reasons.

OR

Write a letter to your father about your progress in studies.