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**Assessment - March 2024 Model Paper**

**Class : 9**

**Second Language English**

**Marks : 80**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Information to be filled by the Student**

Name of the Student : \_\_\_\_\_

Student SATS No : 

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Signature  
of the Student : \_\_\_\_\_

**Information to be filled by the Room Invigilator**

School DISE Code : 

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School Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Cluster : \_\_\_\_\_ Block : \_\_\_\_\_ District : \_\_\_\_\_

School Type : Govt.  Aided  Un-aided

(Put "✓" mark for applicable information)

Signature of the Room Invigilator : \_\_\_\_\_

**Information to be filled by the Evaluator at the time of evaluation**

Question Number	Obtained Marks	Question Number	Obtained Marks	Question Number	Obtained Marks
1		14		27	
2		15		28	
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11		24		37	
12		25		38	
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Total marks obtained (in words) : \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of the Evaluator : \_\_\_\_\_



4. Jean Valjean fed on filth for nineteen years.

Choose the correct meaning for the underlined word.

- A) bread  
B) fish  
C) dirty food  
D) rice

Answer :  \_\_\_\_\_

II Do as directed :

12 x 1 = 12

5. Pick out the word that does not belong to the set.

victory      success      defeat      win

\_\_\_\_\_

6. Combine the word in Column-A with its collocative word in Column-B

A

B

launch -                      [ cards, coins, leaders, satellite ]

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7. Choose the infinitive given in the sentence.

He began to feel terribly drowsy.

\_\_\_\_\_

8. Frame the question to get underlined word as an answer.

Rihan was eating the chocolates.

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9. Fill in the blank with correct tense form of the verb given in the brackets:

The Pandavas \_\_\_\_\_ (defeat) the Kauravas in the battle.

\_\_\_\_\_

**10. Choose the correct homophone and complete the statement.**

When I went behind a tree, I saw a \_\_\_\_\_ . (deer, dear)

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**11. Write the correct form of the word given in brackets.**

The judge said that only fresh evidence would make him change his \_\_\_\_\_ . (judge)

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**12. Identify the figure of speech used in the given sentence :**

Suddenly the black night showed it's teeth in a flash of lightning.

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**13. Combine the following sentences using the conjunction given in the brackets.**

Varsha ran fast.  
She could not come first. (but)

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**14. Change the statement from active to passive voice.**

Rama killed Ravana in Ramayana

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**15. Replace the underlined word with correct phrasal verb.**

We started our journey towards Hampi.  
(set up, set out, set down, set in)

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**16. Change the given statement into negative.**

Ranga is coming to school today.

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**III The following statement has two errors. Correct the sentence using the given clues: 2 x 1 = 2**

**17. a panch knows no friend or enemy but only justise**

**a) spelling correction**

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**b) Capital letters to be corrected.**

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**IV**

**7 x 2 = 14**

**18. Read the following paragraph and answer the questions that follow :**

“Remember then, there is only one time that is important and that time is ‘Now’. It is the most important time because it is the only time we have any power to act.

“The most necessary person is the person you are with at a particular moment. The most important business is to do that person good, because we are sent into this world for that purpose alone.”

**a) Why ‘now’ is the most important time ?**

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**b) What is the most important business for a person to do ?**

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**19. Read the following conversation and answer the questions that follow :**

Ravi : Doctor, I'm not well.  
Doctor : Please lie down on this table. (examines and checks temperature) You've a severe cold. You've fever also.  
Ravi : Have I? I've taken some medicines, but to no avail.  
Doctor : Who gave you those medicines?  
Ravi : The pharmacist.  
Doctor : Shouldn't accept such medicines Ravi. It's not good. You should always consult a doctor before you start taking medicines. Don't ever go for self medication.

**a) The person who sells medicines in the shop (Give one word from the conversation)**

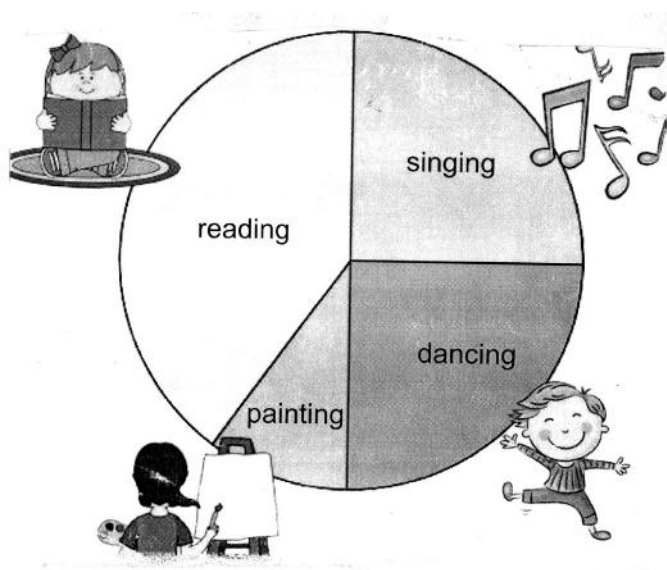
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**b) Why did Ravi consult the doctor ?**

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**20. Manju's friends voted their favorite pass time hobbies. The result is as follows :**



Read the picture carefully and answer the questions that follow:

a) What hobby is liked most in the voting ?

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b) What hobbies got same number of votes ?

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21. Read the given advertisement carefully and answer the questions that follow :

**KIDZEE RAMNAGARIA**  
**SUMMER CAMP 2019**

**Activities**

DANCE  
SINGING  
KARATE  
ART & CRAFT  
WALL HANGING  
PAPER CRAFT  
BAG MAKING  
POT DECORATION  
KIDS ORIENTATION  
STONE DECORATION  
ETC.....

★ From 13th May to 30th May

0141-2506711  
7891618103

Age Group 3 to 10

Venue : A-144 Main Ramnagaria Road  
JDA Scheme Jagatpura Jaipur

a) Which age group was summer camp 2019 organized for ?

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b) How many activities were included in the Kidzee Ramnagaria Summer Camp 2019 ?

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**22. Read the following stanza and answer the questions that follow:**

A stranger came one night to Yussouf's tent,  
Saying, "Behold one outcast and in dread.  
Against whose life the bow of power is bent,  
Who flies, and hath not where to lay his head;  
I come to thee for shelter and for food,  
To Yussouf, called through all our tribes, "The Good."

**a) Who came to Yussouf's tent one night ?**

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**b) Why did the stranger come to Yussouf ?**

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**23. Read the passage and answer the questions that follow :**

Finally a simple old woman came to see the king. The exhausted prime minister brought her into the royal bed chamber

The simple old woman peered into the king's face for a long time. Then she said, "Your majesty, you are suffering from a strange and rare disease. So rare and strange, that no name exists for it."

"There, I knew it," cried the king in glee. "I kept telling all of them, the fools, that I'm a sick man."

**a) Who brought the simple old woman to the royal bed chamber?**

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**b) What did the simple old woman say to the king ?**

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**24. Read the given passage and answer the following questions :**

The opening batsmen put on thirty runs without being separated. The visiting fast bowlers couldn't do much. Then the spin bowlers came on, and immediately there was a change in the game. Two wickets fell in one over, and the score was thirty-three for two. Suraj made a few quick runs, then he too was out to one of the spinners, caught behind the wicket. And it was Ranji's turn.

He walked slowly to the wicket. The bowler took a short run and then the ball was twirling towards Ranji.

And then a thrill ran through Ranji's arm as he felt the ball meet the bat.

CRACK! The ball, hit firmly with the middle of Ranji's bat, streaked past the helpless bowler and sped towards the boundary. Four runs!

**a) How did the game change when the spin bowlers came in ?**

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**b) What was the result when a thrill ran through Ranji's arm ?**

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**V Answer the following question in 5-6 sentences each.**

**2 x 3 = 6**

**25. Write a message reading the telephone conversation given below:**

- Bank Manager : Can you connect me to Mr. Prakash ?  
Office Receptionist : Sorry Sir, he has gone out for the field work.  
Bank Manager : When he comes back, ask him to meet me at Brindavan Hotel at 5 O'clock along with the Annual Report.

Office Receptionist : Ok, sure sir. Thank you.

Dear Prakash,
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**26. Sentences given below are the steps to a simple meditation.**

**Re-arrange them in the correct sequence :**

- a) Take a deep breath in through the nose.
- b) Release through the mouth.
- c) Repeat step three to five.
- d) Hold for three seconds.
- e) Find yourself a comfortable seat.
- f) Sit with your back straight, shoulders relaxed.

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**VI Read the following texts and answer the questions that follow :**

**4 x 3 = 12**

**27.** “What is the greatest wonder in the world?”

“Every day men see creatures depart to Yama’s abode and yet, those who remain, seek to live forever. This verily is the greatest wonder.”

Thus, the Yaksha posed many questions and Yudhistira answered them all.

In the end the Yaksha asked, “O king, one of your dead brothers can now be revived. Whom do you want revived? He shall come back to life.”

**a) Who posed many questions to Yudhistira ?**

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**b) What is the opposite of life ?**

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**c) What was the reward granted to Yudhistira at the end ?**

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**28.** The King put on ordinary clothes and went to meet the hermit. Before he reached the hermit’s hut, the king left his horse with his bodyguard and went alone.

As the king came near the hermit’s hut, he saw the hermit digging the ground in front of his hut. He greeted the king and continued digging.

**a) Who did the king meet ?**

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**b) What was the hermit doing when the king came to meet him?**

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**c) A person who lives alone and leads a simple life.**

**(Give one word from the extract)**

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**29.** The Panchayat was held under the old banyan tree. Jumman stood up and said, “The voice of the panch is the voice of God. Let my aunt nominate the head Panch. I will abide by her decision.” “I nominate Algu Chowdhary as the Panch. The Panch knows neither enemy nor friend.” stated the lady.

**a) Where was the Panchayat held ?**

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**b) According to Jumman which is the voice of God ?**

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**c) Who was nominated as the Panch by Jumman ?**

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**30.** Upagupta, the disciple of Buddha, lay asleep in the dust by the city wall of Mathura. Lamps were all out, doors were all shut and stars were all hidden by the murky sky of August.

**a) Who was the disciple of Buddha ?**

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**b) Where did Upagupta lay asleep ?**

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**c) What had happened to stars ?**

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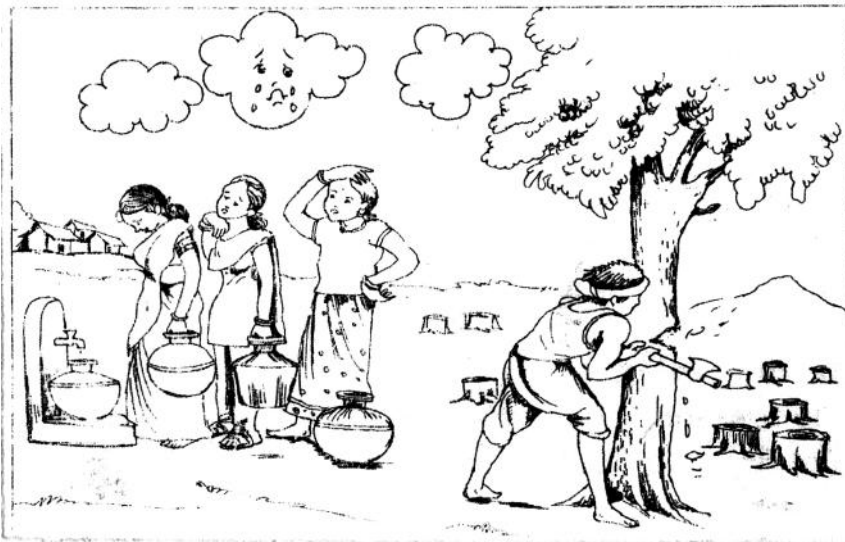
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**IX Study the picture given below :**

**1 x 3 = 3**

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



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**X Read the given text and answer the questions that follows :**

**1 x 4 = 4**

**34. Believe in yourself**

No matter what you choose.

Keep a winning attitude

And you can never lose.

Think about your destination

But don't worry if you stray

Because the most important thing

Is what you've learned along the way.

**a) What attitude we should always have ?**

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**b) Write a pair of rhyming words from the given poem.**

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**c) What is the most important thing along the way ?**

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**d) What do we have to do, when we go stray ?**

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

**1 x 4 = 4**

A child playing on the street was hit by a speeding vehicle. The child was lying in a pool of blood. It was shifted to a hospital.

The doctors who examined the child told its parents that the child needed immediate blood transfusion and they must arrange for four bottles of blood immediately.

The eager parents offered good money for buying blood. Many young men did give blood but none accepted the money offered. They bluntly told the parents that blood could not be bought with money and that it should be donated by one person to another.

- a) **What was the instruction given by the doctors to the parents after examining the child ?**

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- b) **Many young men gave blood but none accepted the money. Why?**

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**XII Answer the following question in about 8-10 sentences :**

**1 x 4 = 4**

**36. Read the given poem and summarize it in your own words.**

**The Fox and the Grapes.**

One summer's day a Fox was passing through

An orchard; faint he was and hungry, too.

When suddenly his keen eye chanced to fall

Upon a bunch of grapes above the wall.

"Ha! Just the thing !" he said, "who could resist it ?"

He eyed the purple cluster-jumped-and missed it.

"Ahem !" he coughed. "I'll take more careful aim."

And sprang again. Results were much the same,







**XIV. Write a letter using the information given below: 1 x 5 = 5**

**38. Imagine you are Suman/Suma studying in Government High School, Harihara.**

**Write a letter to your father asking him to send Rs.1,000/- to the school trip.**

**OR**

**Write a letter to the Head master, requesting him/her to issue your Transfer Certificate (TC).**

