

BUDHA DAL PUBLIC SCHOOL, PATIALA
FIRST TERM EXAMINATION (SEPTEMBER 2024)
SUBJECT - ENGLISH
CLASS - 5 SET - B

Time – 3 hrs

M.M – 80

Section-A (Reading Section)

10 marks

1. Read the passage carefully :

There was an old king who liked to ride his elephant to town just after sunrise.

After the rides, he would send the elephant to its trainer and his wife, who would bathe and feed it.

One day, the king fell ill and his son decided to sell the elephant to the circus. The elephant was very sad.

Its trainer said, 'Don't be sad. You will be taught many tricks, and you will be happy to see children who will love you.'

True enough, as soon as he entered the ring, the children clapped their hands and called out to him. Everybody loved the elephant and he was happy travelling across the country with the circus.

On one of his trips, he arrived at his old hometown. His wish to see his trainer and the king grew stronger everyday. One day, he ran away from the circus and reached the palace. He was shocked to see it broken and empty. The elephant turned back and tears rolled down his eyes.

Suddenly, he heard someone calling out his name. He looked back and saw his trainer. Immediately, he ran towards him, lifted him onto his back and went back to the circus. Everybody was happy to see the elephant. The trainer joined the circus and helped in training the other elephants.

1. Answer the following questions :

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- a) Where would the king send the elephant after the rides?
- b) What did the king's son decide when his father fell ill?

2. Fill in the blanks :

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- a) When the elephant entered the ring, the _____clapped their hands .
- b) The elephant was happy _____across the country .
- c) The elephant wished to see his _____ .

3. Match the words with their correct meanings :

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Column A

Column B .

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|-------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. trainer | a) unexpectedly |
| 2. shocked | b) coach |
| 3. suddenly | c) felt upset and surprised |

4. Write the opposite of these words from the passage :

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- a) buy – (b) hate –

Section – B (Literature)

25 marks

2. Write the meanings :

(5)

- a) mused (b) whack (c) quit d) nurtured e) fluttered

3. Make sentences :

(3)

- a) driving b) helpful c) invited

4. Question -Answers :

(2x5=10)

- a) How did the Galaxy Guide help?
- b) What happened when Uncle Ken tried turning and driving back?
- c) What does the story of Thimmakka teach us?
- d) Where did Frank open a stall of Popsicle?
- e) Why did the short walk to home seem endless to Jahan?

5. Fill in the blanks:

(1 x 4 = 4)

- a) The walls of Thimmakka's home have many certificates and _____.
- b) The Popsicle Man stood with his brightly painted _____ halfway to Jahan's home.
- c) The meteor hit the _____.
- d) Frank mixed some _____ soda water with a wooden stirrer.

6. Reference to context:

(2 +1=3)

“Who has seen the wind ?

Neither I nor you:

But when the leaves hang trembling,

The wind is passing through.”

Answer the following questions:

- a) Write the name of the poem and the poet.
- b) Find the word from the above stanza that means ‘shaking slightly’.

Section – C (Grammar and Vocabulary)

30 marks

7. Identify the different types of sentences as assertive, interrogative, imperative or exclamatory:

(1 x 3 = 3)

- a) What a beautiful rose garden !
- b) Go back to your seat.
- c) I am not feeling well today.

8. Rewrite the following sentences as interrogative sentences:

(1 x 3 = 3)

- a) My mother bakes yummy cakes.
- b) The girls talk a lot in class .
- c) The police caught the thief.

9. Underline the subject in the following sentences:

(1 x 3 = 3)

- a) The books and the magazines were on the table.
- b) The children have a holiday tomorrow .
- c) The customer was rude to the shopkeeper .

10. Write synonyms of the following words:

(2× 1= 2)

- a) annual b) forgive

11. Rewrite the following sentences correctly:

(4×1=4)

- a) A herd of cattle graze in the field.
b) Suman and Riya wants to buy this house.
c) The Taj Mahal was in Agra.
d) Jack is not well yesterday.

12. Form the opposites of the given words by using the correct prefixes from the box:

[un-, in-, ir-, mis-, dis-]

(4×1/2 =2)

- a) visible b) regular c) fair d) lead

13. Fill in the blanks with is, am, are, was, were, has, have or had :

(6×½=3)

- a) There ____ seven days in a week.
b) It ____ raining yesterday.
c) My mother ____ a great cook.
d) Riya and Priya ____ in Paris last month.
e) They ____ a wonderful holiday in Europe last year.
f) Both the twins ____ black eyes.

14. Fill in the blanks with the correct degree of adjectives given in the brackets: (6×½=3)

- a) He is the ____ player of the team.(good)
b) This exercise is ____ than that. (easy)
c) Daksh is a ____ boy. (clever)
d) Naveen is the ____ boy in the class. (intelligent)
e) Chennai is ____ than Mumbai. (hot)
f) It is a very ____ knife. (sharp)

15. Fill in the blanks with collective nouns:

(4 x ½=2)

- a) Your clothes are in the ____ of drawers.
b) The ____ of sailors boarded the ship.
c) The ____ of players lifted the winning trophy .
d) He is the member of the ____ of directors.

16. Complete the sentences by forming abstract nouns from the words given in the brackets:

(4 x ½=2)

- a) _____ is the best medicine. (laugh)
- b) A little _____ is a dangerous thing. (know)
- c) She thanked him for his _____. (kind)
- d)The woodcutter's _____ impressed the fairy. (honest)

17. Complete the following table :

(3)

Present	Past	Past Participle
a) begin -		
b) drive -		
c) go		

Section – D (Writing)

15 marks

18. You are staying in a hostel .Write a letter to your father asking him to send money for science exhibition.

(10)

19. Look at the picture given below and write your description in the form of a short paragraph.(8 – 10 lines)

(5)