

ATOMIC ENERGY CENTRAL SCHOOL NO. 4 RAWATBHATA

Sample Paper Session End Examination 2017- 18

Time-2 ½ Hours

CLASS- VIII , SOCIAL SCIENCE

Max .Marks: 80

General Instructions:

- i) The question paper has 4 sections A ,B, C , D . All questions are compulsory.
- ii) Marks are indicated against each question.
- iii) Section A- is one word question.Each question carries one mark.
- iv) Section B-2 Mark questions.Answer of the these questions should not exceed 30-40 words each.
- v) Section C-3 mark questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 50-60 words each.
- vi) Section D-4 mark questions.Answer of these questions should not exceed 80-90 words each. Attach the map inside your answer book.

I. SECTION-A One mark questions.

1x6=6

1. Name the country which came to be known as the ‘‘workshop of the world’’.
2. Who found a reform association known as the Brahmo sabha (later known as the Brahmo samaj).
3. Name the cash crops which was known as the Golden Fibre.
4. Which of the industry which is often called the back bone of modern industry ?
5. Who investigate any complaints about the commission of a crime ?
6. Name the Article of the constitution which abolished the untouchability.

SECTION-B

Answer the following in 30-40 words:-

(2x7=14)

1. What was the role of Dr. B.R Ambedkar for welfare of Dalit people ?
2. Who are the Agaria ?
3. What do you know about shifting cultivation ?
4. What is agro based industry ? Give the two example of agro based industries.
5. Why are people considered a resource ?
6. What do you know about the Article of 15 of the constitution ?
7. What is the Role of Judge ?

II. SECTION –C

(3X12=36)

Answer the following questions in 50 -60 words :-

1. How did the development of cotton industries in Britain affect textile producers in India ?
2. Why did Mahatma Gandhi want to teach children handicrafts ?
3. What were the different reasons people had not sending girls to school ?
4. What do you know about Dandi March ? Why did Gandhi choose to break the salt law ?
5. Name the main two fibre crops and name the climatic conditions required for their growth.
6. Distinguish between primary activities and tertiary activities.

7. Why cotton textile industry rapidly expanded in Mumbai ?
8. The world population has grown very rapidly. Why?
9. What do you know about the Bhopal gas tragedy? Do you think the victims of the Bhopal gas tragedy got justice? Discuss .
10. Why are most of the private hospitals and private schools located in Major cities and not in towns or rural areas ?
11. List two reasons why Adivasis are becoming increasingly marginalized.
12. Define the term as “compensation” and “witness.”

III. SECTION-D

(4X6=24)

Answer the following question in 80-90 words :-

1. Describe more than four problems that the newly independent nation of India faced.

OR

What was the role of the planning commission ?

2. What is meant by the term industry ? Which are the main factors which influenced the location of an industry ?
3. What is agriculture ? What are the disadvantage of shifting cultivation ?
4. Write why you think the constitution’s safeguards to protect minority communities are very important ?
5. According to the article of 22 of the constitution discuss the important Fundamental Rights of every arrested person.
- 6.1 On the out line map of India marks the location of the following region .
 - A. Surat
 - B. Golconda
- 6.2 On the out line map of the world mark the location of the following region.
 - i- Coffee region Brazil
 - ii- Industrial Region Sydney

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विषय-संस्कृत

समय-1:30 घंटा

पूर्णांक-40

1. किसी एक गद्य का हिन्दी में अनुवाद कीजिए :

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पूर्वदिशायाम् उदेति सूर्यः पश्चिमदिशायां च अस्तं गच्छति इति दृश्यते हि लोके। परं न अनेन अवबोध्यमस्ति यत्सूर्यो गतिशील इति। सूर्योऽचलः पृथिवी च चला या स्वकीये अक्षे घूर्णति इति साम्प्रतं सुस्थापितः सिद्धान्तः। सिद्धान्तोऽयं प्राथम्येन येन प्रवर्तितः, स आसीत् महान् गणितज्ञः ज्योतिर्विच्च आर्यभटः।

अथवा

प्रेमली अवदत्-इदानीं हण्डीं यथास्थानं निधेहि। प्रेमलः हण्डीं संस्थाप्य शरीरं हस्तेन संस्पृश्य अकथयत्- अरे, कीदृशं पुष्पमिव शरीरं लघु जातम्। यदि त्वम् प्रतिदिनं एवमेव जलम् उष्णं कत्वा मह्यम् ददासि तर्हि कियत् शोभनं भवेत्।

2. किसी एक श्लोक का अर्थ लिखिए -

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गुणा गुणज्ञेषु गुणा भवन्ति
ते निर्गुणं प्राप्य भवन्ति दोषाः।
सुस्वादुतोयाः प्रभवन्ति नद्यः
समुद्रमासाद्य भवन्त्यपेयाः ॥

अथवा

अशोकवनिकायां तु तरुणां वानरपुंगवः।
स ददर्शाविदूरस्थं चैत्यप्रासादमूर्जितम् ॥

3. अपनी पाठ्यपुस्तक से याद किया हुआ कोई एक श्लोक लिखकर उसका अर्थ लिखिए। श्लोक प्रश्नपत्र में नहीं होना चाहिए।

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4. निम्न प्रश्नों के उत्तर संस्कृत में लिखिए।

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- (क) केषाञ्चित् पञ्च पुष्पाणाम् नामानि लिखत।
(ख) महाराष्ट्रस्य प्रथमा महिला शिक्षिका का आसीत्?
(ग) अस्माकं प्रयासः कस्य रक्षणे अपेक्षितः?
(घ) पृथिव्याः मानदण्डः कः?

5. 'हिमालयः' पर संस्कृत में चार वाक्य लिखिए।

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6. नीचे लिखे शब्दों के विलोम शब्द लिखिए-

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आदानम्, आरोहः, समादरः, अन्धकारः

7. निम्नलिखित पदों की संधि विच्छेद कीजिए-

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पूर्वापरौ, तथैव, स्मरणार्थम्, यस्यात्पवन्ति

8. उचित शब्दों से रिक्त स्थानों की पूर्ति कीजिए-

एते, रचयन्ति, एषा, नौकां

- (क) मालाकाराः पुष्पैः मालाः----- ।
 (ख) अहम्----- फले तुभ्यं ददामि ।
 (ग) ----- बाला विद्यालयात् गृहं गच्छति ।
 (घ) नौकायाम् उपविष्टः मानवः ----- स्थिरामनुभवति ।

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9. अंकों के लिए संस्कृत पद लिखिए-

54, 72, 86, 98

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10. उपयुक्त कथनों के सामने 'आम्' अथवा 'न ' लिखिए।

- (क) सिंहः करिणां कुलं हन्ति। (ख) कातरो यद्धे युद्धयते।
 (ग) मृगात् सिंहः पलायते। (घ) जयन्तः कृष्णस्य पुत्रः।

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11. भिन्न पदों को चुनकर अलग कीजिए-

- (क) पत्रम्, मित्रम्, पुष्पम्, आम्रः
 (ख) व्याघ्रः, भल्लुकः, गजः, कपोतः

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12. किन्हीं दो पदों से संस्कृत में वाक्य बनाइए।

परितः, कर्मभूमिः

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13. 'मातृ' अथवा 'अस्मद्' शब्द के द्वितीया विभक्ति के रूप लिखिए।

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14. 'इष्' धातु के 'लृट्' लकार के मध्यम पुरुष के रूप लिखिए।

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प्र. १. निम्नलिखित गद्यांश के आधार पर प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

मनुष्य को सर्वश्रेष्ठ प्राणी इसलिए नहीं कहा गया कि वह खाता, पीता, सोता, हँसता, चलता तथा संतान उत्पन्न करता है। यह सब कार्य तो पशु भी करते हैं। फिर मनुष्य तथा अन्य प्राणियों में क्या अंतर है। मनुष्य के पास विवेक है। वह अच्छे और बुरे में अंतर कर सकता है। मानव अपनी बुद्धिबल से और सभी जीवों पर विजय प्राप्त करता आया है। इतना ही नहीं नये-नये अनुसंधानों तथा आविष्कारों द्वारा उसने अपने जीवन को सुख एवं सुविधाओं से भर दिया है। विज्ञान की गति यदि इसी प्रकार होती रही तो वह दिन दूर नहीं जब यही पृथ्वी स्वर्ग बन जाएगी। आवश्यकता इस बात की है कि यह अपने विवेक और बुद्धिबल का प्रयोग विनाशकारी कार्यों में न करके रचनात्मक कार्यों में करे। यदि ज्ञान-विज्ञान का दुरुपयोग होता रहा तो वह अपना अस्तित्व मिटा देगा। अतः आत्मसंयम एवं विवेक ही एक मात्र सुख और शांति का मार्ग है।

- (क) पशु और मनुष्य में क्या समानताएँ हैं? २
(ख) मनुष्य में पशुओं की अपेक्षा क्या गुण अधिक हैं? २
(ग) संसार को सुख तथा शांति प्रदान कैसे की जा सकती है? २
(घ) विज्ञान के दुरुपयोग से क्या खतरा है? २
(ङ) दुरुपयोग का विलोम लिखिए। १
(च) पृथ्वी स्वर्ग कब बन जाएगी? १

प्र. २. निम्नलिखित काव्यांश को पढ़कर नीचे दिए गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए-

मैं मुसाफिर हूँ कि जिसने कभी रुकना न जाना,
है कभी सीखा न जिसने मुश्किलों में सर झुकाना,
क्या मुझे मंजिल मिलेगी या नहीं-इसकी न चिन्ता,
क्योंकि मंजिल है डगर पर सिर्फ चलने का बहाना,
और तो सब धूल, पथ पर चाह चलने की अमर बस,
मैं अमर पद का न लूँ अधिकार-यह संभव नहीं है।
पंथ की कठिनाइयों से मान लूँ मैं हार-यह संभव नहीं है।
कर्म रत-जग, हर दिशा से कर्म की आवाज आती,
काल की गति एक क्षण को भी नहीं विश्राम पाती,
मैं रुकूँ भी तो मगर यह रास्ता रुकने न देगा।
राह पर चलते न हम ही, राह भी हमको चलाती,
आज चलने के लिए जब धूल तक ललकारती है,
पंथ की कठिनाइयों से मान लूँ मैं हार-यह संभव नहीं है।

(क) कवि में क्या नहीं सीखा है?	२
(ख) कवि को विराकी चिन्ता नहीं है?	२
(ग) कवि कितनी हार नहीं मानता है?	१
(घ) कवि संसार को क्या प्रेरणा देता है?	२
(ङ) कवि के लिए क्या संभव नहीं है?	२
(च) विरो विभ्रम नहीं मिलता?	१

खंड 'ख'

प्र. ३. (क) गुणवाचक विशेषण के दो उदाहरण दीजिए।	१
(ख) बस, बशा, बस, इन शब्दों से एक-एक वाक्य बनाइए।	३
(ग) भर, बढ, उपसर्गों से दो-दो शब्द बनाइए।	२
(घ) नागपुर, नगर, नदी, गंगा, जातिवाचक संज्ञा छोटकर लिखिए।	१
प्र. ४. (क) फल, हार शब्दों का वाक्यों में प्रयोग कीजिए। लेकिन एक शब्द वाक्य में दो बार आना चाहिए। और शब्दों के अर्थ में कुछ बदलाव होना चाहिए।	२
(ख) 'खंड' समास के दो उदाहरण दीजिए।	१
(ग) ग्यान, जीभि का खड़ी बोली रूप लिखिए।	२
(घ) अनु, परि, उपसर्गों से दो-दो शब्द बनाइए।	२
इका, ता, प्रत्ययों से दो-दो शब्द बनाइए।	२

खंड 'ग'

प्र. ५. निम्नलिखित गयांश के आधार पर प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए। उम दिन रात्रि में बिलवारी जी को देर तक नींद नहीं आई। वे चादर लपेटे चारपाई पर पड़े रहे। वे एक बजे उठे। धीरे, बहुत धीरे से अपनी सोई हुई पत्नी के गले से उन्होंने वह सिकड़ी निकाली जिसमें एक ताली बंधी हुई थी। फिर उसके कमरे में जाकर उन्होंने उस ताली में संदूक छोला। उसमें ढाई सौ के ज्यों-के त्यों रखकर उन्होंने उसे बंद कर दिया। फिर दूध पाँव लौटकर ताली को उन्होंने पूर्ववत् अपनी पत्नी के गले में डाल दिया।	
(क) बिलवारी जी किस स्थिति में चारपाई पर पड़े रहे?	२
(ख) उन्होंने सिकड़ी कहाँ से निकाली?	१
(ग) उन्होंने ढाई सौ रुपये कहाँ रखे?	१

प्र. ६. निम्न पद्यांश के आधार पर प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

उस कथा का आखिरी हिस्सा
जो बूढ़ी नानी सुना रही सदियों से
दुनिया के तमाम बच्चों को
अभी आती है एक बरस
अंतरिक्ष के पार की दुनिया से
लाएगी बच्चे हुए लोगों की खबर
नहीं, यह सब से कठिन समय नहीं।

(क) कवि तथा कविता का नाम लिखिए।

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(ख) वस किसकी खबर लाएगी।

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७. निम्नलिखित में से किन्हीं चार प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

(४x२=८)

(क) ओस की वृद्ध क्रोध और घृणा से क्यों काँप उठी?

(ख) बालक श्रीकृष्ण किस लोभ के कारण दूध पीने के लिए तैयार हुए?

(ग) विलवासी जी ने रूपवों का प्रबंध कहाँ से किया था?

(घ) प्रारंभ में साइकिल आन्दोलन को चलाने में कौन-कौन सी बाधा आई?

(ङ) 'घोरी का वान में हो नृ प्रवीने।' इस कथन की पृष्ठभूमि स्पष्ट कीजिए।

(च) कर्बोर घास की निन्दा करने से क्यों मना करते हैं?

८. निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं दो प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

(२x२=४)

(क) कामचोर कहानी क्या संदेश देती है?

(ख) 'आलम आरा' फिल्म में विद्वल के अतिरिक्त कौन-कौन अभिनेता मौजूद थे?

(ग) श्री कृष्ण अपनी चोटी के विषय में क्या सोच रहे थे?

९. निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों में से किन्हीं तीन प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

(३x२=६)

(क) 'धेद' शब्द की उत्पत्ति बताते हुए इसका अर्थ स्पष्ट करें।

(ख) भारत में मुगलवंश की नींव किसने, किस तरह डाली?

(ग) गांधी जी के सपनों का भारत कैसा था?

(घ) आरंभिक में ईस्ट इंडिया कंपनी का मुख्य काम क्या था?

१०. निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों के संक्षिप्त उत्तर दीजिए। (कोई चार)

(१x४=४)

(क) महमूद गजनवी कौन था?

(ख) शिवाजी का नाम भारतीय इतिहास में क्यों प्रसिद्ध है?

(ग) श्री रामकृष्ण परमहंस कौन थे?

(घ) तकनीकी परिवर्तन से समाज पर क्या असर हुआ?

(ङ) रणजीत सिंह अद्भूत व्यक्ति क्यों थे?

(च) मुगलशासन काल में दरबार की भाषा कौन सी थी?

खंड 'घ'

११. नगर की सफाई हेतु स्वास्थ्य अधिकारी को पत्र लिखिए।

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अथवा

मित्र को जन्मदिन पर निमंत्रण पत्र लिखिए।

१२. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर लगभग २०० शब्दों में निबंध लिखिए।

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समय का महत्त्व, मेरा देश, गणतंत्र दिवस, होली

ATOMIC ENERGY CENTRAL SCHOOL No 4 (RAEATBHATA)
SAMPLE PAPER VIII (MATHEMATICS)

SECTION - A

(Each question carry 1 mark)

1. Solution of the equation $5t - 4 = 4t + 3$ is _____
2. A heptagon polynomial has how many number of sides?
3. For the construction of a quadrilateral how many parts of quadrilateral should be known.
4. Find the smallest number by which 500 must be multiply to obtain a perfect cube.
5. Add $4a - 7ab + 3b + 12$ and $12a - 9ab + 5b - 3$.
6. What is the top view of a cube?
7. The radius of a circle is 3.5cm, Its area _____
8. The common factors of given terms $6a^4b^3c^5, 15a^2b^3c^3, 12a^3b^5c^2$ is _____
9. Write $100 \times 8 + 10 \times 6 + 1 \times 8 + 5 \times 10^{-2}$ in the usual form
A B
10. X 6
BB B

SECTION - B

(Each question carry 2 mark)

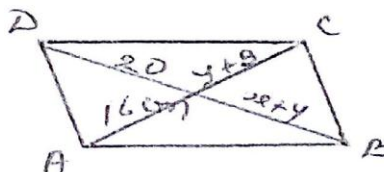
11. Solve the equation $\frac{3y + 4}{2 - 6y} = \frac{-2}{5}$
12. The measures of two adjacent angles of a parallelogram are in the ratio 4 : 5. Find the measure of each of the angles of the parallelogram.
13. Construct a quadrilateral ABCD in which AB = 5 cm, BC = 4.5 cm, CD = 4 cm, DA = 6 cm and AC = 7 cm. Also write the step of construction.
14. Find cube root of 110592 by prime factorization method.
15. Subtract $(a - b)^2$ from $(a + b)^2$ and find the result.
16. A polyhedron have 10 faces and 20 edges, Find number of vertices.
17. Circumference of a circle is 110cm, find its area.
18. Suppose 2 Kg of sugar contain 3.025×10^6 crystals. How much Kg of sugar has 6.05×10^7 crystals.
19. Factorize $ax + bx - by - ay$.
20. Use the table to draw a graph. Is it Linear graph

Diameter of a circle (cm)	7	21	3.5	14	63
Circumference (cm)	22	66	11	44	198

SECTION - C

(Each question carry 3 mark)

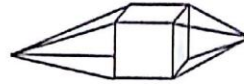
21. A man's age is three times his son's age. Ten years ago he was five times his son's age. Find their present ages.
22. find the value of x and y in the given figure.



23. Construct a quadrilateral ABCD in which $AB = 5.5$ cm, $BC = 4$ cm, $\angle CDA = 60^\circ$, $\angle ABC = 75^\circ$ and $\angle BCD = 90^\circ$. Also write the step of construction.

24. How many cuboids of size length 10cm, breadth 6cm and height 3cm be required to make a cube.

25. Verify Euclid's formula for adjacent polyhedron



26. (i) Express 31580000.000 in standard form (ii) Express 3.025×10^{-7} in usual form.

27. A milk man sold two of his buffaloes for Rs. 20,000 each. On one buffaloes he made a gain 20% and on the other a loss of 10%. Find his overall gain or loss percentage.

28. Simplify (i) $(\frac{1}{2})^{-2} + (\frac{1}{3})^{-2} + (\frac{1}{4})^{-2}$ (ii) $\frac{3^{-4} \times 10^{-7} \times 625}{5^{-8} \times 6^{-9}}$

29. Solve $4y^3z^4(z^2 + 6z - 16)(z^2 + 5z + 6) \div 2y^2z^2(z^2 - 4)$

30. If 612y84 is a multiple of 3, where y is a digit, what might be the values of y?

SECTION - D

(Each question carry 4 mark)

31. Kamini borrowed Rs. 156250 from a bank to buy a agriculture land at the rate of 8% per annum compounded yearly. What amount will she pay at the end of 3 years 4 months to clear the loan.

32. Simplify by using suitable identity.

(i) $(a + b + c)(a + b - c)$

(ii) $(6.07)^2 - (3.93)^2$

(iii) 213×187

(iv) 9.5^2

33. If each edge of a cube is tripled,

(i) How many times will its surface area increase? (ii) How many times will its volume increase?

34. A building is constructed by 120 labors in 80 days. Now contractor want to construct it in 50 days, how many labors to be increase.

35. Plot the following points on a graph Sheet and join them in order. Name the Figure thus formed.

A(4,3), B(4,7), C(7,6) and D(7,2)

SECTION-A

Multiple choice questions

(1X10=10)

- The SI unit of force is
(a) gram (b) kilogram (c) Newton (d) milligram
- An electrolyte cell converts
(a) electrical energy into light energy (b) chemical energy into electrical energy
(c) chemical energy into light energy (d) electrical into chemical energy
- Yeast is used in the production of
(a) alcohol (b) sugar (c) HCl (d) oxygen
- Which of the following is used for road surfacing?
(a) Kerosene (b) Paraffin wax (c) petrol (d) Bitumin
- Which of the following metal is present in liquid state at room temperature?
(a) Sodium (b) Aluminium (c) Mercury (d) Silver
- Which of the following is not the planet of the solar system?
(a) Sirius (b) Earth (c) Jupiter (d) Mars
- Clouds can charge tall buildings by the process of
(a) friction (b) conduction (c) induction (d) gravitation
- The force that we use while running is.....force.
(a) muscular (b) friction (c) gravitation (d) electrostatic
- What will be the angle of incidence if the ray of light reflected back at an angle of 30° .
(a) 15° (b) 60° (c) 30° (d) 75°
- Which of the following is a wind instrument?
(a) Flute (b) Guitar (c) Tabla (d) Jal Tarang

Fill in the blanks

(1X10=10)

- The north pole of a magnet.....the north pole of another magnet.
- Sliding friction isthan static friction.
- Shrillness of the sound is determined by theof vibration.
- The passage of electric current through a solution causes.....effects.
- When two bodies are rubbed against each other, they acquire.....charges.
- The size of pupil becomeswhen you see in dim light.
- The planet which appears red in colour is.....
- Blue green algae fix.....in the soil to enrich the fertility of soil.
- Metals produce.....gas when they react with acids.
- Least polluting fuel for vehicle is.....

SECTION-B

Answer the following questions.

(2X8=16)

21. Why the school bags with broader strips are preferred over bags with narrow strips?
22. Write two ways of increasing and decreasing friction.
23. Differentiate between regular and diffused reflection.
24. What are constellations? Name any two.
25. What are metalloids? Name any one.
26. Why makes the dough rise while preparing idli or dhokla?
27. Define lightening.
28. Name any two glands and the hormones produced by them in human body.

SECTION-C

Answer the following questions.

(3X8=24)

29. How is the sex of the baby determined?
30. Explain why sportsmen use spikes in shoes?
31. Explain how the noise pollution is harmful to humans?
32. What circumstances lead to acid rain? What harms it can cause?
33. How does the increased level of nutrients in water affect the survival of the aquatic organisms?
34. What are antibiotics? What precautions must be taken while taking antibiotics?
35. What is displacement reaction? Why iron displaces copper from its salt solution but copper cannot displace iron from its salt solution?
36. Differentiate between metals and non metals.

SECTION-D

Answer the following questions.

(5X4=20)

37. How was petroleum synthesized in nature? Write the names and uses of any three constituents of petroleum.
38. What is electroplating? Explain the process of electroplating with the help of diagram.
39. Draw well labelled diagram of human eye. How can you take care of your eyes?
40. Differentiate between external and internal fertilization? Draw well labelled diagram of human sperm.

Instructions :

- a. This paper is divided into four sections : A, B, C & D
- b. All questions are compulsory .
- c. Marks are indicated against questions.

Section A (Reading) 20 marks

1. Once there was a young Idu boy. He had no family except for an old cat. Each day the boy and his cat walked many miles, looking for a home. Each night they curled up together and slept. But one starry evening, the old cat died. The boy buried his friend next to an icy stream. Then he sat under a tree and cried. What would he do? He had no family and no home. The boy cried for a very long time. Suddenly, the sky filled with bright light. The boy held his breath. He was afraid to move. One bright star fell to the ground. Slowly, the star took the shape of the old cat. It bent the head and drank from the stream. It looked at the boy and smiled. As she jumped back into the sky, bits of the cat's fur fell. As the Sun began to rise, the boy picked up the soft, warm fur. It glowed in his hands like starlight. He carried the fur to the city and sold it. With the money, he bought a house. He bought two young cats. He never forgot the star cat.. And he was never lonely again.

On the basis of your reading the above passage, answer the following questions. (1× 5= 5 marks)

- a) Who was the Idu boy living with? Why he became sad?
- b) What did the boy do after the cat's death?
- c) What happened one night after the cat's death? Was it a miracle?
- d) Why didn't the Idu boy feel lonely after meeting the cat from the sky?
- e) Find a word from the passage which mean the same as the word given shining

2. When I fall asleep, I dream about what it would be like to have a rocket ship. If I had a rocket ship, my first destination would be the Earth's moon, which is called Luna. When I got to Luna I would jump all around. Because there is little gravity I would be able to jump very high. After I finished jumping all over the moon, I would fly to Saturn and travel around Saturn's beautiful rings. On my way to Saturn, I would try to avoid a number of asteroids. Asteroids are large pieces of rocks and minerals. In my science class, I learned that it would take me almost my entire life to travel to Pluto. Pluto is the last Planet in our solar system. Because it's so far from our Sun that it is super cold. I wish I could see Pluto up close.

On the basis of your reading the above passage, answer the following questions. (1 × 5= 5 marks)

1. What is the name of Earth's Moon?
 - a) muna
 - b) moona
 - c) luna
 - d) asteroid
2. Which of the following is true?
 - a) You wouldn't be able to jump on the moon.
 - b) The moon's gravity would allow you to jump high
 - c) The Earth has less gravity than its moon.
 - d) None of the above
3. What is a unique feature of Saturn?
 - a) it's a moon
 - b) it has lots of water
 - c) it is bright pink in colour
 - d) it has a ring
4. What are asteroids made of?
 - a) Vitamins
 - b) ice
 - c) plastic
 - d) rock

5. Find the opposite of the word 'low' from the passage.

3. Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow: (10 Marks)

I came in contact with animals far more in prison than I had done outside. I had always been fond of dogs, and had kept some, but I could never look after them properly as other matters claimed my attention. In prison I was grateful for their company. Indians do not, as a rule, approve of animals as household pets. It is remarkable that in spite of their general philosophy of nonviolence to animals, they are often singularly careless and unkind to them.

Even the cow, that a favoured animal, though looked up to and almost worshipped by many Hindus and often the cause of riots is not treated kindly. Worship and kindness do not always go together.

Different countries have adopted different animals as symbols of their ambition or character – the eagle of the United States of America and of Germany, the lion and bulldog of England, the fighting cock of France, the bear of old Russia. How far do these patron animals mould national character?

- a. Why could the author not take care of his pets? 2
- b. What do not always go together? 2
- c. As a rule who do not approve of animals as household pets? 1
- d. Patron animal of old Russia is ----- . 1
- e. Find the opposite of 'thankless' from the passage. 1
- f. What did I come in contact with? 1
- g. What was I fond of? 1
- h. What did claim my attention? 1

Section B (Writing) 20 Marks

4. You are the CCA coordinator of your vidyalaya. Write a notice for your school notice board to inform all the students that a drawing competition will be organized this Saturday as a part of Co-curricular activities. (5 marks)

5. Yesterday, your school took you to an old age home in the city. You met and talked to a few people there who expressed their sorrows and disappointments in life. Your heart is heavy and feels that old people should be living with their children. Write a diary entry expressing your feelings in not more than 80 to 100 words. (7 marks)

6. Write a letter to your father narrating him about your plan of celebrating the New Year's Day in your school this time. (8 marks)

Section C (Grammar) 15 Marks

7. The following passage has not been edited. There is a word missing in each line. Write the missing word along with the word which comes before it and the one that comes after as shown in the example. (½ x 6 = 3 marks)

Before Word After

There was a rich old man who in a palace . e.g. who lived in
There also lived nearby poor man in a hut. (a)-----
He lived on crumbs of food given others. (b) -----
But he cheerful and never complained. (c) -----
Once it so happened that poor man (d) -----

Had nothing eat for a long while. So he (e) -----

Went to the rich old man help. (f) -----

8) Write meaningful sentences arranging the words in proper order --: (1× 3 = 3 marks)

a) Policy/ is/ honesty/best/ the

b) shows/ correct/ watch/ the/ time

c) more/ vessel/ empty/ sounds

9) Change the sentences into indirect speech--: (1× 4 = 4marks)

SMITA: They have read the book.

RAHUL: I am not worried about that.

SMITA : What are you thinking then?

RAHUL : I want to read that book.

10.A. Complete he following with(in, at, on)

(1x3=3 marks)

a. Do not sit ----- grass. It is wet.

b. What have you got ----- your bag ?

c. There is a small park ----- the top of the hill.

B. Write the correct forms of verbs .

a. I ----- (phone) you when I ----- (get) home from school. 1

b. Make sentences using the following words : 1

i. motivation ii. Guidance

Section D (Literature) (25 Marks)

12. Choose any one of the two extracts given below and answer the questions that follow (1x3=3 Marks)

a) The poet of earth is ceasing never:

On a lone winter evening when the frost

Has wrought a silence , from the stone there shtills

The cricket's song , in warmth increasing ever.

a. What is the poetry of earth ?

b. How does the poet describe a winter ?

c. Where and how does the cricket sing ?

b. When I set out for Lyonesse

A hundred miles away,

The rime was on the spray;

And starlight lit my lonesomeness

When I set out for Lyonesse

A hundred miles away.

a. How far was Lyonesse from the poet's place?

b. What lit the poet's loneliness?

c. Give meaning of the word rime.

13). Who said this to whom and when? (1x2 = 2 marks)

a). 'You told me you'd come by Christmas'

b) ' Do you remember what my lasdt job was?'

14) Answer any four of ther the following questions

(2×4 = 8 marks)

- a) What jobs did Hans Wolf and Jim Macpherson have when they were not soldiers?
- b) What does 'a cruel eye outworn' mean?
- c) What was Stephen Hawking's message for disabled?
- d) How did the doe save Penny's life?
- e) Why did the grandmother ask the children not to kill the *chuchundar*?

15. Answer any four of the following questions in about 30 words each. (2x4= 8 marks)

- a. Why had Velu run away from home?
- b. What did Princess September do to ensure the safety of her pet ?
- c. In what way is the forest pool different from the one which Ranji knew in the Rajputana desert?
- d. What did Mrs. Sappleton say about the open window?
- e. What is Duttada's reaction to the proposal of yajna?

15) "God should give human beings whatever they demand from Him time and again". Extend your agreement

or disagreement on the statement within 60-70 words with reference to the story 'Jalebis'. (4x1 =4marks)

Or

"We draw inspiration from the thing we like" . Comment on this statement with reference to the lesson, "The Great Stone Face – 1".
