

Marking Instructions and Model Answers for Sample paper (4) of class 12 English (Special)

Section–A (Reading Skill)

Unseen Comprehension

20 Marks

Q.1 A. Nuclear capability gives.....peaceful uses of nuclear energy. 1×10=10

- I. (b) meet her power shortage
- II. (c) it lies very deep and the cost of extractions very high.
- III. (b) reserves of thorium
- IV. (c) radiation
- V. (a) peaceful
- VI. There is uncertainty in rainfall.
- VII. Radiation can help in increasing the shelf life of vegetables and fruits.
- VIII. Nuclear energy can be helpful in detecting diseases of thyroid glands.
- IX. By helping in conveying the messages to very long distances
- X. For building a dam, there should be two huge mountain walls enclosing a deep valley which is near a river source.

B. We often make.....This is the truth! 1×10=10

- I. (d) only 4
- II. What makes their heart happy
- III. (c) return
- IV. (a) pilgrimages have been converted into tourism now a days.
- V. (b) 1 and 4
- VI. The importance of nature without whom we cannot survive
- VII. Sorority
- VIII. By having darshan and distributing alms
- IX. Avoidance
- X. Very satisfied.

## SECTION B

Writing Skill.

60 Marks

2. Point should be awarded keeping the following instructions in mind

10×2=20

Format

02 Marks

Sender's address, date, receiver's address, subject and salutation, body of the letter, complimentary close.

Award full marks if all aspects are included. Award one mark if more than one aspect is missing.

Award zero marks if more than two aspects are missing.

Content:

05 Marks

- Well developed with sustained clarity.
- Fair attempt at developing the ideas

Expression and accuracy

03 Marks

- Tense, tone and vocabulary are appropriate.
- Coherence and relevance of ideas.

Award full marks if there is one or two grammatical/spelling mistakes

Deduct marks if there are more than two grammatical mistakes.

20. Model Answer

A. To

The  
Principal

A B C School

15 December 2023

Subject:-Request for arranging extra classes of Computer Science and Mathematics.

Respected Sir,

With due respect, I would like to state that I am a student of class XII of your school. I am here to inform you that our examination is coming soon, but the Mathematics and Computer Science syllabuses are not complete yet in our class. Now we are facing many problems while studying. So we need some extra Mathematics and Computer Science classes.

Therefore, I humbly request you to arrange some extra classes of Mathematics and Computer Science to complete the syllabuses. We will be very thankful.

Yours obediently.

Xyz

Note:-It is a model answer, other relevant points and answers are also acceptable.

B. 10  
Civil Lines  
Narnaul

15 December 2023

The Editor

TheTime of India

Delhi

Subject:-Frequentaccidentsdue toopenmanholes.

Sir,

Through the columns of your esteemed newspapers.I want to voice my grave concern about the frequent accidents which occurs during the rainy season due to open manholes on the main road that leads to our locality. In fact these manholes pose a great threat to our lives. The accidents occur because these manholes go unnoticed when the road gets inundated due to heavy rains.

The situation has worsened due to no proper drainage system in our area and open manholes are not barricaded by the municipal authorities concerned.There is no proper lighting on the road.Children,women and senior citizens

are the worst sufferers.I appeal to the authorities to take immediate action so that accidents do not occur.

Yours faithfully  
Kamini

Note:-Other relevant points and answers are also acceptable.

C.

H.No.13

Sector 10  
Rewari

15 December 2023

The Director.  
Alliance Francaise  
Rewari

Subject:-Inquiry about French Courses.

Sir,

I wish to make certain inquiries about the French Language courses offered by your institution .I have just completed class XII and want to pursue my career in French. I would like to know the duration of the course, the fee structure and the transport facilities you offer.

I will be grateful if you could send me the latest brochure along with the enrolment form enabling me to register my self for the course at the earliest.

Yours faithfully  
Kiran

Note:-Other relevant points and answers are also acceptable.

10x2=20

Q.3.Points should be awarded keeping following instructions in mind.

Content

05 Marks

- Well developed with sustained clarity.
- Fair attempt at developing the ideas

Expression and accuracy

05 Marks

- Tense,tone and vocabulary.
- Coherence and relevance of idea.

Award full marks if there is one or two grammatical/spelling mistake  
Deduct marks if there are more than two or more grammatical/spelling mistakes.

A

### A Visit to Hill Station

Last December, I travelled with my family to Manali. It is a great place with lovely hills, lovely surroundings and active streets. We were treated to a beautiful wonderland. Snow enveloped the picturesque town of Manali. We drove to the hotel, rested for a little and then headed to the Manu Temple. Its location is renowned for providing beautiful view of the valley. We then visited another well known Hidimba Temple. There were many sights to view in Manali and some of them had a greater emotional impact on us than others, such as paragliding and parachuting was an eye opening experience for me and made me see the beauty in the world.

I also had my first ice-skating experience where I kept falling but it was still a lot of fun. On the way back to our hotel, it started snowing

and I was in a complete awe of it. We stopped in Manali for two days. We enjoyed street food there. Infact this was one of the best and most treasured trip of my life.

Note:-Other relevant points and answers are also acceptable.

## B. Corruption: A Threat to Democracy

There are many scams that are not included in the public eye but have impacted a lot. They are known as corruption. Corruption is an act of treachery that has rarely left anyone or any place. From hospital to corporations and governments, nothing and no one is immune from corruption. Corruption starts from the higher level and moves down to lower levels rapidly, forming an atmosphere of less hardwork and cheated results.

There are even proofs that politicians were provided resources by drug lords and smugglers. And when they or their existence is threatened, immediate action are taken against them, mostly resulting in death. Even the most influential countries are not free from corruption because who would not like power and success? And the easiest way to do that is by erasing excessive amount of money. Corruption stops them from degrading influence. However corruption cannot prevent the degradation of their morals or values and it increases the same. Corruption is now a bug that is insidious inside every department and arena of the government. Corruption has now crippled our economy, and our functions have gone haywire due to it.

Note:-Other relevant points and answers are also acceptable.

## C. Importance of Games in School Education.

Games are very important in school education because they teach us many lessons. When you play sports, you learn how to work as a team.

This means you learn how to share, listen and cooperate with others. Games also help us stay healthy and strong. When we run, jump and play, our bodies get a good workout. This can also make us feel happy and energetic. Plus, playing sports can help us do better in school. When we play sports we need to think quickly and make decisions. This can help our brain get better learning new things. Sports also teach us about hardwork and dedication to get good at sports, we need to practice a lot. This shows us that if we work hard and don't give up, we can improve. Sports can also help us make friends. When we play as a team, we can have fun together and support each other. So sports are not just about winning and losing. They help us learn, grow and become better people.

Note:-Other relevant points and answers are also acceptable.

Q-4

10×2=20

(A) Title:-The connection between sleep and mental health



Precis/Summary:-Getting enough sleep is essential for maintaining good mental health and can help improve mood, cognitive functioning and overall well –being. Lack of sleep can increase the risk of developing mental health conditions. Prioritizing sleep and establishing healthy sleep habits are important to support good mental health.

B. Title:- The Benefits of outdoor Exercise

Precis/Summary :-Outdoor exercise has benefits for physical and mental health, including increasing well-being and reducing stress and anxiety. It is important to include outdoor exercise in your routine.