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SUBJECT: ENGLISH

II PUC

MOCK\ PRACTICE PAPER - 1 (2018-2019)

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I. Answer the following questions in a word, sentence or a phrase 12x1=12

1. What does the phrase, 'face of heaven' signify in the extract from the play 'Romeo and Juliet'?
2. Why was the prince of Monaco unwilling to put an additional tax of two francs on the people?
3. What were the duties expected of the guard in the story, 'Too Dear'?
4. Whom does the God use as his instrument to send living arrows to the earth?
5. What brings children to the earth?
6. When and where was the Navadanya farm started?
7. When according to Vandana Shiva did the war against the earth begin?
8. Gonzalo did not reveal his identity because _____.
9. Name the villa in Valencia, where Dona Laura spent several seasons in her youth.
10. What is the aspect of the beloved that W.B. Yeats feels affinity for?
11. _____ had become the raison-d'etre of Tammanna's life?
12. Why did Tammanna forget all his songs and ballads?

II. Answer any EIGHT of the following questions in about 80 - 100 words each.

8 X 4 = 32

13. What made the king of Monaco retain the gaming houses, though the other countries had banned them?
14. What is the importance of bio-diversity intensive farming and how does Vandana Shiva exemplify this in her essay?
15. According to Tagore, what does forest teach us?
16. Describe the details of chance meeting of Gonzalo and Laura in the first part of the play?
17. Who is the most effective narrator in the play 'A Sunny morning', Dona Laura or Gonzalo?
18. How do Gonzalo and Laura spin stories to hide their identities?
19. Give an account of Dona Laura's everyday routine in the Madrid's park, as per the play?
20. How is the contrast of youth and old age brought about in the poem, 'When You are Old'?
21. What changes do you notice in the lifestyle of the owner after the arrival of the old man?
22. How did Tammanna try to surpass his rival Basavaiah in 'The Gardener'?

III. Answer any ONE of the following in about 200 words. 1x6=6

23. Comment on the imagery of 'night-day', 'black-white' in the poem 'Romeo and Juliet'.
What purpose do they serve?

OR

What does the story, 'The Gardener', tell us about human nature?

OR

How do the actions of the kinglet of Monaco establish that he lacks moral scruples?

III. 24. Read the following passage and answer the questions set on it. 10x1=10

'Work is worship' is one of these precepts that have been embodied in every religion, culture and civilization of the world. Gandhiji observed 'God created man to work for his food and those who ate without work are thieves'. Work done by an individual produces

output which benefits others in the society. It helps to fulfill the needs and purposes of life. A person who does the work feels happy and contented when his achievement brings appreciation and satisfaction for his quality of work. This provides greater incentive and interest to do further quality work.

Work is natural to man. It is work that adds meaning to life. Without it, life is dull, uninteresting and monotonous. Man is the crown of creation only because he is skilled and capable of doing hard work. His mind can guide him to choose the right work and guide it to its logical conclusion. Work rids us of three great evils : irksomeness, vice and poverty. An idle man is generally an unhappy person, while idle mind is devil's workshop.

Right from their childhood, children are taught to aspire high and attain high posts. At home and in school, they children are taught about various kinds of work and the respect and dignity of labour. This is the prime reason for all dissatisfaction and frustration among teenagers, when they fail to attain and accomplish their goals and when they are forced to work below their aspirations.

We should consider work as the prime basis of human life and the most dignified act in the life.

The true dignity of work is not in the type of work that one does but in the enthusiasm and interest one shows to do the work assigned.

- a. What has been embodied in every religion, culture and civilization?
- b. Who, according to Gandhi are thieves?
- c. When does a person feel happy and contented?
- d. Why does life become dull?
- e. Why is man called the crown of creation?
- f. Mention the evils that work rids us of.
- g. What is the reason for dissatisfaction among teenagers?
- h. Work should be considered as the prime basis and the most _____ (dignified / dignity) act.
- i. Add prefix to the word 'guide' to form its antonym.
- j. Where do we find true dignity of work?

25. Read the following lines and answer the questions. 3x1=3

Seven years I could not walk a step when I to the great physician came
He demanded : why the crutches ? And I told him I am lame

- a. How long the speaker was not able to walk?
- b. Who does ' He' in line 2 refer to?
- c. Why does the speaker use crutches?

V.26. Complete the following by filling the blanks using the right form of verbs given in the brackets. 3x1=3

The old man _____ (take) as a gardener to the garden. Soon , the petty thefts _____ (stop) completely in the garden. The income from the garden increased and the plantation _____ (expand) gradually.

VI. 27. Report the following conversation: 5x1=5

Roof : I work for Marcus Ibe.

POP Campaigner : We have plenty of work to do tonight. Are you taking this or not.

Roof : Will it not be heard outside this room.

POP Campaigner : We are after votes, not gossip.

28. Complete the following dialogue: 4x1=4

(Kavana is Ramya's new neighbor. They meet and introduce themselves)

32. Write a letter of application in response to the following advertisement which appeared in the 'The Daily Mirror,' on 18th March 2019. (write XXX for name and YYY for address) 05

WANTED

ACADEMIC COUNSELLORS

Qualification : MA in Psychology

Experience : 04 Years

Apply within a week to : Goodwill Academy for Achievers
No. 50, 8th Cross
Malleshwaram
Bengaluru-21

33. Imagine you are the President of your college Student Wing. On the occasion of The WORLD TOBACCO DAY ,you have been assigned to introduce the Chief Guest for the session . Draft a speech in 120 words to be delivered using the hints : 05

Name : Dr. Srinath

Native Place : Hyderabad

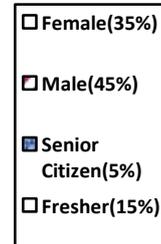
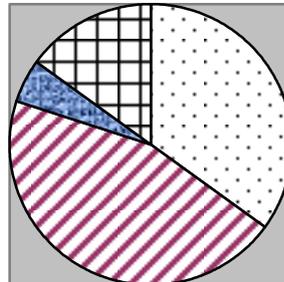
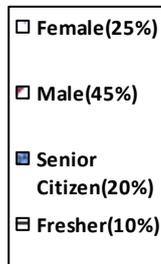
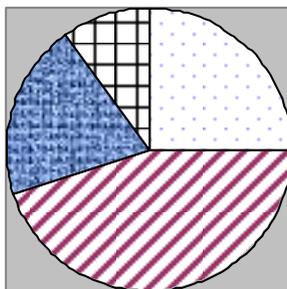
Education : MBBS, MS

Achievement : Has established a hospital, which is serving the poor, has been instrumental in creating awareness about cancer in rural areas. Has a vast experience of over 45 years in this field.

Hobbies : Reading literature, painting .

OR

The following pie chart represents information about the voters' turnout in the general elections held in Post-Independent India in the years 1950 and 2000 respectively. Use this data to write a report on the polling trends in about 120 words.



34. What do the underlined words in the following extract refer to : 04

Work done by an individual produces output which (1) benefits others in the society. It helps to fulfill the needs and purpose of life . A person who (2) does the work feels happy and contented when his (3) achievement brings appreciation and satisfaction for his quality work. This (4) provides interest to do further work.

Which : _____

Who : _____

His : _____

This : _____

35. Rewrite the jumbled segments to form a meaningful sentence. 1

Nature \ the duty \ conserve \ of \ human beings \ is to /

