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TERM-II (2017-18)
CLASS III
SUBJECT-ENGLISH

Time – 2hrs

Maximum marks: 50

General instructions:

1. This paper consists of four sections:-

Section A: Reading	10 marks
Section B: Writing	10 marks
Section C: Grammar	15 marks
Section D: Literature	15 marks

2. Attempt all the questions.

3. Write in neat handwriting.

4. All the answers must be correctly numbered as in the question paper and written in the answer sheet provided.

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SECTION-A (Reading) - 10 Marks

1. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow:

The wise man who never lied

The wise man, Vikram never lied. The king called Vikram and said, "Is it true that you have never lied?" "Yes," Vikram replied. We will see," the king thought. He called Vikram after some days. He was about to mount his horse when he said to Vikram, "I'm going for hunting. Go and tell my queen I will be back for lunch tomorrow. Tell her to arrange a big feast." (Para 1)

As Vikram left, the king laughed, "We shall not go for hunting. Vikram will be proved to be a liar." Vikram went to the queen and said, "The king might come back for lunch tomorrow. You may prepare a big feast." "But will he come or not?" the confused queen asked. "Well, I don't know if he mounted his horse to go for hunting or not," Vikram replied. (Para 2)

The king arrived and said to the queen, "So, Vikram lied to you yesterday?" The queen told him everything. "It's true that wise men never lie and only say what they see with their own eyes," the king said. (Para 3)

On the basis of your reading of the passage, answer the following questions.

- (a) Why was Vikram famous? (1)
- (b) Write **True** or **False**. (1)
The king went for hunting in the forest.
- (c) Choose the correct option. (1)
The king told lie to Vikram because _____
(i) he did not trust him (iii) he wanted to teach him a lesson
(ii) he wanted to prove him a liar (iv) he did not like him
- (c) Complete the sentence. (1)
It's true that wise men never lie _____.
- (e) Find out a word from the passage which means the same as – (1)
'climb' (Para 1)

2. Read the poem carefully and answer the questions that follow.

The key

I have a key in my pocket,
I found it just yesterday.
This key must be for an adventure.
What does it go to? Who can say?

Could it be that it opens a treasure chest
Stuffed full of diamonds and gold,
Or may be it opens a journal
With its secrets locked up for years
And if I find it and read it,
I'll be famous and people will cheer.

I guess it could fit in a sports car.
I'd be too young to drive it right now,
But I'd hide it away till I'm older,
When I'd drive it, my friend will say wow.

- (a) What would be the treasure chest full of? (1)
(b) What will happen if the key opens a journal? (1)
(c) Find out a pair of rhyming words from the first stanza of the above poem. (1)
(d) The boy is _____ to drive the sports car. (1)
(i) too old (ii) too young
(iii) too fat (iv) too weak
(e) The boy found the key _____. (1)
(i) one month before (ii) two days before
(iii) just yesterday (iv) today

SECTION-B (Writing) - 10 Marks

3. You are Rahul/Ruhi, write an application to the Principal of your school asking for two days leave as you are suffering from viral fever. (5)
OR
You are Arohi/Arun, write a letter to your friend inviting him/her to your sister's marriage ceremony.
4. Write a paragraph in about 80-100 words on **any one** of the following. (5)

A visit to a museum
OR
Your favourite festival

SECTION-C (Grammar) - 15 Marks

5. Complete the passage using the correct prepositions from the brackets. (1x3=3)
 Tom Sawyer lived (a) _____ (in/with/over/for) his aunt Polly. Everyone was aware (b) _____ (at/into/on/of) his mischievous behaviour. Now his punishment for every mischief was (c) _____ (in/on/to/for) wash the clothes of entire colony.

6. The following passage has not been edited. There is an error in each line. Write the incorrect word and the correction in your answer sheet as given below against the correct blank. One has been done as an example. (0.5x6=3)

	Error	Correction
Juices are <u>a</u> easy and a tasty way	a	an
to remain healthy. Juice provides a nutrients	(a) _____	_____
that keeps us healthy. Carrot juice is an richest	(b) _____	_____
source of vitamin A, which an body can easily	(c) _____	_____
absorb and use. A best way to stay healthy is to	(d) _____	_____
have fresh juices. Juices provide an healthier	(e) _____	_____
and a energetic lifestyle.	(f) _____	_____

7. Re-arrange the jumbled words to make meaningful sentences. One has been done as an example. (3)

e.g. follow / should / traffic / everyone / rules.
 Ans – Everyone should follow traffic rules.

- (a) should / we / be / careful / while / driving
- (b) use / never / a / while / mobile / driving
- (c) a / wear / seat / driving / belt / while

8. Complete the following paragraph using appropriate subject and predicate. (3)

The peacock is a very beautiful bird. (a) _____ is our national bird. It (b) _____. Its long feathers have moon like spots. (c) _____ are of green, blue, yellow and golden colours.

9. Frame 'wh-' questions using the words given in the bracket. (3)

- (a) Children are playing cricket. (What)
- (b) They are playing in the park. (Where)
- (c) They have two bats. (How many)

SECTION -D (Literature) - 15 Marks

10. Read the extract carefully and answer the questions that follow. (1x4=4)

‘She is simply beautiful—quite perfect! I can see you love her and look after her well. Go and fetch the prize from the table.’

- (a) Who is ‘She’ in the above lines?
(i) Aunt Polly (ii) the teacher
(iii) the kitten (iv) Doris
- (b) Who is the speaker of the above lines?
(i) Ellen (ii) the teacher
(iii) George (iv) Harry
- (c) What did Peter get as a prize?
(i) a pair of socks (ii) a big book of adventure stories
(iii) a kitten (iv) a box of chocolates
- (d) Why did Peter get the prize?
(i) for winning the best students trophy.
(ii) for winning the drawing competition.
(iii) for saving the kitten from danger.
(iv) for winning the best cared for pet competition

11. Answer **any four** questions out of the given questions in about **20 words**. (2x4=8)

- (a) What did Aunt Sally gift Peter on his birthday? What did he want on his birthday?
(The Birthday Kitten)
- (b) Why was the sofa in the magic room special? (The Magic Room))
- (c) What was Michael's feeling when he saw the ladder missing while coming down of the church spire? (Michael Goes Climbing)
- (d) Who made the hot air balloon and what was it made up of? (Man learns to fly)
- (e) What offering did Sudama take for Krishna? Why did he go to meet Krishna?
(Krishna and Sudama)

12. Answer the questions in **30 words**. (3)
True friendship is about helping your friend in their difficulty. How did Nina help Medha?
What values you learn from her?

OR

Is Michael really courageous? How did Michael come down of the church spire? What values do you learn from him?
