



ST. LAWRENCE HIGH SCHOOL

Third Term Exam – 2019

Sub: English

Class: 10

F. M. 90

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Section A

READING COMPREHENSION (SEEN)

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

A. Choose the correct alternatives :- (1x5=5)

- Aunt Esther was
iv) mother of Dick and Mimi
- Father and Aunt Esther reunited with the help of
i)kite
- The funny part used to be
iii) people pitied
- Claude and Philippa played
ii) pirate caves
- Writer's family sailed back in
iii) spring

B. Complete the sentences from the passage given :- (1x3=3)

- Narrator now has more members in the island because its all on account of the kite.
- The narrator's father was a keeper of the Big Half Moon lighthouse.
- No sooner does the spring come the narrator's family would sail to their own dear island.

C. Answer the following questions :- (2x2=4)

- As long as there were no relations around the narrator and her family they never required the need of it. But the moment they came to know about their Aunt and their cousins they immediately understood the essence of a family with other relations and their father did not spend time to bring them to the island and be a part of the family. The kite helped the narrator to discover that they had relations and they discovered their aunt Esther and their cousins, Dick and Mimi.
- The narrator, her brother Claude and their Father.

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

D. State whether the following sentences are true or false. Provide sentences/phrases/words to support your answer :- (2 x2=4)

1. False

Supporting statement : "The snail sticks close, nor fears to fall
As if he grew there, house and all,
Together."

2. True

Supporting statement : "within that house secure he hides
When danger imminent betides"

E. Choose the correct options :- (1x4=4)

- If the snail's horns are slightly touched , it displays i) annoyance
- The expression "unforeseen situation likely to happen" means ii) danger imminent.
- The character of the snail is that it is iii) self satisfied.
- The meaning of the word "personal possession" is i) chatells.

Reading Comprehension (Unseen)

3. .A. Complete the following sentences choosing the right alternative from those given below :- 1x6=6
1. The above passage is -
b. A newspaper report
 2. A demand for a strong action against Pakistan grew -
a. As the terrorists attack India stoic after the attack
 3. In order to discuss about steps to be taken in the wake of the attack the Indian Prime Minister met -
b. MrPranab Mukherjee
 4. According to Ranbir Singh the Indian Army has demonstrated -
c. a great restraint
 5. Mr. VenkaiahNaide is the -
b. Union Information and broadcasting Minister
 6. Actions will be taken against the soldiers' death
c.after proper planning consideration exploring
- B. Write true or false with a supporting statement :- (2x3=6)
- a. Pakistani terrorists attacked a military convoy in Jammu and Kashmir. -
False
Supporting Statement : Pakistan terrorist outfit attacked an Army Camp in Jammu and Kashmir
 - b. The Prime Minister of India met the President of Pakistan to discuss how to deal with present crisis. - False
Supporting Statement : Prime Minister NarendraModi met President Pranab Mukherjee to discuss the issue.
 - c. According to Ranbir Singh the Indian army has showed great self control while tackling the terrorist situation. - True
Supporting Statement : The Indian Army has displayed considerable restraint while tackling the terrorist situations.
- C. Answer the following questions within thirty words :- 2x4=8
- a. What did the source privy to the deliberations among the top Government functionaries say?
Ans : They would be no knee jerk reaction in the wake of terror attack though 18 soldiers were killed.
 - b. What caused a clamour for strong action against Pakistan?
Ans : Pakistan grew as the Pakistan terrorist outfit attacked an Army Camp in Jammu and Kashmir early on Sunday on the word attack on any military base in the state in a decade that left 18 soldiers dead.
 - c. What view does Mr. Venkaiah Naidu ventilate in the wake of the deadly terror attack?
Ans : "India will have to respond and punish the perpetrators of the attacks."
 - d. When according to the report of the source privy to the deliberations among the top Government functionaries will the action be taken?
Ans : According to their report action will be taken only after proper planning consideration exploring all options and taking everyone into confidence.

Section - B

4. Fill in the blanks with articles and prepositions :-

1x3=3

- Over/on the meadow and through/at the woods the music kept spreading.
5. Choose the Correct form of verb from the brackets :- 1x3=3
- She often goes shopping on the weekend
 - I was listening to a great radio show on the way to work
 - She has been living here for 2 years.
- D. Do as directed :- 1x3=3
- Le Corbusier, a Swiss-French architect designed Chandigarh, the capital of Punjab.
 - Leopard was invisible to us until it stepped clear of the thick undergrowth.
 - Does the cat like to leave his country?
- E. Replace the underlined words with suitable phrasal verbs from the list given below. Change the forms of verbs where necessary :- 1x3=3
- The police will be acting upon the tip received from the informer.
 - I am dying for the weekend to start.
 - The next bus should be along in the next quarter of an hour or so.
6. Choose the correct word against the given meaning from the extract above :- 2x4=8
- decade
 - restraint
 - isolation
 - perpetrators

Section C

7. Story Writing :- (10)

<p><u>Heading</u></p> <p>>Should make a paragraph while starting to write. >Should develop all the points >Moral to be added</p>

8. Paragraph Writing :-

<p><u>Heading</u></p> <p>>Should make a paragraph while starting to write >Should develop all the points in one paragraph >Can add own points as well</p>
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9. Notice Writing :- (10)

Janata Housing Society		
Kolkata- Pin Code		
Ref No. :	Notice	Date:
	Heading	
<p>➤ Need to develop the notice according to the points ➤ To enclose the notice in the box is mandatory</p>		Your Name
		Signature
		Designation.
