

D.A.V. PUBLIC/MODEL SCHOOLS, WEST BENGAL ZONE
ANNUAL EXAMINATION
SESSION: 2018 – 19

Class: III
Subject: English

Maximum Marks: 80
Time: 2Hours 30Minutes

General Instructions:

1. This question paper contains 2 printed pages having Q. No. 1 to Q. No. 16.
2. All questions are mandatory.
3. Marks for each question are indicated against it.

Reading Section (10 Marks)

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

The Himalayas are beautiful mountains in the north of India. They stretch from Kashmir to Assam. The highest peak is "Mount Everest". The tops of the mountains are covered with snow throughout the year. Therefore, we call them "Abodes of Snow". There are many beautiful lakes and forests in the Himalayas. Many rivers - the Ganga, the Yamuna, the Brahmaputra and the Beas - flow from these mountains. The climate and the scenery of these mountains are so charming that the people have built many hill stations there. Many visitors go to the hill stations for pleasure and relaxation.

- a) Name the rivers that flow from the Himalayas? (2)
- b) Why do visitors go to hill stations? (2)
- c) Which is the highest peak of the Himalayas? (1)
- d) Which word in the given options means 'charming'? (1)
i) hot ii) cold iii) lovely
- e) Find the opposites of the words from the passage: (2)
i) lowest ii) ugly
- f) Complete the following sentences: (2)
i) The tops of the mountains are covered with _____.
ii) There are many beautiful lakes and _____.

Writing Section (15 Marks)

2. Write a letter to your friend inviting him / her to attend your birthday party. (10)
3. Frame a story following the given outlines with a suitable title and a moral. (5)
A fox and a crane great friends ----- the cunning fox invites the crane to dinner ----- serves up soup in a flat dish ----- the crane feels helpless with its long narrow beak and remains hungry ----- a week later the fox is invited by the crane ----- and boiled rice is served in a jar ----- with a long narrow neck crane eats ----- "Enjoy yourself", says the crane and eats the boiled rice merrily ----- the fox returns hungry.

Grammar (20 Marks)

4. Fill in the blanks with suitable pronouns: (4)
a) Rahul is a good boy. _____ listens to his elders. (He / She)
b) Rohini will sing in the contest. _____ is a good singer. (She / He)
c) Priya lives in America. _____ family lives in India. (His / Her)
d) Rishi, Sonam and Riya are there in the ground. _____ are playing. (They / Them)
5. Complete the following sentences with the correct preposition given in brackets. (4)
a) We shall go _____ taxi. (by / in)
b) I received this message _____ 7 o'clock in the morning. (on / at)
c) Taj Mahal is made _____ marbles. (by / of)
d) July comes _____ June. (after / before)

6. **Fill in the blanks with articles:** (4)
- She is _____ Indian.
 - _____ lion is the king of beasts.
 - _____ umbrella is needed during the rainy season.
 - Would you like to drink _____ cup of tea?
7. **Divide the subject and the predicate from the following sentences:** (4)
- Close the door.
 - Rahul is a good boy.
 - My mother is a great cook.
 - He goes to school by car.
8. **Identify and state the kinds of sentences:** (4)
- He is very intelligent.
 - What are you doing there?
 - What a bright sunny day!
 - Shut the door.

Literature (35 Marks)

Read the extracts given below and answer the questions that follow: (1×3=3)

9. "This key must be for an adventure.
What does it go to? Who can say?
Could be, it opens a treasure chest"
- Where was the key found?
 - When was it found?
 - What was the treasure chest full of?
10. "It was Peter's birthday---and will you believe it, all he had was one card, and one present!"
- Name the prose piece.
 - How old was Peter?
 - What did Peter find under the hedge?
11. **Answer the following questions in brief:** (1×5=5)
- What did Sudama take for Krishna as an offering to his friend?
 - How did Peter bring home the little creature he had found?
 - In which year did the two brothers Jacques and Joseph Montgolfier make a balloon?
 - What was the name of Poppy's aunt?
 - What was Florence Nightingale called by the soldiers?
12. **Answer the following questions in short:** (2×5=10)
- What was Ramesh's daily routine?
 - How did Krishna help Sudama?
 - Why did Peter call his pet 'the birthday kitten'?
 - Why did the first woman say that she felt like hitting Michael every time she saw him?
 - Why were the two kittens thrown out of the room?
13. **Make sentences with:** (3)
- pollution
 - silver
 - genie
14. **Write the meaning of the following words:** (3)
- confidence
 - garbage
 - pause
15. **Write the opposites of the following:** (3)
- outside
 - long
 - safe
16. **Frame a web-chart on the characteristic features of Michael.** (5)
