

Bhavan's Tripura Vidyamandir1ST Periodic Assessment - (2024-2025)**Class: - 7**

Time :- 2 Hours

Subject :- English

Total : - 50 Marks

Name of the Student:

Roll

Section

A. READING SECTION - (5 MARKS)**Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions -****(1 X 5 =5)**

Our ancestors had great difficulty in getting books. Now, our difficulty is what to read. There are books and books but our hours of reading are very few. Therefore, choice becomes essential. We should be very careful about what we read. There are books which poison our lives by suggesting evils. We should keep them at arm's length.

We should read only those books which have stood the test of time. Such books are our great classics like the Ramayana and the Gita. They contain the wisdom of our sages and saints. They have appealed mankind from generation to generation. Reading of such books has ennobling influence on our mind and character. It gives us spiritual enjoyment. These books give us instruction with entertainment. They represent our ancient culture. They set before us high ideals to follow. They are our best friends, best guides and the best treasure.

Questions:

1. We should be selective because
 - (a) There is a great number of books available to us
 - (b) There is scarcity of books
 - (c) There are only bad books in the market
 - (d) None of the above.
2. We should avoid those books which
 - (a) Cost high price
 - (b) Come in paperback
 - (c) Corrupt our lives by suggesting evils
 - (d) Come in more than one volume.
3. What is /are special quality/qualities of classics?
 - (a) They affect our mind in a good way
 - (b) They teach us something great and also entertain us.
 - (c) They help us in our spiritual growth
 - (d) All the above.
4. What do you understand by the word Classic Books?
5. What does the Ramayana and Gita contain?

B. WRITING SECTION - (5 MARKS)**(Answer any 1 out of 2 from the following article topics)****(5 X 1=5)**

1. The internet - Boon or Bane
2. Women Empowerment

C. GRAMMAR SECTION - (15 Marks)**A Circle the independent clauses and underline the dependent clauses:****(1X 3=3)**

1. This is the house where my father was born.
2. God helps those who help themselves.
3. If you come early, we will play a few games on the computer.

B. Fill in the blanks with suitable personal pronouns. (1X3=3)

1. We are looking for Rohan. Have you seen _____?
2. My name is Deepshikha. _____ am from Delhi.
3. Raja is very tall. And _____ is very slender too.

C. Correct the errors in the use of noun or verbs in these sentences. (1X3=3)

1. The news are bad.
2. Diabetes are incurable.
3. Your luggages are so heavy.

D. Identify these sentences by choosing the correct options. (1X3=3)

1. Where is the ghost hiding?(declarative/ interrogative / imperative)
2. Suddenly there leaped out two figures. (interrogative/ imperative/ declarative)
3. Which subject would you like to write a poem on? (imperative / interrogative / declarative)

E. Identify and write it's kind in the space below. Then, change as directed. (1X3=3)

1. There is a lush green meadow near my house (Interrogative)
2. Will you give this lunch box to her? (Declarative)
3. It was a pleasant surprise. (Exclamatory)

D. LITERATURE SECTION - (25 Marks)

A. Answer the following questions in 1 word or 1 sentence. (1X5=5)

- 1 Name a British writer who was known for his lyrical writing?
- 2 Who was the writer of the story "The importance of Being Earnest"?
- 3 Whom we fondly called *Gurudev*?
- 4 Write the meaning of the word ajar.
- 5 When did the Bahini group decide to hoist the National Flag at the local police station?
(Mention the month and year both)

B. Answer the following questions. (2X7=14)

1. In what aspects were the brothers different from each other?
2. What obligations did the ghost have?
- 3 According to the poet, how should knowledge be?
- 4 Why were the youngsters excited?
- 5 What did the young fighters do when Kanak lata got shot?
- 6 What has changed in the domestic life of the speaker?
- 7 According to the poet, what is a dead habit?

C. Answer the following reference to the content questions. (3X2=6)

1. Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high;

Where knowledge is free;

Where the world has not been broken up into fragments by narrow domestic walls;

A. What do the expressions 'mind is without fear' and 'head is held high' mean?

B. What does the expression 'knowledge is free' indicate?

C. What breaks the world into fragments?

2. "But what did the Mahatma Gandhi say? What does you want us to do"?

A. Who is the speaker?

B. Who does '*us*' refer to here?

C. What kind of sentence is used in the above context?