

Sample question paper
Subject – Special English (011)
Class – 10th

Time – 3 hours

M.M. - 75

Instruction : Attempt all question

Q. (1) [A] Choose the correct Alternative (5)

- (i) A journey to a holy place is known as
- (a) holy visit (b) pilgrimage (c) Mecca (d) Haj
- (ii) The person who look the bag was sent to goal. The word god means
- (a) play football (b) hit the ball (c) jail (d) shop
- (iii) on adding the suffusion to include the word formed is
- (a) includesion (b) includsion (c) inclusion (d) includeion
- (iv) He look off his coat and sat down the phrase 'look off' means.
- (a) remove (b) leave (c) stand (d) fold
- (v) The antonym of fortunate is
- (a) infortunate (b) infortunat (c) disfortunate (d) unfortunate

Q. (1) [B] Fill in the blanks choosing the correct alternative. (5)

- (i) They decided to continue _____ the bad weather.
- (a) spite of (b) newerthless (c) despile of (d) while
- (ii) He was disappointed _____ the result was not as expected.
- (a) so that (b) while (c) become (d) although
- (iii) Lat's wait _____ it slops raining
- (a) before (b) until (c) since (d) for
- (iv) My childhood friend comes _____ to meet me.
- (a) always (b) recently (c) occasionally (d) early
- (v) _____ the play ended , we went to meet him.
- (a) When (b) while (c) before (d) as

Q. (1) [C] Choose the grammatically correct sentence (5)

- (i) (a) She recuited a poem who made the child small.
(b) She recuited a poem which made the child small.
(c) She recuited a poem when made the child small.
- (ii) (a) We used to line in a village , when I was a child.
(b) We would line in a village , when I was a child.
(c) We may line in a village , when I was a child.
- (iii) (a) We are better then our rivals.
(b) We are better from our rivals.
(c) We are better to our rivals.
- (iv) (a) She doesnot do the house work herself , doesnot she ?

- (b) She does the house work herself , doesn't she ?
- (c) She does the house work herself , does she ?
- (v) (a) At what time does the shops open here ?
- (b) At what time did the shops open here ?
- (c) At what time do the shops opens here ?

Note : Answer the following question in one or two sentences :-

- Q. (2) What is the poets demand in the poem 'about me' ?
- Q. (3) How did the little kite feel when it sailed up in the sky ?
- Q. (4) Why was beinkensopp always late ?
- Q. (5) What do you understand by If we use more than one sight in the poem 'Including all my friends '
- Q. (6) What places does sumba imagine in the poem 'sunbas' adventure ?

Note : Answer the following question in two or three sentences :-

- Q. (7) What did akash dicide to settle down in india ? What does it show about his character ?
- Q. (8) Why did jack say that it was better 'to be Mr. owner than two be Mr. tenant' ?
- Q. (9) How many times did uncle podger jail to hung the picture ? List the evidences from the story.
- Q. (10) What was the mood of the headmaster when he entered the class ? How did swaminathan react to the questions put by the headmaster ?
- Q. (11) Make a précis of the following and give a suitable little.

Three gives us wood. This wood is used as fuel. If is also used for Building Houses and boats. Wood got from the trees is the raw material for paper and rayon. Trees and plants make the starch by photosynthesis. This starch is the food of all grass eating animals. It is also the main food for human being. Trees gives out oxygen and helps in purifying the air we breathe. If also give out water vapour. This cools the are. It is helpful in causing rains. Also they bind the soil jast and stop the erosion of sort. We get many herbs & medicines from plants. They also purify the air by taking carbon dioxide and releasing oxygen to the atmosphere. Forests also provide food and shelter to various birds & animals which make our earth such a beautiful place.

OR

The root cause of asthma could be defective deep breathing rays doctors at Johns Hopkins university. Alkas togias and his collages say that nobody can be made to wheeze like an asthmatic of they are prevented from beathing deeply when there lungs are irritated. During an asthamatic attack the muscles lining the lungs airways go into spasm contracting the tubes and reducing the flow of air. Attacks can be set off by irritant chemicals or allergic reactions usually to the dropping of the house dust mite. Most doctors have assumed that the lungs of asthma suffuse are unusually susceptible to irritation but togas and his colleagues were intrigues by experiments that suggested otherwise lung tissue taken from healthy people and asthmatics seems to react similarly

to irritant chemicals we think that the lungs of people with asthma behave in exactly the same ways as people with healthy lung” say to gas’ “The difference between them is that healthy people manage” reopen their tubes by taking deep breaths

Q. (12) Write an e-mail to your friend Asha/Ashok informing her/him about a coaching institute (Brochure attached) sign in as neera/neerai - neer 92@gmail.com (4)

OR

Write an e-mail to the “Reader’s digest” Mumbai readers digest.com.in to get a year subscription of the magazine. Informing them of the subscription fee being by NEFT you are V.K. Jain vkjain@gmail.com

Q. (13) Write a paragraph on any one of the topics on the given hints.

(a) Polythene bags versus paper bags.

Hints – Polythene bags - non-toxic – non-destructive

Hazardous ; paper bags – easily torn – biodegradable – people awareness.

(b) Man’s best friend - books

Hints – vast knowledge – help – wisdom – enrich personality – positivity

(c) Visit to a fair.

Hints – Place - main attraction – local artist – market – swings – enjoyment. (4)

Q. (14) Fill in the blanks correct form of verbs given and the correct of the determiners given. (5)

One day as it rained _____ (water) the _____ (few , lot) plants in his garden. He _____ (notice) that the leaves of _____ (any , some) plants were half-eaten and then he _____ (see) the caterpillar.

OR

A fierce wind blew and _____ (several any much) houses crashed down while _____ (many , both , all) others were badly _____ (to damage). The storm was so severe that _____ (a few , a little , a lot) huts were (blown) away with the wind.

Q. (15) Read the following passage from a lesson in your book and answer the question that follows. (any five) (5)

Aunt Jane (relenting a little) : Now I’m sorry if I sounded rude but really I’m shocked to find the way you’re living. I’ve never owed a penny in my life – cash down that’s my motto and I want you to do the same (she hands her handbag) now look here’s a little cheque I was meaning to give you anyway. (she hands it to Jill) suppose you take it and pay off just one of your bills so that you can say one thing at least really belong to you.

Question :

(i) What was Aunt Jane’s motto ?

(ii) What did Aunt Jane want Jill to do with the cheque ?

(iii) By what was Aunt Jane shocked ?

(iv) From which lesson is this extract from ?

- (v) Find a word from the passage which means “a guiding slogan”
- (vi) Aunt Jane wanted Jack and Jill to live..... (choose the correct option)
 - (a) without any loans
 - (b) without any rent
 - (c) without bill & cheques

Q. (16) Read the following passage and answer the question that follow.

In India working women lead a life of dual responsibilities if they are married and have a family with a majority of working women the family take precedence over the job they prefer to stay in joint families where their children can be taken care of while they are at work when they come back in the evening from the relatively different surrounding of their work place their personalities have to undergo a change to accommodate the demands on their time and attention by different family members whose predominant feeling are of having been negated. These women after do their shopping on the way from office. They reserve their weekends for heavy housework and for spending time with their spouses and children for family duties social visit and less for entertainment

Question (Any eight) (8)

- (i) Why does the working women prefer to stay in a joint family ?
- (ii) What are the dual responsibilities of a working women ?
- (iii) Why does the personality of a working women change on reading home ?
- (iv) Name any one of the different things a women does on a weekend ?
- (v) Find the word from the passage which is antonym of “ancient” _____
- (vi) Find the word from the passage which means to have enough space _____
- (vii) Find the word from the passage which is antonym of “minutely” _____
- (viii) Find the word from the passage which means “very important”
- (x) What are the feeling of the family members towards working women ?

Q. (17) Write an essay on about 250 words on any one of the topics.

- (a) Pollution control
- (b) Save girl child
- (c) Misuse of mobiles
- (d) Digital India