

QUARTERLY EXAM 2022

CLASS IX
Time: 2 hours

SUBJECT- ENGLISH
Maximum Marks: 50

Instructions- All questions are compulsory.

While answering the questions do not exceed the word limit.

Section A

(Reading Comprehension)

Q.1 a. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow : (5MARKS)

Papaya is the healthiest fruit with a list of properties that is long and exhaustive. Papaya favours digestion as well as cures skin irritation and sun burns. You can munch on it as a salad, have it cooked or boiled or just drink it up as milkshake or juice. The most important of these virtues is the protein-digesting enzyme in the milky juice or latex. The enzyme is similar to pepsin in its digestive action and is said to be so powerful that it can digest 200 times its own weight in protein. It assists the body in assimilating the maximum nutritional value from food to provide energy and body-building materials.

Papain in raw papaya makes up for the deficiency of gastric juice and fights excess of unhealthy mucus in the stomach, dyspepsia and intestinal irritation. The ripe fruit, if eaten regularly corrects habitual constipation, bleeding piles and chronic diarrhea. The juice of the papaya seeds also assists in the above-mentioned ailments.

The juice, used as a cosmetic, removes freckles or brown spots due to exposure to sunlight and makes the skin smooth and delicate. A paste of papaya seeds is applied in skin diseases like those caused by ringworm. The black seeds of the papaya are highly beneficial in the treatment of cirrhosis of the liver caused by alcoholism, malnutrition, etc. A tablespoonful of its juice, combined with a hint of fresh lime juice, should be consumed once or twice daily for a month. The fresh juice of raw papaya mixed with honey can be applied over inflamed tonsils, for diphtheria and other throat disorders. It dissolves the membrane and prevents infection from spreading.

Now answer the following questions :

(1x5 =5 marks)

- (a) Mention any two properties of papaya.
- (b) How can intestinal irritation be overcome?
- (c) How can we cure throat disorders?
- (d) How does the juice help us as a cosmetic?
- (e) Find a word which means same as 'lack of nutrition'.

Read the passage carefully:

(5 marks)

A team from Cornell University, which is led by a scientist from India, has begun teaching a robot to understand instructions. These instructions are given by various speakers in the robot's own language. This experiment tries to assess how adept the robot is at adapting to its environment. Ashutosh Saxena, Assistant Professor at New York's Cornell University has developed the software that can translate simple human sentences. One of his experiments has involved the simple act of making noodles from a packet. The robot is told in sentences to fill a pan with water. Place it on the stove, and heat the water. When it is boiling, the robot is instructed to put in the noodles. It has been found that the robot not only follows instructions but is smart enough to fill in the missing steps.

Saxena's robot is also equipped with a 3D camera which scans its environment and identifies the objects in it, using this software. The robot has also been trained to associate the objects with their capabilities. Thus it knows that a stove can have objects placed on them and can heat things.

Saxena's team used techniques called machine learning to train the robot's computer 'brain'. Thus the computer brain can associate entire commands given to it with flexibly defined actions.

Questions:-

Q . On the bases of your reading of the above passage make notes on it headings and sub-headings. Use recognizable abbreviations wherever necessary. (4)

Q .Write a summary of the passage in not more than 50 words using notes made and also suggest a suitable title. (3)

SECTION-B

Que.5. Write a slogan against the use of Gutka.

1 x 4 = 4

Or

Fill in Saalumurada Thimmakka's biodata in the table given below (any 4)

1) Name -

2) Place of birth -

Village _____ Taluk _____ Dist _____ State _____

3) Education - _____

4) Married _____

5) Husband Name and Occupation _____

6) Message of humanity _____

Que.6. Suppose you are Arvind Sahu, studying at R.k. Singh. H.S.S. Akaltara. Write an application for transfer certificate as your father has been transferred from Janjgir to Bilaspur. 5

Que.7. Describe any one of the following topics in about 150 to 200 word:-

(i) Any festival

(ii) Wonder of science.

(iii) My hobby

(iv) Environment Pollution

Que. Do as directed - (any five)

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i) a) I am a student

b) I am a teacher.

(Join the sentence using not only.....but also)

ii) Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam was a great leader.

(Find subject and predicate)

iii) Lata is writing a letter.

(Change into present simple tense)

iv) She _____ made a kite (have/has).

(Choose the correct alternatives)

v) This is the boy _____ stole my book.

(Fill in the blanks with suitable pronoun)

vi) A lady is waiting to see the principal.

(Rewrite the sentence with the introductory - There)

Que. Select the correct article/alternatives in brackets. :-

1 x 2 = 2

1) _____ Mahatma Gandhi was a great leader.

(A, The)

2) This furniture (is/are) very strong.

1/2 x 4 = 2

Que. A] Given opposite word :-

1) Enemies 2) Sorrow 3) Ancient 4) Bottom

B] Rewrite the following words by adding suffix/prefix :- 1 x 2 = 2

a) Nation (Suffix)

b) active (Prefix)

Que Answer the following questions :-

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- 1) Why was the crocodile grinning ?
- 2) What are the basic principals of Ayurveda ?
- 3) What are the three energies (Doshas) List them.
- 4) How did Tarun Prepare himself for the race ?

Or

Describe the Jamun tree in at least five sentence ?

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Q.1.

(a) high levels of antioxidants vitamin A, vitamin C, and vitamin E.

(b) Soak in plain warm bath or Sitz bath to help relieve the pain.

(c) Papaya favours digestion as well as cures skin irritation and sun burn.

(d) The Juice, used as a cosmetic.

(e) malnutrition

2.

Q.5.

Q.5.

Don't use Gutka it hurts
 ur legs. using Gutka kills
 us daily. Gutka khaoge to
 ghar kese chaloge. Kha, Kha K
 Gutka jiba jla liya ana
 Sareer ab ky9 khaek ji
 Paoge.

-8 Do is directed :-

1.

1. but I am teacher

2.

2.

3.

3. Leta is write a letter

4.

4. have

5.

Q.6.

To,

The Principal
Govt. H.S.S. Akallara,

Respected, Sir,

Respectfully, I beg to say that I am
class X in your school. My father has
been transferred to Bilaspur. I so cannot
~~not~~ continue attend the school.

~~Yours faithfully~~

Date.

Yours obediently

Name - X

class - X

Roll no. - 00

S. 8:-

1. The
- 2) is

Question: [A] 1. friend 2. happy 3. morden 4. upper,
[B] active

Q.

1. The crocodile was cunning one and he wanted the dentist to put his head deep down inside his big mouth so he was grinning.

2. The ~~can~~ create health and well-being; Ayurvedic Physicians and Practitioners integrate various treatments that harmonize the following five elements in both and mind.

3. According to the philosophy, universal life force manifests as three different energies or doshas, known as vata, pitta, and kapha.

4. Tarun practiced zealously to prepare for the race. He got up at four in the morning and ran up to ten miles. In evenings, Tarun would time himself for the 1000-meter distance prescribed for the competition.