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(Part - A & Part - B)

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SCIENCE STREAM
(CLASS - XII)

પ્રશ્ન પેપરનો સેટ નંબર જેની
સામેનું વર્તુળ OMR શીટમાં
ધૂંકરવાનું રહે છે.
Set No. of Question Paper,
circle against which is to be
darker in OMR sheet.

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Part - A : Time : 1 Hour / Marks : 50

Part - B : Time : 2 Hours / Marks : 50

(Part - A)

Time : 1 Hour]

[Maximum Marks : 50]

Instructions :

- 1) There are 50 objective type (M.C.Q) questions in Part - A and all questions are compulsory.
- 2) The questions are serially numbered from 1 to 50 and each carries 1 mark.
- 3) Read each question carefully, select proper alternative and answer in the O.M.R. sheet.
- 4) The OMR sheet is given for answering the questions. The answer of each question is represented by (A) O, (B) O, (C) O, (D) O. Darken the circle ● of the correct answer with ball-pen.
- 5) Set No. of Question Paper printed on the upper-most right side of the Question Paper is to be written in the column provided in the OMR sheet.

- 1) When was the persona in the poem driving her mother to the airport?
 - (A) Monday
 - (B) Saturday
 - (C) Sunday
 - (D) Friday

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2) Who has the rat's eyes?

- (A) the paper - seeming boy
- (B) one unnoted
- (C) the tall girl
- (D) children from the slums

3) _____ is there to bind us to the earth.

- (A) A green paper
- (B) A ribbon
- (C) A black sweater
- (D) A flowery band

4) Fishermen in the cold sea would not harm _____.

- (A) bivalves
- (B) elephants
- (C) conches
- (D) whales

5) The astrologer explained _____ and the tiger are enemies.

- (A) the elephant
- (B) the lion
- (C) the leopards
- (D) the bull

6) What was Sadao?

- (A) Soldier
- (B) Captain
- (C) Surgeon
- (D) Colonel

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7) Some kids used to call Mr. Lamb as _____.

- (A) Honey - Lamb
- (B) Lamey - Lamb
- (C) Milky - Lamb
- (D) Creamy - Lamb

8) _____ was the senior prison officer on D wing.

- (A) Jackson
- (B) Mike Yarwood
- (C) Evans
- (D) S. McLeery

■ Answer questions 9 to 11 after reading the given paragraph.

Our desires are unlimited, but our capacity is limited. Due to our limitations, we cannot fulfil all our desires. So, it is realistic to control our desires. If we fail to control our desires, we will fall into despair, and certainly no one can afford to follow a path that leads nowhere except to despair.

9) To control our desires is _____.

- (A) unrealistic
- (B) limited
- (C) unlimited
- (D) realistic

10) All our desires are _____.

- (A) unlimited
- (B) realistic
- (C) limited
- (D) unrealistic

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11) 'Despair' means _____.

- (A) shameful
- (B) unfortunate
- (C) hopeless
- (D) unlucky

12) I jumped over the bench and sat down at my desk.

(turn into simple)

- (A) As I sat down at my desk, I jumped over the bench.
- (B) Jumping over the bench and I sat down at my desk.
- (C) Sitting down at my desk, I Jumped over the bench.
- (D) Jumping over the bench, I sat down at my desk.

13) He wrote as large as he could.

(change the degree)

- (A) He wrote one of the largest
- (B) He could not write larger than he did
- (C) He did not write larger than he could
- (D) He wrote the largest

14) How quiet it was !

(make it assertive)

- (A) It was very quiet.
- (B) It is very quiet.
- (C) How it was quiet.
- (D) It was really a quiet.

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15) But the jump made no difference.

(add a question tag)

- (A) hadn't it?
- (B) didn't it?
- (C) won't it?
- (D) did it?

16) The tramp did not say anything.

(turn into affirmative)

- (A) The tramp failed to make noise.
- (B) The tramp never said anything.
- (C) The tramp remained silent.
- (D) The tramp remains silent.

17) He will die if he is not operated on. (Use unless)

- (A) Unless he will die if he is not operated.
- (B) He will die unless he is operated on.
- (C) Unless he is not operated on, he will die.
- (D) He will not die unless he is operated on.

18) It is too early to thank him.

(remove 'too')

- (A) It is so early that you can not thank him.
- (B) It is so early not to thank him.
- (C) It is so early that you can thank him.
- (D) It is so early to thank him.

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19) He struck it crisply into the goal.

(change the voice)

- (A) It had struck crisply into the goal by him.
- (B) It is struck crisply into the goal by him.
- (C) It has struck crisply into the goal by him.
- (D) It was struck crisply into the goal by him.

20) He seemed lonely.

(make it complex)

- (A) It seemed that he is lonely
- (B) It seemed that he was lonely
- (C) It seem that he was lonely
- (D) It seems that he is lonely

21) When Gandhiji received the news, he came to Champaran.

(use no sooner)

- (A) No sooner did Gandhiji receive the news then he came to Champaran.
- (B) No sooner did Gandhiji receive the news, he came to Champaran.
- (C) No sooner did Gandhiji receive the news than he came to Champaran.
- (D) No sooner Gandhiji received the news, he came to Champaran.

22) The government was baffled.

(begin the sentence with it)

- (A) It had baffled the government
- (B) It baffled the government
- (C) It has baffled the government
- (D) It baffles the government

23) Taking the money, the tramp ran away. (make it compound)

- (A) The tramp took the money and ran away.
- (B) Taking the money and the tramp ran away.
- (C) When the tramp took the money, he ran away.
- (D) The tramp takes the money and ran away.

24) Under an ancient arrangement, the Champaran peasants were _____.

- (A) Zamindars
- (B) Landlords
- (C) Tenants
- (D) Sharecroppers

25) _____ was the capital of Champaran.

- (A) Tirhut
- (B) Dhanbad
- (C) Motihari
- (D) Muzzafarpur

26) Anyone, suffering from malaria, was given _____.

- (A) quinine or castor oil
- (B) castor oil
- (C) quinine plus castor oil
- (D) quinine

27) Pancake was _____.

- (A) bakery item
- (B) make-up material
- (C) name of a dish
- (D) none of the above

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28) Who assisted the Maharashtrian head of the Gemini Studio?

- (A) Dharwar Kannadiga
- (B) Shashi Kapoor
- (C) Kothamangalam Subbu
- (D) Ashokamitran

29) The author of "The Interview" is _____.

- (A) Christopher Silvester
- (B) Christopher Marlow
- (C) Christopher D'mello
- (D) Christopher D'silva

30) Umberto Eco has written _____ novels against many more scholarly works of non-fiction

- (A) seven
- (B) five
- (C) six
- (D) four

31) "Words had to be prized out of him like stones out of the ground." - This sentence refers to _____.

- (A) Frank
- (B) Derek
- (C) Danny Casey
- (D) Geoff

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■ Read the following Passage and answer question nos. from 32 to 34.

I went to the pool when no one else was there. The place was quiet. The water was still, and the tiled bottom was as white and clean as a bathtub. I was timid about going in alone, so I sat on the side of the pool to wait for others.

- 32) The pool is compared to a _____.
 (A) bathtub
 (B) tiled surface
 (C) fountain
 (D) bathroom
- 33) When the author went to the pool, the water was _____.
 (A) troubled
 (B) overflowing
 (C) still
 (D) quiet
- 34) ‘Timid’ means _____.
 (A) hesitant
 (B) fearful
 (C) shocked
 (D) quiet
- 35) Once upon a time there was a man who went around selling _____.
 (A) bedsheets
 (B) apples
 (C) bananas
 (D) small rattraps of wire

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- 36) The order from Berlin was _____ in the schools of Alsace and Lorraine.
- to teach only English
 - to teach only French
 - to teach only German
 - to teach German and French
- 37) M. Hamel _____ "Vive La France!"
- wrote
 - shouted
 - exclaimed
 - cried
- 38) Why wasn't the boy wearing chappals?
- Chappals were very old
 - He did not find it
 - Chappals were too small
 - His mother did not give him
- 39) For elders, a heap of garbage is _____.
- a disturbance
 - a means of survival
 - wrapped in wonder
 - a good fortune
- 40) Firozabad is famous for its _____.
- slums
 - motor cars
 - bangles
 - glass factory

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41) Danny Casey was a _____.

- (A) football player
- (B) basketball player
- (C) rugby player
- (D) tennis player

42) In those days the Ramsjö iron mill was owned by a very prominent _____.

- (A) dancer
- (B) goldsmith
- (C) blacksmith
- (D) iron master

43) Edla wanted the tramp to stay with them for _____.

- (A) new year
- (B) christmas
- (C) the day after christmas
- (D) christmas Eve

44) Mukesh announced that he would become a _____.

- (A) singer
- (B) motor mechanic
- (C) painter
- (D) teacher

45) The pen name of Neftali Ricardo Reyes Basoalto is _____.

- (A) Robert Frost
- (B) John Keats
- (C) William Shakespeare
- (D) Pablo Neruda

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- 46) A thing of beauty is a _____ forever.
- (A) inspiration
 - (B) happiness
 - (C) pleasure
 - (D) joy
- 47) It will never pass into nothingness. (identify the figure of speech)
- (A) Antithesis
 - (B) Litotes
 - (C) Simile
 - (D) Personification
- 48) The poem 'A Roadside Stand' presents the lives of _____. (Q3)
- (A) the deprived poor
 - (B) the wealthy
 - (C) the mentally ill
 - (D) the rich
- 49) Aunt Jennifer's tigers prance across _____. (Q4)
- (A) a farm
 - (B) a bridge
 - (C) a screen
 - (D) a river
- 50) 'Young trees sprinting' - identify the figure of speech. (Q5)
- (A) Metonymy
 - (B) Personification
 - (C) Paradox
 - (D) Oxymoron

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(Part - B)**Time : 2 Hours]****[Maximum Marks : 50]****Instructions :**

- 1) Write in a clear legible handwriting.
- 2) There are five sections in Part - B of the question paper and total 1 to 21 questions are there.
- 3) All the questions are compulsory. Internal options are given.
- 4) The numbers at right side represent the marks of the questions.
- 5) Start new section on new page.
- 6) Maintain sequence.

SECTION - A

■ Answer the following questions in five to six sentences each : **[10]**

- 1) What did Franz notice as he entered the classroom?
- 2) Mention the hazards of working in the glass bangles industry.
- 3) How did Douglas overcome his fear of water?
- 4) The peddler wrote and signed the letter as 'Captain Von Stahle'. Explain.
- 5) How was Gandhi able to influence lawyers? Give instances.

SECTION - B

■ Answer the following questions in five to six sentences each : **[6]**

- 6) With reference to the poem 'A Thing of Beauty', list the things that cause suffering and pain.
- 7) What will counting upto twelve and keeping still help us to achieve?
- 8) Briefly describe the elementary classroom of the slum.

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■ Answer the following questions in five to six sentences each : [4]

- 9) Antarctica is a place to go to understand the earth's present, past and future. Elaborate.
- 10) What is the moral issue that the story 'Should Wizard Hit Mommy' raises ?

SECTION - C

■ Rewrite the sentences using the correct meanings of the given phrases / idioms. [3]

- 11) The tramp had to resort to both begging and petty thievery to keep body and soul together.

(for his health, for his livelihood, for his well-being)

- 12) I never saw him look so tall.

(physically very tall, look very dissatisfied, seem very confident)

- 13) From the beginning, I had an aversion to the water.

(strong dislike, strong desire, strong liking)

- 14) Report the following passage into indirect form of narration. [4]

"Why do you do this?" I asked.

"I have nothing else to do." Saheb muttered.

"Go to school," I said glibly realising immediately how hollow the advice must sound.

"There is no school in my neighbourhood. When they build one, I will go."

■ Rectify the Errors :

[3]

Errors	Correction
The next I remembered	15) _____
I was lying upon my stomach	16) _____
besides the pool, vomiting	17) _____

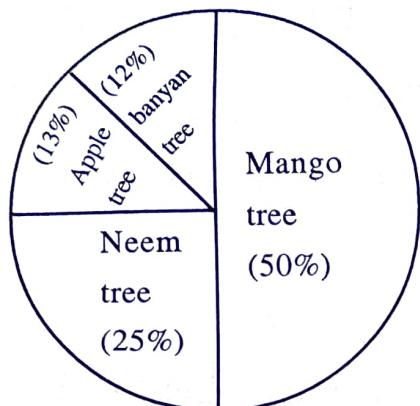
SECTION - D

- 18) Study the following chart and interpret it in six to seven sentences.

(Eco club members - 100 students)

[5]

- tree lovers



Student's
liking of trees
Mango tree - 50%
Neem tree - 25%
Apple tree - 13%
Banyan tree - 12%

OR

Paraphrase the following poem in six to seven sentences.

He turns an old key in the latch
And checks the whole house well,
Just like a chick, about to hatch
Turns round inside its shell.
Then, having stopped to set the clock,
Through darkened halls he winds;
And having checked the back door lock
And having drawn the blinds,
He takes one long and pensive look
At where his heart's desire
Would sweetly sit and read a book
Beside a roaring fire.

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- 19) Draft an E-mail to your friend providing him the details about a foreign University for admission.

[5]

SECTION - E

- 20) You are Priyank / Priyanka residing at 202, Pushpak Vihar, Mansa Road, Vijapur. Draft an application for the post of a Medical Representative in Cadila Pharmaceuticals, Ahmedabad. [4]
- 21) Write an essay in about 250 words on any one of the following topics. [6]

(A) Impact of Social Media on teenagers

(Points : technology – development – importance of social media – impacts – effects – your views)

(B) A Stitch in time saves nine

(Points : Proverb – meaning – significance – relevance – example – conclusion.)

OR

You are the secretary of the literary and Debating Association of your school. Prepare a speech in about 250 words for its inauguration for the year 2020.



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