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MID TERM (2021-22)
CLASS V (ENGLISH)
PART-1

Marks- 25

Time: 40 minutes

All questions are compulsory. Each question carries 1 mark.

READING (5 Marks)

Q1) Read the following passage carefully and answer the given questions: (5 Marks)

About the year 1900, a small, dark-haired boy named Charles Chaplin was often seen waiting outside the back entrances of London theatres. He looked thin and hungry but his blue eyes were determined. He was hoping to get work in show business. He could sing and dance. His parents were music-hall performers and he had been born into the life of the theatre. And, although his own boyhood was painfully hard, he knew how to make people laugh. His own father had died from drinking too much. And his mother was not really able to look after Charles and his older half-brother, Sid. She was often sick in mind and had to be sent into hospital.

Q 1) The boy Charles Chaplin was _____.

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| a) brown-haired | c) red-haired |
| b) dark-haired | d) light-haired |

Q 2) Chaplin thought to get a job in _____.

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| a) soap business | c) show business |
| b) hotel business | d) hospital business |

Q 3) His parents were _____.

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| a) music-hall performers | c) singers |
| b) actors | d) director |

Q4) Why couldn't Chaplin's mother look after him?

- a) She was a music hall-performer.
- b) She was not well.
- c) She hated Chaplin.
- d) She was a home-maker.

Q 5) The meaning of 'determined' is _____.

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| a) mind made up | c) mind fade up |
| b) mind turn up | d) mind turn down |

GRAMMAR (10 MARKS)

Q1) The masculine of duck is _____.

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| a) Drake | b) Doe |
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- c) Baron d) Bull
- Q2) Neil is the _____ of all her sisters. (Degrees of Comparison)**
- a) Young c) Young
b) Youngest d) More young
- Q3) On my way to the college, I met _____ University scholar.**
- a) A c) The
b) An d) None of these
- Q4) _____ do you want to meet? (Choose the appropriate interrogative pronoun.)**
- a) Which c) Whom
b) Who d) What
- Q5) _____ and _____ pronouns always end in 'self' or 'selves'.**
- a) Relative and Interrogative c) Relative and Emphatic
b) Reflexive and Emphatic d) Reflexive and Relative
- Q6) _____ is the plural of scissors.**
- a) Scissor c) Scissors
b) Scissors d) Scissores
- Q7) Give me a _____ of grass from the park. (Choose the suitable collective noun.)**
- a) Bale c) Brood
b) Tuft d) String
- Q8) I have a rich experience of travelling to distant places. (Identify the abstract noun)**
- a) Places c) I
b) Travelling d) Experience
- Q9) 'Around the World in 80 Days' _____ my favorite book.**
- a) Were c) Is
b) Are d) Has
- Q10) Verbs which require objects to complete their sense are called _____.**
- a) Transitive Verbs c) Complements
b) Intransitive Verbs d) Finite Verbs

LITERATURE (10 Marks)

- Q1) Who is the poet of the poem 'Leisure'?**
- a) William Henry Davies c) Junaid Yahya
b) Lewis Carroll d) Johanna Spyri
- Q2) The word 'wither' means _____**
- a) Tidy c) Fade and dry up
b) Untidy d) Find fault
- Q3) 'Put your hand down and feel the ground. Then you'll know why.' Who said these lines?**
- a) Tiger-lily c) Daisy
b) Rose d) Alice

Q4) What is the poem 'Leisure' all about?

- a) having no time
- b) beautiful dancing lady
- c) enjoying nature
- d) staring and staring

Q5) Why is tiger-lily the leader of all the flowers?

- a) As she is the eldest
- b) Or the wisest
- c) She can control all the flowers
- d) As she is the youngest

Q6) "Alice came upon a large flower bed, with a border of daisies and a _____."

- a) Tiger- lily
- b) Red Queen
- c) The Nose
- d) A willow tree

Q7) What does the word 'scanty' mean?

- a) not enough
- b) appropriate
- c) excessive
- d) sufficient

Q8) Who said to whom? "Oh does it really live way up there? How wonderful that must be! But tell me why does it scream so loud? "

- a) Grandfather said to Peter
- b) Peter said to Heidi
- c) Heidi said to herself
- d) Heidi said to Peter

Q9) How many bowls of milk Heidi had for her dinner?

- a) two
- b) five
- c) ten
- d) twenty

Q10) ' For a short while, she did not know where she was but when she heard her grandfather's deep voice outside, she recollected everything.' Who is "SHE" in this sentence?

- a) A girl named Kavita
- b) A boy named Rohan
- c) A girl named Heidi
- d) A boy named Devagya

PART-B (WRITING SKILLS) TIME- 40 Minutes

Q1) Write a short paragraph on "Books-Our Best Friends". (4 Marks)

OR

All of us enjoy being at leisure because it allows us to do many things that we like to do. Write a paragraph on the topic "When I am free, I like to...". (4 Marks)

Q2) You have recently moved to a new city for higher studies. You have drifted apart from your best friend. Write a letter to your best friend describing how your life has been in the new city. (6 Marks)

OR

Write an application to the Principal requesting her to issue a new I-card. (6 Marks)

Q3) Flowers do not speak, but they can hear and feel everything. Is this true? Why do you think so? (5 Marks)

OR

Who were Peter and Heidi? Why did Peter get annoyed with Heidi? (5 Marks)