

Board of Secondary Education

Subject: English

Class: 10th

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Year: Sample 2024

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SECTION A – MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS (10 Marks)  
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Q1. Choose the correct answer:

i) The synonym of "Generosity" is:

- a) Kindness   b) Anger   c) Strength   d) Fear

ii) Antonym of "Prosperity" is:

- a) Poverty   b) Success   c) Growth   d) Wealth

iii) Choose the correct indirect speech:

"He said, 'I am going to the market.'"

- a) He said that he is going to the market.  
b) He said that he was going to the market.  
c) He said that he has gone to the market.  
d) He said that he will go to the market.

(... total 10 MCQs)

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SECTION B – SHORT QUESTIONS (25 Marks)  
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Q2. Answer ANY FIVE of the following:

- i) Write a brief summary of the poem "Daffodils" by Wordsworth.
- ii) What is the difference between a simile and a metaphor?
- iii) Explain the moral lesson of the story "The Boy Who Cried Wolf."
- iv) Define Active and Passive voice with examples.
- v) Write four lines on "Importance of Books."
- vi) Translate into English: "علم روشنی ہے جو زندگی کو آسان بناتی ہے۔"
- vii) Write synonyms of: Courage, Ambition, Sincere, Honest.

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#### SECTION C – LONG QUESTIONS (40 Marks)

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Q3. Write an essay of 300–350 words on ONE of the following topics:

- a) Global Warming – A Threat to Humanity
- b) My Ambition in Life
- c) Role of Women in Society

Q4. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions:

"Hard work is the key to success. Luck may favor once or twice, but consistent success comes only through hard work..."

Questions:

- i) What is the key to success according to the passage?
- ii) Write the meaning of "consistent."
- iii) Why is hard work important?
- iv) Suggest a title for the passage.

Q5. Write a letter to your friend inviting him/her to spend summer vacations with you.