

Qn. No	Sub Qns	Possible Answers	Score	Total Score
1		How I Taught My Grandmother to Read	1	1
2		appreciate	1	1
3		Her style was easy to read and read convincing. Her stories dealt with complex psychological problems of ordinary people.	2	2
4		Kannada	1	1
5		The Seven Ages of Man	1	1
6		As you like It	1	1
7		Last stage of life is -second childishness -oblivion- without teeth-eyes-taste-	2	2
8		Old age	1	1
QN 9-15 ANY FIVE				
9		Two slogans-expressing admiration-Sachin Tendulkar	2	2
10		a) so that b)as soon as	2	2
11		The play "Mother's Day" focuses on the concept that the mother who stays at home has a more leisurely life than those who work outside the house.	2	2
12		The poem "Remember Me?"describes the healing of a black woman via the hope for justice. Alice Walker wants to include her hope that women will no longer be condemned to perform these duties as rotten housewives.	2	2
13		Epitaph- an inscription on the gravestone in memory of the deceased is known as epitaph.	2	2
14		The old couple might be led by the belief that their nine year old son was lying asleep there.	2	2
15		a)Metaphor b) Simile	2	2
QN 16-21 ANY FIVE				
16		a)in b)on c)across d)between	4	4
17		a)artificial b)fragile c)sympathy d) attack	4	4
18		The theme of the poem Travel by RL Stevenson is travel itself-the poet wants to see other cities-especially eastern countries.	4	4
19		The cemetery-final resting place of Romans-variety of flowering trees-endless rows of tombs-simple tomb stones and marble ones-dukes-workers-rich-poor-buried there.	4	4

20		Lover-sighing like a furnace-with woeful ballad	4	4
21		Ruskin Bond-My Eccentric Guests-author loved nature-gave shelter to wild creatures during heavy monsoon-enjoyed watching their behaviour-feeding them.	4	4
		QN 22-26 ANY FOUR		
22		The story "How I taught my Grandmother to read" written by Sudha Murthy teaches us many valuable things. The story teaches us that if one has confidence in oneself, if one is determined, he will achieve success in life. Grandmother was very determined. She made a firm decision to learn Kannada at old age. She didn't care about her age. She had confidence in herself. Grandmother was very hardworking. She even burnt midnight. She was very particular with her lessons. She used to read, write, speak and repeat her lessons. She used to do her homework. Grandmother was a multi tasker.	6	6
23		Email to friend - Virat Kohli's retirement speech	6	6
24		Diary entry after reading Sudha Murthy's "How I Taught My Grandmother to Read"	6	6
25		Good Manners-Its importance-It is said that "A man's manners are a mirror in which he shows his portrait". Hence, it is necessary to have good manners to be respectful in public. We think that intelligence and money are the only ways to gain respect among people and in society, but this is a very wrong notion. Even if one is intelligent or rich or both at the same time he won't be treated with respect if he lacks good manners and treats others well.	6	6

26		<p>Shakespeare's "The Seven Ages of Man" is a part of the comedy "As You Like It". It is a speech of a philosopher. The author compares the world with a stage and every living being is described as an actor who plays seven different plays on that stage.</p> <p>Shakespeare uses seven examples that man does during his life. The first one is an infant, who cries in the arms of his nurse. Then he grows to a school boy trying to skip the school. The third stage is of a young man, love-sick and composing a ballad to his love. Next one is a grown-up soldier, ambitious, devoted to his vows and short-tempered. Later a soldier retires and becomes a judge, using all the wisdom of his age. The sixth actor is an old man in his home clothes, losing the sharpness of mind and strength of body. The last age of man is returning to the infant state, losing one's sight, ability to taste and hear.</p>	8	8
		QN 27-29 ANY TWO		
27		Speech on -consideration/recognition to the differently abled...	8	8

28		<p>Write-up on Good Manners-It is said that “A man’s manners are a mirror in which he shows his portrait”- it is necessary to have good manners to be respectful in public. We think that intelligence and money are the only ways to gain respect among people and in society, but this is a very wrong notion. Even if one is intelligent - won’t be treated with respect if he lacks good manners and treats others well.</p> <p>The way one behaves in public sets a standard for other people -The need of adopting good manners in public is not only to gain respect, but also to show people that you are considerate about their feelings and their dignity-good manners lead to good habits and good habits eventually lead to individual growth as well as overall development of a country.</p> <p>It is very important to understand the importance of the magical words such as “thank you,” “sorry,” “please,” “excuse me” -not using phone while we are with someone, listening, offering your seat to someone in need, smiling at strangers while having an eye contact-such small actions which can make someone feel a bit more happy and comfortable with you.</p>	8	8
29		Appreciation of the poem Symphony in Yellow by RL Stevenson	8	8
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