

1. Match the following.

(5 Marks)

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| 1. Ancillary | A. Reflect, think over |
| 2. Topsy-Turvy | B. Pretty, happy |
| 3. Sprung | C. Opened up, bloomed |
| 4. Bonnie | D. Upside down |
| 5. Muse | E. Secondary, additional |

2. Fill in the blanks with the appropriate articles (a, an, the)

(10 Marks)

6. _____ honest man is the noblest creation of God.
7. Are you _____ vegetarian?
8. 'Waiting for Godot' is _____ absurd play.
9. It is _____ one-man show!
10. Kalidasa is _____ Shakespeare of India
11. The Nile River is _____ longest River in the world.
12. K2 (Mount Godwin Austen) is _____ second highest peak in the world.
13. He interviewed _____ M.L.A last week.
14. Aizawl is _____ capital city of Mizoram.
15. Lata Mangeshkar was _____ Indian playback singer.

3. Answer the following short answer questions

(5 Marks)

16. How far away is the speaker's destination in the poem "A Red Red Rose"?
17. Who did Mr. Rahul approach when his rose plant almost died?
18. How did Rahul's grandmother become wise?
19. Which Article must be placed before the superlative degree?
20. To Which two things does the speaker compare his love in the poem "A Red Red Rose"?

SECTION-B (10 Marks)

(5 Marks)

4. Annotate **any one of the following.**

A. O my Luve's like a red, red rose
That's newly sprung in June

B. But in your Departmental Store, do you apply Pythagoras Theorem or Newton's Law of Gravity?

(5 Marks)

5. Answer **any one of the following questions.**

- A. Write the summary of the poem "A Red Red Rose".
- B. How does the boy (Mr.Rahul) express his anguish on the present day education system in the lesson "Father, Dear Father"?