

Rahamania Mission

Final Exam- 2019

Sub: English

Class : Vii, F.M- 70 , Time: 2.20 H

Name:.....Roll No.:..... Date:.....

1. Read the following passage carefully:

Velan was perfectly contented and happy. He demanded nothing more of life. As far as he could see , the people in the big house too seem to be equally peace with life. One saw no reason why this good things should not go on and on forever. But death peeped around the corner. One midnight he was awakened and told that the master was dead. “What is to happen to the garden and to me? The sons are no good” , he thought at once. And his fears proved to be not entirely groundless. The sons were no good, really. They quarrelled among themselves and went away to live in another house. A year later some other family came in as tenants. The moment they saw Velan they said, “Old gardener? Don’t be up to any tricks. we know the sort you are .We will sack you if you don’t behave yourself.’Velan found life intolerable .These people had no regard for garden.

A. Tick the correct answer:

1X4=4

- i. Velan was – a tenant / owner / gardener.
- ii. The people of the big house was- happy / sad / none.
- iii. The sons of the owner were - very good / bad / there were no sons.
- iv. The sons – loved each other / quarrelled with each other /hated each other.

B. Answer the following questions:

2X3=6

- i. What was the thought of Velan when he came to know about his master's death?
- ii. Why was the fears of Velan not groundless?
- iii. Why was the life of Velan intolerable?

C. Write t for true and f for false statement:

1X3=3

- i. The master of Velan was kind hearted. ☐
- ii. Velan did not care about his master's death. ☐
- iii. The teanants had no regard for a garden. ☐

D. Fill in the blanks with information from the text:

1X2=2

- i. Velan was awakened because_____.
- ii. The sons of the owner were in the house only for _____.

2. Read the following text carefully:

Far down the earth, there lived dark Pluto, king of the land of the dead. He had often asked some goddesses to come and live with him, but no goddess was willing to live among the dead. So Pluto was very lonely. One day Pluto came to earth and was driving along in his swift chariot. Behind some bushes he heard voices and laughter. He was curious. He stopped his chariot , walked to the bushes. There he saw Proserpine laughing and playing with her companions who formed a circle round her. Pluto was charmed at the sight of the lovely maiden. He looked at Proserpine and thought , “ I must make her my queen. Her bright face will make even my dark kingdom look bright and beautiful.” But he knew that it would be useless to ask the maiden to be his queen. So he stepped into the circle and carried her to his chariot. The companions of Proserpine were frightened and fled in all directions. Pluto departed with the captive maiden in his chariot. He drove very fast. He was afraid that Proserpine’s mother Ceres would soon appear there in search of her daughter.

A. Answer the following questions correctly:2X2=4

i.

Who was Pluto? Why was he lonely?

ii.

What did Pluto do when he heard voices and laughter?

B. Fill in the following chart with information from the text:1X4=4

Cause	Effect
	The companions of Proserpine got frightened and ran away.
	Pluto drove his chariot very fast.
	Pluto was charmed .
	He knew Proserpine would not go with Pluto.

C. Some words or word phrases are given below. Find words from the text having meanings similar to these:2X2=4

- a) A young unmarried girl:-
- b) Eager to know:-

3. Read the following poetry carefully:

Old John, with white hair
Does laugh away care,
Sitting under the oak,
Among the old folk,
They laugh at our play,
And soon they all say.
'Such, such were the joys.
When we all girls & boys,
In our youth-time were seen,
On the Ecchoing Green.'

Till the little ones weary
No more can be merry
The sun does descend,
And our sports have an end:
Round the laps of their mothers,
Many sisters and brothers,
Like birds in their nest,
Are ready for rest;
And sport no more seen,
On the darkening Green.

A. Answer the following questions correctly:2X3=6

i.

What is the name of the poem, and poet?

ii.

What are the old folk watching?

iii.

When do the sports of the children have an end?

- B. Tick the correct answer:**

1X3=3
- i. In their youth time the old folk played in the – streets / valleys / vast green field.

ii. The group of the spectators remember their – gone away days / future days / present days.

iii. Sports can not be seen – in the echoing green / darkening green / in the river.

- C. Fill in the blanks with information from the text:**

1X3=3
- i. Old John has _____ hair.

ii. Many sisters and brothers sit _____.

iii. The sport of the children reminds the old men of their _____.

(UNSEEN)

1. Read the following passage and answer the following questions:

India is the house of four of the principal religion in the world – Hinduism, Buddhism, Jainism , and Sikhism. The parsees who came from Persia or modern Iran made here their house long long ago. She has also been home of many Muslims and Christians for hundreds of years. India is thus the common mother of the people of all the different faiths in the world. The Vedas, the Geeta, the Ramayana and the Mahabharata are regarded as the treasures of mankind. The world got its early arithmetic and geometry from India. It was Indian scholars that gave the numbers 1 to 9 and zero sign. You may have heard of universities at Nalanda and Taxila. The latter was in modern Peshawar. They were the most famous seats of learning in their time. In works of art, the cave of Ajanta and Ellora, the temples of Puri, Konark and Maduraj and the Taj at Agra draw thousands of people from all parts of the world every year.

- A. Tick the correct answer:**

1X4=4
- i. The common mother of the people is – Peshawar / India / Persia.

ii. Taxila university is in- Peshawar / Iran / Agra.

iii. Parssees came from- Arab / Peshawar / Iran.

iv. The numerical (1 to 9 and zero) was invented by- Pesian scholars / Indian scholars / Christian scholars

- B. Complete the following sentence with information from the passage:**

1X3=3
- i. The treasures of mankind are _____.

ii. Two former centres of learning were _____.

iii. Two examples of India’s art heritage are _____.

- C. Answer the following question:**

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- i. What are the principal religions of the world?

- D. Write ‘T’ for true and ‘F’ for false statement:**

1X2=2
- i. India is the land of single religion.

ii. In the field of mathematics, India has contributed nothing.

- E. Pick out words from the passage that mean the following:**

2X2=4
- i. Persons having much knowledge-

ii. Main-

(GRAMMAR)

A. Fill in the blanks with possessive adjectives and pronouns:

2X3=6

- i. This is _____ garden and that garden is _____.
- ii. This is _____ pen but I have lost _____.
- iii. Where is _____ shoes? Have you sold _____?

[List: her, mine, your, our, yours, theirs]

B. Fill in the blanks with appropriate modals from the list given below:

1X4=4

- i. You _____ suffer for your bad comduct.
- ii. I _____ not attend the meeting for my illness.

[Modals- must, might, may, should, could]

(WRITING SKILL)

1. Write a biography on Raja Rammohan Roy on the basis of the following hints:

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Name: Raja Rammohan Roy

Date of birth: 22nd May, 1772

Father and mother: Ramakanta Roy and Tarini Devi

Education: Learnt Arabic, Persian, Sanskrit, scholar in English, Latin, Greek, French, Tibetan

Countries visited: Tibet, England

Achievements: champion of the Bramho Samaj, abolished the cruel custom of Sati, wrote books on various subjects.

Death: 27th September , 1833 in Bristol , England