



INDIAN SCHOOL SOHAR
TERM - I EXAM (2018-19)
SUBJECT – ENGLISH
CLASS – III
SET –A

Date of Exam: 16/09/18

Time Allotted: 2 hour

Max. Marks: 40

(Note: This question paper consists of 5 printed pages. Please check that you have all the pages.)

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Section A – Reading

1. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow: (1×5=5)

Camels are very useful animals. They are called 'ships of the desert'. This is because camels are used as transport in the sandy desert. The desert is their natural living place. Their thick, padded feet are good for walking in the soft sand. They can go where cars and trucks cannot go. Some people also come to the farm to take camel rides. Camels can also walk for many days without food or water. They love to eat the dry, thorny bushes that grow in the desert. Camels store food in their humps.

Camels also give people food. Many people use camel's milk instead of cow's or goat's milk. They drink milk, and also make cheese and curd from it. Camels live for 25 to 30 years. When a camel dies, its skin is used to make leather for shoes, bags, and other things, and its bones are made into jewellery.

Answer the following questions in brief: (1×3=3)

a. How is a camel useful after it dies?

b. What do camels eat?

c. What helps a camel walk in the sandy desert?

d. Find one word from the passage which means the same:

($\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$)

1. carry things or people from one place to another - _____
2. a rounded part on camel's back - _____
3. a very sandy place - _____
4. land to keep animals and grow crops - _____

Section B – Writing and Grammar

2. Look at the picture and write four sentences about it using the words given in the box: (1×4=4)



trees, flowers, grass, birds, butterflies, bees

3. Fill in the blanks with correct Articles:

($\frac{1}{2} \times 10 = 5$)

Last summer, we went to Rajasthan for _____ holiday. We stayed in _____ hotel in Udaipur. We saw _____ Lake Palace and _____ few temples. _____ temples and buildings in Udaipur are very beautiful. We also went to _____ village where we met _____ old man. He told us some strange stories about _____ village. He said that there was _____ old palace in _____ forest where monkeys trapped people who cut down trees!

4. Fill in the blanks with suitable Conjunctions (and, but, if, so, because, or): ($\frac{1}{2} \times 6 = 3$)

- a. Sunayna has a guitar, _____ she plays it really well.
- b. You should stay away from bears _____ they are dangerous.
- c. The restaurant was not very nice, _____ the food was delicious.
- d. Bring in the dry clothes _____ it starts raining.
- e. To go from Mumbai to Goa, you can fly, _____ you can ride the ferry.
- f. Mother was feeling cold, _____ she took out a blanket.

5. Complete the passage with Present Continuous Tense form of the verbs given in the brackets:

($\frac{1}{2} \times 10 = 5$)

Today it is my birthday. My mother _____ (cook) my favourite dishes. Father _____ (blow) balloons which my bother _____ (hang) on the walls. My house _____ (look) so beautiful. My friends _____ (come) in the evening. I _____ (plan) to make them play many interesting games. My grandmother _____ (bake) a wonderful cake for me. My sister _____ (help) me to wrap the little gifts that I will give to the winners of the games. Oh, Father _____ (sit) down, he is tired after blowing so many balloons! My mother _____ (tell) me to get ready now. It is almost time for my friends to come. Bye, see you later!

6. Fill in the blanks with Preposition of Time:

($\frac{1}{2} \times 6 = 3$)

- a. The letter came _____ Monday.
- b. They came to our house _____ 8 pm.
- c. She came back _____ the morning.
- d. The test is _____ 8th December.
- e. He returned the book _____ night.
- f. The function is _____ April.

Section C – Literature

7. Answer the following questions in brief:

($2 \times 5 = 10$)

- a. Name the three boys in the poem 'The Mosquito' and what they were doing?

- b. Why did Tommy write a note to his mother?

- c. What was the rope trick?

- d. Why does the rain make a clattering sound?

e. Why did the judge ask the thieves to bring the fourth man?

8. Write the meaning of the following words:

($\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$)

a. slammed - _____

b. suspicious - _____

c. boast - _____

d. tweezered - _____

9. Frame meaningful sentences:

($1 \times 3 = 3$)

a. fault - _____

b. escape - _____

c. snap - _____
