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WORKSHEET -2

FIRST TERM EXAMINATION

SUBJECT: English

GRADE:6

I. Read the following passage carefully:

What causes the monsoon? The monsoon, which is essentially the seasonal reversal in wind direction, causes most of the rainfall received in India and some other parts of the world. The primary cause of monsoons is the difference between annual temperature trends over land and sea. The apparent position of the Sun with reference to the Earth oscillates from the Tropic of Cancer to the Tropic of Capricorn. Thus the low pressure region created by solar heating also changes latitude. The northeast and southeast trade winds converge in this low pressure zone, which is also known as the Intertropical Convergence Zone or ITCZ. This low pressure region sees continuous rise of moist wind from the sea surface to the upper layers of the atmosphere, where the cooling means the air can no longer hold so much moisture resulting in precipitation. The rainy seasons of East Asia, sub-Saharan Africa, Australia and the southern part of North America coincide with the shift of ITCZ towards these regions.

Choose the correct or the most appropriate option:

Q1: Monsoon is

- (a) A type of sea wave
- (b) a seasonal reversal in wind direction
- (c) very hot wind
- (d) Very cold wind.

Q2: What is the full form of ITCZ?

- (a) Intertrance Convergence Zone
- (b) Intertropical Convergence Zone
- (c) Intertropical Capricorn Zone
- (d) Intertropical Conveyance Zone.

Q3: The major cause of monsoon is the

- (a) difference between annual temperature trends over land and sea
- (b) difference between day and night temperature
- (c) moisture in the atmosphere
- (d) None of these.

Q4: Low pressure region is created by

- (a) solar heating
- (b) lunar cooling
- (c) Moist wind
- (d) dry wind.

Q5: It rains when

- (a) moist wind goes down
- (b) dry wind meets moist wind
- (c) the air can no longer hold moisture resulting in precipitation
- (d) Annual temperature goes down.

II. Read the following passage carefully:

Garbage is a great environment hazard. It comes from various sources—used paper, tiffin packings, plastic bags, ice-cream wrappers, bottle caps, fallen leaves from trees and many more. Garbage makes the premises ugly, unkempt and breeds diseases. A lot of trash that is thrown away contains material that can be recycled and reused such as paper, metals and glass which can be sent to the nearest recycling centre or disposed of to the junk dealer. It also contains organic matter such as leaves which can enrich soil fertility. A compost pit can be made at a convenient location where the refuse can be placed with layers of soil and an occasional sprinkling of water. This would help decomposition to make valuable fertilizer. This would also prevent pollution that is usually caused by burning such organic waste.

Choose the correct or the most appropriate option:

Q1: Garbage originates from

- (a) used paper, tiffin, packings, plastic bags and fallen leaves from trees
- (b) leftovers of food
- (c) fallen branches from trees
- (d) Building materials.

Q2: Garbage can create havoc to the mankind by

- (a) spreading foul smell
- (b) slowing our vehicles on the road
- (c) Spreading several diseases
- (d) all the above.

Q3: What happens to the disposed of material at the recycling centre?

- (a) It is thrown away
- (b) It is recycled for reuse

- (c) It is sold to the rag pickers
- (d) It is dumped into the ground.

Q4: Fallen leaves from trees are useful because they

- (a) solve the problem of fuel wood in village households
- (b) enrich water quality
- (c) Enrich soil fertility
- (d) beautify landscape.

.Q5: Which of these is correct with reference to a composite pit?

- (a) The refuge is placed with layers of soil with an occasional sprinkling of water
- (b) It contributes to the manufacture of useful fertilizer
- (c) It prevents pollution
- (d) All the above.

III. Read the given extract from the prose:

“With an education, girls are free to fly like honeybees and make their lives as sweet as honey.”

- i) Who says these lines?
 - a. beekeepers
 - b. villagers
 - c. Anita
 - d. children.

ii) Anita won the love of _____.

a. children

b. mother

c. beehives

d. none of the above.

iii) What changes Anita's life?

a. villagers

b. education

c. friends

d. none of the above.

iv) who is the author of the biography 'Anita the Beekeeper'?

a, William Blake

b. Samantha Abeel

c. Sowmya Rajendran.

d. Damanjeet Kaur

IV Read the given extract from the poem and answer the questions given below:

On a stone chair in the market place,

Sits a stone gentleman with a stone face.

He is great, he is good, he is old as old,

How many years I've not been told?

i) who is sitting on a stone chair?

- a. foreign
- b. solemn
- c. gentleman
- d. stone

ii) what did poet don't know about the statue?

- a. timespan
- b. young man
- c, he is good
- d. none of the above.

iii) what is the meaning of the word gentleman?

- a. nobleman
- b. a man of high social status.
- c. gallant
- d. all the above.

Iv) 'The Statue' falls under what Genre:

- a. prose
- b, fiction
- c. poetry
- d. ballad

V. Fill in the blanks with suitable countable or uncountable nouns from the given options:

i) I need to buy _____ shorts.

a. little

b. some

c. much

d. too

ii) The class has _____ chairs.

a. one

b. many

c. much

d. single

iii) Please give me _____.

a. waters

b. water

c. watr

d. what

VI. Fill in the blanks with a, an or the:

1. June is _____ hottest month of the year.

a) a

b) an

c) the

d) none of the above

2. Can you play _____ flute ?.

a) a

b) an

c) the

d) none of these

3. He is _____ most intelligent boy in his class.

a) a

b) an

c) the

d) none of the above

4. _____ Gateway of India is in Mumbai.

a) a

b) an

c) the

d) none of the above

VII. Fill in the blanks choosing appropriate vivid adjective from the options given below

1. Kanika has a _____ dress

a) lovely

b) pretty

c) heavenly

d) none of the above

2. An ostrich has a _____ neck

a) long lean

b) little

c) short

d) none of the above

3. Ashoka was a _____ emperor

a) great

b) nobly

c) magnanimously

d) none of the above

Part-B

Answer the following questions in about 20-30 words:

1. Why did Krishna refuse to get his painting framed?

2. Who showed the painting of a pink elephant to Krishna? Why was it shown to him?

3. What is the poster of the statue in the poem 'The Statue'?

4. How did Anita's parents agree to send her to School?

5. What way did Anitha find to pay her own School fees?

Answer the following questions in about 30-40 words:

1. How did the older tutors react when Anitha started teaching the village children?

Why did they react so?

2. List the events in Anitha's life that made a significant impact on her?

3. Which words and phrases in the poem 'The Statue' describe the statue? Sort the words into those which describe physical appearance and those which describe personality traits?

4. How would you react if your friend showed you a painting like flying horse? What would you ask him or her to do?

5. What was Krishna's friends reaction on seeing Krishna's painting? How did Krishna feel about their reaction?
