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SARALA BIRLA GROUP OF SCHOOLS
A CBSE DAY-CUM-BOYS' RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

TERM-1 EXAMINATION (2026- 27)

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

Class: III
Date : 31/8/26
Admission no:

SET- 1

Time: 2hrs
Max Marks: 40
Roll no:

General Instructions:

- The Question Paper contains three sections-READING, GRAMMAR & WRITING and LITERATURE.
- Attempt the questions based on the specific instructions for each part.
- Review your answers before submitting your answer sheet.

SECTION A: READING SKILLS (10 marks)

I. Read the passage and answer the questions given below.

The Secret of the Old Oak Tree

Leo was an eight-year-old boy who loved exploring. One warm afternoon, he went into the forest behind his house. Deep in the woods, he found a giant oak tree with a small wooden door built into the trunk. Leo gently opened the door and found a shiny brass key hidden inside a tiny velvet pouch. Right next to the tree, hidden under a pile of dry autumn leaves, was a small, locked wooden treasure chest! Leo used the key, and the lock opened with a loud click.



Inside the chest, there were no gold coins, but instead, a beautiful collection of colorful glass marbles and an old map of the forest. Leo smiled, tucked the map into his pocket, and hurried home to show his best friend before it got dark.

A. Answer the following questions.

1 x 5

1. Where did Leo go one warm afternoon?

Ans:

2. What did Leo find built into the trunk of the giant oak tree?

Ans: _____

3. Where was the locked treasure chest hidden?

Ans: _____

4. What did Leo find inside the chest instead of gold coins?

Ans: _____

5. Who did Leo want to show his new map to?

Ans: _____

B. Find out the opposite of the given words from the passage. 1 x 2

1. open - _____ 2. large - _____

C. Find out the plural form of the given words from the passage. 1 x 3

1. boy - _____
2. leaf - _____
3. marble - _____

SECTION B- WRITING & GRAMMAR (7 + 10 marks)

II. Paragraph Writing 1 x 3

A. Write a paragraph about ‘The Magic of Trees’

B. Write a letter to your friend inviting them to your birthday party.

1X4

III. Do as directed.

A. Fill in the blank with the correct preposition of place **1 x 2**

1. The bird is sitting _____ the branch.

a) under

b) on

c) between



2. The mouse hid _____ the big box.

a) in

b) behind

c) on



1 x 2

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1 x 4

A	Ans	B
Rahul is an artist.		1. It is very colorful.
The birds are flying.		2. His paintings are beautiful.
Riya loves to read.		3. They are looking for food.
Look at that rainbow!		4. Her favorite book is Harry Potter.

1 x 2

1. Water is _____(countable / uncountable)
2. There isn't _____ (many / much) milk left in the fridge

SECTION C – LITERATURE (13 marks)

1 x 5

- Shivaprakash is called shikari after his hometown _____.
 - Shikaripura
 - Shivapura
- Who wanted to me the badger ?
 - The rat
 - the Mole
- Kaka went to the _____ to get a sickle.
 - blacksmith
 - carpenter
- The sparrow was waiting for her eggs to _____.
 - hatch
 - fly

5. Shikari _____to play sports and was always dreaming of adventure
a. hated b. longed

a. hated

b. longed

V. Answer these questions.

2 x 4

1. What was the buffalo asking for?

Ans: _____

2. Why could the deer not give his horn to kaka?

Ans: _____

3. Where would Shikari and Basavraj sleep at night during their journey?

Ans: _____

4. What season is the swallow preparing to fly in?

Ans: _____

***** ALL THE BEST *****

