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SARALA BIRLA GROUP OF SCHOOLS
SENIOR SECONDARY CO-ED DAY CUM BOYS' RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL
PERIODIC TEST- 2(2024-25)
SUBJECT: ENGLISH



Class: IV
Date: 04.12.24
Admission no.:

Duration: 1 hr
Max Marks: 25
Roll no. :

General Instructions:

1. The Question Paper contains THREE sections-READING, GRAMMAR & WRITING and LITERATURE.
2. Attempt questions based on specific instructions for each part.

SECTION A: READING SKILLS (6 marks)

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



The Osprey

The osprey is not as large as the eagle, but he has a hooked bill and sharp claws like the eagle. His colour is dark brown with black and white spots, and he is from twenty to twenty-two inches long. His breast is mostly white. His tail and wings are long. The osprey is often found sitting in a tree over a pond, lake or river. He is also found by the seaside. He watches the fish as they swim in the water beneath him, and then he darts down suddenly and catches one of them. When he catches a fish in his sharp, rough claws, he carries it off to eat. As he flies away with it for his dinner, an eagle sees him. The eagle flies at him fiercely with his sharp bill and claws and compels the osprey to drop the fish. Then the eagle catches the fish as it falls and carries it off. The poor osprey, with a loud cry, timidly flies away. He must go again to the water and catch another fish for his dinner.

A. Answer the following

1 x 3

1. Where do ospreys live?
2. Why does the osprey let the eagle take its fish?
3. Why do you think ospreys live where they do?

B. Find out opposites of the following words from the passage. 1 x 3

i) short- ii) smooth - iii) blunt -

SECTION B- WRITING & GRAMMAR (4 + 5 marks)

II. Write a short story . 1 x 4

Hints

Farmer in a village had a hen..... Golden egg..... farmer became rich By selling golden eggs greedy thought to get all eggs at a time killed the hen found no eggs.

III. DO as directed 1 x 5

A. Identify the helping and main verbs in these sentences.

1. Vihan is writing a letter.
2. Raj had read the book last year.
3. You can dance very well.

B. Find out the errors in these sentences and rewrite the correct sentences.

1. I am wore my red shoes.
2. Girls was wearing blue skirts.

SECTION C – LITERATURE (10 marks)

IV. Fill in the blanks 1 x 3

1. Peter found his shadow in a _____.
2. The little ball of light vanished into a _____.
3. I am the Earth and the _____ is me.

V. Answer these questions. 2 x 2

1. What does the Earth need to keep itself fit?
2. Was Peter happy to get his shadow back? Give reasons.

VI. Answer these questions with reference to the text. 1 x 3

1. “Tink, do you know where they have put it?”

- a. Who is Tink?
- b. What is the speaker asking about?
- c. Does Tink know the answer?