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**PRE MID TERM EXAM- 2024-25**



**ENGLISH**

Class: V  
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Admission No: \_\_\_\_\_

Duration: 1 Hr  
Max. Marks: 25  
Roll No: \_\_\_\_\_

**General Instructions:**

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

**SECTION A : READING SKILLS (7)**

**I. Read the passage carefully and then answer the questions.**

**[7x1=7]**

There are houses all over the world. Some houses are large. Some are small. Some are made of wood. Some are made of rock. Some are made of mud. Some are made of cloth. In cold places, some houses are made of ice – frozen water! People usually build their houses with something that is easy to find. For example, there are many trees in the forest. So people who live there might build a house made of logs. Some houses have one room. Some houses have many rooms. There is usually a bedroom for sleeping. There is often a kitchen for cooking. There is usually a bathroom. There is often a living room for sitting and talking. Some houses have basements. The basement is under the main part of the house. Some houses have attics. The attic is above the main part of the house. Most houses have a door so people can enter and exit the house. Most houses have windows so the people can look outside. Windows also let air into the house from outdoors. Some houses are fancy. They are painted bright colours and are very decorative. Some houses not fancy — they are plain and simple. Houses look very different in different parts of the world. But, people who live in a house probably all agree that there is no place like home!

1) Why are many forest houses made of logs?

- A. There are many logs in the forest.
- C. There is a lot of wood in the forest

- B. Trees are easy to find in the forest
- D. All of the above

2) Why do houses have bedrooms?

- A. For sleeping
- C. For relaxing

- B. For cooking
- D. For building things

3) Where is the basement of a house?

- A. Beside the house
- C. Under the house

- B. Above the house
- D. None of the above

4) Houses have doors

- A. so people can enter and exit
- C. so people can cook and eat

- B. so people can sleep
- D. Both A and B are correct

5) Houses have windows to...

- A. let people go outside
- C. let air into the house from outdoors

- B. let people look outside
- D. Both B and C are correct

6) What is ice?

- A. Trees that are cut down
- C. A kind of grass

- B. Water that is frozen
- D. A kind of cloth

7) An attic is...

- A. a house made of ice
- C. a room under a house

- B. a house in the forest
- D. a room above a house

### SECTION B: WRITING SKILLS (7)

II. Write a paragraph on Gardening ( 50 to 60) words.

(1x4=4)

III. Write a story on any one of the topics given.

(1x3=3)

- a) Write about an alien's visit on Earth
- b) Write a story about a group of friends-and the summer vacation they had.

### SECTION C: GRAMMAR (4)

IV. Write the plural of the given words.

(2x1=2)

- a) hoof \_\_\_\_\_
- b) pony \_\_\_\_\_

V. Rewrite the following sentences with the opposite gender of the underlined word. (2x1=2)

- a) My nephew dances like a professional performer.
- b) The animal catchers have brought a new deer to the zoo.

### SECTION D: LITERATURE (7)

VI. Answer these questions in brief:

(3x1=3)

- a) What is the full form of 'TISCO'?
- b) What transport would make it possible to travel to Mars?
- c) What is gravity?

VII. Answer these following questions:

(2x2=4)

- a. When and where was Bachendri Pal born?
- b. What special instrument did Mangalyaan carry? Why was it important?