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ANNUAL EXAMINATION (2025-26)
ENGLISH (ANSWER KEY)

Class: III
Date : 10.03.26
Admission no:

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

A Helpful Friend

Ravi was a kind boy who lived near a small park. Every evening, he went there to play with his friends. One day, Ravi saw a little puppy crying near the bench. The puppy looked hungry and scared.

Ravi felt sorry for the puppy. He gave it some biscuits and water from his bottle. The puppy wagged its tail happily. Ravi took the puppy home and told his parents about it. His parents agreed to help.

The next day, Ravi and his father took the puppy to a nearby shelter. The shelter keeper thanked Ravi for his kindness. Ravi felt proud and happy because he helped a little animal in need.



- i. Answer the following questions.

1 x 3

1. What did Ravi see in the park?

Ans Ravi saw a little puppy crying near the bench.

2. Where did Ravi take the puppy the next day?

Ans Ravi took the puppy to a nearby shelter.

3. How did Ravi feel at the end of the story?

Ans Ravi felt proud and happy.

ii. Find out the opposite of the given words from the passage.

1 x 2

1. sad- happy

2. fearless - scared

B. Read the poem and answer the questions given below.

My Little Friend

I have a little friend so kind,

Always cheerful, always kind.

We play together every day,

Laugh and learn while we play.

When I feel sad or feel afraid,

My little friend comes to my aid.

With a smile so warm and bright,

My day again feels happy and right.

i. Answer the following questions.

1 x 3

1. Who is the poem about?

Ans The poem is about the poet's little friend.

2. What do they do together every day?

Ans They play, laugh, and learn together.

3. How does the poet feel at the end?

Ans The poet feels happy and good.

ii. Find and write the rhyming words from the poem. 1 x 2

1. day - play
2. bright - right

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

III. Paragraph Writing

1 x 3

A. Write a paragraph on any one topic.

1. My Favourite Festival
2. Visit to a Water Park

Last Sunday, I visited a water park with my family. The water park was big and colourful. I enjoyed the water slides and the splash pool. We played in the water and had a lot of fun. The water was cool and refreshing. I felt excited while going on the big slides. I ate tasty snacks and ice cream. We rested for some time after playing. We clicked many pictures together. At the end of the day, I felt tired but very happy. It was a joyful and exciting day.

B. Write a letter to your friend about a fun weekend activity.

1 x 4



found the pencil- child draw- surprising thing happened-magic pencil-child
use the magic wisely- helped poor children.

The Magic Pencil

One day, Rahul found a shiny, glowing pencil on his desk. He picked it up and was very curious.

He started to draw a castle and a dragon on his paper. To his surprise, the castle appeared in front of him and the dragon started flying around! Rahul was amazed.

Then he thought about others and decided to use the magic pencil to help poor children. He drew toys, books, and food for them. Instantly, the children in his neighborhood had everything they needed.

Rahul felt happy and proud. He learned that magic is best when used to help others.

Moral : Helping others is true magic.

IV. Do as directed.

A. Fill in the blank with the correct preposition of time.

1 x 2

1. We woke up at 7 a.m. every day.

- a) in b) at c) on



2. We will visit our grandparents on Wednesday.

- a) in b) at c) on

B. Select the correct answer.

1 x 2

1. This book is better than that one.

- a. good b. best c. better

2. Mount Everest is the highest mountain in the world.

- a. highest b. higher c. high

C. Match the following to make complete sentences.

1 x 4

A		B	
1	The baby	a	ran to the park
2	The girl	b	is ringing
3	India	c	waves its arms.
4	The phone	d	is a big country

1. The baby waves its arms.
2. The girl ran to the park.
3. India is a big country
4. The phone is ringing

D. Choose the correct option.

1 x 2

1. She ___ dancing.
a) is
b) are
2. They ___ play football tomorrow.
a) will
b) are

SECTION C – LITERATURE (13 marks)

V. Choose the correct option.

1 x 4

1. Who are the people living on the farm?
a. **Mr and Mrs Semple** _____
b. Judy and her friends _____
c. Judy and her warden _____
2. The turtle said that they needed a _____
a. jellyfish b. big rock c. **monkey's heart**
3. Why is Ben careful about painting the fence?
a. **He wants to do a good job**
b. He does not like Tom
c. He wants to go to trip

4. Robin Hood lived in _____
a. Sherwood Forest b. **Nottingham** a. Australia

VI. Answer these questions.

1 x 5

1. What did the turtle find out when he woke up on the shore?

Ans The turtle opened his eyes and saw himself surrounded by the monkeys who were knocking on his shell.

2. The word “dance” is repeated in the poem. What effect does it take?

Ans It takes a rhythmic effect.

3. While Ben paints the fence carefully, what does Tom do?

Ans Tom sits under the tree and watches Ben paint the fence..

4. Why did Marian fight with Robin Hood?

Ans Marian fought with Robin Hood because she wanted to be a part of his group.

5. Was the poet able to find out who had come knocking at the door?

Ans No, the poet was not able to find out who had come knocking at the door.

VII. Answer these questions with reference to the text.

2 x 2

1. ***“Stop, woman! Where are you going?”***

- a. Who said this? To whom?

Ans Friar Tuck said this to Marian.

- b. Where was the ‘woman ’going?

Ans The 'woman 'was trying to get into Sherwood Forest.

2. ***“I told him to try to be brave about it.”***

- a. Who said this? To whom?

Ans The jellyfish said this to Queen Osa.

- b. Whom does ‘him ‘refer to in the above lines?

Ans In the above lines ‘him’ refers to the monkey.