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PART - I

Synonyms

1. c) cut 2. b) imprinted 3. a) scoldings

Antonyms

- 4. b) criticism 5. d) often 6. b) desperate
- 7. c) kerchief 8. a) up-
- 9. c) Referee Stopped Contest
- 10. b) dermatologist
- 11. b) in written / printed form 12. c) -ance
- 13. c) liver 14. c) kept on 15. a) mono-syllabic 16. c) grocer
- 17. b) among 18. c) would accept 19. a) no 20. d) on behalf of

PART - II

Section - 1

- 21. a) The poet's laugh is reflected in the mirror as a snake's fangs which shows false politeness.
 - b) Figure of speech: "Like a snake's Simile.

(Poem Unit 1)

- 22. a) Rhyming words: **fist wrist** (**Poem Unit 2**)
 - b) Figure of speech:

'swollen eye meet gnarled fist' – *Personification*. 'snaps the knee, crack the wrist' – *onomatopoeia*.

- 23. a) Modern People's doors will not be open for Guests for third time. (Poem Unit 1)
 - b) There will be no thrice because the arrival guests of modern people is not welcomed.
- 24. a) The poet describes the athletes as zealous.
 - b) Alliteration : <u>ego</u>, <u>enough</u> (Poem Unit 2)

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- 25. a) They refer to modern people. (Poem Unit 1)
 - b) 'Laugh with their teeth' means laughing without emotions.
- 26. a) The word 'maim' means 'injure'.
 - b) Rhyming scheme : a a b b (Poem Unit 2)

Section - 2

- 27. He **joined** tennis class, when he was ten years old.
- 28. When Einstein found out that <u>the</u> same society had once offered <u>a</u> similar honour to Mussolini, he flatly rejected it.

- 29. She is a popular singer **whose** talent is appreciated worldwide.
- 30. When we **reached** the theatre, the show had already **begun.**

PART - III

Section - 1

- 31. **Context**: The above lines are taken from the poem "Once Upon A Time" written by 'Gabriel Okara'.
 - **Explanation:** In this poem, the poet tells his son about the negative changes that creep into the modern society. In the given lines, the poet says that he has learnt to express his fake cordiality as 'nice talking to you', after being bored.
 - **Comment :** The poet condemns the fake cordiality of the modern people. (**Poem Unit 1**)
- 32. **Context**: The above lines are taken from the poem "Confessions of a Born Spectator" written by 'Ogden Nash'.
 - **Explanation:** In this poem though the poet is not a sportsman he admires the talents of the athletes and sportsman. In the given lines, the poet says his weak, shy and reluctant nature feeds the other people's heroic activities. (Poem Unit 2)
 - **Comment:** The Poet admires the talents of the athletes and confesses his part in sports.
- 33. **Context**: The above lines are taken from the poem "Confessions of a Born Spectator" written by 'Ogden Nash'. (**Poem Unit 2**)

Explanation: In the given poem lines, the poet is glad that when his struggle of being athlete begins, between wisdom and ego, wisdom wins. Thus, he is neither a sportsman nor an athlete.

Comment: Poet is happy that he is a spectator in sports.

Section - 2

- 34. As the author was **young** and **the school was attached to the temple**, the grandmother accompanied the author to school. (**Prose Unit 1**)
- 35. Mary Kom was **provided with chopsticks** to eat her meal in China. She ended up **using both her hands to hold the chopsticks to pick up the food** and push it into her mouth. Though she **found difficulty in eating**, she **enjoyed Chinese food**. (**Prose Unit 2**)
- 36. Mary Kom retained her world title in 2006 by defeating Steluta Duta of Romania 22-7 at the Fourth World Championships in New Delhi. She considered this as her greatest achievement because she was able to win at home. (Prose Unit 2)

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Section - 3

37. Describing a process:

- → Book the tickets.
- → Arrange food & accommodation.
- → List down the places to be visited.
- → Plan & share the expense.
- → Pack all the required materials.

38. Notice writing:

Notice

Sai Sri Vidyalaya Matric.Hr.Sec.School Inauguration Of Science Club

21st April, 2022.

This is to inform all students that the Science Club is going to be inaugurated in our school at 9.a.m on 9th April 2022 (Saturday), in the school auditorium. All the students have to attend the meeting. For any type of query, please contact the undersigned.

XXXX,

School Pupil Leader, Science Club.

39. Message Writing:

1.00 p.m 07 Apr

Vinodh - Sport captain,

You are requested to conduct semi-finals of throw ball match. Schedule the match time and venue by tomorrow. Inform the details to the selected team. Mani,

School Pupil Leader.

40. a) (ii) mind

b) (i) end c) (iii) disposes

PART - IV

41. a) The author's parents went to live in the city. The young author was left with his grandmother in the village. She was old and slightly bent. She loved him very much. She accompanied him to school as it was attached to the temple. While he was singing the alphabets in the school, the grandmother sat inside the temple reading the scriptures. In the evening, both returned home. The grandmother carried stale chapattis and fed the street dogs. When his parents were well settled in the city, the author and his grandmother went to live with them. There he joined in a city school and studied. The grandmother knew that she couldn't help the changes and accepted the fact. She used to spin wheels and recite prayers. She fed sparrows in the courtyard of the city house. The grandmother accepted the seclusion when the author went abroad for higher studies. After five years, he came back home. The next morning, she fell ill and she predicted her death. In the evening thousands of sparrows sat scattered near the grandmother's corpse. They flew away quietly when the corpse was carried off. (Prose Unit 1)

Moral: *Elders* are great role models.

b) From 2001 to 2004 Mary Kom participated in many International Championships and bagged many medals. In the meantime she got married, but even after the marriage she took part in the Third and Fourth World Women's Boxing Championships in October 2005 and November 2006 and won gold medals. She retained her world title in 2006 by defeating Steluta Duta of Romania 22 – 7 at the Fourth World Championships in New Delhi. She considered it one of her greatest achievements. It was the most memorable for her because she was able to win at home. She got hat-trick win of world Championships. So the media named her the 'Queen of Boxing' and 'Magnificent Mary'. (Prose Unit 2)

Moral : Self-confidence and hard work will always earn success.

42. a) The poet is a determined spectator. His own spirit is weak and shy. So he confesses that he is glad that he is neither a sportsman nor an athlete. He admires the talents of sportsmen and athletes who sweat for money or for pleasure. He derives satisfaction from watching the talents of all athletes, but does not wish to exchange places with them. The exchange of position with one of the athletes may please his ego. So whenever there is a conflict in the mind of the spectator between wisdom and fame, his wisdom always wins. He never considers to participate in any games or sports. (Poem Unit 2)

Moral: Be happy with what you have.

b) Gabriel Okara addresses this poem to his son. He brings out the difference between the behaviour of the people in the past and their behaviour at present. In the past, people laughed with their hearts sincerely. Laughing with one's heart reveals real gladness while laughing with one's teeth reveals one's external showy love. They greeted one another with real gladness. But now, people laugh without any real happiness and greet one another with an artificial, pretended smile. Okara says that he has also learnt to behave in an artificial manner like other people. The poet has learnt to change faces according to different situations. He has learnt to laugh artificially. The artificial smile of the poet made his teeth look in the mirror like those of a snake. The poet wanted his son to show him how to laugh genuinely. (Poem Unit 1)

Moral : Never change your originality for the sake of others.

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43. a) & b) (Supplementary Unit 3)

Theme: Thrilling humour

A few patients were sitting in the waiting room of a dentist's clinic. Two or three were joining. Among them one lady was interested in showing her holiday photos to other patients. The dentist arrived and called Joe, the first patient into his room. The nurse came out, went into another room and brought a hammer. The patients heard the noise of hammering from the room. They thought that they were trying to pull out Joe's tooth. They were frightened. Next, the nurse came out and brought a pair of pliers. One more time she brought a hacksaw. The patients heard the noise of sawing. Joe's wife was scared and she began to weep. The other patients were all terrified and went out in a hurry. But Joe came out and explained his wife that the doctor had missed the key of his tools cabinet and tried to open his cabin with the hammer, pliers and hacksaw. The woman with the photographs was surprised that the queue had moved quickly and she was the next patient to get in. Thus the play is full of humour.

Moral: Don't be afraid of anything and everything that happens

44. a) **Notes:** Notes: HEALTH IS WEALTH 1 M Healthy foods - Eat greens, fruits and vegetables provide health and nutrition benefits . - It has great source of vitamins, minerals fibre and other natural substance. Multi- coloured fruits and vegetables - green colour - spinach ,peas, bitter gourd, and beans beautiful orange colour - carrot, pumpkin and papaya. - brilliant red colour - tomatoes and strawberries Violet colour of brinial turnips and fruits like banana come in pale and white and brown colours 4 M - multi-coloured fruits and vegetables - fight for diseases cabbage and broccoli - reduce the risk of cancer. carrots and pumpkin, fruit such as papaya - protect against cancer. ❖ Healthy heart White and brown fruits and vegetables - maintain a healthy heart and lower risk of cancer. Red fruits - reduce lower risk of prostrate cancer and good for eyes. Violet fruits and vegetables - reduce the lower risk of cancer and heart diseases. multicoloured fruits and vegetables - our diet for

diseases prevention and good health.

TYPE: 2 Notes: **HEALTH IS WEALTH ►** 1 M Eat healthy foods- greens, fruits and vegetables - provide health and nutrition benefits - a great source - vitamins, minerals fibre and other natural substances- multi coloured fruits and vegetables - fight for diseases - green colour - spinach, peas, bitter gourd, beans- beautiful orange colour- carrots, pumpkin and papaya- brilliant red colour - tomatoes and strawberries violet colour - brinjals - dash of contrast fruits and vegetables like mushroonms, turnips, banana - pale and white brown colour - the rainbow on our plates- green vegetables - cabbage and broccoli- reduce the risk of cancer-boost the immune systempromote good vision- orange vegetables - carrots and pumpkin, and fruits papaya - protect against prostate cancer- white and brown colour fruits and vegetables- banana, garlic and cauliflower- maintain a healthy heart - red fruits - tomatoes and strawberries- lower risk of prostate cancer- violet colour fruits and vegetables- brinjal, beetroot and cabbage - lower risk of cancer- heart diseases- multi- coloured fruits and vegetablesour diet for diseases - prevention and good health.

(OR) 'HARD WORK NEVER FAILS' **b**)

Hard work is the essence of the whole universe. There are many routes to a place, but success has only one route, i.e. Hard work which is also the shortcut. Hard work has no substitute. It gives pleasure, satisfaction and experience to anybody. If you put more efforts and spend more hours to study, you get more marks. Many years of hard work led to many useful inventions. Several days of voyage made discovery of many sea routes. Many students work while they study. They balance both with their hard work. One fine example for this is Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam. His continuous hard work molded him as a Scientist and later as a President of India.

> **Moral**: Hard work never fails but never fail to work hard.

45. a) Letter Writing:

Shyam/Sureka 06 April 2022.

Dear Ramesh/Rama,

I am fine. Hope you are doing good. First of all, my hearty wishes for your distinction in General Knowledge Skill Test. Yesterday, I came to know about your result. I was very happy. You worked hard to prepare this exam. Your score garlanded your hard work. Keep this spirit up and prepare well for the next level too. I wish you to see continuous success. I am eagerly waiting for your arrival in the next holidays.

Yours lovingly, Shyam/Sureka

Address on the envelope

Shyam/Sureka 08, Tennur Road, Trichy - 620 018.

(OR)

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45. b) Venkat/Valli

PQR Colony,

Trichy -620 017.

06 April 2021

The Manager,

Axis Bank – Woraiyur,

Trichy - 620 017.

Respected Sir,

Sub: Reporting the loss of pass-book and requesting a duplicate pass book.

I am Venkat/Valli, a customer of your Bank. This letter is to inform you about the loss of My Bank Pass-book in Bus yesterday. I need a Duplicate Pass-book urgently to apply a scholarship in my school. Kindly, issue me a duplicate passbook as early as possible. My account number is XXXXXXX.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully, Venkat/Valli.

Address on the Envelope

Venkat/Valli PQR Colony, Trichy -620 017.

- 46. a) i) I can't_understand this problem./
 I'm unable to understand this problem.
 - ii) Everybody appreciates Ram for his honesty.
 - iii) The police <u>are/were</u> looking for the thief who stole the jewels. / The police <u>looked</u> for the thief who stole the jewels.

(Police follows plural verb)

- iv) Where are my scissors?
- v) Kavin or Kamal **is** responsible for the success of this play.

(OR)

b) Fill in the blanks:

- i) calm, qualm
- ii) was included
- iii) presided
- iv) used to
- 47. a) i) Crimson & silver colour turbans and tunics of purple brocade are ready for sale.
 - ii) Crimson, silver and purple are the colours of these dresses.
 - iii) Mirrors and daggers are the other articles that the merchants sell.
 - iv) Sandalwood and Henna are the cosmetics being prepared for sale.
 - v) Pedlars sells their item by saying that they have made chessmen and dice with ivory.

(OR)

b) Dialogue Writing:

Rahim : Good morning Sir, I am Rahim.

Librarian: Welcome to the Central library!

How may I help you sir?

Rahim : Can I lend books from this library? Librarian : Yes sir. You can lend books if you

are a member in this library.

Rahim : Okay. May I know the procedure to

become a member?

Librarian: Sure sir. You have to fill the

registration form and fix your passport size photo and give another

for member card.

Rahim : Is the procedure over?

Librarian: No, you have to pay ₹30 as a

registration fee and ₹10 as annual

subscription fee.

Rahim : Here is the filled form and amount.

Please register myself in this library.

Librarian: Okay Sir. Here is the membership

card. Thank you.

Rahim : Thank you Sir.
