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GREENLAWNS SCHOOL, WORLI
FINAL EXAMINATION - 2016
ENGLISH LITERATURE

Std : V
Date: 22/02/16

Marks : 80
Time: 1½ Hours

NOTE: 1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Number your answers correctly.

SECTION A – PROSE-30 MARKS

Read the extracts given below and answer the questions that follow:

Q.I] Some years ago, three boys decided to have an adventure. It was the middle of the summer holiday and their boarding school in the hills was closed for a month.

- i) What adventure did the boys plan? Where did they want to go? (1½)
- ii) Describe the incident that prevented the boys from having their adventure. (3)
- iii) How did the farmer help the struggling boys? (2½)
- iv) Narrate Danny's journey to the hospital. (3)

Q.II] Sunil shuffled across the pavement on his crutches and approached Moby's Café on Church Street. The doors swung open automatically as he reached the entrance and Sunil made his way slowly into the large room.

- i) Describe the accident that made Sunil walk with crutches. (3)
- ii) Why did Sunil's wife feel she needed a pet? (2½)
- iii) According to Sunil, why was his flat unsuitable for a cat or dog? (2½)
- iv) Why did Sunil go to the city on the day his wife bought her pet? (2)

Q III] Mike edged forward, towards Nina.

'Wait there, Mike!' said Nina. 'The dogs have been locked in the bedroom, but old Marmaduke is asleep here beside me.'

- i) How was the gate of the house secured in order to protect people from the dogs? (3½)
- ii) What were the childhood thoughts that ran through Mike's mind as he waited at the gate? (2)
- iii) In what way did Nina protect Mike from Marmaduke? (1½)
- iv) Describe Mike's efforts to save himself from Marmaduke? (2)
- v) How does Marmaduke's appearance make him look ferocious? (1)

SECTION B – POETRY-30 MARKS

Read the extracts below and answer the questions that follow:

Q IV] My grandmother was a genius. You'd like to know why?

- i) Why is the grandmother considered to be a genius? (2)
- ii) What is the importance of the grandmother's childhood? (1½)
- iii) Why was everyone afraid for the grandmother? How did she prove them wrong? (2)
- iv) When did the grandmother feel that she was living a dreadful life? (2)
- v) What wish did the grandmother have? How did her son fulfill her wish? (2½)

**Q V] If dogs could speak, O Mademoiselle,
What funny stories they could tell!**

- i) Name Mademoiselle's pet dog. (1)
- ii) What are the consequences for Mademoiselle, if her dog could speak? (2½)
- iii) How would Madame Rose's dog affect its masters' reputation in society? (2)
- iv) How do dogs respond to their masters? Why does the poet say that we are fortunate? (3½)
- v) Name the poet. (1)

**Q VI] Break, Break, Break,
On thy cold grey stones, O sea!**

- i) What does the poet observe about the sea waves? How does the poet feel as he stands near the sea? (1½)
- ii) Who does the poet see when he stands on the shore? What are these people doing? (3)
- iii) How does the poet describe the ships? Where are the ships going? (1)
- iv) What does the poet wish to feel and hear again? (2)
- v) How has death destroyed the happy days that the poet lived? (1½)
- vi) Name the poet. (1)

SECTION C -RAPID READER- 20 MARKS

Q VII] Answer the following questions.

- i) What did Robinson discover when he became a sailor? (2)
- ii) Describe the calendar invented by Robinson. (3)
- iii) According to Robinson, list the different criteria for choosing an appropriate location on the island to build a home. (3)
- iv) Enumerate on the different wooden articles made by Robinson. (2)

Q VIII] Fill in the blanks by selecting the correct answer from the choices given. (3)

- i) Robinson became a sailor on a slave-ship sailing to the west coast of _____.
a) England
b) Africa
c) Brazil
- ii) Robinson loaded some _____, _____, two pistols and one sword onto the raft which he used to defend himself.
a) muskets, shotguns
b) water, food
c) clothing, maps
- iii) Robinson kept a daily record of his activities in a _____.
a) diary
b) file
c) register
- iv) Robinson made _____ _____ _____ to keep all his things in.
a) large brown cupboards
b) little square boxes
c) large wooden drawers

Q IX] Arrange the following sentences in the order in which they occurred. (3)

- i) It rained all night and all day. The ship had been completely destroyed.
- ii) In the morning, I saw that the wrecked ship had floated with the tide towards the coast.
- iii) I walked all around the island and found a place to build myself a house.
- iv) All these days were spent in going to and from the ship.
- v) I went into the forest with my gun. I killed a she-goat.
- vi) I, poor miserable Robinson Crusoe, came to this desert island.

Q X] State whether the following sentences are true or false. If false correct the sentences. (4)

- i) As far as I could see, I was the only one of the ship's crew to have reached the shore alive.
- ii) I filled the second box with all the bread, milk and cheese I could find.
- iii) I could see many men, houses and wild animals on the island.
- iv) There was a cave, which I could use as a storeroom.
- v) Now that the cave was bigger, it became a bedroom and living room as well as a storeroom.

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