

GREENLAWNS SCHOOL, WORLI  
FINAL EXAMINATION – 2017  
ENGLISH LITERATURE

Std : V

Date: 13.02.17

Marks : 80

Time: 1½ Hours

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- NOTE:** 1. All the questions are compulsory.  
2. Number your questions correctly.
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**SECTION A – PROSE-30 MARKS**

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

- Q.I] *This made Dame Winkle angry and she would often scold Rip. Each time she would begin to scold him, Rip would leave the house and go off on a long walk.* (10)
- i) Why would Dame Winkle often get angry with Rip? (2)
  - ii) In what way would Rip help the other people in the village? (1½)
  - iii) What did Rip do when the tiny man made signs to him on the mountain? (3)
  - iv) What happened after Rip drank water from the keg? (1½)
  - v) How was the appearance of the village different when Rip came down from the mountain? (2)
- Q II] *Emily didn't like Red Eye. But I loved my snake. I know that all snakes stick out their tongues to smell things, but whenever I came around the tank, Red Eye would rise up and stick his tongue out as if to say hello.* (11)
- i) What was peculiar about Red Eye's appearance? (2)
  - ii) Describe the various thoughts that passed through the narrator's mind before she decided to take Red Eye home. (3)
  - iii) Highlight Red Eye's eating habits that made Emily sick. (3)
  - iv) Narrate the incident that occurred when the narrator was watching television after dinner. (3)
- Q III] *As soon as I was old enough to stay on my own, my mother used to go out to work in the daytime and come back in the evening.*
- There were six young colts in the meadow besides me; they were older than I was; some were nearly as large as grown-up horses.* (9)
- i) How did Black Beauty spend his summer and winter days with his mother? (1½)
  - ii) Which games did Black Beauty play with the other colts in the meadow? (2)
  - iii) How do we know that Black Beauty came from a respected family? Give four reasons to support your answer. (2)
  - iv) In what way did the ploughboy Dick trouble the colts in the meadow? (1½)
  - v) How was Dick punished for his cruelty? (2)

SECTION B – POETRY-30 MARKS

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

- Q IV] *About Ben Adhem (may his tribe increase!)  
Awoke one night from a deep dream of peace,  
And saw, within the moonlight in his room,  
Making it rich, and like a lily in bloom.* (10)
- i) Identify and explain the figure of speech in the above lines. (2)
  - ii) Who did Abou Ben Adhem see in his room? What was this individual doing in the room? What did Abou ask the individual? (1½)
  - iii) Describe the appearance of the individual. What response does he give Abou Ben Adhem the first time? (1)
  - iv) What did Abou Ben Adhem request the individual to do? (1)
  - v) Describe what happened in Abou Ben Adhem's room the following night. (1½)
  - vi) What miracle did the individual reveal to Abou Ben Adhem? (1)
  - vii) Highlight one lesson you learn from the character of Abou Ben Adhem. (1)
  - viii) Name the poet. (1)
- Q V] *And here is a mill, and there is a river:  
Each a glimpse and gone for ever!* (10)
- i) Explain the statement, 'Each a glimpse and gone for ever!' (1½)
  - ii) List the two people whose movements are slower than that of the railway carriage. (½)
  - iii) Which objects seem to be moving very fast as the railway carriage passes by? (2)
  - iv) Why is the train compared to the troops in a battle? (1)
  - v) Mention two glimpses that fly as fast as rain falling to the ground. (1)
  - vi) What does the poet notice about the stations, the child and the cart when he looks out from the carriage? (3)
  - vii) Name the poet. (1)
- Q VI] *Day by day I float my paper boats one by one down the running stream.  
In big black letters I write...* (10)
- i) What does the poet write on his paper boats? Why does he do so? (2)
  - ii) Name the flower that the poet loads into his boats. What hope does the flower bring to the poet's mind? (2)
  - iii) What significance does the sky have for the poet after he launches his boats? (3)
  - iv) What does the poet dream about at night? (3)

SECTION C -RAPID READER- 20 MARKS

Q VII] Answer the following questions.

- i) According to Ram and Lakshman, how was the stork ill-mannered? (2)
- ii) What advice did the god of the sea give Ram? (2)
- iii) What did Ram notice about the squirrel at the seashore? (2)
- iv) Describe the battle against Ravana fought by Ram and Lakshman. (2)
- v) What happened after the sword fell from Lakshman's hand? (2)

Q VIII] Fill in the blanks by choosing words from the bracket. (3)

(Dandaka, Sugriva, ashamed, pity, Hanuman, squirrel, Ayodhya, Lanka)

- i) Ram and his brother Lakshman were walking through the forest of \_\_\_\_\_ in search of the lost Sita.
- ii) The stork was truly \_\_\_\_\_ of his words.
- iii) \_\_\_\_\_, the king of the monkeys, lived on the blue mountain.
- iv) \_\_\_\_\_ was at the head of the army of monkeys.
- v) Lakshman cut off every man's head in \_\_\_\_\_.
- vi) Ram's face softened with \_\_\_\_\_. He put his hand upon his brother's shoulder.

Q IX] Answer the following in a word or two. (3)

- i) The person who pulled the stork's neck-
- ii) The vehicle that Sita was taken in-
- iii) The object Sita threw from the sky-
- iv) The marks of Ram's fingers on the squirrel's back-
- v) The name that the parrots call out to remember the battle against Ravana-
- vi) One emotion that can be associated with Lakshman-

QX] Who said the following words and to whom. (4)

- i) "I don't know your wife Sita or where she is."
- ii) "Don't make fun of the weak and small."
- iii) "Oh, don't, don't kill him!"
- iv) "Fly away and live in the green trees of the forest."

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