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MID- TERM QUESTION PAPER SOLVING (2020-21)

Class V

English

Marks 80

Instructions:

- Read the questions thoroughly.

PART- A

1. Read the given passage and answer the following question. 5m

The most important and useful invention of Thomas Alva Edison was the electric bulb. He worked for nearly two years to invent the electric bulb. He spent about 40,000 dollars to find out the best material for making the filament. He tried many kinds of materials for the filament at last in 1879, he was able to produce the first electric bulb. Three years after, many homes in " New York" had electric lights.

Edison worked hard till the very end of his life to make the world happier place to live in he improved telegraphy, Bell's telephone and the Remington type writer. He invented the electric fan and, in 1913 he also produced the first "talkie" or the talking picture. And before his death in 1913, His wonderful inventor had produced or improved about a thousand things. When he died, the electric lights were turned off for a while in many American houses as a mark of respect for the man who had given them those lights.

Q1. How much time did Thomas Alva Edison take to invent the first electric bulb?

Q2. In which year did he produce the first electric bulb?

Q3. Which country did Edison belong to?

Q4. The phrase "turned off " means.

Q5. How many dollors did he spend in making the filament and when did he produce the first talkie?

2. Read the given passage and answer the following question.

5m

You know that the earth goes round the sun and the moon goes round the earth. You know perhaps that there are several other bodies which like the earth go around the sun. They are Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune. All these including our earth are called planets of the sun. The moon is called a satellite of the earth because it keeps going around the earth. The other planets have got their satellites. The sun and the planets with their satellites form a happy family. The sun is the father of all the planets, so the whole group is called the solar system.

At night, you see thousands of stars in the sky. Only a few of them are planets. We can easily distinguish between a planet and a star. Compared to the stars, the planets are really very tiny, like our earth. But they look bigger than stars, because they are much nearer to us. The real way to distinguish a star from a planet is to see whether it twinkles or not. Stars twinkle planets don't. Planets shine because they get the light of the sun it is merely the sunshine on the planets or the moon that we see.

- Q1. Name the planets that move round the sun.
- Q2. What does the solar system consist of?
- Q3. What do we see in the sky at night?
- Q4. How can you distinguish a star from a planet?
- Q5. Why does the moon look bigger than the sun?

PART-C

I. Identify the parts of speech of the underlined words.

5m

1. The dog chased the man.
2. Children are playing in the park.
3. On the way they met their school teacher.
4. An old woman is carrying a suitcase.
5. The thief ran away because the dog was barking loudly.

II. Fill in the blanks with the correct forms of these phrases.

5m

(Set up; put up; call up; take up; make up)

1. The human body is _____ of cells.
2. We will _____ a play on the Annual Day.
3. Mr Shah has been selected as a Maths teacher in our school.
4. Mrs Nayak has got a loan from her bank. She will soon _____ a factory in her town.
5. I haven't heard from my friend in a long evening.

- III. Frame questions for the following statements. 5m
1. He can play the guitar very well.
 2. You can get some drinking water from the cooler.
 3. Yes, we can go to the circus tomorrow.
 4. I was watching TV at 7 p.m yesterday.
 5. No, you cannot have any more chocolate.
- IV. Use the correct form of the verbs given in the brackets. 5m
- Every day Lata _____ (make) rice and vegetables in the morning. She _____ (give) them to her husband. At 2 o' clock, her husband _____ (have) his lunch. Then he _____ (take) a nap. He _____ (work) in his fields till sunset.
- V. Rewrite the following sentences in Past Tense or Past Continues Tense. 5m
1. She is running as fast as she can.
 2. The sparrows on the roofs are looking for scraps of food.
 3. I make tea for my friends when they visit me.
 4. The old man waits for the police car.
 5. Children knock on all the doors in the neighbourhood and ask, 'Trick or Treat?'
- VI. Fill in the blanks with suitable degree of the adjectives underlined. 5m
1. A hippopotamus is big but an elephant is _____.
 2. Mr Patel was nice but his wife was _____.
 3. My shirt is _____ but your shirt is cleaner.
 4. Mars is colder than Earth but Uranus is the _____ planet.
 5. The table is _____ but the footstool is lighter.

PART-D

- a) Answer the following in one word. 5m
1. A person who loves books is called a _____.
 2. A scientist who studies plants.
 3. To move quietly towards a person or a wild animal; to get near without being seen.
 4. A complete list of items.
 5. A person who collects stamps is called a _____.
- b) Write two words ending with each of these. 5m
1. ice
 2. ic
 3. ing
 4. tion
 5. able

PART - E

- a). Who said to whom. 5m
1. The stamp! The stamp! he shouted.
 2. It could be 400 years old.
 3. 'Get your raincoat, hail an auto, and fetch us',
 4. Why don't you put him somewhere else?
 5. 'Did you talk to the plants?'
- b) Imagine you are Mr Rao. Tell your friend, who wasn't there on the river bank, about the incident. 5m
- c) Write a short story from the outlines given and give a suitable title. 5m
- Hema went to the Gir forest- early morning - went by jeep- did not see any animals- disappointed- got off the jeep- heard a rustling- sound- a lioness sitting with her cubs- roared loudly- frightened- ran to the jeep- drove fast- made a promise- never to get off a jeep in a forest.
- d) It is a dark night. You are travelling by bus from Delhi to Agra. In a lonely spot, two armed dacoits waylay your bus.....
Write a paragraph by answering the following question. 5m
- (1) What did they want?
 - (2) What did you do?
 - (3) When did they leave the bus?
- e) Answer the following.
- Q1. Why do you think the tiger cub was hiding among the roots of a banyan tree? 2m
- Q2. (a) How old was Carlo? 3m
- (b) At what time did this event take place?
- (c) What were the three things that were making Carlo miserable?
- Q3. Why does the speaker write his name in 'big block letters?' 2m
- Q4. What happened when Asheesh touched a mimosa plant? 1m
- HOTS**
1. All of us face challenges. Will we be called brave if we accept challenges or run them. 2m