

SECTION-A❖ **Write whether the sentences are True or False.****[2]**

1. Arunima Sinha was an International Level Volley ball player.
2. Pranav Mistry belongs to Palanpur, Gujarat.

❖ **Find and write the nearest Meanings.****[2]**

3. Vanish: appear, disappear, warning, valid
4. Scarcity: Fearful, shortage, Supply, Short

❖ **Select the most appropriate Language functions from the brackets and write them against the given sentences. (Showing, Purpose, Supposition, Comparing)****[2]**

5. My father takes care of me as if he were my mother.
6. Pahom ran faster and faster with a view to getting more land.

❖ **Select and write the most appropriate responses.****[2]**

7. Suresh: Where do you want to settle? Canada or U.S.A?
Pinakin: _____
(A) Canada is better than U.S.A (B) Canada is good than U.S.A
(C) Canada is well than U.S.A (D) Canada is best U.S.A

8. Himanshu: I want to be a topper of my school. What should I do?
Rekha: (showing advice)
(A) You should not go school. (B) You should study hard.
(C) You ought to studying hard. (D) You had better take rest.

❖ **Select and write the most appropriate question to get understand words/ phrases as their Answers:****[2]**

9. Thugs tried to snatch her golden Chain.
(A) Who try to snatch her golden Chain? (B) When did thugs try to snatch?
(C) Who tried to snatch her golden Chain? (D) Whom try to snatch her golden Chain?
10. The duty of each woman comes after 15 days.
(A) When do the duty of each woman come? (B) When did the duty of each woman come?
(C) When does the duty of each woman come? (D) Where does the duty of each woman come?

SECTION-B❖ **Read the extract and answer the questions.****[6]**

Alibhai was a traveller, who covered long distance on foot in the Himalayas Mountains. He loved to observe nature. He went from village to village, town to town in the Mountains selling dried apricots herbs and medicines and precious stones he had collected during his travelling.

11. What was Alibhai?
12. What was Alibhai selling?

❖ **Read the extract and answer the questions.****[3]**

“When he was about” 11, he (Pranav) used to say, “Hu Moto Thaine Bahu Namm Kamaish” (When I grow up, I’ll earn a lot of fame) said his father Kirtibhai. “We never knew it will be so soon.

Pranav was like any other child but his IO powered him to the 1st Rank in every academic year he spent at Vividhlakshi Vidhyamandir, Palanpur.

13. Pranav Mistry used to get in every academic year.

14. Where did Pranav Mistry study?

Our of the satyagrah movement has grown the post independence Chipko movement in which village people have actually put their bodies around trees to stop them from being failed.

15. What does 'chipko means'?

16. Why was 'chipko movement' started?

❖ Read the following passage and answer the questions.

[3]

It was the summer of 1936. The Olympic were beings held in Berline. I wasn't worried about all this I'd trained, sweated and disciplined myself for six years, with the Games in mind. While I was going over on the boat all I could think about was talking home one or two of those gold medals. I had my eye especially on the long jump.

17. When and where were the Olympic Games held?

18. How many years the writer trained?

19. In which game the writer made the world record?

SECTION-C

20. Read following passage and write its summary, suggest a suitable title to it.

[3]

Two Species of Flamingo - Greater Flamingo and Lesser Flamingo are found in Gujarat. Instantly recognizable in flocks of hundred of tens of thousands, the Lesser Flamingo has a long beck and long legs, a bent bill and a large body. Shorter and darker pink than the Greater Flamingo, lesser Flamingo also differs in the colouration of their beak. Lesser Flamingos have a deep red bill, tipped with black, where as the bill of Greater Flamingos light pink, tipped with black. The Lesser Flamingo has faint pink feather and deep are surrounded by a maroon ring. Males are slightly taller than females and young ones have brown feathers and a dark grey beak. Greater Flamingo is the largest species of Flamingo averaging 110-150 cm tall and weighing 2-4 kg.

❖ Read the news clipping and answer the questions.

[3]

Feb, 15, 2017

Times of India

An India Army Jawan was killed as Pakistani troops violated ceasefire twice on Sunday along the Line of Control at Rajouri district in Jammu and Kashmir. The violation took place on a day when India hoisted leaders of a number of countries including Russian President Vladimir Putin and Chinese President Xi Jinping. "There was ceasefire violation by Pakistan troops along LOC in Rajouri sector resulting in the death of a soldier today. "A Senior Army Officer reported in the evening."

Questions:

21. Write the full form of LOC _____.

22. Who is the President of Russia and China?

23. When did the violation take place?

❖ Read the stanza and answer the questions.

[2]

Woodman, spare that tree!

Touch not a single that bough!

In Youth it sheltered me;

And I'll protect it now

T'was my forefather's hand

That placed it near his cot.

24. What does the poet request to the woodman?

25. Why does the poet want to protect the tree?

❖ **Do as directed**

[2]

26. Rita was a smart girl she solved even tough problems related to science and maths. She was doing mental exercise when I met her.

Start like This: Rita is

SECTION-D

27. Render the following dialogue into indirect speech.

[3]

Bhide: I want to give you a wristwatch.

Madhavi: Are you really thinking so?

Bhide: Let's go to the "Krishna Watches"

Madhavi: How kind you are!

❖ **Complete the sentences using the functions given in the brackets.**

[3]

28. When I was at school _____ (Habitual past)

(A) I use to play cricket. (B) I am used to play cricket.

(c) I used had worked hard. (D) I use to playing cricket.

29. _____ he could have got first class. (Condition in the past)

(A) If he worked hard. (B) If he have worked hard.

(c) If he had worked hard. (D) If he had working hard.

30. _____ he failed. (Showing contrast)

(A) However intelligent he was (B) Though intelligent he was.

(c) However he was intelligent (D) As intelligent he was.

31. Rewrite the paragraph correcting the errors.

[2]

Yog is one of the (more/most/many) ancient science of India

It offers a time trusted technique (for/to/of) physical, mental and spiritual

SECTION-E

32. Study the following table and write in about 80 words to describe it.

[3]

Name of the book	Authors	Award
Gitanjali	R.Tagore	Nobel Prize
Swami and Friends	R.K.Narayan	Sahitya Academy
Midnight's Children	Salman Rashdie	Man Booker Prize
The God of small Things	Arundhani Roy	Man Booker prize

33. Write a paragraph in about 150 words using the key words.

[5]

Trees our best Friends

(Points: Weakning eye - sight, becoming lazy, less social communication, no time for reading, addiction)

Or

The ill effect of watching television too much.

(Points: weakening eye - sight, becoming lazy, less social communication, no time for reading, addiction)

34. Prepare a brief report on celebration of Republic Day in your school.

[5]