

Directorate of Education, GNCT of Delhi.

Practice Paper – TERM I (2022 – 2023)

Class – VI

Subject: English

Time: 2 ½ hours

Maximum Marks: 60

General Instructions:

- 1. The Question Paper contains FOUR sections-READING, WRITING, GRAMMAR and LITERATURE.**
- 2. Attempt questions based on specific instructions for each part.**
- 3. Marks are indicated against each question**
- 4. Read the questions carefully before answering**

SECTION A – READING

Q1. Read the passage and answer the questions that follow: :(ANY FOUR) 4 X 2 = 8

Once, the Maharaja of Travancore ordered a grand dinner in his palace. In the afternoon before the dinner, the Maharaja entered the kitchen to survey the dishes that had been prepared for the feast. “What are you going to do with those vegetable scraps?” he asked the cook, pointing to the basket of scraps near the cook.

- i. Who ordered the grand dinner?**
 - The cook
 - Maharaja of state
 - Maharaja of Travancore
 - Maharani of Travancore
- ii. Where did the Maharaja enter?**
 - The kitchen
 - The court
 - The palace
 - The store room
- iii. “What are you going to do with those vegetable scraps?” Who said this ?**
 - The cook
 - The maharaja
 - The maharani
 - The guest

- iv. **What was kept in the basket?**
- a. Fruits
 - b. Vegetables
 - c. Flowers
 - d. Scraps
- v. **Which of the following words is not a Noun?**
- a. Grand
 - b. Basket
 - c. Vegetable
 - d. Travancore

Q2. Read the passage and answer the questions that follow:(ANY FOUR) 4 X 2 = 8

Rambo was a little grasshopper. He loved music and dance all the time. He never worked or planned. His friend Jolly, the ant was a hard worker. She was always busy. When it began to snow in the winter, grasshopper had no food to eat. Jolly gave him food to eat. Rambo promised to work from then on.

- i. **What did Rambo, the grasshopper do all day?**
- a. Danced only
 - b. Listened to music only
 - c. Hard work
 - d. Both A and B
- ii. **Who was Jolly?**
- a. Another grasshopper
 - b. An ant
 - c. Rambo's pet
 - d. A musician
- iii. **What happened to the grasshopper in the winter?**
- a. He had no food to eat
 - b. He fell sick
 - c. He died
 - d. He danced with joy
- iv. **Who helped the grasshopper?**
- a. He helped himself
 - b. His brother
 - c. Jolly, the ant
 - d. All the ants

v. **What did Rambo promise?**

- a. To play all day
- b. To dance all day
- c. To eat all day
- d. To work from then on

SECTION B - WRITING

Q3. Write an application to the principal of your school requesting him/her for two days sick leave. **6**

OR

Write an application to the principal of your school requesting him/her for three days leave to attend a relative's wedding.

Q 4. Write a paragraph on any one of the following topics based on the given cues: **6**

A. My School

(Name of school – type of building – location of school - teachers – the school garden – classrooms – display boards)

B. Any Festival

(Importance of festival - Celebration – new clothes – sweets – food – decorations – meeting friends and relatives)

SECTION C - GRAMMAR

Q5. Answer the following questions by picking the correct option (**ANY FOUR**): **4 X 1 = 4**

i. **The plural of 'Knife' is :**

- a. Knifes
- b. Knife
- c. Knives
- d. Knifs

ii. **The opposite of ' Beautiful' is :**

- a. Bad

- b. Ugly
- c. Unbeautiful
- d. Rough

iii. The frog jumped _____ the well.

- a. Into
- b. On
- c. In
- d. To

iv. _____ is the rhyming word of 'Right'

- a. Wrote
- b. Height
- c. Rhyme
- d. Cheat

v. Raima and Sonal _____ going for a walk.

- a. Are
- b. Is
- c. Am
- d. Will

Q 6. Choose the correct preposition from the box and fill in the blanks(ANY FOUR):

4 X 1 = 4

In, Of, From, With, At

- a. Children are fond _____ chocolates.
- b. I like to spend time _____ my family.
- c. I leave my bed _____ 6 AM.
- d. My father worked _____ home during the pandemic.
- e. He lives _____ Agra.

Q7. Give Singular of : (ANY THREE)

3 X 1 = 3

- a. Babies : _____
- b. Children : _____
- c. Mangoes : _____
- d. Tables : _____

Q 8. Fill in the blanks using : Is/the/have/has (ANY THREE)

3 X 1 = 3

- a. _____ beggar asked for money.
- b. She _____ eating the cake.
- c. They _____ gone for picnic.
- d. My friend _____ a pet dog.

SECTION D - LITERATURE

Q9. Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow :(ANY TWO) 2X1=2

DOGS were once their own masters and lived the way wolves do, in freedom, until a dog was born who was ill pleased with this way of life. He was sick and tired of wandering about by himself looking for food and being frightened of those who were stronger than he.

- a. How did dogs once live?
- b. What was the dog sick and tired of?
- c. Which other animal is mentioned in the passage?

Q 10. Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow :(ANY TWO) 2X2=4

What is a home?

It's loving and family

and doing for others.

It's brothers and sisters

and fathers and mothers.

It's unselfish acts

and kindly sharing

i. A home is made of :

- a. Bricks and stones
- b. Loving family members
- c. Selfish acts
- d. Windows and doors

ii. People in the family :

- a. Do not respect each other
- b. Hate each other
- c. Love each other

d. Play with each other

iii. The opposite of 'unselfish' is :

a. Inselfish

b. Diselfish

c. Caring

d. Selfish

Q 11. Answer the following questions in 30- 40 words:(ANY FOUR)

4 X 3 = 12

i. Why did the dog feel the need for a master?

ii. Who did the dog finally choose as his master and why?

iii. Differentiate between a house and a home on the basis of the poem.

iv. Why family plays an important role in a home?

v. According to the poem, what is the similarity between the kite and the ship?