Model Paper 1

Third Language – English Paper II

Class X **Max Marks: 50** **Time: 2 ½ hrs**

Part –A Marks: 30

(1-10) Answer any five of the following questions given below. 5X1 =5M

1. What kind of a boy was Narayana Murthy?

2. What was the philosophy followed by Narayana Murthy?

3. What roles did Savitri play in the film 'Maya Bazaar'?

4. Why did the king make the potter the General of the Army?

5. What is the most humorous and thrilling incident in the story?

6. What kind of havoc can a radioactive dust cause?

7. What surprised Aunt Jane most?

8. What are the factors that contribute to unity in diversity in India?
9. What made Mrs.Murthy so unrest in knowing her name?

10. How did Mrs.Murthy feel her about the restoration of her identity?

11. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow. 5X1 =5M

On the afternoon of that day, a potter had arrived home after a hard day's work. He was tired and thirsty. He had asked his wife for some palm wine. The more he drank, the better he felt. When he had drunk all the wine he no longer felt tired. When the storm began the potter suddenly remembered that he had left his donkey tied under a tree. He rushed out of his hut to take the animal into the stable. You can imagine his anger when he discovered that the donkey was not there anymore the only thing left was its chain. My stupid donkey must have run off into the forest, ' he grumbled, ' when I catch him I' give him a good beating.

1. Why was the potter tired and thirsty?

2. How did the potter feel when he drank all the wine?

3. What did the potter suddenly remember?

4. Why did the potter get angry?

5. Why did he want to beat his donkey?

12. **Read the following passage carefully.**

It was winter. The ponds were all frozen. At the court, Akbar asked Birbal. "Tell me. Birbal! Will a man do anything for money "Birbal replied 'yes'. The emperor ordered him to prove it.

The nest day Birbal came to the court along with a poor Brahmin who merely had a penny left with him. His family was starving. Birbal told the king that the Brahmin was ready to do anything for the sake of money. The king ordered the Brahmin to be inside the frozen pond throughout the night without any attire if he needed money.

The poor Brahmin had no choice. The whole night he was inside pond, shivering. He returned to the durbar the next day to receive his reward. The king asked. "Tell me oh poor Brahmin! How could you with stand the extreme temperature all through the night". The innocent Brahmin replied " I could see a faintly glowing light a kilometer away and I with stood with the ray of light.

Akbar refused to pay the Brahmin his reward. Saying that he had got warmth from the light and withstood the cold and that was cheating. The poor Brahmin could not argue with him and soreturned disappointed and barehanded. Birbal tried to explain to the king, but the king was in no mood to listen to him.

The Brahmin reached home shivering with cold. At home his wife was waiting for him when he entered the house his wife came near him "what happened to you, dear".

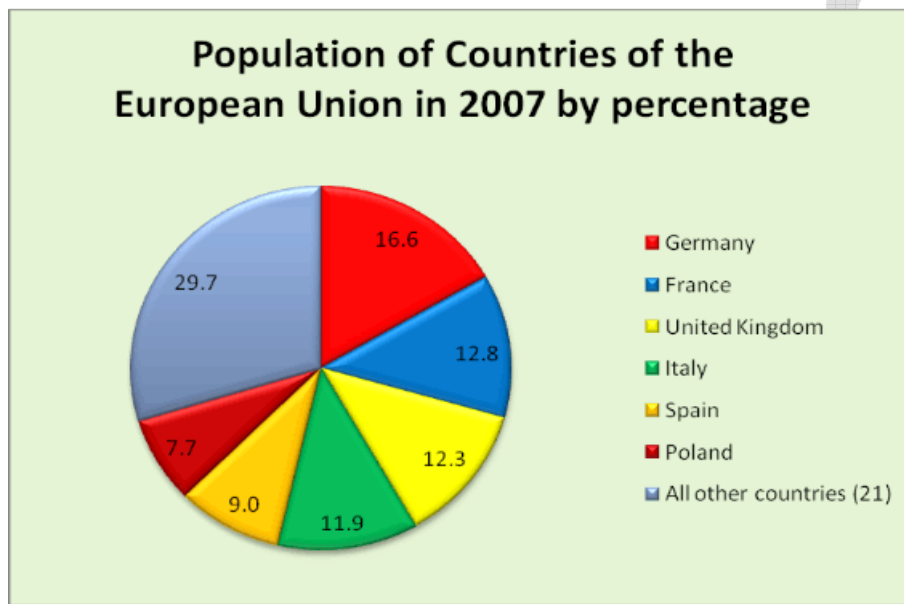a. What would be the conversation between the Brahmin and his wife? Write your answer in at least 120 words?

(OR)

b. Narrate the thoughts of the Brahmin when the king cheated him write your answer in at least 120 words.

13. Your school has celebrated Republic day to day. The Deputy Collector is the Chief Guest. You also received a prize. Cultural Programmes followed.   10M

    a. Write a News report on the Republic Day Celebrations in about 120 words.(OR)

    b. Write a letter to your friend describing the Republic Day Celebrations.

Part –B   Marks: 20

14. Study the following pie diagram:

Population of Countries of the European Union in 2007 by percentage

16.6   29.7   12.8   7.7   9.0   11.9   12.3

■ Germany
■ France
■ United Kingdom
■ Italy
■ Spain
■ Poland
■ All other countries (21)

Now answer the following questions.

    5X1=5M

a) What is this diagram about?

A. …………………………………………………………………………………

b) Which country has the population percentage of 12.3?

A. …………………………………………………………………………………

c) Write the name of the country which has the least population percentage?

A. …………………………………………………………………………………

d) How many countries' names are given in the table?

A. …………………………………………………………………………………..

e) Is population percentage of Finland given in the table?

A. …………………………………………………………………………………..

15. Read the following passage carefully.

Akim was a blacksmith. He was a hardworking man. His wife was Lenovo. But their son Sukov was an idle boy. He did not do any work. Akim and his wife were worried about him. Akim advised his son that he should work hard. Sukov never paid attention to his father's words. So Akim was very angry with his son. He told his son to go away from his house. Sukov left the house. He walked through the streets aimlessly. But he could not do any work.

He returned home in the evening, but did not go in. his mother felt sad with his condition. She came out and gave him a ten ruble note. Sukov gave it to his father. Akim studied it for some time and threw it into the furnace. He said that Sukov did not earn it. This happened for several days. One day Lenovo told his son that she did not have any money to give. So Sukov had to work really. He went to many places to get some work. Finally he got some work. He carried a heavy bag nearly one mile to the ferry for a man. The man gave Sukov a five ruble note. Sukov went home happily and gave it to his father. As usual, his father tried to throw it into the furnace. Sukov cried not to do so. He told his father that he himself had earned that money. Akim was very happy. He told Sukov that he had become industrious.

a) Each of the following questions has three choices. Put a tick (tick) mark against the right answer.

4X1=4M

1. Akim and his wife worried about Sukov because

   a) Sukov was ideal   [   ]

   b) Sukov did not do any work   [   ]

   c) Sukov did all the work   [   ]

2. Akim was angry as Sukov

   a) Paid attention to his words   [   ]

   b) Was lazy   [   ]

   c) Did not listen to his words   [   ]

3. Akim threw the ruble note into the fire because

   a) It was a fake note   [   ]

b) It was given by his mother   [   ]

c) Sukov did not earn it   [   ]

4. On the last occasion Sukov did not allow his father to throw the note into fire

   a) As he did not earn it   [   ]

   b) As he wanted to use it   [   ]

   c) As he earned it through his hard work   [   ]

b) Given below are SIX statements. THREE of them are TRUE. Find the True statements and write (T) against them in the brackets.

                              3X1=3M

   1. At the beginning Sukov was a hard working man.   [   ]

   2. Lenovo was Akim's mother.   [   ]

   3. Sukov was idle.   [   ]

   4. On the first day Lenovo gave a ruble note to Sukov.   [   ]

   5. Akim did not throw the first ruble note into fire.   [   ]

   6. Finally Sukov learned to earn money.   [   ]

16. **Read the following passage:**

We will be going to the houses of our relatives and friends. We will be going to towns and cites for different purposes. This is called travel. For travelling, we use a bus, a car, an aeroplane etc. these are called Transport vehicles. What do they require to move? They need different fuels. The important fuels are Diesel, Petrol and Natural gas.

Fuels are extracted from the deeper layers of the earth. They re in the form of crude oil. The crude oil is refined and converted into different fuels for our use. Petrol is used to run vehicles and to produce different chemical products. About 28 million tons of petroleum is produced in our country every year. This is not sufficient for our needs. Therefore we import petrol and petroleum products from other countries. There are natural gas producing centers in Gujarat, Maharashtra and Andhra Pradesh. Natural gas is used for vehicles, for power generation and also for manufacturing of fertilizers. We can burn fuels within no time but it takes thousands of years to form in the layers of the earth. Therefore, we have to use them very carefully.

a) Mention two different fuels mentioned in the passage.   2X1=2M

1. ……………………………………………………………………………………………………

    ……………………………………………

2. ……………………………………………………………………………………………………

    ……………………………………………

b) There are five words in List A. The meanings of four of them are given in List B. Choose the right word from List A to match the meaning in List B and write it in the space against each meaning. $4X^1/_2=2M$

List A : transport, extract, require, crude, manufacture

List B :

i)   Need   : ……………………………………

ii)   Take out   : ……………………………………

iii)   Move from one place to another place   : ....

iv)   To make   : ……………………………...

c) Complete the following sentences using a word or a phrase each. $2X^1/_2=1M$

i)   Extracted fuels are in the form of ………………………………………...

ii)   Petrol is used to produce ……………………………………………………….

d) Mention the two purposes for which the natural gas is used.   2X1= 2M

i)   …………………………………………………………………………………………

ii)   …………………………………………………………………………………………

e) Answer the following in a word or a phrase each. $2X^1/_2=1M$

1) How much time does it take for us to burn the fuel?

    ……………………………………………………………………………………………

2) Why should we use the fuels very carefully?

    ……………………………………………………………………………………………