## Tenth Class English Paper-II Model Paper

Third Language - English - Paper-II
(Max.Marks:50)
[Time:2.45 Hrs.]

## INSTRUCTIONS

i. Answer all the questions on a separate answer book.
ii. Write the answers to the questions under Section-A and Section-B in seriatum
iii. Start answering the questions as you read them.
iv. 15 minutes of time is allotted exclusively for reading the question paper and 2.30 hours for writing the answers.

SECTION - A
I. Study the following pie diagram carefully and answer the questions given after.


1. What does the pie chart show?
2. Which food did the highest number of customers buy?
3. If there were two 200 customers that were tracked, how many bought pizza?
[a] 20
[b] 30
[c] 15
4. Which food did the least number of customers buy?
[a] pasta
[b] pizza
[c] cheese
5. Which of the following statement is true according to the pie diagram?
[a] Between chicken and pizza chicken was more popular.
[b] Between pizza and chicken pizza was more popular.
[c] Both pizza and chicken were more popular.

## II. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given after.

Asia is rice and rice is Asia. If the golden wheat fields are the bread basket of Europe, then the flooded paddy yields are the rice bowl of Asia. In fact, the orient is the rice bowl of the world. For the tiny chalky grains that pour in from China, India, Pakistan, Burma, Thailand, Korea and Japan make up 70 percent of the world's production and feed half the world's population.

And on the supplies of grains hinges the wealth, health and happiness of the teeming millions of Asians. Not only does rice forms our principal diet, but the by-products are put to numerous uses. Rice straw, for instance, is used as cattle food, fuel, fertilizers, roof thatching and also to make paper, footwear and baskets. That is why the rice plant is so precious and sacred.

According to legend, it was during a famine in China, many years ago that the rice first come into the lives of the Asians. A little girl went for fishing. But instead of fish, she caught in her net the king of the frogs. The king told her to holdout the net to the sunbeams, while he sang a song. The golden sunbeams turned into small grains. The little girl gathered a harvest of rice. The same rice, in due course, had become the seeds.
6. What are the uses of rice straw?
7. What did the little girl catch?
8. The staple food of Europe is $\qquad$
[a] rice
[b] wheat
[c] millet
9. The golden sunbeams turned into $\qquad$
[a] wheat [b] rice grain [c] fish
10. Choose the correct statement from the following:
[a] There was famine in Burma
[b] The little girl went for hunting
[c] The king of Frogs sang a song
III. Read the following passage carefully and arrange the given sentences in meaningful order.
Once there lived a rich merchant. He had one constant worry. His handsome son fell in to bad company. He soon formed various bad habits.

One day suddenly an idea came in to merchant's mind. He brought a dozen fresh ripe apples. He told his son to put them in a basket. One of the apples was rotten. He pointed out it to his father. But, the merchant told him to put it also among the good apples. It was evening - so, the father told his son to keep the basket aside. They would eat the apples next day.

The basket of the apples was opened the next morning. All the apples turned bad and spoiled all other apples. He told his son that this was the result of bad company.

The father's words went straight to the boy's heart. He gave up bad company.

Now arrange the following jumbled sentences in sequential order basing on the story.
11. The merchant's son gave up bad company.
12. All the apples turned bad and rotten..
13. The merchant's son fell into bad company.
14. The merchant thought an idea to teach a lesson to his son.
15. Merchant told his son to put a rotten apple.

## Answers:

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## SECTION - B

[VOCABULARY]
16. Read the paragraph and write the synonyms of the underlined words choosing from the words given in the box. $4 \times 1 / 2=2 M$
[repaired, shown, loose, allegation, support, critics]
Roberge does not endorse (a) the accusation (b) of the Ray's detractors (c) that the master director made his reputation selling India's poverty to the west. "What struck me most was not the material poverty depicted (d) in the films, but enormous spiritual poverty of some rich people is much deplorable than material poverty".
Ans: [a] $\qquad$ [b] $\qquad$ [c] $\qquad$ [d] $\qquad$ -
17. Read the paragraph and write antonyms of the underlined words. $4 \times 1 / 2=2 M$
His disability came without any medical explanation - a rare occurance called phocomelia and Nick and his parents spent many years asking why this cruel trick would happen to them. "My mother was a nurse and she did everything right during pregnance but she still blamed herself he said.

## List-A

a. Disability [ ]
b. Rare
c. Cruel
[]
d. Blamed

Disability
[]

## List-B

1. common
2. ability
3. forgive
4. merciful

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## 5. dignity <br> 6. arrogance

18. Read the following para and write the right form of the words given in the Brackets is the blanks. $\quad 4 \times 1 / 2=2 \mathrm{M}$
These old ones are $\qquad$ (near / nearly) (a) worn out. You don't seem to $\qquad$ (realize / realization) (b) what it's costing me to bear up like Iam doing. My heats fit to break when I see the little tribles that belonged to father $\qquad$ (lie/lying) (c) around, and think he'll never use them again. Here! You'd better wear these slippers of my father's now. It's $\qquad$ (luck/lucky) (d) he'd just got a new pair.
19. Complete the following spellings with (ou, ea, oa, ei, ee, oo) $2 \times$ $1 / 2=1 \mathrm{M}$
[a] I could brush my own t_ _th with wall mounted brush.
[b] We have not shared our res _ _ rces equitable.
20. Complete the words with correct suffixes given in the brackets. 2 $\times 1 / 2=1 \mathrm{M}$
[a] He possessed great innate wisdom and a true genero $\qquad$ (city/sity)
[b] After school, we went home and told our respect $\qquad$ (ieve/ive) parents about the incident.
21. Find the wrongly spelt words and write correct spelling. $2 \times$ $\mathbf{1 = 2 M}$
[a] Optimism fantastic terain profound. Ans: $\qquad$
[b] Vigoros erupt arrogance balance. Ans: $\qquad$
22. Read the following dictionary entry "fabulous" given below. $2 \times$ $\mathbf{1}=\mathbf{2 M}$
fabulous /'fabjulos /

- adjective

1 extraordinary, especially extraordinarily large:
fabulous riches.

- informal very good; wonderful:
a fabulous two-week holiday.
2 having no basis in reality, mythical:
fabulous creatures.
- DERIVATIVES
fabulosity /fabju'lositi / Noun
fabulousness noun
Now answer the following questions.

1) Under how many parts of speech the word fabulous is given in the entry and what are they?
2) What is the meaning of the word given in the entry as adjective?
23. Arrange the following words under correct heading. $8 \times 1 / 4=2 \mathrm{M}$ [distress, germinate, inspiration, bravery, seedling, generous, forester, fodder]
Words related
to plants
Words related
1) 2) $\quad$ 3) $\quad \square$

## to mind

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24. Use the following expressions in sentences of your own.

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4 \times 1=4 M
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[a] Phrasal verb: look into
[b] idiomatic expression: turn blue
[c] binomial expression: bread and butter
[d] foreign expression: en route
25. Match the following one word substitute in Part-A with their meanings in Part-B. Write only letters of Part-B against the serial number of Part-A in the answer book.
$4 \times 1 / 2=2 M$
Part-A

## Part-B

1) Polyglot
[ ] A) One who believes in fate.
2) Spendthrift [] B) A person who knows many languages
3) ambiguous [ ] C) One who possess many talents
4) versatile [] D) A person who spends too much
[E] A sentence with unclear meaning
[F] Using words than needed

## SECTION - C

[CREATIVE EXPRESSION]
26. Write a letter to your friend describing the visit of our Chief Minister Sri Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy to your city to inaugurate 'Kanti Velugu Programme'.
[or]
Write new report on 'How does plastic affect the environment.' 5M
27. Write biographical sketch of Subramanyam using the following hints.

Born on 14-7-1891 in Hyderabad
Formal education - Hyderabad.
Bachelor of law - England.
Influenced by Gandhi - participated in freedom movement.
Elected as Member of Parliament in 1952.
Died on $27^{\text {th }}$ September, 1970.

## [or]

Write a story using the following hints. Priya ___ 14 years old $\qquad$ domestic help $\qquad$ excellent singer $\qquad$ natural singer $\qquad$ would often sing while at work $\qquad$ one day a visitor noticed her sing made a video of her song $\qquad$ uploaded it on youtube $\qquad$ video become viral $\qquad$ Priya becomes a singing sensation over night. 28. Study the following flow chart on soil pollution.


Now write a paragraph about the information given in the flow chart?

## ANSWERS

1) The pie chart shows about most purchased food
2) Highest number of customers bought chicken
3) $\mathrm{A}(20)$
4) $B$ (Pizza)
5) A (Between Chicken and pizza, Chicken was more popular)
6) The rice straw is used as cattle food, fuel, fertilizers, roof thatching and also to make paper.
7) The little girl caught the king of the frogs.
8) B (Wheat)
9) $B$ (rice grains)
10) C (The king of frogs sang a song)
(11-15)

11) (a) Support
(b) Allegation
(c) Critics
d) Shown
12) (a) 2 (b) 1
(c) 4
(d) 3
13) (a) nearly
(b) realize
(c) lying (d) lucky
14) (a) ee (b) ou,
15) (a) sity (b) ive
16) (a) terrain (b) vigorous
17) Two Parts of Speech the world fabulous is given in the entry. They are
(1) Adjective (2) Noun.
18) Words related to plants: germinate, seedling, forester, fodder.

Words related to mind: distress, inspiration, bravery, generous.
24) (a) The Police look in to the complaint given by the bank manager.
(b) Having heard the news her face turned blue.
(c) Direction is not only K.Vishwanath's bread and butter but also his passion.
(d) As soon as the summer vacation is over, Balu is most likely enroute to Guntur to go back to school.
25) (1) B (2) D (3) E (4) C

