Junior Inter English Model Paper

Time - 3.00 hrs   **Marks - 100**

Section-A

1. **Annotate any <u>Two</u> of the following in about <u>100</u> words each.**
        2 × 4=8
   a) Such was the Indian concept of hospitality once upon a time.
   b) Individual liberty would have become social anarchy.
   c) You're planning a gratuitous double, so to speak.

2. **Annotate any <u>Two</u> of the following in about <u>100</u> words each.**
        2 × 4=8
   a) ____I slowly took out the least little grain of corn and gave it to thee.
   b) If it dies, we die as well!
   c) What I am, and what I ought to be,

3. **Answer any <u>Two</u> of the following questions in about <u>100</u> words each.**   **2 × 4 =8**
   a) Narrate two memories of Kalam, related to eating.
   b) Describe some of the major achievements of Saina Nehwal in badminton.
   c) Why does Shaw assert that it is absurd to say that all native speakers of English speak correctly?

4. **Answer any <u>Two</u> of the following questions in about <u>100</u> words each.**   **2 × 4 = 8**
   a) How does the beauty of Golconda queens kindle the pomegranate groves?
   b) 'To stop all this mess...' What does the poet mean by 'all this mess'? Explain in a paragraph.
   c) 'My little horse must think it queer'. What does 'it' refer to?

5. **Answer any <u>Two</u> of the following questions in about <u>100</u> words each.**   **2 × 4 = 8**
   a) Describe the approach of the mother to the old man, who requested them to help him.
   b) Describe how Pahom became more and more greedy as the story progresses.
   c) What did Suren find in Sudhir's hands? Describe it in detail.

Section- B

6. **Read the following passage carefully and answer any <u>Four</u> questions given after it.**   **4 × 1 =4**

   Pahom was well contented. But soon he got into quarrels with the other peasants. One day a peasant passing through the village, happened to call in. The stranger revealed that he came from beyond the Volga. Men who joined the Commune there had twenty-five acres granted to them. The land was so good, he said, that the rye sown on it grew as high as a horse. Pahom's heart kindled with desire. He visited the place.
   (i) Where did the stranger come from?
   (ii) How much land was given to the men who joined the Commune?
   (iii) What image did the stranger use to describe the fertility of the land?
   (iv) How did Pahom respond to the stranger's narration?
   (v) Pahom kept wishing for more and more land as the days passed by. Write true or false.
   (vi) 'Rye' is a kind of _____ (Choose and fill in the blank.)
   (a) colour   (b) crop   (c) animal   (d) car

7. **Read the following passage carefully and answer any <u>four</u> questions given after it.**
        4 × 1=4

   A truly multifaceted personality, **Pamulaparti Venkata Narsimha Rao** (28 June 1921 - 23 Dec 2004) is the son of our soil, Telangana. Born in Warangal district and brought up in Karimanagar district, he had his education in Karimnagar district, Osmania University and Fergusson College, Maharashtra. A lawyer, an activist and a statesman, PV was the 10th Prime Minister of India (21 June 1991 - 16 May 1996). He was the first Prime Minister from South India. With the active involvement of a non-political economist, Dr. Manmohan Singh as the Finance Minister, PV initiated bold liberalization policies which saved India from a deep financial crisis and won for him the title, 'Father of Indian Economic Reforms'. On the defence and political fronts too, he left his unique stamp. Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam said, "He is a patriotic statesman who believed that the nation is bigger than the political system". A versatile genius, PV spoke 17 languages, translated great works from Telugu into Hindi; and Marathi into Telugu. He had incredible software programming knowledge too.
   (i) What was PV's distinction as the Prime Minister of India, according to the passage?
   (ii) Why is PV called the 'Father of Indian Economic Reforms'?
   (iii) Name the other areas in which PV proved himself to be unique.
   (iv) PV Spoke 20 languages. Write true or false.
   (v) Why does Abdul Kalam say that PV is a patriotic statesman?
   (vi) Who helped PV in initiating liberalization policies?

Section-C

[NOTE: ANSWERS of this section - C must be written at one place in the same serial order.]

8. **Fill in any <u>Eight</u> blanks with a, an or the**
        8 × ½ = 4
   i) ____(1) dream came true in 2012 when, in ____(2) London Olympics, Sania set ____(3) record by becoming ___(4) first Indian badminton player to win ___(5) medal in ___(6) Olympics
   ii) In, fact, when Saina was born in 1990, her grandmother refused to look at her for ____(7) month as she was deeply disappointed that ____(8) second female child had been born.
   iii) In___(9) country where cricket players are deified and ____(10) achievements of sportspersons in other fields largely ignored, Saina Nehwal has carved a niche for herself in badminton.

9. **Fill in any <u>Eight</u> blanks with suitable prepositions**   **8 × ½ = 4**
   i) I came home ____(1) my work ____(2) Thumba and sat____(3) my mother ____(4) a long time. When I had to leave, she blessed me ____(5) a choked voice. I should not have been so preoccupied ____(6) my work.
   ii) My father lived ____(7) the age ____(8) 102.
   iii) After I received the news ____(9) her passing away, as I made my way to Rameswaram memories ____(10) her assailed me.

10. **Fill in any <u>four</u> blanks with suitable verbs given in brackets.**
         4 × 1= 4
    i) It ____(1) (not, occur) to the dear old lady that if liberty ____(2) (entitle) the foot - passenger to walk down the middle of the road, it also ____(3) (entitle) the cab driver to drive on the pavement, and that the end of such liberty ____(4) (be) universal chaos.
    ii) Look! the bird ____(5) (fly).
    iii) Suresh ran to the station but the train ____(6) (leave).

11. **Rewrite any four sentences as directed.**
         4 × 1= 4
    i) The sleepy girl carried two bags. (Change the verb into the passive voice)
    ii) Switch off the lights (Change into passive voice)
    iii) Sunil said to his daughter, "I will take care of you". (Change into indirect speech)
    iv) The girl said, "I can change any given sentence into the indirect speech". (Change into indirect speech)
    v) Virus infects a person faster than bacteria. (Change into positive

degree)

vi) Vikram has attended all the classes,____? (Add a question tag)

12. Rewrite any <u>four</u> of the following sentences correcting the errors.   **4 × 1 = 4**

i) Athletics <u>are</u> an interesting sport.

ii) He is interested <u>to do</u> a job

iii) Do you like to play <u>Violin</u>?

iv) If I <u>will stand</u> on my own legs, my parents will feel happy

v) He is afraid <u>with</u> darkness,

vi) The shops will be open between 10 a.m <u>to</u> 8 p.m

vii) One of my <u>friend</u> told me about the accident.

13. Supply the missing letters in any <u>eight</u> of the following words. 8 × ½ = 4

i) mi_ _le   ii) vi_ _age

iii) sca_ _ered   iv) bi_ _ erly

v) Char_ _ t   vi) rec_ _ve

vii) tra_ _ ic   viii) l_ _rels

ix) S_ _edule   x) b_ _uty

14. Identify the silent consonants in any <u>eight</u> of the following words.   **8 × ½ = 4**

i) often   ii) calm

iii) write   iv) talk

v) news   vi) knife

vii) show   viii) high   ix) would x) right

15. Identify the parts of speech of <u>any eight</u> of the following underlined words.   **8 × ½ = 4**

i) <u>Between</u> the woods <u>and</u> the <u>frozen</u> <u>lake</u>.

ii) Children are a <u>source</u> of joy to the parents.

iii) <u>Since</u> it was raining, he took an umbrella <u>with</u> him

iv) They <u>themselves</u> interfered in the dispute

v) This conversation <u>bores</u> me.

vi) A cricket match is watched by <u>lakhs</u> of people.
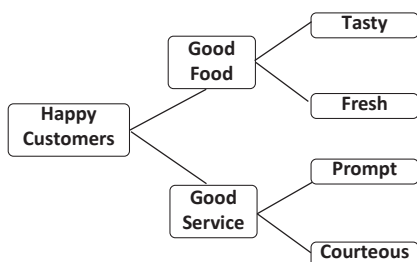
16. Match <u>any eight</u> of the following words in column A with their meanings in column B.

8 × ½ = 4

	A	B
i)	hospitality	(a) a feeling of pleasure and also slight sadness when you recall a period in the past
ii)	mortified	(b) many
iii)	jest	(c) comforting; having a gently calming effect
iv)	laurels	(d) friendly and generous behaviour towards guests
v)	soothing	(e) sour taste
vi)	assailed	(f) feeling ashamed
vii)	nostalgia	(g) ordered, commanded by fate/God
viii)	tart	(h) disturbed, came upon suddenly and strongly
ix)	umpteen	(i) honour and praise given to one on something achieved
x)	ordained	(j) a joke

17. Present the information provided in the tree diagram given below in a paragraph .

1 × 4 = 4

(OR)

Read the following paragraph and convert it into a Pie - Chart

Economics, Civics, Commerce, English and 2ⁿᵈ Language. Students who like Economics from the largest group. A quarter of the students of the class i.e 25% expressed preference for this subject. English and Commerce are liked by an equal number of students. 20% of the students like English and the same percentage i.e 20% of the students like commerce. Next in popularity is Civics, liked by 18% of the class. Finally trailing closely behind civics, comes 2ⁿᵈ Language, which is the favourite subject of 17% of the students.

18. Write any <u>four</u> of the following transcriptions in ordinary English.

4 × 1=4

i) /tʊɔ(r)nɔmɔnt/   ii) /sәpɔ:(r)ι/

iii) /tju:ʃnz/   iv) /su:ðIη/

v) /plænIt/   vi) /dIfi:tId/

19. Circle any <u>four</u> of the words that sound different with regard to the sounds of the bold letters.   **4 ×1 = 4**

i) st**ou**t   **ou**t   w**ou**ld

ii) tou**ch**   **ch**aos   **ch**oose

iii) **th**ese   **th**ousand   o**th**er

iv) an**g**er   dan**g**er   passen**g**er

v) curt**ai**l   h**ai**r   aff**ai**r

vi) su**ch**   mu**ch**   **ch**emist

20. Mention the number of syllables in any <u>four</u> of the following words.   **4 × 1 = 4**

i) engage   ii) potato

iii) Classification   iv) teacher

v) quite   vi) donkey