

## [Section - A]

Multiple choice questions :

1. What does the phrase 'Outwardly respectable' mean in the poem : The mystery cat?
  - a. Very popular
  - b. Very respectable
  - c. **Respected by everyone**
  - d. A deceiving personality
2. What kind of a poem 'The mystery cat' is it?
  - a. With serious lyrics
  - b. **With humorous criticism**
  - c. With simple lyrics
  - d. (a) and (c) both
3. What does alibi mean in the poem?
  - a. All is well
  - b. Partners in crime
  - c. Alphabet
  - d. **None of these**
4. What kind of story 'The woman on platform no 8' is this ?
  - a. Humorous
  - b. Fictitious
  - c. Tragedy
  - d. **Real life**
5. Why do you think, that Arun's 'mother' did most of the talking?
  - a. **She thought that Arun's 'mother' was not a very capable person**
  - b. She was kind
  - c. She cared about Arun
  - d. She was rich
6. Who came to the platform along with his mother?
  - a. Arun
  - b. The woman
  - c. The coolie

- d. Satisfy**
7. 'I like strangers' why did Arun say thus?
- He like all strangers
  - He liked Arun's mom
  - He wanted to talk with strangers
  - None**
8. Which two qualities does Martin Luther king impress upon while struggling for freedom?
- Dignity and discipline**
  - Dignity and force
  - Hard work and discipline
  - Force and hard work
9. Where was the speech delivered of 'I have a dream'?
- On the steps of the White house
  - In the Lincoln memorial
  - From the steps of the Lincoln memorial**
  - In the White house
10. Martin Luther king was born on
- April 14, 1968
  - July 15, 1929
  - January 15, 1929**
  - June 15, 1939
11. "... nothing to kill or die for" what does the lyricist want us to imagine here ?
- Imagine there are no boundaries to fight for
  - No animal to kill and eat
  - No one will be killed or will die**
  - None
12. What according to lyricist in 'Imagine' is there 'above us'?
- Sky**
  - Hell
  - Havan
  - Umbrella
13. What does the lyricist if Imagine ask us to do?
- Make violence world
  - Imagine a violence world
  - Imagine a peaceful world**
  - Make a peaceful world
14. Who is poet of Imagine poem?
- T. S. Eliot
  - Martin Luther
  - John Lennon**
  - O. Henry
15. Poet of poem 'Imagine' is founding member of the music band \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. The bittles
  - b. The Beatles**
  - c. The harmony
  - d. (b) and (c) both
16. Which of the given descriptions best suits Bob?
- a. Honest and humble
  - b. Quiet and strong
  - c. Rich and arrogant**
  - d. Meek and kind
17. Why weren't there many people on the street?
- a. It was raining heavily
  - b. There was a curfew
  - c. There was a strike
  - d. It was a cold rainy night**
18. Which of the given descriptions best suits Jimmy?
- a. Kind and self spoken
  - b. Strong and rude
  - c. Strong but duty conscious
  - d. None**
19. Why were the street de peopled?
- a. It was very cold**
  - b. The area was thinly populated
  - c. There were few shops that Carried on business
  - d. Both (b) and (c)
20. What was the pact the two friends had made twenty years ago?
- a. To start new business together
  - b. To meet at the same place at the same time**
  - c. To settle down in a village lead a simple life
  - d. None
21. \_\_\_\_\_ was the pen name of American writer William Sydney porter.
- a. W. Somerset
  - b. T. S. Eliot
  - c. O. Henry**
  - d. Nimish Dubey
22. 'And there is no way of telling where the end is going to be' whose end is being talked about?
- a. The pebble's
  - b. The sea's
  - c. The ripple's**
  - d. (a) and (c)
23. What happens when we say something unkind to someone?
- a. The other person forgets immediately
  - b. The words stay in a person's mind for long**

- c. The words stay in a person's heart for long
  - d. The person does not mind at all
24. What does a word of cheer and kindness cause?
- a. It causes ripples that bring no feeling and stop very soon
  - b. It brings joy, hope and comfort**
  - c. There is a huge storm
  - d. None
25. Why does Banesh come to Bombay?
- a. To participate in the painting competition
  - b. To meet Nandu Nawathe
  - c. To seek admission in the school
  - d. To spend holiday with his aunt**
26. Why do you think, Banesh said “By rights the price should not go to me but Nandu Nawathe”?
- a. Nandu painted well
  - b. Nandu realized his mistake
  - c. It was because of Nandu that Banesh went to an adventure**
  - d. None
27. Why did the Khoka company announced a special price for Banesh?
- a. He had been in danger
  - b. The company had got publicity because of him
  - c. He had given good publicity to cough drops**
  - d. He had been very brave
28. Why did the organisers ask children to write a slogan on cough drops?
- a. They were the manufacturer of the cough drops and it was an advertisement campaign**
  - b. It was winter season
  - c. The children were suffering from cold and cough
  - d. Both (b) and (c )
29. The king sat with his \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. Minister
  - b. Children
  - c. Wife
  - d. Adviser**
30. What did the soldier first tried to do?
- a. Go for fighting
  - b. Break the fighting**
  - c. Join the fighting
  - d. Stay neutral
31. The word 'pounced' is used for which animal in the story?
- a. Cat**
  - b. Dog
  - c. Gecko

- d. Fly
32. What happened as soon as Gopal heard the terrible wailing shot?
- The doctor's pulse become agitated
  - Gopal's pulse become agitated
  - Gopal started crying**
  - Gopal started laughing
33. Why is the doctor compared to a judge?
- The patient's life hung in his wards**
  - He had been a judge earlier
  - He like to give judgement
  - He did not like to give judgement
34. Why would the patients come to the doctor when they were on their last legs of life?
- The people like to shrink the fact
  - The doctor's visiting fee was high
  - Both (a) and (b)**
  - None
35. What did the words " I would rather not talk to you now" spoken by the doctor to Gopal's wife imply?
- The patient was serious
  - The patient was hilarious
  - The patient was unwell
  - None**
36. T. S. Eliot was awarded the Nobel prize for literature in \_\_\_\_\_.
- 1917
  - 1930
  - 1965
  - 1948**
37. Macavity is a \_\_\_\_\_ character who is described in a in old person's Bork of practical cats.
- Fictional**
  - Hilarious
  - Serious
  - (b) and (c) both
38. What is the meaning of 'hew'?
- To become worse
  - Very hungry
  - To cut something large with Tool**
  - Quality of being morally right
39. What is the meaning of 'Soothing'?
- Thought deeply
  - Smooth
  - Spread all over
  - Relieving**

40. What is the meaning of 'acquainted'?

- a. **Familiar**
- b. Unhappy
- c. Move quickly
- d. Spoke quickly

## [Section - B]

Q-1 (A) Write antonyms. [03]

- 1) Agree
- 2) Pure
- 3) Common

Q-1 (B) write synonyms. [03]

- 1) Wild
- 2) Stubborn
- 3) Mild

Q-2 (A) complete stanza (both compulsory) [04]

- 1) Imagine there's no countries

It isn't hard to do

Nothing to kill or die for

And no religion too

Imagine all the people

Living life in peace

You may say that I'm a dreamer

But I'm not the only one

I hope someday you will join us

And the world will be as one.

- 2) Drop a word of cheer and kindness; in a minute you forget;  
But there's a gladness still a swelling, and there's joy a-circling yet,  
And you've rolled a wave of comfort whose sweet music can be heard,  
Over miles and miles of water just by dropping one kind word.

Q-2(b) Text Based fill in the blanks

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- 1) 'Give Peace a Chance' , 'Imagine'
- 2) R.K.Narayan
- 3) "Our trees still Grow In Dehra"
- 4) 'Big Joe Brady's
- 5) Jock Cough Drops

Q-3(a) Word meaning:

[05]

- 1) mocked
- 2) like a cat
- 3) a small lizard
- 4) thinking that you are better than anyone else
- 5) commitment

Q-3(b) Answers the following Questions:

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1) The painting competition was tough because children didn't have to paint on a canvas but they were required to write a verse on a balloon in not more than fifteen words. They were also expected to draw an attractive picture on the balloon.

2) Both Bob and Jimmy cared for each other. Bob reached the spot where they had planned to meet and waited for Jimmy. He also waited another half an hour for him. On the other hand, Jimmy was also on time to meet Bob. They were eager to meet each other even after twenty years. He could not arrest his friend Bob so he sent his colleague to arrest him and showed how sensitive he was towards him. This shows that they cared for each other.

3) Martin Luther King answers that the devotees of civil rights would not be satisfied till the negro population of the country gains the right to rest and gain lodging in the motels of the highways and hostels of the cities, has the right to vote or the black community shows overall development.

4) When the patient wanted to know whether he would survive or sign his will in anticipation of his death, Dr. Raman was in dilemma. He went and sat in his car reflecting his future course of

action whether to blurt out the truth and destroy the slimmest chance of the patient's survival , or hide the truth and be responsible for the mess to be created by Gopal's unsigned will.

5) Arun hated satish's mother because she had an imposing personality. She created a fuss about waiting for the train in the middle of the night as it was not feasible to let children travel alone. She was also very stern with Arun when she asked him not to talk to strangers. He could not help but compare this woman with the stranger who was so kind and instantly developed a dislike to her overpowering ways.

Q-4 Write a letter to your principal requesting him to grant you full scholarship. [05]

ANSWER(DETAILED LETTER) ON PAGE NO 175 IN GRAMMAR TEXT BOOK.

Q-5 write an essay on : [05]

1. An unforgettable moment

ANSWER (DETAILED ESSAY) ON PAGE NO 186 IN GRAMMAR TEXT BOOK.

2. Student Life

ANSWER (DETAILED ESSAY) ON PAGE NO 185 IN GRAMMAR TEXT BOOK.