

GENIUS HIGH SCHOOL :: BHUVANAGIRI
SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT - II

Class : VI
Subject : ENGLISH

Time: 2Hrs
Max marks: 50

Section – A

I. Read the following extracts carefully and answer the questions that follow. 5 Marks

Its spreading branches which hung to the ground and took root again, forming a number of twisting passages, gave me endless pleasure. Among them were squirrels, and snails and butterflies. The tree was older than the house, older than grandfather, as old as Dehradun itself. I could hide myself in its branches, behind thick green leaves, and spy on the world below.

- i) Which tree is being talked about in the above passage?
- ii) How old was the tree?
- iii) What was the speaker's purpose in hiding himself in the branches, behind thick green leaves?
- iv) Which word in the given options means 'endless'?
- a) Unending b) limited c) brief d) close
- v) Tick the correct option.
Antonym for 'Superb' is.....
a) Costly b) awful c) Interesting d) Magnificent

II. Read the Poem and Answer the questions: 5 Marks

What if nobody likes me?
What if a bolt of lightning strikes me?
What if I don't grow taller?
What if my head starts getting smaller?
What if the fish won't bite?
What if the wind tears up my kite?

- (i) Who is the speaker in the above poem?
- (ii) What do you think is the speaker's fear about lightning?
- (iii) Name the speaker's fears about his head and height.
- (iv) Give two more rhyming words with bit and bite.
- (v) Write some of the school related fears of the narrator

Section – B

(A) Letter writing

5 Marks

You have recently adopted a stray puppy. Write a letter to your friend describing your feelings as it was a long-cherished desire. Also, mention how your plan to bring it up.

(OR)

Write a letter to your father informing him about your studies and requesting him to send you some money.

(B) Story writing

5 Marks

Write a story, taking help from the outline given below. Invent ideas of your own and make it interesting. Give a suitable title to the story.

A rich farmer.....lot of land.....cattle and servants.....two sons.....happy life.....After some years younger son unhappy.....asked for his share of property.....wouldn't listen to father's advice.....got his share.....sold them all.....went away to another country.....fell into bad ways.....soon all money gone.....poor.....no one to help him.....realised his mistake.

Section – C

I. Insert suitable articles in the blanks

5 Marks

1. Please wait forhour for the test results.
2. The headmaster was talking toparents.
3. My brother isexpert at fixing cars.
4. He isreally good person.
5. India is the second most populous country inworld.

II. 1) Fill in the blanks with the correct prepositions.

3 marks

- i. I walkmy school every day. (to/in)
- ii. Sheela will meet her friend.....Sunday 6pm (from/ on/ at)
- iii. The purse is keptthe table. (on/ within)
- iv. The school bus will leave.....the pickup point early morning. (at/ from)
- v. The theatre isBlock A. (on/ in)
- vi. Where is the man? He is the bus stop. (on/ at)

2) Fill in the blanks with suitable personal pronouns.

2 Marks

- 1) May _____ come in sir?
- 2) _____ all admired my work.
- 3) Let _____ hope for the best.
- 4) The instructor asked _____ to come back soon.

III. Read the following sentences and state the kind of sentence in the blank. 5 Marks

1. My favourite colour is purple.
2. Oh, my goodness, I won!
3. Have you had breakfast?
4. You must be a little more careful
5. I don't know what I'll do if I don't pass this test.

Section – D (Literature)

I. Answer any five of the following questions

5 x 2= 10 Marks

1. How do Mongooses kill snakes?
2. How does the hump of the camels help them to survive when there is no water?
3. In what way did the shopkeeper make a fool of Rasheed?
4. What was the 'game' that every child in the school had to play?
5. Why was Jumman happy over Algu's nominations as head panch?
6. Who is the speaker in the 'Vocation poem'? Who are the people the speaker meets? What are they doing?
7. i) What happened to the crow in the end?
ii) What did the myna do finally?
8. Why did the waterfall give Taro sake and others water?

II. Write the summary of the lesson. "Tansen"

5 Marks

(OR)

Write the summary of the lesson. " The Friendly Mongoose "