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Total Marks: 60

Time: 10.00 am to 12.30 pm

Instructions: 1) Each question carries equal marks.
2) Attempt any 06 questions

Q. 1 Tenses

(10)

i. Change the verb to make a past simple sentence:

1. I _____ (hear) a new song yesterday.
2. She _____ (forget) to buy some milk.

ii. Present Simple Tense with 'be'

Fill in the blanks with am / are / is.

1. I _____ a student.
2. He _____ hungry

iii. Present Continuous Tense

1. I _____ (listen) to music.
2. She _____ (watch) a movie.

iv. Change these sentences into the negative form.

1. I live in London

2. We like to watch sports.

v. Present Simple Tense

Fill in the blanks to make a Positive present simple sentence.

1. He _____ (wake) up at 8am every day.
2. She _____ (go) to school by bus.

Q. 2 Fill in the blanks with the correct preposition:

(10)

1. Craig's birthday is _____ February 15th.
2. It is always cold _____ January in England.
3. It can be dangerous to walk alone _____ night.
4. My family always eats turkey _____ Christmas day.
5. The train leaves _____ 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.
6. Let's meet at the restaurant _____ 7 PM
7. English class is _____ 10AM _____ Monday mornings.
8. I love swimming in the sea _____ the summer time.
9. I graduated from high school _____ 2010.
10. The graduation ceremony was held _____ the 20th of March.

Q. 3 Fill the blanks with the correct Pronouns: (10)

1. Chris has a new car. It's ().
2. I have a new bike. It's ().
3. Sally has new shoes. They are ().
4. This is my jacket. It's ().
5. This is Sally's backpack. It's ().
6. You have a new book. It's ().
7. This phone is Tom's. It's ().
8. Is this your pencil? Yes, It's ().
9. This dog belongs to Jane and John. It's ().
10. We bought this house. It's ()

Q. 4 Underline the Nouns and mention its type: (10)

1. She has a lot of friends.
2. There is some milk in the fridge.
3. The dog ran across the field.
4. New York is known for its iconic skyline.
5. She placed the book on the table.
6. Happiness is something everyone strives for.
7. The team celebrated their victory.
8. Alice loves visiting the Grand Canyon every summer.
9. The city is full of tourists all year round.
10. The curiosity he had for the universe drove his groundbreaking work.

Q. 5 Underline the verb and adverbs in the following sentences: (10)

1. He has already finished her homework.
2. They will probably arrive late due to traffic.
3. He is always on time for meetings.
4. I am never going to that restaurant again.
5. We have just received the package.
6. She was unexpectedly invited to the party.
7. They are often found at the local café after school.
8. I do carefully check my emails before sending them.
9. He can sometimes be a bit too quiet in group discussions.
10. You should definitely try the new restaurant downtown.

Q. 6 Write an essay on the following topics(Choose any one) (10)

- i. The Impact of Social Media on Mental Health
- ii. The Importance of Nutrition and healthy lifestyle

Q. 7 Comprehension: (10)

Read the passage below and answer the Following Questions:

Sunflowers are beautiful, tall plants that we often see in gardens or fields. But do you know how a tiny seed becomes such a big, bright flower? Let's take a journey through the life of a sunflower. First, a sunflower seed needs to be planted in the ground. The seed needs plenty of sunshine and just the right amount of water. After about a week, a small sprout pokes through the soil. This is the sunflower starting to grow. The sprout grows into a stem, and leaves begin to form. After around two weeks, the sunflower is

about knee-high. As the sunflower grows, it starts to develop a bud at the top. The bud is where the flower will bloom. After about 70 to 100 days, the bud opens up to reveal a beautiful, yellow sunflower. The sunflower turns to face the sun as it moves across the sky, which is known as "following the sun". Eventually, the sunflower begins to droop and the petals fall off. The center of the sunflower is filled with seeds. These seeds can be collected and planted, and the cycle starts all over again.

- Q. 1. What is the first step in the life cycle of a sunflower?
- Q. 2. How does a sunflower 'follow the sun'?
- Q. 3. What happens to the sunflower after it blooms and the petals fall off?
- Q. 4. Why does a sunflower need plenty of sunshine and the right amount of water?
- Q. 5. What cause-and-effect relationship can you identify in the life cycle of a sunflower?

Q. 8 Comprehension:

(10)

Read the following short story and answer the question given below:

Once upon a time, in the heart of a thick forest, lived a little rabbit named Charlie. This forest was having a particularly harsh winter, and food was hard to find. Charlie's family was hungry, and it was up to Charlie to find food for them. Charlie was a small rabbit, but he had a big heart. Despite the cold weather and deep snow, Charlie decided to venture out into the forest. As he hopped through the snow, Charlie felt scared, but he knew he had to be brave for his family. Deep in the forest, Charlie found a patch of berries. He was about to grab some when he heard a growl. A large, scary wolf appeared. Charlie was terrified but knew he couldn't give up. He quickly hopped to a nearby hole and hid. The wolf waited for a while but eventually left. Charlie gathered as many berries as he could carry and made the long journey home. He was tired and cold, but the thought of his family kept him going. When he finally got back, his family was overjoyed. Charlie was a hero!

- Q. 1. How would you describe Charlie's character?
 - Q. 2. What challenges did Charlie face on his journey?
 - Q. 3. How did Charlie react when he encountered the wolf?
 - Q. 4. Why did Charlie decide to venture out into the forest?
 - Q. 5. How did Charlie's actions show his bravery?
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