PAPER PATTERN CLASS - VIII, 2023

PATTERN / SYLLABUS MARKINGSCHEME/GUIDELINE (Objective)Section-A Q.No.1. 20/2020 MCQs with four options (From textbook material & Unseen based on concepts and application) (Lessons. Unit 1-4 including all sub units) (All Parts of speech) Basic + Advanced- (Unseen) • Textual Exercises (included) • Poetic Devices (Unseen) • Poet's Name • Kinds of Sentences / Phrase Clause Identification (Unseen) / Compound / Complex / Simple Sentences (Unseen + Seen) Identification of all tenses (Unseen) Vocabulary (meanings / antonyms) from text book exercises and within text book lesson material Section-B Total Marks(40) (Subjective)Section-B Total Marks(10) Q.No.2. Questions and Answers (five out of seven) • (2/2 each if answer is accurate) From Textbook comprehension exercises + Spelling mistakes / verb form mistake 1 or Pre-reading questions (3 questions with molded • two 1.5 will be credited statements) (Lessons Unit.1-4 including all sub units) Irrelevant and wrong answer will be credited zero. (0) Total Marks(10) Q.No.3 Part(a) 5/5 for accurate band complete 1. Poetry Paraphrase (Reference is not required) Part (a)Paraphrasing (one out of two stanzas) Part(b) 5/5 for complete, accurate and Part (b) Central idea OR summary brief description with proper sequence and structure of sentences, spelling (choice will be given) mistakes(1) mark will be deducted for 3 spelling mistakes) Irrelevant and wrong answer will be credited zero (0)

 Q.No.4 Part(a)Active/Passive voice (All tenses (Unseen and from text book exercises) Part(b)Correct form of verb (All tenses and Unseen) 	Total Marks(10) Part (a) Active/Passive Voice • Verb mistake = Zero • Rule mistake = Zero • Punctuation/spelling/pronoun /capitalization mistake = 0.5 • Two minor mistakes = Zero Part (b) Correct form of verbs
Q.No.5	 Rule / verb mistake = Zero Punctuation / spelling mistake = 0.5
 Fill in the blanks Part (a) Text book exercises blanks Part (b) Synonyms (From exercises or within text book lesson material) Part (c) Words / Sentences (From textbook exercises) 	 Part a = 3/3 part b = 3/3 part c = 4 marks Spelling/ Article / Pronoun / Punctuation mistake = 0.5 Verb form mistake= Zero Part a = 3/3
Q.NO.6 Paragraph writing	Section-CTotalMarks40
 Part (a) Paragraph writing(one out of three) (Two seen and one unseen topic) (i) Importance of Human Rights in the Society. (ii) Social Media. (iii) Morning Walk. (iv) Libraries. (v) Kindness. (vi) My aim in life. (vii) A visit to a Zoo. (viii) Pollution. (ix) Television – A source of information and entertainment. (x) Education in COVID Era. part (b) Character Sketch (From Textbook exercises) 	 Part (a) 6/6 for accurate material Format mistake =1 mark will be deducted Irrelevant material =(0) Two or three spelling Mistakes =1.5 will be deducted part (b) Accurate and proper structural expression = 5/5 Spelling mistakes (two or three) 1.5 will be deducted

Q.No.7

Letter:

- (i) To a Friend inviting on Brother's marriage.
- (ii) To Sister congratulating on her success.
- (iii) To Friend for invitation to spend summer holidays with you.
- (iv) To Mother who is worried about your health.
- (v) To Father for sending extra funds for hostel dues.

OR

Application:

- (i) Remission of fine.
- (ii) School leaving certificate.
- (iii) Syllabus related books in the library.
- (iv) Provision of internet facilities in computer labs.
- (v) Job application
- (vi) Fee concession.
- (vii) Attending marriage ceremony of elder brother.

Q.No.8

Story Writing	Story Writing
 One out of two (One with topic and one with moral). (i) A Foolish Stag. (ii) King Bruce and the Spider. (iii) Lion and the Mouse. (iv) Farmer and His Son. (v) The donkey Trapped in his own Trick. (vi) A Faithfull dog and its Master. OR Translation of Sentences into English (All 12 tenses + All types of sentences + Proverbs) 	 8/8 for accurate material with proper sequence spelling mistakes 2 or 3 =1.5 Translation Spelling mistake/punctuation mistake / Article /Pronoun mistake =0.5 Tense Structure /Verb form mistake = 0

- 8/8 for accurate and relevant material
- Body of application= 4
- 2 for salutation/Address
- 2 for closing and date
- Letter format
- 2 for salutation and address/date
- 1 for closing
- Body of letter 5

Q.No.9.	
 Comprehension Passage & Précis Writing(Summary) and suggestion of title (from textbook lesion) (From textbook lessons unseen) (3 questions comprehension based) 2 marks each 1 mark parts of speech (0.5 each) 3 marks summary and title (2+1) 	
Q.No.10.	Total Marks = 3 marks
 Punctuation (unseen) 	 0.5 each (A short statement with 6 punctuation marks)
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Time Allowed :20 Min

Q.1

Total Marks : 20

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	SECTION-A (OBJECTIVE) (Marks-20)	
Choo	se the correct option:	
(i)	The old man <u>crossed</u> the river. The underlined is a/an	
	a) Linking Verb b) Intransitive Verb c) Regular Verb	d) Modal Verb
(ii)	How foolish I have been. This is a/an.	
	a) Optative Sentence b) Imperative Sentence	
	c) Exclamatory Sentence d) Declarative Sentence	
(iii)	The people remained <u>protected</u> in train. The underlined is a/an	
	a) Auxilliary Verb b) Past Participle c)Present Participle	d) Transitive Verb
(iv)	Danishis sleeping <u>soundly</u> . The underlined word is a/an	
	a) Preposition b) Adverb c) Adjective	d) Conjunction
(v)	As a test tunnel before their project in London. This is a/an	
	a) Phrase b) Sentence c) Clause	d) Idiom
(vi)	The word 'purified' has syllables.	
	a) Four b) Three c) Six	d) One
vii.	She swept the room. This is an example of	
a)	Present Indefinite Tense b) Past Indefinite Tense	
c)	Present Perfect Tense d) Past Perfect Tense	
vi)	Aslam isthief.	
	a) the, a b) an, a c) a, the	d) the, the
(ix)	Her eyes were diamonds. This is an example of:	
	a) Simile b) Personification c) Imagery	d) Metaphor
(x)	The word' obsolete' means	
	a) Current b) Outdated c) Modern	d) New

(xi) Walk carefully <u>lest</u> you should fall. The underlined is:								
	a) Pi	ronoun	b)	Conjunction	c)	Interjection	d)	Noun
(xi)	(xi) The antonym of 'ulterior' is:							
	a)	Decided	b)	Expressed	c)	Concealed	d)	Dark
(xii)	There	e was the most <u>cruel d</u>	log ti	hereabout. The u	ıdeı	rlined word is a/a	n.	
	a)	Verb	b)	Adjective	c)	Adverb	d)	Noun
(xiii)	I have	e <u>plenty o</u> f work to do	. Th	e underlined wor	d is	a:		
	a)	Proper Noun	b)	Common Noun	c)	Material Noun	d)	Abstract Noun
(xiv)	I shal	l return <u>within a</u> n ho	ur. T	`he underkined is	a/a	n:		
	a)	Adverb	b)	Preposition	c)	Interjection	d)	Verb
(xv)	The p	ooem 'A Time toTalk'	was	written by the po	et:			
	a)	William Blake	b)	Robert Frost	c)	William Wordsw	vort	h d) Mother Teressa
(xvi)	Becau	ıse I left work late, I j	ust v	vanted to get hom	ie ai	nd relax. The is a	:	
	a)	Compound Sentenc	e b)	Simple Sente	nce			
	c)	Complex Sentence		d) Comp	oun	d-Complex Sente	nce	
(xvii)	Recy	cling means taking tra	ish a	ndit int	o n	ew products.		
	a)	Making	b)	creating	c)	transforming	d)	changing
(xviii) Forest coverspercent of the earth's surface.								
	a)	31	b)4	7	c)	60	d)	21
(xix)	The v	vord' disraught' mear	15					
	a)	Rejoiced	b)	Distressed	c)	Tired	d)	Prosperous
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### SECTION-B (Marks - 40)

- Q.2. Answer any Five of the following NINE (9) parts. Each part carries two marks. (5×2=10)
  - (i) What is the role of individuals to control deforestation?
  - (ii) Recall the topic 'pollution' and describe the feelings expressed by the speaker.
  - (iii) How people suffer being bullied?
  - (iv) What does Omar's story teachus?
  - (v) Why is Deosai National Park known as the 'Land of Giants'?
  - (vi) Tourism has many forms. Describe the two main types.
  - (vii) What do you know about under water railways?
  - (viii) Who helped Salva to get to the refugee camp in Kenya?
- Q.3.(a) paraphrase the following stanza: (anyone)
  - (i) When a friend calls to me from the road And slows his horse to a meaning walk

I don't stand still and look around On all the hills I haven't hoed,

(ii) Every where I go, Kesuit.pk I am a nameless victim, Everywhere I hide,

Livery where I mae,

They find me once again

- (b) Write the central idea or summary of the poem 'A Far Away Village (5)
- Q.4.(a) Change the voice. (Any Five)
  - i. Who told you this story?
  - ii. Your servant has stolen my wrist watch.
  - iii. Break the lock.
  - iv. He explained the situation to the emperor.
  - v. Humans clear trees for their own needs.
  - vi. Did he punish them?
  - vii. Asma will celebrate her birthday party.

()	b) use correct form of the verb given in brackets.(Any Five).	
	i. I don't understand he (forget) to answer my letters.	
	ii. My brother (go) to the market yesterday.	
	iii. It (rain) since last night.	
	iv. T he parents will have (search)their kid in the jungle.	
	v. The cobblers (mend) shoes.	
	vi. He not (speak) truth.	
	vi.The guests have (go) early.	
Q.5(a)	Fill in the blanks using indefinite pronouns	(5)
	iof the pupils lost their books.	
	ii. They are openday except Friday.	
	iii. Omer gaveof the matowel	
(b)	write synonyms	
	i. chilly ii. blistered iii. pretend	(3)
(c)	keyoيr own sentences of the following words/phrases (any four)	(4)
	i. contaminated	
	ii. drop off	
	iii. mercilessly	
	iv. check in	
	v. be friends	

### **SECTION-C (MARKS-40)**

Q.6.(a)	Write a paragraph of about 50-70 words on any one 0f the following topics: (6)	(6)							
	a. Social Media b. A Picnic Party. c. Morning Walk								
	a. Write the character sketch of Mother Teressa. (5)								
Q.7	Write a letter to your friend inviting her/him on your brother's marriage ceremony (10)								
	OR (10)	)							
	Write an application to the principal for remission of fine.								
Q.8	Write a story on any one of the topic.								
	(i) moral 'A wood cutter and Axe' 'OR' Haste makes waste (8)								
	OR								
	Translate the following sentences into English. (Any Eight)								

Q.9. Read the following passage and answer the questions given in the end.

All of us, as inhabitants of the planet Earth are required to keep our environment clean and safe for us and our future generations. There are many ways to save our environment from destructions. You can help by learning about and practicing the Three R's of waste management Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle. Recycling is away to reduce the amount of garbage that is thrown away. The garbage is sent to land fills, where some of it pollutes the land, air. As a result of recycling, some things that would have been thrown away are reused instead in new products. There are a lot of things that can be recycled, such as glass bottles, newspapers, magazines, plastics, aluminum cans and many more. Even water can be recycled. Before water is reused, it is cleaned and purified at a waste water treatment plant.

#### **QUESTIONS:**

i.	Which kind of things can be recycled ?	(2)
ii.	Why water is purified after reuse?	(2)
iii.	How Can we save our planet Earth from destruction?	(2)
iv.	Pick out a verb and a preposition.	(1)
V.	Suggest a suitable title to the passage and summaries it.	(3)
Q.10.	Punctuate the following	(3)

He accepted the proposal but when after a few nights the jackals were heard again the kings aid why are they howling now

