

MODEL PAPER “ENGLISH LITERATURE”
Secondary School (Annual) Examination, 2008 And Onward

Roll No. _____
In Figures _____
In Words _____

OBJECTIVE

Time: 30Minutes

Marks: 20

Note: Write your Roll No. in space provided. Over-writing, Cutting, Using lead pencil will result in loss of marks.

Q.No.7. Each question has four possible answers. Select the correct answer and encircle it. 20

- (i) Children are _____ little creatures.
(a) unaccountable (b) accountable (c) answerable (d) regrettable
- (ii) Hillary's boots were still _____
(a) soft (b) stiff (c) hard (d) slippery
- (iii) It was a serious matter to shoot an _____ elephant
(a) working (b) living (c) eating (d) sleeping
- (iv) The patient enters a _____ room
(a) consulting room (b) relaxing room (c) a retiring room (d) a heating room
- (v) The pocket is _____
(a) Inhuman (b) human (c) living (d) non living
- (vi) They get the _____ in library
(a) Daily News (b) Daily Times) (c) The News (d) The Tribune
- (vii) No one need ever have known about _____
(a) Osborn (b) Arthur (c) John (d) Peter
- (viii) I robbed _____
(a) Mrs. Joe (b) Miss Havisham (c) Mrs. Alec (d) Miss Binder
- (ix) The woodland paths are _____
(a) dry (b) wet (c) thorny (d) bushy
- (x) The poem 'Snake' has been composed by _____
(a) D.H Lawrence (b) Yeats (c) Wordsworth (d) Coleridge
- (xi) Estella had no _____
(a) heart (b) feelings (c) sentiments (d) attraction
- (xii) I told my guardian who was _____ at Blue Boar.
(a) staying (b) relaxing (c) living (d) sleeping
- (xiii) He drove to a _____ in convent garden
(a) hotel (b) hostel (c) park (d) field
- (xiv) The Moneybox is written by _____
(a) Arthur Miller (b) Joe Don (c) Rohest lyrd (d) E. V. Knox
- (xv) Football is a game in which everyone gets _____
(a) hurt (b) injured (c) trophy (d) prize

- (xvi) He wears a _____ and his face grows to fit it
(a) veil (b) beard (c) scarf (d) mask
- (xvii) Tamburline was written by _____
(a) Shakespeare (b) Marlowe (c) Ihsen (d) Pinter
- (xviii) August means _____
(a) majestic (b) anapestic (c) great (d) splendid
- (xix) The Winslow Boy has been filmed _____
(a) successfully (b) unsuccessfully (c) badly (d) miserably
- (xx) Love in Idleness appeared in _____
(a) 1944 (b) 1948 (c) 1949 (d) 1950

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SUBJECTIVE

Time: 2:30Hours

Marks: 80

Note: - Attempt any twenty-five questions from Section-I and any three questions form Section-II

SECTION - I

Q.No.1. Write short answers of any twenty-five of the following questions. (25x2)=50

- (i) Who is an astronaut?
- (ii) Why did the devil rebuke the Imp?
- (iii) Who got on top of Mount Everest?
- (iv) Why did Orwell hate his job?
- (v) Name any four organized sports.
- (vi) Do you think that young men are growing stupider every year?
- (vii) Why cannot children save money?
- (viii) What is the purpose of money?
- (ix) How does the author avoid fatigue?
- (x) Write three lines about Grace Winslow.
- (xi) What is the basic theme in the play ‘The Winslow Boy’?
- (xii) Name the first successful play written by ‘Terance Ratigan’.
- (xiii) Do you think Pip really wanted to be a gentleman?
- (xiv) Why did Pip try to be uncommon?
- (xv) Why did Pip fight with a Pale young gentleman?
- (xvi) Who was Pip’s strange visitor?
- (xvii) Name two best friends of Pip.
- (xviii) How did Mr. Pumblechook help Pip in trouble?
- (xix) Is life in the forest entirely pleasant?
- (xx) Describe your feelings when listening to good music?
- (xxi) Write down the main idea of the poem ‘Sea-Fever’
- (xxii) Briefly describe the setting in which teats sees the snows.
- (xxiii) How did Lawrence know that the snake was a poisonous one?
- (xxiv) Where does the brook join the river?
- (xxv) How do we know that the course of the brook is far from straight?
- (xxvi) Two qualities the brook has had.
- (xxvii) What is the chief attraction to the singer of life in the forest?
- (xxviii) Explain briefly: Ghost- like I placed round the haunts in my childhood.
- (xxix) Why is the earth an unsubstantial place to the Cuckoo?
- (xxx) Why is the stomach human, sensitive and warm?
- (xxxi) How do doctor’s feelings affect his treatment of the patient?
- (xxxii) Why has serious sport nothing to do with fair-play?
- (xxxiii) What happens when an elephant goes ‘must’

(xxxiv) Who composed 'The Brook'?

(xxxv) What qualities does the Brook have that appeal to you?

(xxxvi) Why did Lawrence go to the water- trough?

(xxxvii) Explain why there is a 'glory' that shines upon the tears of those who mourn.

SECTION -II

Note: - Write answers of any three questions.

(10x3)=30

- Q.No2.** Give a critical appreciation of the story The Imp and the Peasant's Bread by Leo Tolstoy 10
- Q.No3.** what feelings does a great fire, according to the writer, excite? 10
- Q.No4.** It is said that 'Great expectations' is not concerned with social conditions. What is your opinion? 10
- Q.No5.** Which character do you like most in 'The Winslow Boy' and why? 10
- Q.No6.** Write down the critical summary of the poem 'The Old Familiar Faces' by Charles Lamb 10