**JIYA LAL MITTAL DAV PUBLIC SCHOOL**

**GRADE – VI SA-I (SEPT, 2015)**

**SUBJECT – ENGLISH**

**TIME: 3hrs. M.M-90**

**General Instructions:**

1. **The question paper consists of four sections A,B,C,D.**
2. **Attempt all the questions.**
3. **Ensure that questions of each section are answered together.**
4. **Read each question carefully and follow the given instructions.**
5. **All the answers must be correctly numbered as in the question paper and written in the answer sheet provided to you.**
6. **Handwriting must be neat and clean.**

**Section A (Reading ) 20 marks**

**1)Read the poem carefully and complete the summary . (8)**

This is just to say

I have eaten

the plums

that were in

the icebox

and which

you were probably

saving

for breakfast

forgive me

they were delicious

so sweet

and so cold

The poet has eaten \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_that were kept in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_were kept for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The poet asked for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_were delicious because they were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**2)Read the passage carefully and answer the questions – (6)**

 **A King Soul**

One day a King rode his horse and went to the countryside . He saw an old man in a field . The old man was planting small mango trees . It was a very hot day . The old man was sweating from heat to foot .

The King came close to him and said , “ O Good old man ! Why are you planting these little trees ? You are quite old now . You will die in a few years . You will never eat their fruits .”

The old man smiled and said , “ I shall never eat the fruit of these trees but others will. My father and grandfather planted trees and we ate their fruits . Now I am planting trees for my children and grandchildren .”

i)What was the old man planting ?

ii) How was the weather ?

iii) Why was the old man planting the trees ?

iv) Where did the king go ?

**v)Who is the speaker of following lines –**

 ‘ You are quite old now . you will die in a few years . You never eat their fruit.’

vi) Who is the listener of the above said sentence.

**3)Read the passage carefully and choose the correct attentive . (6)**

The Sun is the central part of the solar system . It is a huge sphere of very hot gases . We can think of it as a ball of fire . It produces light of its own . It is , thus a luminous body .It is also very large and massive as to its very large distance from the earth .

The sun is a source of huge energy . It gives out energy in the from of heat and light . We call the energy , received from the sun , as solar energy . The earth receives almost all of its energy from the sun .

**i)The central part of the solar system is –**

a) The Sun b)The Gases c)The light d)The moon

ii)**Sun is a huge sphere of –**

a)planets b)Very hot gases

c)Energetic bodies d)solar system

**iii)The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_is a source of huge energy** .

a)The planets b)the hot gases c)The sun d)The moon

**iv)The energy received from sun is called –**

a)huge energy b)heat energy c)positive energy d) solar energy

**v) The sun appears \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to us due to its very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_distance from the earth .**

a) small , large b) big , small c) big ,big d) large , large

Section – B (Writing ) 25 marks

**Section-B**

**4(i**) you have lost your Lunch Box in school . Draft a notice for your school board . Put the notice in a box . (6)

 (ii) Here is an incomplete conversation between two friends . Read

 it carefully and complete the dialogue . (5)

**Ketan :** ……………………………………………………………………………?

**Sameer** : I went to watch a movie ‘ Baahubali ’ with my father .

**Ketan :** ……………………………………………………………………………?

**Sameer :** Yes , It’s really a good movie .

**Ketan :** ……………………………………………………………………………?

**Sameer:**It was morning show .

**Ketan :** ……………………………………………………………………………?

**Sameer** : We went by car .

**Ketan** : ……………………………………………………………………………..?

**Sameer** : Yes , Mom was also with us .

**5)**You are Parul / Priya a resident of 473 , Lajpat Nagar , New Delhi . Write a letter to your friend to ask him not to neglect his/her studies and be serious for unit tests . **(8)**

**6)** Describe a ‘ Cell Phone’

**OR**

You want to celebrate your sister’s birthday party . Write a process

‘ How to celebrate ‘ a birthday ‘ . (6)

 **Section- C (Grammar ) 20 marks**

**7) 1. Write suitable Abstract noun in the blanks – (1)**

a)A smart man is known for his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

b) A poor family suffers from its \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 **2. Replace the adverb phrases with adverbs . (1)**

 a) She packed her bag with care .

 b) He left the room in a hurry .

**8) 1. Change the noun into Adjective . (1)**

 a) Intellignce b) Hope

 **2. Fill in the blanks with appropriate reflexive / emphatic pronoun . (1)**

 a) I can prepare my test \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 b) She will do her work \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 **3. Add question tags – (1)**

 a) He is going abroad \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

 b) You aren’t enjoying this , \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

**9) 1. Indentify the noun , Write ‘CN’ for countable noun and ‘UN’ for uncountable – (2)**

 a) Flour b) Cotton c)Pulse d) candle

 **2. write past and past participle from of – (2)**

 a) say b) paint c) try d) Keep

 **3. Fill in the blanks with suitable determiner – (2)**

 a) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_air conditioner is on \_\_\_\_\_\_wall under that window .

 b)Do you have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_stamp and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_envelope ?

**10) 1. Fill in the blanks with suitable verb forms – (3)**

 a) He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_his ancestral house usually . (Visit/Visits)

 b) The prices of the things \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_these days . (risen / are rising ).

 c) The officer \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the office . (leaves / has left ) .

 **2. Indentify the tense – (3)**

 a) My brother has broken the vase .

 b) The girls are washing the clothes .

 c) The earth revolves around the sun .

**11)Make subtract – verb concord in following sentences – (3)**

 a) One of the boys \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_missing . (are / is )

 b) Nobody in the world \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_perfect . (is / are )

 c) Neither of two brothers \_\_\_\_\_\_very tall . (is / are )

 d) He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_speak much but he can read a little. (doesn’t/don’t)

 e)Either the teachers or the Principal \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_strict .(is/are )

 f) Ramesh , with his family \_\_\_\_\_\_present . (was/were)

**Section – D (Literature ) 25 marks**

**12) Read the extract and choose the correct alternative . (4)**

 We may all command the present , If we act and never wait , Put repentance is the phantom of a past that comes too late .

 **Q1- Name the poem from which the extract has been taken?**

 a) Today and Tomorrow

 b) Leisure

 c) Our Tree

 **Q2- Name the poet concerned ?**

1. W.H Davies
2. Ruskin Bond
3. J.E carpenter

 **Q3-How can we command the present ?**

1. By wasting the present
2. By waiting for tomorrow
3. By acting today

 **Q4-What is called ‘ Phantom’ in the extract ?**

1. The future
2. The present
3. The repentance

**13)Read the extract and choose the correct alternative – (4)**

 I then had the false notion that gymnastics had nothing to do with education . Today I know that that physical training is as important as mental training . The reason for my dislike for gymnastics was my keen desire to serve as nurse to my father .

 **(i)Who is the speaker ?**

 a)Mahatma Gandhi

 b) M.K Gandhi ’s father

 c) The head master

 (**ii) Name the chapter concerned ?**

 a)How daddy decided What He Wanted to be .

 b)The write elephant

 c)My experiments with Truth

 (**iii) What was the keen desire of the speaker ?**

 a)to May gymnastics

 b) to study hard

 c)to take care of his father

 **(iv) Name the author of the concerned chapter ?**

 a)Ruskin Bond b) M.K Gandhi c) Alexander Ruskin

**14)Answer the following questions – (8)**

 (i)Why was Daddy ashamed of himself after meeting the officer?

 (ii) How did the king help the white elephant ?

 (iii)What does the poet miss because of lack of time ?

 (iv)what made Gandhiji feel ashamed of himself during his visit to south Africa ?

**15) Write the meanings and make sentences of the following words . (3)**

 (i)Companions (ii) Reward (iii) Beneath

**16) Imagine yourself to be Little Daddy .**

 Write a diary entry expressing What you want to be . (6)

**OR**

 On behalf of the mother elephant , Write a request letter to the king pleading for the release of her son .