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**BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-09)
OCTOBER/NOVEMBER-2018
THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

ENGLISH - II

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks: 80

PART-A

3X10=30

Instructions :

1. Answer **All** questions.
2. Each question carries **three** marks.
3. Answer should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed five simple sentences.

1. Write about your Sunday routine.
2. Write three things you like in your best friend.
3. You saw an accident. Two persons were seriously injured. Describe your feelings.
4. Rewrite the following sentences using polite expressions:
 - a) Take me to hospital
 - b) Show me the way to bus stop
 - c) Give me your book
5. Write three 'Wh' – questions on routines of your friend.
6. Request the receptionist to reschedule the appointment with the doctor through telephonic conversation as you are out of the town.
7. Write what food/drinks you have every day.
8. How do you offer help in the following situations:
 - i. You noticed that your close friend has not brought lunch box
 - ii. You see an old woman who is trying to board a bus with a lot of luggage.
 - iii. You saw a blind person who wants to cross the busy road.
9. Make a call to the clerk of bus station and ask about the timings of the first bus to Hyderabad.
10. Use "Many" "Some" and "Much" in sentences of your own

PART-B

10X5=50

- Instructions* :
1. Answer any **Five** questions.
 2. Question no. 18 is compulsory
 3. Each question carries **ten** marks.

11. Describe the features of the smart phone you have bought, using the hints give below:
[Latest model – Rs. 13,000/- 3 GB RAM – 5.5” screen – Full HD – Metal body – Gorilla glass – Android version – Front camera – 16 Mega Pixel – Rear camera – 20 Mega Pixel]
12. Describe the school where you studied S.S.C. in 150 words.
13. Write a paragraph on your favourite actor.
14. Read the following passage and make notes:

Take a large clean glass jar and pour some water in it. Cover the jar with a lid and leave it for 15 minutes. Some of the water will evaporate to form an invisible vapour. Remove the lid and sprinkle chalk powder or talcum powder inside the jar immediately. Cover the jar with a thin rubber sheet cut from a large balloon and put a rubber band around the neck of the jar. Now compress the air in the jar by pressing the rubber with your fist. The air becomes warmer and absorbs more water vapour. After 15 seconds, release the rubber. The air cools. Some of the water vapour condenses on the chalk dust, forming a miniature cloud of water droplets. This simple project shows how clouds are formed.

15. Complete the sentences in the following conversion:

(Geetha goes to Jyothi's house)

- Geetha : Hai. Good morning Jyothi
Jyothi : _____ Geetha
Geetha : It seems you are planning to go somewhere _____?
Jyothi : I am going to temple. Why don't you _____?
Geetha: Yeah I will come with you. I am free now.
Jyothi : I am going there by my car. Would you like to come there by my car?
Geetha : Yeah! I _____
Jyothi : Would you like to _____?
Geetha : Thank you, but I am sorry I have just drunk a cup of coffee. Let's go now.

16. Read the following and summarize it in your own words:

Communication satellites are indeed a boon to the world of communication technology. Any earth-orbiting spacecraft that provides radio, television, and facsimile communications between points on the surface of the earth is a communication satellite. There are passive communication satellites and active communication satellites. The passive ones reflect radio signals in much the same way as a mirror reflects light. They carry no electronic equipment no radio antennas. The American satellite called Echo I and II launched in 1960's were of this type. Active satellites receive signals from transmitting stations on the ground and transmit the signals to receiving station on the ground

17. Change the following into Yes/No. questions:

- i. They have a pet dog.
- ii. Ganesh speaks Hindi
- iii. You are rich
- iv. Dravid has enough money
- v. Your brother speaks many languages.

18. Read the following paragraph and answer the questions given below it:

Mahatma Gandhi went from city to city, village to village collecting funds for the Charka Sangh. During one of his tours, he addressed a meeting in Orissa. After his speech, a poor old woman got up. She was bent with age. Her hair was grey and her clothes were in tatters. The volunteers tried to stop her, but she fought her way to the place where Gandhiji was sitting "I must see him", she insisted and going up to Gandhiji and then touched his feet. She brought out a copper coin from the folds of her saree and placed it at his feet. Gandhiji picked up the copper coin and put it away carefully. The Charkha Sangh, "Jamnalal Bajaj said laughingly "yet you won't trust me with a copper coin. "If a man has several lakhs and he gives away a thousand or two, it doesn't mean much. But this coin was perhaps all that the poor woman possessed. She gave me all she had. That was very generous of her. What a great sacrifice she made. That is why I value this copper coin more than crores of rupees".

Questions:

- 1) Why did Gandhiji collect funds?
- 2) Where did Gandhiji address a meeting?
- 3) How was the old woman?
- 4) Who was Jamnalal Bajaj?
- 5) According to Gandhiji, why was the copper coin more than crore rupees?