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**BOARD DIPLOMA SUPPLEMENTARY (INSTANT)  
EXAMINATION, (C-16)**

JUNE - 2019

**COMMON - FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION  
ENGLISH**

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 80

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**PART - A**

**2×15=30**

**Instructions :**

- (1) Answer any 15 questions.
- (2) Each question carries 2 marks.
- (3) Answer should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed five simple sentences.

- 1 Write at least four important reasons for learning English language.
- 2 State how you would feel in the following situations :
  - (a) Your friend slipped on a banana peel and fell down.
  - (b) India won the world cup cricket series.
- 3 Make requests in the following situations :
  - (a) Ask your teacher to repeat the lesson.
  - (b) Ask your friend to switch on the television.

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- 4 Offer your help in the following situations :
- (a) Your brother is not able to find his hall ticket.
  - (b) A stranger is not able to find his way to a hospital.
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- (a) Request the receptionist to fix an appointment with Municipal Commissioner at 4.00 p.m. to register a complaint about irregular supply of drinking water.
  - (b) Request the receptionist to reschedule the appointment with the surgeon as you are out of town.
- 6 Fill in the blanks with words of obligation.
- (a) I \_\_\_\_\_ get a hair cut today.
  - (b) You \_\_\_\_\_ enjoy your work.
- 7
- (a) How do you invite your classmate to come to your village on Sunday ?
  - (b) Invite your friend to a seminar on “Road Safety”.
- 8
- (a) How do you accept the invitation given by your cousin to attend his birthday ?
  - (b) How do you express your inability politely when you are invited to attend the marriage of your neighbour.

- 9 Give instructions to your niece on how to wash one's face.
- 10 Fill in the blanks with suitable words :
- (a) The fox wants to eat grapes. The fox is \_\_\_\_\_.
- (b) The child is going on a picnic. She is \_\_\_\_\_.
- 11 Fill in the blanks with suitable forms of the verbs given in the brackets.
- (a) I \_\_\_\_\_ (write) a letter yesterday.
- (b) She \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to office tomorrow.
- 12 (a) Suggest to your friend to join yoga classes with you.
- (b) Suggest to your brother to play tennis with you.
- 13 Write one sentence each using the following structure :
- (a) SVO
- (b) SVOOC.
- 14 Rewrite the following sentences changing the voice.
- (a) He sings a song.
- (b) She has plucked some flowers.

- 15 Rewrite the following sentences changing the voice.
- (a) A letter is being written by her.
  - (b) A friend win an award.
- 16 Change the following into indirect speech.
- (a) She said, "I have done my home work".
  - (b) Teacher said, "The sun rises in the east".
- 17 Use prepositions in the following blanks.
- (a) I met him \_\_\_\_\_ a party.
  - (b) I am \_\_\_\_\_ holiday for a week.
- 18 Write any four expressions used by a teacher in the class room.
- 19 Change the following into indirect speech :
- (a) She said that she was waiting.
  - (b) I say that I like music.
- 20 Write any two expressions while offering help.

**PART - B**

**10×5=50**

- Instructions :**
- (1) Answer any **FIVE** questions.
  - (2) Each question carries **TEN** marks.
  - (3) Answer should be comprehensive and criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.

- 21** Read the following paragraph and make five 'yes/no' questions and five 'Wh'-questions.

Jagadish Chandra Bose was a famous scientist. He was born on November 30, 1858. He conducted several experiments on plants. He invented an instrument called "Cresco graph" which is used to record the stimuli of the plants. He worked in Germany for many years. He gave a series of lectures in India and abroad to raise funds for the research institute. He named it after his friend Nanda Lal Bose.

- 22** Rewrite the following sentences correcting the errors :

- (a) Please kindly help me.
- (b) It was a blunder mistake.
- (c) What is your PIN number ?
- (d) He awaited for the bus.
- (e) Ten miles are not a long distance to walk.
- (f) He don't know Hindi.
- (g) I gets up at 5 O' clock.
- (h) Mathematics are a difficult subject.
- (i) Umesh is my cousin brother.
- (j) Raju is one of my best friend.

- 23 Write a paragraph using the hints given below.

Hints : No college – no power at home – no TV – nothing to eat – bus strike – theatre closed.

- 24 Write a letter to your friend about your preparation for annual examinations.

- 25 Present the data in writing, concentrate on similarities and differences.

Students Data in a Government Polytechnic						
Branch	Category			Medium		
	Male	Female	Total	English	Telugu	Total
ECE	36	22	58	29	29	58
CME	34	19	53	42	11	53

- 26 Write a resume to the Personal Manager, Vishakhapatnam Steel Plant applying for the post of Supervisor.

- 27 Read the following passage and make notes :

Eating vegetables raw usually means that you get the nutrients, but old people and children, or those suffering from certain stomach disorders, may not be able to digest them easily. Carrots are best eaten lightly cooked. Cooking breaks down the tough cellular walls, making beta carotene more available for absorption by the body. Carrots are an excellent source of beta carotene, the plant form of vitamin “A”. One of the first symptoms of rarely occurring vitamin A deficiency is “night blindness”, the inability of the eyes to adjust dim lighting or darkness. Vitamin A combines with a protein in the retina to form visual purple, a substance in the eye, which is needed for night vision. If you are deficient in Vitamin A, just one carrot a day should be enough to improve your night vision.

Artificial supplements are no substitutes for good eating habits and most people will meet all their vitamin and mineral requirements by following a balanced diet. However, a few people do need supplements. Pregnant women need folic acid, the elderly might require vitamin D and iron; and people with osteoporosis are often prescribed extra calcium.

- 28 Read the passage given and answer the questions that follow :
- Sleep is as important to a healthy life style as eating properly and exercising. On an average, healthy adults require just over eight hours of sleep at night. Yet polls show that increasing numbers of people are suffering from sleep disorders or significant sleep loss. A study shows that 29% of Indians went to sleep only after midnight and 61% slept for 7 hours or less. Sleep is crucial in maintaining your health.

Without it, you increase your susceptibility to a wide range of health problems including heart disease, diabetes, obesity and depression. The immune system works best when asleep as natural killer cells are generated in the bone marrow during that time. These killer cells help in protecting the body against viruses, bacteria and cancer.

- (a) How many hours of sleep does a healthy adult require ?
- (b) What does the pool show about sleep ?
- (c) Without sleep, what types of the health problems may attack us ?
- (d) When do the natural killer cells generate in the bone marrow ?
- (e) What is the meaning of the word, 'significant' ?