KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA SANGATHAN, LUCKNOW REGION **SESSION ENDING RE-EXAMINATION 2023-24** SUBJECT: ENGLISH

MM: 60 CLASS VII **DURATION: 2 HRS 30 MINs**

MARKING SCHEME

SECTION A – READING (15 MARKS)

Q1. Marking: 10 marks; 1 mark for each correct answer

Answers:

- 1. b) It helps to bring out positive aspects of oneself.
- 2. a) The pressure to play a role is removed.
- 3. b) By learning to tolerate and accept differences.
- 4. b) To openly communicate with a friend.
- 5. b) It helps to understand the value of friendship.
- 6. a) It allows for rehearsal and discussion about changes.
- 7. c) It is unconditional.
- 8. d) All of the above
- 9. Nurture
- 10. Acceptance

Q2. Marking: 5 marks; 1 mark for each correct answer

Answers:

- 1. (b) eye donation
- 2. (b) see the world
- 3. (a) By giving our eyes to a blind person.
- 4. (a) By contacting eye bank.
- 5. (b) less

SECTION B -WRITING SKILLS (15 MARKS)

Q3. Objective: To write in a style appropriate to a notice/ diary entry.

Marking: 5 marks

Format – 1 mark Content – 2 marks Expression & Accuracy – 2 marks

Q4.Objective: To plan, organise and present ideas coherently appropriate to a

formal/informal letter.

Marking: 5 marks

Format – 1 mark Content – 2 marks Expression & Accuracy – 2 marks

Q5. Objective: To express views on a given topic.

Content – $2\frac{1}{2}$ marks Expression & accuracy – $2\frac{1}{2}$ marks Marking: 5 marks

Under content credit should be given for the candidate's creativity in presenting her/his own ideas.

SECTION C – GRAMMAR (10 MARKS)

Marking: 10marks; 1 for each correct answer.

Q6. Answers: $(4 \times 1 = 4)$

- (a) completed
- (b) in
- (c) a
- (d) does not
- Q.7 Answers: $(3 \times 1 = 3)$
 - (a) Who is singing a song? / What is soni doing?
 - (b) Richa completed her work.
 - (c) A snake was killed by Ram
- Q8. Answers : $(3 \times 1 = 3)$
 - (a)We should free our mind from all negative thoughts.
 - (b) Festivals bring colours to the life of a human.
 - (c) Swimming is a good exercise

SECTION D - LITERATURE (30 MARKS)

Q9. Poem extract 4

(i)Poem – Mystery of the Talking fan

Poet - Maude Rubin

- (ii) Electrical.
- (iii) Somebody oiled the whirling motor.
- (iv) Matter- chatter

Or

- i.(c) Proboscis of the insects
- ii.(d) nectar
- iii. Because the grass is soft as velvet and gives a pleasant walk.
- iv.(a) sip

Q10. 4x2=8: Content:1 mark Expression & Accuracy:1 mark

- (i) The king was advised to go to the magicians so that they could look into the future and tell the upcoming events to the king and then he could decide the course of his action
- (ii) The dog came running to the farmer and kept on whining and running to and fro till the farmer followed him. The dog began scratching the earth. Thinking it was possibly a buried bone or fish, the farmer struck his hoe in the earth and found the hidden gold. In this way the dog led the farmer to the hidden gold
- (iii) With no feet or legs, a snake moves very fast due to its slithering body movement. The snake moves by using their flexible bodies and by contracting and its muscles alternatively.

- (iv)Mr. Wonka collected items from the oldest things because he wanted to invent something that would make people older.
- (v)Nishad gave Mr. Nath a bar of chocolate. He did so because he thought Mr Nath was starving.
- Q.11 2x2=4: Content:1 mark Expression & Accuracy:1 mark
- (i) The worker ants carry the grubs about daily for airing, exercise and sunshine
- (ii) Abbu Khan bought a young goat thinking that a young goat would have more years to spend with him as it will live longer in his company. During these years, the goat would start loving him due to the food and care he gave her.
- (iii) While his father was enjoying a short rest at home, Tilloo managed to get hold of his security card. Then, evading his watchful mother's eye, he made his way to the forbidden passage.

Q12. 4 Marks : Content:2 mark Expression & Accuracy:2 marks

In the days of the daimio's, it was the custom, when their lord passed by, for all the loyal people to shut up their high windows. (ii) They pasted the windows with a slip of paper. (iii) They remained prostrate until the procession passed by. (iv) One tall, competent man cried out to the people to get down.

Or

Maya collected the following facts: His name was Mr Nath and they must find out his first name. Other tenants at Shankar House called him mad, strange and unfriendly. He didn't speak with anyone and lacked manners. He never received any letters and has been living as tenant in Room No 10 in Shankar House. He didn't use to work anywhere and was at his room the whole day. All the kids and some of the grown up people in Shankar House were scared of him. He had no visitors except the same man on every Sunday. Ramesh used to get his food from the restaurant downstairs and Mr Nath was not much bothered about it. He used to pay him immediately and also used to give tips.