

Slip TEST – II

CLASS – X

ENGLISH

MARKS – 20

Reading:

1. Read the following passages and answer the following questions.

Mrs. Slater: (Sharply) Victoria, Victoria! D'ye hear? Come in, will you?
(Victoria comes in)

Mrs. Slater: I'm amazed at you. Victoria. I really am. Be off now, and change your dress before your aunt Elizabeth and your uncle Ben come. It would never do for them to find you in colors with your grandfather lying dead, upstairs.

3x1=3m

- I. What is the full form of 'D'ye' in the above passage?
- ii .Why did Mrs. Slater ask Victoria to change her dress?
- iii. Who is lying dead?

2. "oh, how terrible this leak is!" she complained. "How terrible! I would rather meet a tiger in the forest than have this leak in my house!"

2x1=2m

- i. Who is the speaker of these words?
- ii. What did she complain about?

Vocabulary:

1. Fill in the blanks in the following sentences using the correct phrases from the box given below. **5X ½ = 2 ½ m**

Clear-sighted	five-day	cold-blooded	five-star	well-read
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1. My English teacher is a _____ person. It is very interesting to listen to him/her.
2. Vani is very _____ about her selection.
3. My uncle is a rich man. He always stays in a _____ hotel when he is in Chennai.
4. We are planning a _____ trip to Ooty.
5. Nobody knows the reason of his murder. It is a _____ murder.

2. Read the paras and write the synonyms of the underlined words using the words given in the box. **5X ½ = 2 ½ m**

fetch	speculate	arrive	surprised	get up
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Mrs Slater: she's never been here since father it. If it was only down here instead of in his own room, she'd never guess (a) it wasn't our own.

Henry: (startled) (b) Amelia! (He riser (c))

Mrs Slater: Henry, why shouldn't we bring (d) that bureau down here now? We can do it before they come (e)

a _____ b _____ c _____ d _____ e _____

Grammar:

1. Read the following passage and insert 'a', 'an' and 'the' in the blanks.

3X ½ = 1 ½ m

It was raining heavily. _____ Old tiger ran through rain looking for shelter. He was wet and cold and his cave was far away. While hurrying to his shelter he saw _____ old hut. With a sigh of relief _____ tiger crawled under the thatched roof and lay down by door.

2. Fill in the blanks choosing the right words from those given in brackets.

5X ½ = 2 ½ m

- i. She'd never set foot _____ your house again. (on, in, by)
- ii. You want a new pair _____ slippers. (in, of, by)
- iii. I have never been thinking _____ that bereau. (for, about, on)
- iv. He was lying there _____ all the world as if he was asleep. (in, for, by)
- v. The horse galloped _____ the streets. (on, through, in)

iii.) Change the following into a polite request:

1m

You to the Shop keeper: "Repair this phone"

Creative Expression:

5m

Write a Report on the INDEPENDENCE DAY celebrations held in your school