PRACTICE PAPER - II ENGLISH



Time: 3.15 Hrs] [Max.Marks: 100

INSTRUCTIONS:-

- 1. The question paper has 37 questions in three sections (A,B and C)
- 2. Answer ALL the questions on a separate answer book supplied to you.
- 3. 15 minutes of time a alloted exclusively forv reading the question paper and 3 hours for writing the answers.
- 4. Answer ALL the questions of Section-B (Grammer and Vocabulary) in the same order at one place in your answer book.

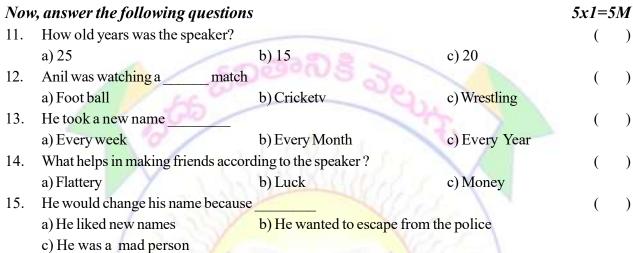
SECTION - A (READING COMPREHENSION)

Question (1-5): Read the given passage carefully.

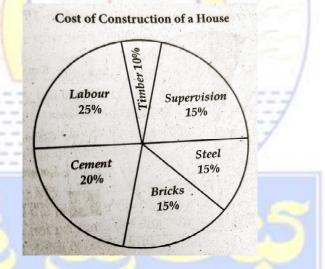
	The moon was coming up in the	east, behind me, and stars w	vere shining in the clear sky a	bove me. There			
	wasn't a cloud in the sky. I was h		1 0				
	old Dakota aeroplane over Franc	0		•			
	being with my family. I looked a						
	thought. As I looked down past						
	switched on the radio and said, "Paris Control, Dakota DS 088 here. Can you hear me? I'm on my w						
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Nov	v answer the following q <mark>uest</mark>	ions	53	c2=10 Marks			
1.	Who is the speaker?						
2.	Why was the speaker happy?						
3.	The speaker was flying his old			()			
	a) England	b) France	c) America	, ,			
4.	"A big city" may be			()			
_	a) Paris	b) Delhi	c) Newyork				
5.	He was dreaming of his		/	()			
	a) Future	b) Job	c) Holiday				
Que	estions (6-8): Read the follow						
	Belinda lived in a little white ho						
	With a little black kitten and a l	ttle gr <mark>ey mouse</mark> ,					
	And a little y <mark>ellow dog and</mark> a lit	tle re <mark>d wagon,</mark>					
	And a realio, trulio, little pet dra	agon.					
	Now the name of the little blac	k kitten was Ink,					
	And the little grey mouse, she called him Blink,						
	And the little yellow dog was s	harp as Mustard,	-				
	But the dragon was a coward,	and she called him Custar	d. (The Tale of Custard th	e Dragon)			
Nov	v answer the following quest	ions		5x2 = 10M			
6.	What was the name of the little						
7.	"Coward" Means						
8.	Behind lived in a house?			()			
	a) huge	b) tiny	c) luxurious	()			
9.	Who was called Custard?	-);	-)	()			
٠.	a) Dragon	b) Belinda	c) Dog	()			
10.	Kitten was a young	o) Beimaa	6) B 65	()			
10.	a) Cat	b) Rat	c) Goat	()			
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Questions (11-15): Read the following passage carefully:

successful hand. Anil was watching a wrestling match when I approached him. He was about 25 - a tall, lean fellow — and he looked easy-going, kind and simple enough for my purpose. I hadn't had much luck of late and thought I might be able to get into the young man's confidence. "You look a bill to get into the young man's confidence." yourself," I said. A little flattery helps in making friends. "So do you," he replied, which put me off for a moment because at that time I was rather thin. "Well," I said modestly, "I do wrestle a bit." "What's your name?" "Hari Singh," I lied. I took a new name every month. That kept me ahead of the police and my former employers. (A Thief's Story)



Questions (16): Read the following pie-chart.



Now answer the following questions

5x1=5 M

- What is the pie-chart about? i)
- ii) What costs least in the construction of a house?
- Which two items have equal percentage of cost?

b) cement and steel c) steel and cement a) cement and bricks

- iv) Supervision and timber are equal to _
 - a) Labour b) Bricks c) Steel
- Choose the correct statement based on the pie-chart v))
 - a) The cost of supervision, steel and bricks is not same
 - b) The cost of bricks in 10% lesser than cement.
 - c) Labour is equal to timber and bricks

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Questions (17): Read the following diagram carefully.

Mother Teresa was a nun who lived most of her life serving the poor, sick and underprivileged. She is known across the world as 'Mother'. She was born on August 26, 1910, in Skopje, Macedonia, but moved to India when she was 18 years old. She was a non-Indian. After knowing about the suffering the pains of people in India, she decided to start a mission to serve and help the poor and helpless people. Till her last breath, she continued her service selflessly. She has been awarded the Bharat Ratna and the Nobel Peace Prize for her noble deeds. She founded the Missionaries of Charity to help the needy. Mother Teresa remains an inspiration to millions of people and will continue to be so for the rest of our lives. She is an irreplaceable soul that the world can never forget.

Now, arrange the following jumbled sentences into a meaningufl order

5x1=5M

- (a) She has been awarded the Bharat Rathna.
- (b) She is known across the world as Mother.
- (c) She founded the Missionaries of Charity.
- (d) Mother Teresa was a nun.

	(e) She moved to India when she was 18 years old.				
	SECTION-B: GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY (40 MARKS)				
Note	Answer all questions of Section-B (Grammar & Vocabulary) in the same ord	der at one place in			
	your answer book.				
18.	Combine the following sentences using 'who'	2 M			
	God helps those. They help themselves.				
19.	Change the following sentence into passive voice				
	My brother has brought fruits.				
20.	Change the following sentence 'Reported Speech'	2 M			
	Hari Said to Geeta. 'You made a mistake'.				
21.	Fill in the blanks with suitable preposition given in the brackets				
	i) I shall go to Chennai Friday (in /on / from)				
	ii) Rajamundry is famousPootha rekulu (for/to /into)				
22.	Edit the following passage				
	Apple trees take 4-5 years to <i>produced (a)</i> their frist fruit. Apples will ripen six to ten times faster a				
	room temperature than if they was (b) refrigerated. It takes about 36 apple (c) to create				
	apple cider. The science of apple growing is <u>call (d)</u> pomology.				
	(a) (b) (c) (d)				
23.	Fill in the blanks with suitable articles.				
	i) Balu isidiot.				
	ii)Thajmahal is a monument.				
24.	Change the following into repeated action in the past using would/used to	2 M			
	i) During the last Pongal holidays. I played with our cow.				
	ii) When I was in Chennai, I visited Marina Beach.				
25.	Rewrite sentences into a single sentence using Noun-Modifiers				
	Choose the right answer and write it in your answer book				
	i) I went to a party. The party was lovely.				
	ii) He made a speech. The speech was interesting.				
26.	Give a suitable advice for the situation given below				
	Your brother's cycle is not in good condition. Advise him to take it to the mechanic	.			

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27.	Read the following paragraph and write the synonyms of the underlined wo	rdszchoosing
	from the words given in the box.	4x1=4M
	(Traditions, wide, rules, narrow, fry)	శ్రీ ప్రతిభ
	"Free to run in the fields near my mother's hut, free to swim in the clear stream that ran through n	ny village, free to
	<u>roast(a)</u> mealies under the starts and ride the <u>broad(b)</u> backs of slow-moving bulls, As long as Io	beyed my father
	and abided by the <i>customs (c)</i> of my tribe. I was not troubled by the <i>laws (d)</i> of man	or God.
28.	Read the following paragraph and write the antonyms of the underlined of the	e underlinea
	words.	4x1=4M
	The class roared. I had to laugh too, though I'd nearlyu exhausted (a) my ingenuity	on the topic of
	chatterboxes It was time to come up with something else, something original (b).	My <u>friend (c</u>
	Sanne, who's good at poetry, offered to help me write the essay from beginning (d)	o end in verse
	and I jumped for joy. Mr. Keesing was trying to play a joke on me with this ridiculous	subject. but I'd
	make sure the joke was on him.	
29 .	Fill in the blanks with the right words given in the brackets	2x1=2M
	"Oh," said Valli, "I was just(a) (agreed/agreeing/agreement) with what	you said abou
	things happening without our(b) (knowledge/knowledgeable/knowing).	
30.	Complete the following word correct Prefixes and Suffixes given in the bracke	ets $2x1=2M$
	i) I was not mindful (in/un) of the fact.	
	ii) He uttered a joy(<i>ful/full</i>) Scream.	
31.	Find the correctly spot w <mark>ord</mark> and write the correct spel <mark>ling</mark>	2x1=2M
	i) Seagull, ledge, despe <mark>rate</mark> , expanse	
	ii) Compass, pilot, strangly, frightened	
32.	Read the following dicti <mark>ona</mark> ry entry of the word given b <mark>elow</mark>	2x1=2M
	Destiny / dest ni / noun (Pl, -ies) [C] what happens to sb or what will happen t	
	future, especially things that they can not change or avoid: the destinies of the	e nations.
	He wants to be in control is his own destiny.	
	Now, answer the following questions using the information above:	
	(a) Write a sentence using the word " destiny"	
	(b) What parts of speech is the word "destiny"	2 1 21
33.	Use the following expression in sentences of your own	2x1 = 2M
	(a) Put on (b) lose heart	, D
34.	Match the following one-word substitutes in Part-A with the meanings in Part	
	(write only the numbers and their corresponding letter in your answer work)	4x 1/2 = 2M
	PART - A 1) break out (a) happen	
	2) days gone by () (b) olden days 3) time and again () (c) start suddenly	
	4) take place () (d) repeatedly	
	SECTION-C: CREATIVE EXPRESSIONS (30 MARKS)	
35	Answer any one of the following	10x1=10 M
	A. Valliammayi wanted to go to town. She got into the bus and the conductor teas	
	Now, construct a dialogue between the conductor and the girl based on the conto	ext.
	(OR)	9 • a •
	B. "Lencho's children were playing in the rain along with their father. Write paragraph of	escribing their
	feelings"	
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36. Answer any one of the following.

10x1 = 10M

A. Dengue cases are increasing in your area. The hospital are filled with patients suffering from dengue. Everyone is saying that unclean surroundings are the cause for the situation Now, write a letter to your friend about the precaustions he should take.

(OR)

B. Prepare a speech for the morning school assembly about the importance of freedom and how to utilize it for a bright future.

37. Answer any one of the following.

10x1 = 10M

A. Read the following passage carefully focussing on the underlined parts.

Later, he patted me <u>on the head (a)</u> and said never mind, he'd teach me <u>to cook (b)</u>. He also taught me to write my name and said he would soon teach me to write whole sentences and to add numbers. I was grateful. I knew that once I could write like an educated man there would be no limit to what I could achieve. It was <u>quite pleasant (c)</u> working for Anil. I made the lea <u>in the</u> <u>morning (d)</u> and then would take my time buying made a little money this way but he did not seem to mind. Now, frame WH questioned to get underlined parts as answer.

(OR)

B. Study the following tree diagrampie and write a paragraph based on the information given in it

10M

