

SamplePaper TERM -2

CLASS XI

GENERAL ENGLISH

MM: 60

IA : 20 MARKS (L&S)

Written Paper: 40 Marks

TOTAL MARKS: 60 MARKS

1. a) Answer any two out of the following four in 40 to 50 words each (Intensive study) : 2X2=4

- i. What is the meaning of globalization? (The Earth is Not Ours)
- ii) When and where did Major Som Nath Sharma die? (Let's Not Forget the Martyrs)
- iii) Why is water conservation the need of the day? (Water – A True Elixir)
- iv. What made Malcolm almost sick? (No Time for Fear)

b) Answer any two out of the following four in 40 to 50 words each (Extensive study) : 2X2=4

- i. What condition did the Colonel lay down for letting Hughie be engaged to Laura? (The Model Millionaire)
- ii. How did Algu Chowdhari and Jumman Sheikh become friends again? (The Panch Parmeshwar)
- iii. Who had stolen the peasant's bread? Why? (The Peasant's Bread)
- iv. What exactly had the imp done? (The Peasant's Bread)

2. Give the central idea of a poem The Little Black Boy **OR**

A Thing of Beauty is a joy Forever **3 Marks**

3.a) Answer the following question in 60-70 words (Intensive study): 4 Marks

Explain the significance of the title of the lesson ' The Earth is Not Ours'. (The Earth is Not Ours)

OR

Write a note on Malcolm's encounter with the grizzly. (No Time for Fear)

b) Answer the following question in 60-70 words (Extensive study): 4 Marks

Write a brief character-sketch of Jumman Sheikh. (The Panch Parmeshwar)

OR

What made the devil happy? (The Peasant's Bread)

4. Do as directed: 1X10=10

a. i. He purchased a new bicycle. (Change into Future Indefinite Tense)

ii. The old man always(carry) an umbrella with him. (Change into Simple Past Tense)

b. i. Trust God and do what is right. (Fill the blank with a suitable preposition)

ii. We believe freedom to think. (Fill the blank with a suitable preposition)

c. i. Do you imitate others? (Change the Voice)

ii. I had not liked kites. (Change the Voice)

d. i. The old man said, " May you live long!"

ii. She said , " I sold my car myself."

e. Translation from English to Punjabi

i. She handed over the receipt to me.

f. Translation from Punjabi to English

i. ਇਹ ਮਕਾਨ ਵਿਕਾਊ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੈ।

5. Imagine you are Himalaya. Write a letter to the Deputy Commissioner of your district, making out a case for the opening of a dispensary in your area.

OR

You are Rita. You live at #2009, Sector- 9, Chandigarh. Write a letter to your uncle thanking him for the birthday gift that he sent for you.

5 Marks

6. Draft an advertisement for 'Washing Machine'.

OR

You lost your wrist watch yesterday in your school playground. Draft a notice for the loss of your watch.

4 Marks

Good Handwriting

2 Marks