

**MODEL TEST PAPER 1**

**English**

**Hearing Impaired Students**

**Class X (2018-19)**

**Time:3 hrs**

**Theory Marks : 90**

**CCE Marks : 10**

**Total Marks : 100**

**Section-A**

**Objective Type Questions.**

**54 marks**

1. (i) Read the passage and answer the questions that follow :

**8**

Ashoka was one of the greatest rulers of India. Ashoka extended the Maurya Empire to the whole of India, reaching out even to Central Asia. Ashoka succeeded in conquering Kalinga after a bloody war in which 100000 men were killed, 150000 were injured and thousands were captured and retained as slaves. The sight of the slaughter involved in his conquest deeply affected his mind. He renounced war and sought peace in Buddha's preaching of love and non-violence. So he gave up hunting.

a. Ashoka failed in conquering Kalinga. (True/False) **2**

b. What did Ashoka give up ? Choose the correct option.

i. hunting    ii. peace    iii. love **2**

c. Complete the following sentences:

i. Ashoka extended the Maurya empire..... **2**

d. Match the words in column A with their antonyms in column B :

A

B

war

hate

love

peace

**2**

(ii) Vocabulary

**4X2=8**

Fill in the blank with the appropriate word

(a) Give me a ..... of one thousand rupees. (cheque, check) **2**

Fill in the blank with the appropriate Idiom

(b) It is .....that India will make a hydrogen bomb. (on the cards/ to carry the day) **2**

(c) A boy who is going to be married

(a) single (b) bridegroom (c) bride (d) bachelor **2**

- (d) All that glitters is not \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (a) silver (b) bronze (c) brass (d) gold 2
- (iii) Grammar 8X2=16
- a) Fill in the blanks with a suitable determiner 2  
 There is .....milk in the bottle. (little, many)
- b) Choose the correct preposition to fill the given blanks 2  
 Ram sat ..... a bench. (on, in)
- c) Choose the correct modal to fill the given blanks 2  
 You .....do exercise daily. (should, could)
- d) Choose the correct conjunction to fill the given blanks  
 The patient had died..... the doctor came. (after, before) 2
- e) Fill the correct form of non-finite 2  
 He decided ..... tuition. (take)
- (f) Change the voice  
 Do not insult your elders.  
 (a) Your elders should not be insulted.  
 (b) Your elders should not insulted.  
 (c) Your elders should never be insulted.  
 (d) Your elders should be insulted. 2
- (g) Choose the correct indirect speech for the given sentence  
 Radha said, "I am going home now".  
 (a) Radha said that she is going home then.  
 (b) Radha said she was going home then.  
 (c) Radha said that she was going home then.  
 (d) Radha said that she was going home now. 2
- (h) Choose correctly punctuated sentence.  
 (a) My sister is an MA B.Ed.  
 (b) My sister is a MA B.Ed.  
 (c) My sister an M.A., B.Ed.  
 (d) My sister is an M.A B.Ed 2

- (iv) Main Course Book 6X2=12  
 Fill in the blank
- (a) The drops were coming from the .....of the Happy Prince. (ears, eyes) 2
- (b) True/False
1. The boy wanted to go to Egypt. 2
  2. Science has created many physical problems. 2
- (c) The earth goes round the \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) moon (b) sun (c) stars (d) planets 2
- (d) All are equal before death. (True/False) 2
- (e) Razia, the tigress has \_\_\_\_ cubs.
- (a) one (b) two (c) three (d) four 2
- (f) Where the \_\_\_\_\_ is without fear. 2
- (a) head (b) mind (c) truth (d) knowledge

(v) Supplementary Reader 5X2=10

- a. Subbiah's wife took the man to godown. 2
- b. Gillian gave the money to Miss Hayden. 2
- c. Lawyer Tolman gave \_\_\_\_\_dollars to Robert Gillian.
- (a) 1000 (b) 2000 (c) 3000 (d) 4000 2
- d. Holmes got illness on \_\_\_\_\_
- (a) Monday (b) Tuesday (c) Wednesday (d) Sunday 2
- e. Pakhom bought .....acres of land from the land lady. (forty, twenty) 2

**Section -B**

2. Main Course Book 3X2=6
- i. What did Mr. Kagawa discover?
  - ii. How did Jim manage to buy gift for Della?
  - iii. Who sacrificed his life for the gods?
  - iv. What were Phatik's last words?

- (b) Answer any one of the following in about 50 words. 4

Comment on the remark--'The living beings always think that gold can make them happy.'

(The Happy Prince)

List the material triumphs of Science and non-material necessities to make the world a better place.

(Where is Science taking us?)

3. Supplementary Reader

3X3=9

Answer any 3 of the following in 15-20 words.

- (i) When did the author regain his confidence?
- (ii) Why did Subbiah ask the man to wait?
- (iii) What did Watson think about Holmes?
- (iv) Why was Bobby Gillian not happy with the money given to him?
- (v) How did Pakhom manage to buy the land?

4. Answer any one of the following.

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How does a man really become happy?

or

What is the central idea of the poem 'Death the leveller'?

**Section- C**

13 marks

5. (a) Write a letter to your sister, Muskan, giving her the details of a free medical camp that your grandmother arranged recently. You are Anoushka and live at 1411-Nai Abadi, Khanna.

or

Write a letter to the manager of a bank, requesting for a loan for higher studies. You are Nikhil, living at 34, Krishna Nagar, Banga.

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(b) Develop a paragraph on the basis of given outlines:

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*Good manners oil the machine of life....earn us respect...'please' and 'thank you' settle bitter quarrels....respect elders... be polite to the younger...talk less and listen more.... take turn in queue ...civility of behaviour is a moral obligation... bad manners create bitterness.*

or

Life is not worth living if we remain busy in work....lot of energy wasted....restored by leisure....enjoy sights of nature....develop new tastes and creative hobbies....busy men miss all this....over-work causes ailments....make right use of leisure.

(c) Read the telephonic conversation between Nandan and Nikita.

Nandan : May I talk to Arun?

Nikita : I am sorry, he is not at home.

Nandan : Why didn't he come to school today?

Nikita : He has gone to visit a relative.

Nandan : Will you please convey my message to him?

Nikita : What is it?

Nandan : Tell him to bring my English notebook as I need it for correction tomorrow.

Nikita : Anything else?

Nandan : Yes, tell him that our science test has been postponed. Our teacher will announce the new date tomorrow.

Nikita : I will tell him

Nandan : Thank you.

Nikita has to go to the market so she writes the message for Arun.

or

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