SECTION - C $(2 \times 20 = 40)$

Answer ALL questions. Each answer should not exceed 1,200 words. All questions carry equal marks.

15. (a) Describe the ultrastructure of plant cell wall.

(OR)

- (b) Write an essay on polyembryony.
- 16. (a) Explain the organization of seed certification agency in Tamil Nadu.

(OR)

(b) Describe ABC model of flower development.

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SECTION - A $(8 \times 3 = 24)$

Answer ALL questions. Each answer should not exceed FIFTY words. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Middle lamella.
- 2. Wound healing.
- 3. Antipodals.

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11. (a) Briefly discuss the significance of haploids.

(OR)

(b) How virus free plants are obtained using tissue culture?

12. (a) Describe the nucleoplasmic interaction.

(AO)

(b) Give an account of food storage methods.

13. (a) Give an account of morphology of inferior ovary.

(OK)

(b) Explain how local people store the seeds.

14. (a) Describe the types of nodal anatomy.

(OR)

(b) Describe the ultrastructure of mature gametophyte.

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- 4. Endosperm haustoria.
- 5. Heat sterilization.
- 6. Totopotency.
- 7. Extra cellular matrix.
- 8. Seed borne pathogen.

ECLION - B $(9 \times 9 = 39)$

Answer ALL questions. Each answer should not exceed 300 words. All questions carry equal marks.

9. (a) Explain the structure and significance of transfer cell.

(AO)

(b) Describe the types and functions of cork cambium.

10. (a) Trace the development of male gametophyte.

(OR)

(b) Give an account of helobial endosperm.