

### Monthly-Test, August - 2010

#### Sub: English, Class - VI

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Marks: 20

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One day a young man named Androcles was walking through a forest. He was a poor man. Suddenly he heard the roar of a lion. He got frightened and climbed up a tree. The lion kept roaring. The lion did not sound angry but sounded as though in great pain. Androcles was a very kind man. He could not bear to see the lion in this condition. He got down the tree and went towards the lion.

- 1) Who was walking through a forest ?
- 2) Was he a rich man ?
- 3) What did he hear ?
- 4) Why was the lion roaring ?
- 5) What type of man was Androcles ?

**Q.2 Answer the following questions :- ( 2 )**

- 1) What does the icecream man fill in the cones ?
- 2) What has the poet compared the children to ?

( Icecream man )

**Q.3 Underline the helping verbs in the following :- (2 )**

- 1) They are cutting the hedge.
- 2) I will bring an orange for you.

**Q.4 Change the gender of the following underlined nouns : ( 2 )**

- 1) The old man has a nephew and son living in the village.
- 2) The landlord asked the washer-woman to dry the clothes.

**Q.5 Tick the correct verb to show its agreement with the subject :- ( 2 )**

- 1) The quality of these mangoes is / are good.
- 2) Rana teaches / teach in this school.

**Q.6 Write a paragraph - “ A visit to a historical building”. ( 4 )**  
OR

Write the story ( using the given outlines ) of “ The Hidden Treasure “.

An old farmer ----- four idle sons ----- father worried ----- wanted to reform them ----- on his death bed ----- told them of a hidden treasure in his fields ----- died soon after ----- sons dug up the fields ----- no treasure found ----- sowed wheat - rich harvest - found the hidden treasure.

**Q.7 6 words of lesson 5/6 of English Reader from the glossary section will be given for dictation to the students by the teacher. ( 3 )**

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**Main course book and literature book**

**Q.1 Answer the following question in 15-20 words. (2)**

i) What do people believe about the power of money ?

OR

ii) How did Sher Singh carry his brother ?

**Q.2 Answer the following question in 30-50 words. (3)**

i) Why is the budgeting of time important ?

OR

ii) Explain the circumstances in which Kunwar was carried to the hospital ?

**Q.3 Answer the following question in 25-30 words. (3)**

i) When did Chenna Paraya leave his hut ?

OR

ii) What did Ruskin Bond's father do for a living ?

Vocabulary

**Q.4 Use the following words in sentences as directed. (2)**

A. (a) stone as noun and verb.

(b) second as noun and adjective.

B. Write synonyms of (1)

a) brave

b) big

**Grammar**

**Q.5 Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions. (2)**

a) I went home ----- took my food.

b) Though he is poor ----- he is honest.

**Q.6 Write a letter to the Medical officer of Health to get the garbage removed from your sector. You are Harnam Singh and you live in Chandigarh. (4)**

**Q.7 Read the passage given below and make notes: (3)**

Hundreds of animals we know well are disappearing from the face of the planet for ever, dying out or being killed. In the course of this century, about 50 animals have been discovered. Within the same period, no less than a hundred species and subspecies of animals and birds have been wiped off the earth. From the first century AD man has destroyed 345 species of animals. Of them, 133 disappeared by the mid- 18th century, and 212 in the last two centuries, of these, 36 species of mammals disappeared in the 18th and 19th centuries and about at least 40 in the 20th century. As regards to birds, only 10 species and subspecies of birds became extinct before the 18 century, 20 in the 18th century, about the same number in the first half of the 19th century, and about a hundred species of birds have been extinct since then. There are birds and animals which we see with our own eyes, will be seen in future in books and films. Scientists explain the decrease in the number of animals and birds due to many reasons, such as shrinking of forests and plains, man's encroachment in wild untouched areas, and water and air pollution.

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### Sub: English, Class- X

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**A) Read the unseen passage and answer the following questions:**

Each of us should have a hobby. Sometimes boys and girls are encouraged in schools to take up hobbies. They work at certain things in schools, such as collecting stamps, or carpentry, but this so called hobby is a thing for schools only. They don't pay attention to it at their homes. Sometimes this is because of poverty or lack of interest. Hobby means a favourite subject or occupation, that is not one's main business. It is something in which we are more interested than in anything else.

Q.1 Name some hobbies. (2)

Q.2 What is the meaning of hobby ? (2)

**B) Q/Ans-Main Course Book**

Q.1 How did Della manage to buy the gift?

OR

Q.2 What did Eris do to take her revenge? (2)

**C) Q./Ans- From Supplementary Book**

Q.1 Besides selling rice what else did Subbiah do to earn money?

OR

Q.2. How did Subbiah die? (2)

**D) Poetry (2)**

Q.1 Write the main idea of poem "Death the Leveller".  
OR

Q.2 What lesson do you get from the poem- "Death the leveller"?

**E) Do as Directed :- (5)**

**1. Make sentences of-**

- a) All of a sudden (idioms)
- b) Charity begins at home ( , , )

**2. Change the voice-**

- a) I know his way.
- b) Who told a lie ?
- c) A truck hit a bus yesterday

F) Imagine you are Sharan of Gandhi Nagar, Ferozepur, your house no.- 864. You want to buy some books. Write a letter to the manager 'Lyal Book Depot' Ludhiana, ordering books of your choice.

OR

You are Abhinav Sharma, President of Victoria Model Welfare Society, Chandigarh. You wish to hold a meeting to protest against the conditions of roads in your colony. Draft a notice inviting the residents of the colony to join the protest.

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