



Section : A (Textual Based Questions)

Q1) Read the extract of the poem carefully and answer the following questions:-

- a) Beds come in all sizes-- [5]
single or double,
cot-size or cradle,
king-size or trundle.

Most Beds are Beds
for sleeping or resting,
but the best Beds are much
more interesting!

Questions:-

1. Name the poet of the above extract.
2. List the different size of beds as mentioned in the above lines of the poem.
3. What is the difference between sleeping and resting?
4. Write the meaning of the word 'Trundle'.
5. Pick out any two pair of rhyming words from the above stanza.

b) Answer the following (Any one) [2]

1. Write the central theme of the poem 'Beds'

[OR]

2. Complete the lines of the poem :-

Nosing through

..... For the shooting stars....

Q2) Give meanings for the following:- a) nostalgia -- b) vivid -- [2]

Q3) Make sentence with the given phrase:- a) might be -- b) cryptic -- [2]

Q4) Answer briefly:- (Any Two) [4]

1. How were the employees selected for the train journey and what was their mission like?
2. What does the reviewer say about the characters of the book?
3. How do you feel when you travel in a train?

Q5) Fill in the blanks :- [5]

1. _____ is the writer of the Longest Ride on the Kincham Express.
2. Sankalpita is a _____.
3. The individuals were sent on _____ journey by their employers.
4. The employees are selected _____ and given only a day's notice to take this journey.
5. The reviewer says that the author's imagination is very _____ .

Section : B (Non Textual Passage)

Q1) Read the passage and answer the questions given below.

[5]

The smile is the best tonic for our mind and body. It takes thirteen muscles to smile, but forty-three to be angry. So, it is easier to smile and difficult to be angry. To be cheerful, we have to create positive thoughts. On the other hand, if we constantly think about negative things, we feel unhappy. So, the best way to avoid a negative idea is to replace it with a positive one. When we are relaxed in bed, we should practice putting some cheerful thoughts.

1. What is the best tonic for our mind and body?
2. What should we do to be cheerful?
3. Find the synonym of CONTINUALLY from the passage
4. What should we practice when we are relaxed in bed?
5. Pick out two nearest meaning for the word cheerful given in the bracket below:-

delight, sluggish, dull, joyous, desolate

Section : C (Grammar Based Questions)

Q1) Do as Directed:-

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1. Fill in the blanks :-

- a) Simple tense is also known as _____ .
- b) _____ is the helping verbs for present perfect tense.
- c) The past participle of break is _____ .
- d) The synonym of 'quarrelling' is _____ .

2. Replace the underlined words with suitable verbs from the box:-

soared whispered whined stumbled

- a) Preeti said in a low voice that she was not feeling well.
 - b) Susan tripped and nearly fell over the stones on the road.
3. Rewrite using the helping verbs correctly in the given sentence:-
- a) The new books is in the library.
 - b) We has a brown kitten.
4. Identify the tense of the underlined verbs and state its kind:-
- a) I had finished my dinner before he came.
 - b) By this time tomorrow, I will have reached my home.

Section : D (Writing Skill)

Q1) Based On the given topics prepare an interesting Diary Entry on any one of the following in 50 words.:-

- i. Make a diary entry describing your first-day experience in you new school.

[OR]

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- ii. Imagine that you reside in Jammu and Kashmir. It was the first snowfall after the onset of winter. Write a diary entry.