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ENGLISH

Class: V

Date: 09.01.25

Admission no:

Time: 1hr

Max Marks: 25

Roll no:

General Instructions:

1. The Question Paper contains FOUR sections: READING, WRITING, GRAMMAR and LITERATURE.
2. Attempt questions based on specific instructions for each part.

SECTION A: READING SKILLS

1. Read the passage and answer the questions. (5 marks)

INTENTIONS

In life, the decisions we make and the actions we take are shaped by our intentions. Intent is the reason behind what we do. When we have a good intent, we act with kindness, honesty, and a desire to help others. Having a good intent makes our actions more meaningful and positive. For example, if you help a friend with their homework because you want them to succeed, your intent is kind. But if you help only to get praise or attention, the intent isn't as pure. People can often tell if your intentions are genuine. Even if the result is the same, it's the good intent that makes the action truly special.

Sometimes, even when we try our best, things don't go as planned. But if our intent was good, others are more likely to understand and appreciate our efforts. For example, if you try to make your friend laugh but accidentally hurt their feelings, they'll see that you didn't mean to upset them. They will understand your good intentions. Having a good intent also helps us build trust with others. When people know we act with care and honesty, they are more likely to support us and respect us. Plus, acting with a good intent makes us feel good about ourselves. When we do things for the right reasons, it makes us proud of our actions.

In conclusion, having a good intent is important because it leads to positive outcomes. It helps us build strong relationships, make better choices, and feel happy with ourselves. Acting with kindness and doing things for the right reasons makes the world a better place for everyone.

I. Answer the following questions:

1. What is the meaning of "intent" in the passage? (1)

Answer: Intent means the reason behind what we do.

2. Fill in the blanks: (1)

a. Having a good intent means doing things for the right reasons, like helping others.

3. What happens if our intent is not genuine? (1)

A) People will still appreciate our actions B) **People can often tell if our intentions are not genuine**

C) People will ignore us

4. Make sentence with the word- **trust**– (2nd paragraph). I **trust** my best friend to keep a secret. (1)

5. What do you understand by the word "**meaningful**" in the passage- (1st paragraph). (1)

Ans. **Meaningful** means- having meaning

SECTION B- WRITING SKILLS

(4 marks)

II. You just went to a fun amusement park! Write an e-mail to your cousin describing the fun you had in that park in about 50 words. You may use the words given in the help box.

Help box- scared, atmosphere, exciting, refreshing, fun activities, thrilling, amazing, super fun, attractions, recent visit.

SECTION B- GRAMMAR

(6 marks)

III. Fill in the blanks with the correct comparative or superlative form of the adjective or adverb in parentheses. (3)

1. This math problem is easier (easy) than the one we did yesterday.
2. Among all the students in the class, Sarah is the smartest (smart).
3. Tom ran faster (fast) than James during the race.

IV. Make the given chart in your answer sheet and fill in the blanks with correct forms of Comparative and superlative forms of adjectives and adverbs. (3)

Adjective/Adverb	Comparative Form	Superlative Form
Happy	<u>happier</u>	the <u>happiest</u>
Bright	brighter	the <u>brightest</u>
Good	<u>better</u>	the <u>best</u>

SECTION D – LITERATURE

(10 marks)

V. Write the words for the given meanings and make sentences with them: (2)

a) a person in your family who lived a long time ago- ancestor.
Sentence- Our ancestors had done very good deeds.

b) Belonging to the past; not modern- old-fashioned.
Sentence- That store has an old-fashioned kitchen range.

V. Fill in the blanks: (2)

1. Allan agreed to help Henry because he needed money.
2. After searching for hours, they found a stone ring in the floor.

VI. Write True or False- (2)

1. The skeleton found inside the cave was Henry's brother- False.
2. The poem 'The Champa Flower' is about two friends- False.

VII. Answer the following: (4)

1. Why were the Zulu warriors chasing John?

Ans. The Zulu warriors were chasing John with spears because no strangers were allowed to enter their land and they wanted to kill John, Henry and Narrator.

2. Write a short note on the poet of the poem 'The Champa Flower'.

Ans. Rabindranath Tagore was born in 1861. He was a brilliant writer who is a very important figure in history. His legacy influences culture and education worldwide. He was known as a Renaissance Man, National Anthem writer, and a great educator.
