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DAV PUBLIC SCHOOLS, ODISHA
ANNUAL EXAMINATION - (2025-2026)

- Please check that this question paper contains 4 printed pages.
- Check that this question paper contains 13 questions.
- Write down the Serial Number of the question in the left side of the margin before attempting it.

CLASS-V
SUBJECT: ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

General Instructions:

1. This question paper contains 4 number of pages and 13 number of questions
2. It is divided into four sections.
 - Section-A Reading (10 marks)
 - Section-B Writing (10 marks)
 - Section-C Grammar (15 marks)
 - Section-D Literature (15 marks)
3. Question number 1,2 and 5 to 10 are compulsory.
4. Internal choice is given in question number 3,4,11,12 and 13.
5. Write all the answers in serial order in legible handwriting.
6. Read the instruction of each question thoroughly and attempt all the questions.
7. Number all the answers correctly as in the question paper.
8. Verify your answers before submitting to the invigilator

SECTION-A (READING-10 MARKS)

1. Read the following passage carefully.

All religions in the world commonly teach us peace and happiness. They say there is only one God. Practising love and truth is the way of reaching Him. Christianity says, "Love your neighbour as you love yourself". Prophet Mohammad taught us about universal brotherhood. Hinduism teaches us, "Let all people in the world live in happiness or bliss." Buddhism also teaches us the path of love. **(Para-1)**

Yet the world has gone through many wars fought on the basis of religion. The partition of India and Pakistan, the conflict and war that followed, are examples where religion disturbed our peace and happiness. The problem does not arise for nations or states where the entire people belong to one religion. The problem arises where people belonging to more than one religion live. **(Para-2)** India has produced great kings and saints who saw the oneness of all religions in the name of one God. Saints like Kabir Das and Sai Baba have sung in the name of one religion. In spite of all efforts, conflicts still arise and peace is disturbed. When a man is under his selfish influence, he does not know what he is doing. He feels that he is serving God by harming or hurting others. **(Para 3)**

1. A. Answer the following questions briefly.

(1x3=3)

- a) Write the common teaching of all religions.
- b) The problem does not arise for nations or states where _____.
- c) Explain the condition of a man when he is under his selfish influence.

1. B. Find out the synonyms of the following words from the above passage:

(1x2=2)

- a) Quarrel (Para – 2)
- b) Troubled (para -3)

2. Read the following poem carefully.

ALL BEAUTIFUL THINGS

I love all beautiful things,
I seek and adore them.
God has only better praise,
And man in his hasty days
Wish to admire them.
I too will something make
And get joy in the making;
Although tomorrow it seems
Like empty words of a dream
Admire and remember on working.

Answer the following questions by choosing the correct options.

(1x5=5)

- a) The poet's attitude to all beautiful things is that he _____.
 - (i) loves and tries to get beautiful things
 - (ii) ignores all beautiful things
 - (iii) forgets all beautiful things
 - (iv) does not care for beautiful things
- b) The poet wishes to create beautiful things because he wants to _____.
 - (i) defeat God
 - (ii) become famous
 - (iii) destroy God's beauty
 - (iv) praise God's beauty
- c) "Joy in the making" here means
 - (i) joy made by others
 - (ii) the joy one gets in making something
 - (iii) to make a joy
 - (iv) to give joy in making something
- d) "And man in his hasty days" here means
 - (i) a man spends his days hastily
 - (ii) sad days
 - (iii) days that don't pass quickly
 - (iv) a man spends his days lazily
- e) A pair of rhyming words from the poem is
 - (i) things -- them
 - (ii) them -- make
 - (iii) praise--days
 - (iv) seems-- dream

SECTION-B (WRITING -10 MARKS)

3. You are the secretary of Eco Club of your school. Prepare a poster on 'Save Water, Save Earth'. (4x1=4)

OR

Write the Bio sketch of Kailash Satyarthi using the following data:

Name – Kailash Satyarthi
Born – 11 January 1954, Vidisha, Madhya Pradesh
Profession – Child Rights Activist
Family – Married, two children
Nature – Compassionate, determined, fearless
Achievements – Founder of Bachpan Bachao Andolan (BBA), fought against child labour and trafficking
Awards – Nobel Peace Prize (2014), Robert F. Kennedy Human Rights Award (1995), Defenders of Democracy Award (2009), Alfonso Comin International Award (2008)
Inspires – Millions worldwide to fight for children's education and freedom

4. You are Aditi/Ayush. Write an e-mail in 50-60 words to your younger brother advising him to utilise the time. (6x1=6)

OR

Write a story based on the following hints. Give a suitable title and moral. (80-100 words)

A farmer with a small field----finds a pot of gold coins in his field----becomes happy----thinks there is more treasure hidden----starts digging every day----neglects his crops----finds no more gold----loses his harvest----feels sad and ashamed----learns a lesson.

SECTION-C (GRAMMAR-15 MARKS)

5. Complete the following conditional sentences. (1x3=3)
If it rains tomorrow, I (a) ____ (stay) at home and if I stay at home, I (b) _____ (finish) reading my book. I did not prepare well for the last test; however, if I had studied harder, I (c) _____ (score) better marks.
6. Unscramble the jumbled words. One has been done for you. (1x3=3)
Ex . early/reached/I/school/today
Ans. I reached the school early today.
a) in/ class/ teacher/our/ explained/ the / lesson/the
b) carefully/ we/ wrote/ answers/ the
c) after/ played/ that/ we/ happily
7. Complete the paragraph with correct modals. (1x3=3)
When you cross the road, you (a) _____ (must/can/might/could) look both the ways. You (b) _____ (should/will/shall/may) follow the traffic rules. If the signal is red, you (c) _____ (could/might/must/may) stop and wait.
8. Fill in the blanks using reflexive/emphasizing pronouns. (1x3=3)
Shreya trained (a) _____ for the marathon. The coach Mr. Roy (b) _____ designed the workout plan. The athletes motivated (c) _____ to give their best.

9. Find out the errors in the following sentences and correct them. One example has been given for your reference.

| | <u>INCORRECT</u> | <u>CORRECT</u> |
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| Riya was at the classroom. She kept her book in the table. A bird was flying on the sky. The chart was hanging on the wall. Her water bottle fell over the floor. | e.g. at | in |
| | a) _____ | _____ |
| | b) _____ | _____ |
| | c) _____ | _____ |

SECTION-D (LITERATURE-15 MARKS)

10. Read the given extract and answer the questions that follow. (1x3=3)

“Trees pass away, their roots dry up,
They fulfil their lifelong deed.
But if you look, I’m sure you will find’
They’ve left behind a seed.”

- a) The rhyming scheme of above poem is _____.
i) accd ii) abcb iii) aacc iv) aabb
- b) Each dying tree leaves behind –
i) seeds ii) air iii) water iv) fire
- c) The message of the above poem is –
i) cut the trees ii) destroy the plants iii) plant a seed iv) pluck the roots

11. Answer the following questions in brief. (Any four) (1x4=4)

- (a) The officials of the English Channel Association were impressed with Janaki. Give reason for it. (The Fearless Fighter)
- (b) Mention the reason behind Neha and Sachin’s disappointment. (The Green Act)
- (c) Mention the reasons for Global Warming. (It’s Getting Hotter)
- (d) List any one advantage of e-mail over letter writing. (I’ve Got an Email)
- (e) The five chums knew that the threats to Mrs. Stephanie came by phone. Explain (Five Chums and The Hacker)

12. Answer any one of the following. (3x1=3)

Janaki was truly ‘a fearless fighter’. Justify the statement with reference to the lesson. Which qualities of Janaki helped her to achieve her goal? (The Fearless Fighter)

OR

“Neha and Sachin’s parents were proud of them.” Justify the statement with reference to the chapter. ‘The Green Act.’ Write the message conveyed by their act. (The Green Act)

13. Answer any one of the following . (5x1=5)

Imagine you are Pingoo, the penguin. Write a diary entry expressing your happiness at the positive steps taken by the children and adults alike to fight climate change. (It’s Getting Hotter)

OR

Imagine yourself to be Riya/Rohan. Write a letter to one of your friends telling him/her what you think about internet. (I’ve Got an Email)