



**K.P.C. Public School, Kharghar**  
**Assessment -1 ( 2023-24)**

**Subject English**  
**Grade V**

**Marks : 40**  
**Time : 2 hours**

**Section - A (Reading)**

**Q1) Read Unseen passage carefully and answer the following questions given below:**

When Thomas was fifteen, he was a very intelligent and generous boy. He spent his day only reading, eating, and sleeping. Other than that, he didn't do anything. When the teachers of his class asked him any question, he would answer it very immediately. He always kept himself away from social activities, but once when he was going to his school, he saw an old man begging on the roadside. At first, he thought that he should stop there and ask him why he was begging because he was too old to do that, instead, he should rest. At the same time, he realized that if he stopped there, he would be late for school. He thought for a while and went to the old man. He saw that everyone was passing by him but no one was giving him alms. After seeing the incident, he took out twenty rupees from his pocket and gave them to the beggar. By doing that, he felt very good and reached the school gasping.

**Questions:-**

[8 marks]

- 1) Thomas spend his day \_\_\_\_\_ .
  - a) Only doing social activities
  - b) Only reading, eating, and sleeping
  - c) Only eating and sleeping
- 2) Thomas wanted to ask the old man \_\_\_\_\_ .
  - a ) The reason for begging
  - b ) To beg as much as he could
  - c ) To rest instead of begging
- 3) Which of the statement is correct.
  - a) Thomas gave twenty coins to the beggar.
  - b) Thomas gave twenty rupees to the beggar.
  - c) Thomas gave twenty paise to the beggar.
- 4) Thomas was a very intelligent and generous boy. (identify the kind of adjective of the underlined words)
  - a) Quality    b) Quantity    c) Demonstrative
- 5) What is the synonym of gasping and alms.
  - a) Inhale / carefully            b) exhale / curiosity            c) breathless / charity
- 6) List which of these is COMMON /NEUTER gender.

beggar    school    teacher    road
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- 7) Is the word 'GENEROUS' (abstract or concrete) noun \_\_\_\_\_ .

**Q2) Read seen passage carefully and answer the following questions given below:**

Once the Maharaja of Travancore ordered a grand dinner in his palace. In the afternoon before the dinner, the Maharaja entered the kitchen to survey the dishes that had been prepared for the feast. "What are you going to do with those vegetable scraps?" he asked the cook, pointing to the basket of scraps near the cook. The cook replied, "They are waste. We will throw them away." "You cannot waste all these bits and pieces of vegetables. Find a way to use them."

**Questions:-**

[8marks]

- i) Who ordered a grand dinner?
- ii) The Maharaja surveyed the dishes in the \_\_\_\_\_ .  
 i) morning    ii) afternoon    iii) evening    iv) night
- iii) Write which of the statement is true or false.  
 a. The cook prepared the dishes for Maharaja's birthday.  
 b. The Maharaja was happy to know that the vegetable waste would be thrown away.
- iv) Pick out two -ing words from the passage : \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_
- v) Full form of can't is \_\_\_\_\_ ( can not / cannot )
- vi) Read the given clues and fill in the missing letters:-  
 a) A king's residence    -    p \_ l \_ c \_  
 b) To make an overall study    -    S \_ \_ V \_ \_
- vii) Who made this statement and when?  
 a) "What are you going to do with those vegetable scraps?"
- viii) Identify two prepositions used in the sentence.  
 a) Once the Maharaja of Travancore ordered a grand dinner in his palace.

**Section - B (Poetry)****Q1) Read the Unseen poem carefully and answer the questions given below :-**

When the Earth is turned in spring  
 The worms are fat as anything.  
 And birds come flying all around  
 To eat the worms right off the ground.  
 They like worms just as much as I  
 Like bread and milk and apple pie.  
 And when I once was very young.  
 I put a worm right on my tongue.  
 I didn't like the taste a bit.  
 And so I didn't swallow it.  
 But oh, it makes my Mother squirm  
 Because she thinks I ate that worm!

**Questions:-**

[7 marks]

- i) What do the worms look like in the spring?  
 a) as tiny as everything    c) as big as something    d) as fat as anything
- ii) In stanza three, Who are **'They'** referred to in the sentence?  
 a)The birds    b) The worms    c) The people    d) The food
- iii) What happened right after the boy tasted the worm?  
 a)The boy swallowed the worm    c) The boy ate the worm  
 b)The boy didn't swallow the worm    d) The Mother ate the worm
- iv) Wriggle or Twist the body from side to side means the same as the word \_\_\_\_ .  
 a) Swallow    b) Squirm    c) Worm
- v) Pick out any two pairs of rhyming words from the poem.
- vi) Complete the following in your own words :-  
 a) When I was young \_\_\_\_\_ .

**Q2) Read the Seen poem carefully and answer the questions given below :-**

It's fun to shoot the basketball through the hoop,  
 But if nobody passes then nobody shoots.  
 And the relay race just can't go on,  
 If nobody wants to pass the baton.  
  
 We're the parts that make up the whole,  
 And we've got our eyes on a common goal.  
 Sometimes it can be a big plus,  
 When a you or a me becomes an us!

**Questions:-**

[7 marks]

- i) Name the poet of the above poem.
- ii) Which of the following is the quality of a teamwork?
  - a) effort of a single person      b) combined effort of a group
- iii) Write the rhyme scheme of the second stanza.
- iv) Match the words with its correct meaning

A	B	Ans
hoop	Stick carried in a relay race	
baton	Group of individuals focus on a specific aim	
Common goal	Wooden or iron ring	

- v) Complete the phrase into a meaningful sentence
  - a) If nobody wants to \_\_\_\_\_ .

**Section - C (Writing Skill)**

Q1) Use your own imaginations and prepare a short essay on any one of the given topics:- [5]

- i) A visit to a circus
- [OR]
- ii) Happiest Day of My Life

Q2) Observe the set of pictures and write a short paragraph using the clues given in the box:-

hat    tried    river    cold wind    winter    fell    the man    thanked

[5]

