



# HALF-YEARLY EXAMINATIONS

**English**

MARKS 100

**Class : V**

**Time : 2½ Hours**

**Syllabus**

Lessons : 1 to 8

*School Stamp*

**I. Answer the following questions.**

**(10 × 4 = 40)**

1. What did Goldilocks see in the forest ?
2. What will happen if all the amphibians die ?
3. What was Mother Teresa's original name ?
4. Why was the washerman not taking good care of the dog ?
5. Why didn't the boy find his belt ?
6. What was the condition of Dr. Gulliver when he woke up ?
7. What are the advantages of the fixed wireless telephone ?
8. Whose porridge did Goldilocks eat and why ?
9. Why are the amphibians disappearing from the earth ?
10. Why did Mother Teresa come to India ?

**II. Write 'True' or 'False' in the brackets.**

**(6 × 1 = 6)**

1. Goldilocks was a brave girl. (     )
2. Little birdies and babies are alike. (     )
3. Amphibians are small animals. (     )
4. The dog guarded the washerman's clothes. (     )
5. The boy's mother woke him up. (     )
6. Lilliputians were happy to send Gulliver away. (     )

**III. Write the meanings of the following words.**

**(6 × 1 = 6)**

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|----------------------|------------------------|
| 1. pretend = _____   | 2. went to bed = _____ |
| 3. interfere = _____ | 4. edge = _____        |
| 5. loyal = _____     | 6. toad = _____        |

**IV. write the opposites of the following words.**

**(8 × 1 = 8)**

- |            |   |       |            |   |       |
|------------|---|-------|------------|---|-------|
| 1. angry   | × | _____ | 2. appear  | × | _____ |
| 3. usual   | × | _____ | 4. balance | × | _____ |
| 5. missing | × | _____ | 6. near    | × | _____ |
| 7. even    | × | _____ | 8. last    | × | _____ |

**V. Write capital letters, commas, question marks etc., wherever necessary.**

**(2)**

**mother teresa was born on 27 August 1910 in albania**

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

**VI. Fill in the missing letters in the following sentences.**

**(3 × 1 = 3)**

1. Mother Teresa m \_ \_ \_ \_ g \_ \_ d to establish many institutions.
2. If the telephone is handled roughly, in \_ \_ \_ \_ n \_ l parts can be broken.
3. My favourite TV Pr \_ \_ \_ \_ a \_ \_ \_ e.

**VII. Fill in the blanks with the words given below.**

**(4 × 1 = 4)**

(a little, well, a few, good)

1. George is from America. He speaks English \_\_\_\_\_.
2. There is \_\_\_\_\_ water in the pot. Pour it into the glass.
3. We know him \_\_\_\_\_. He is our neighbour.
4. We have \_\_\_\_\_ time. We can finish this.

**VIII. Write a paragraph on "Favourite TV programme".**

**(4)**

Hints : Name of the programme – channel on which it is shown – time.

Ans.

**IX. Write the following as given in example.**

(2 × 1 = 2)

e.g. : She plays veena well.

She is a good veena player.

1. She speaks fast.

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

2. They do the work fast.

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

**X. Combine the following sentences with the words given in the brackets. (4 × 2 = 8)**

1. A computer is an instrument. It makes our work easier. (which)

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

2. My mother cooked a vegetable curry. She forgot to put salt in it. (but)

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

3. Cows are animals. They give us milk. (which)

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

4. There were no clouds in the sky. It rained in the evening. (but)

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

**XI. Fill in the blanks with the right forms of the words given in the brackets. (4 × 1 = 4)**

done, eaten, seen, gone

1. Vicky has \_\_\_\_\_ up all my noodles.
2. We have \_\_\_\_\_ the film already.
3. They have just \_\_\_\_\_ home.
4. She has just \_\_\_\_\_ the homework.

**XII. Write the following sentences beginning with 'let' in the blanks. Use the words given in the brackets.** (2 × 2 = 4)

1. He wants to go home. (go)

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

2. It is very cold. The window is open. (close)

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

**XIII. Fill in the blanks with choosing a suitable word given in brackets.** (5 × 1 = 5)

1. Mother Teresa sought permission from the Municipality to work \_\_\_\_\_ the poor people. (with/to)
2. I dedicate my first poem \_\_\_\_\_ my parents. (to/for)
3. This year we are moving \_\_\_\_\_ our new house. (into/near)
4. The school has offered free education \_\_\_\_\_ all the poor students. (for/to)
5. Thousands of people worked for the poor and the needy \_\_\_\_\_ Teresa's guidance. (under/in)

**XIV. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below.** (4 × 1 = 4)

Mother Teresa was born on 27 August, 1910 in Albania. She was actually named Agnes Gonxha Bojaxhiu by her parents. Her father was a grocer. Agnes came to Calcutta on 6 January 1929 along with Christian Missionaries as a teacher. She was just 19 years old then and she had just Rs. 5 on her.

1. Where is Mother Teresa born ?

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

2. What is Mother's original name ?

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

3. What is Mother's father ?

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

4. On which day Mother Teresa came to Calcutta ?

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

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