

Padasalai.Net's – Public Exam 2019 – Model Question Paper

Model Public Examination - 2019

Std: X
Sub: English

Mark: 100
Time: 2.30 hrs

Section - A (Part-I)

I. Choose the Synonyms of the underlined words:-

5x1=5

Bill gates is popular (i) world over for his Microsoft products .As a young boy he had the tenacity (ii) to develop software challenging existing methods of data Collection initially he had exacting (iii) work and was a criticised for dropping out of Harvard .He was not at all worried about the frenzied (iv) efforts to his rivals to compete with microsoft .He quietly persisted (v) in removing shortcomings and making his software number one in the world

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| i) a) Unknown | b) less known | c) well known | d) ignored |
| ii) a) lethargy | b) indifference | c) failure | d) Peristence |
| iii) a) easy | b) demanding | c) crude | d) refined |
| iv) a) Peaceful | b) stressful | c) quiet | d) violent |
| v) a) make no effort | b) make test effort | c) make intermittent efforts | d) make continuous effort |

II. Choose the Antonyms of the underlined words:-

5x1=5

It is fascinating (i) to watch how rag picker become rich in India .The girl actor of slum dog million air Rubia , whose but was burnt down has received sympathetic (ii) support form film producers in India .She was grateful (iii) receiving 50,000 rupees through Tamil Actor simbu such positive (iv) Help will her local (v) support and rebuilt her home .

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| i) a) dull | b) interesting | c) uninteresting | d) unsympathetic |
| ii) a) unerring | b) unsympathetic | c) kind | d) compose orate |
| iii) a) thankful | b) cheerful | c) worthless | d) ungrateful |
| iv) a) affirmatine | b) negative | c) relative | d) distant |
| v) a) Native | b) natural | c) foreign | d) distance |

Part-II

III. Answer any 10 :-

10x1=10

1. The common expansion management of SIM

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| a) System information management | b) Subscriber's Identity module |
| c) Systematic Identity module | d) Subscriber's information management |

4. **Homophones** :- a) I was granted only one day causal leave b) I was granted only one day casual leave

5. Replace the underlined word with its equivalent American English

Our old blind cat kept walking into walls and furniture

6. **Compound word** :- Which can be placed after before active a) person b) Radio c) Dry d) Free

7. What is plural form of aircraft a) Aircraft b) aircrafts c) aircraftes

8. Add **prefix** to word **Lock** :- She ----- lock her fingers with his

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| a) outer | b) post | c) inter | d) state |
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9. **Phrasal verb** :- The relief figures continue to resist form the wall quite strikingly

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| a) Stand off | b) stand out | c) stand back | d) set out |
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10. **Syllabification** :- a) fanatic b) unquenchable c) legislated

11. **Choose appropriate words** :- People welcome / envy the monsoon.

12. **Construct a sentence** :- a) decision b) Decide c) decisive

13. Reframing sentence using the underlined as **verb** :- Their reaction to the News was positive

14. **Convey the same meaning** :- The English people left India bag and baggage in Aug 1947

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| a) The English people took same bags from India |
| b) The English people left India completely .They never returned |

Section –B

Part-I (Grammar)

10x1=10

15. **If clause** :- If they had had funds -----

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| a) They would support the campaign | b) They will support the campaign | c) They would have supported the campaign |
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16. **Sentence pattern** :- Sachin grew tired after the match a) SVAA b) SVCA c) SVAC

17. **Question tag** ?:- Many of us do not know this story a) do we b) do they c) don't we

18. **Degree comparison** :- Are you ----- in drawing than in singing?

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| a) as interested as | b) more interested | c) most interested |
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19. **Convey the same meaning**: Each student should carry out duties to parents and to school

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| a) All students must restrain form discharging their duties to parents and to the school |
| b) All students should discharge their duties to parents and to the school |
| c) All students should not discharge their duties to the parents and the school |

20. **Supply phrase** :- Rita choose are red dress ----- the black one a) out of b) owing to c) instead of

21. **Gerund infinitive :-** We astronauts must keep on -----for our space launch
a) to preparing b) prepare c) preparing
22. **Prepositional phrase:** only experienced sales girls are ___ this job.
a) Eligible for b) Eligible in c) Eligible at
23. **Article :-** ----- butterfly which flew in to the room was pink a) a b) the c) an
24. **Preparation :-** The mobile was kept ----- other electronic goods a) among b) between c) in

Part –II**Two marks Grammar :-****5x2=10****Answer all the following rewrite as directed.**

25. **Combine the two sentences into a single sentence**
I am ill ,I could not attend the wedding
26. **Rewrite the sentence using the passive voice**
Concentrate your yoga class frequently otherwise you cannot get a good health
27. **Rewrite the sentence in other speech**
She said to me what were you doing when I saw you?
28. **From the context of the two sentences given below frame a single sentence using if class**
She did not win a prize .She was not disheartened
- 29.: **Read the following sentences and write an observation using any one of the degrees of comparison**

Students	Marks in English
Lakshmi	90%
Naveen	93%
Roshini	99%
Vikram	85%

Part-III**30 . Punctuation :-**

she said oh what a lovely dress

Section – C (Prose 15 marks)**5x2=10****Part- I****Answer briefly any five of the following question**

31. In what way is the tower “unbeatable”?
32. Why do birds migrate in winter or summer ?
33. Why did Hughie curse himself ?
34. How did people express their grief ? How did people express their grief over fall of the Twin Towers ?
35. When and where did Gopala Krishna Gokhale deliver the speech given in the lesson A golden path ?
36. What is global warming?
37. Why is the world of domestic workers invisible?

Part – II**Answer in a paragraph any one :-****1x5=5**

38. a) What makes the Brihadeesvarar temple unique and outstanding ?
b) Briefly describe the scene from the arrival of the water thanks in its departure
c) Attempt a character sketch of 1) Hughie 2) Baron

Section - D Part-I**39. Memory poem :-**

- a) First Five line **Migrant Bird**
b) **Going for water**
With Laughter -----
----- heard the brook

Part –II**Read the following sets of poetic lines and answer the questions given below.****5X1=5**

40. **A Geode can split to reveal**
When are we able to see the dazzling crystal in a geode ?
41. **Betrays me back , till the heart of me weeps to belary**
How does the poet express his sentiments ?
42. **“ Heirlooms of rich tradition”**
What are the heirlooms of rich traditions ?
43. **If you can fill the unforgiving minute**
With sixty seconds “worth of distance run”
How should we fill the unforgiving minute?
44. **O ye wheels**
Stop be silent for to day
Why should the wheels be silent for a day

Part –III**Literary appreciation****5x1=5**

45. A note as form a single place

What is the **figure of speech** used in this line ?

“If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew
To serve your turn long after they are gone ;
And so hold on when there is nothing in you
Expect the will which say to them , “Hold on”

46. Mention the **rhyme scheme** used in these lines

Close scrutiny , them sharp critical glare

47. Bring out the **words in alliteration**

Of childish days is upon me ,
my man hood is cast
Down in the flood of remembrance ,
I weep like a child for the past

48. Pick out the **rhyming words** in the above line

49. Perhaps a beautiful heart

what is **figure of speech** ?**Part – V****Answer in a paragraph any one of the following questions.**

50 . a) How does the shilpi succeed in creating Gods image in stone?

b) Describe the condition of the children working in factories ?

c) What does the port of beautiful inside say about inner beauty?

Section – E**Part-I****51. General Comprehension :-****5x2=10**

Automated Teller Machine (ATM) is an indispensable part our lives now worldwide !. John shepherd Barron once explained that he came up with the idea of cash dispensers in 1965 while lying in his after finding his bank closed . It was then his habit to withdraw money on a Saturday , but on this particular weekend he had arrived one minute late and found the bank doors locked against him . Later that year , he bumped into the chief General Manager Bareclays Bank who was about to have lunch , Shepherd – Barron to build asked him for 90 seconds to pitch his idea for a cash machine . “I told him I had an idea that if you put your standard Barclays cheque through a slot in the said of the bank , it will deliver standard amounts of money around the clock”, . “He said , ‘come and see me on Monday at a branch in the north London suburb of Enfield on June 27, 1967 . The first person to withdraw cash was actor Reg Varney , a celebrity resident of Enfield known for his part in a number of popular television series . An early deployment of this device outside of the UK took place in Zurich on November , 1967.

Shepherd - Barron was born at shilling India in 1925 to British parents a and later served in the Indian Army in second Airbone division where he taught Gurkhas to parachute . He also invented the PIN by recalling his Indian Army number he had originally intended to make personal identification Number (PIN) six digit long , but reduced the number of four when his wife , Carolin complained that six was too many . “Over the kitchen table , she said she could only remember four figures , so because of her , four figures became the world standard ,” he recalled . All this was possible due to decades earlier a mathematical prodigy by the name of Srinivasa Ramanujan – A mathematical genius of India . When you put your debit or credit card in the machine and order the machine to dispense the amount of your desire , the machine divided and arranged your money before dispensing it , using Ramanuja’s partition Theory.

a) What made John shepherd – Barron to come up with the idea of ATM ?

b) When and where was the first ATM installed ?

c) Who was the first person to withdraw cash form the ATM ?

d) Why did Shepherd – Barron reduce the PIN number from six digits to four ?

e) Which theory of Ramanujan helps the ATM to dispense cash ?

52. Spot the error :-**5x1=5**

a) Abhi is my elder than brother

b) Either the girls or the boys have submit their answer a sheets

c) I saw a stranger in the roadside a stranger was an honest man.

d) If I had seen the green signal .I would have been started my car.

e) We are unable to identify the error

53. Look at the picture and answer the following question :-

5x1=5



Questions

- 1.what is/are behind them?
- 2.By whom was the old lady helped ?
- 3.what does the burning red light refer to the people?
4. Is the traffic rules inevitable in India ?
- 5.What does a flashing yellow light mean?

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