

DAV BR PUBLIC SCHOOL, BINA
Half Yearly Exam
Practice Paper (2024-25)

Class: - III

Subject:-ENGLISH

Time:-2 Hrs

MM-50

Q1. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow: (1x10=10)

The Little Duckling

In a small pond, there lived a little duckling named Daisy. Daisy loved to swim and play in the water. One day, she saw a fish swimming close to her. Daisy wanted to do friendship with the fish, so she swam over to say hello. The fish swam away quickly, but Daisy didn't give up. She swam faster, and finally, the fish stopped. They became friends and played together in the pond every day. Daisy was happy to have a new friend and loved spending time with the fish.

Questions:

1. What was the name of the little duckling?
2. Find the opposite of '**open**' from the passage.
3. What rhymes with '**day**' in the passage?
4. Make a sentence with the word '**swim**'.
5. Choose the odd one out: fish, duckling, cat, pond.
6. Fill in the blank: Daisy loved to _____ and play in the water.
7. Which word in the passage is a synonym for 'small'?
8. Correct the spelling error: '**freind**' from the passage.
9. Who did friendship with Daisy in the pond?
10. Find a word in the passage that means '**attempted or tried**'.

SECTION B - WRITING (10 MARKS)

Q2. Write an application to the principal of your school granting 3 days sick leave due to viral fever. (1x5=5)

Q3. Write a short paragraph on the given topic:-

My best friend (Or) My school (1x5=5)

SECTION C - GRAMMAR (15 MARKS)

Q4. Make the following words more than one. (1x3=3)

- a) ox
- b) dish
- c) trophy

Q5. The following groups of words contain one wrong describing word. Underline it. (1x2=2)

a) **dress**

red, costly, clever, new, neat

b) **movie**

rich, exciting, boring, long, entertaining

Q6. Correct the errors in the given sentences below and write them correctly. (2x2=4)

a) The hunters was surrounded by many wolf.

b) The student and their family were invited for the Annual day function.

Q7. Write one describing word each for the following. (1x2=2)

i) **Seasons** _____ ii) **grapes** _____

Q8. Add atleast one describing word before the underlined Nouns and rewrite the sentences. (2x2=4)

a) The dog was running behind his master.

b) The snake bit the baby.

SECTION D - LITERATURE (15 MARKS)

Q9. Answer the following questions. (2x3=6)

a) What might happen to a person who drinks dirty water?

c) Why do men kill animals?

d) Where did the boy play in the story "Trees"?

Q10) Write words which mean the same. (1x2=2)

a. short and thick

b. A song that is sung to put a baby to sleep

Q11. Fill in the blanks. (1x2=2)

a. Minu saw a _____ in the museum.

b. Trees are the _____ of all things that we know.

Q12. (i) Why does the poet call the trees kind in the poem "Trees are the kindest thing I know". Explain. What do trees teach us?

(2½x1=2½)

Q13. Write a small speech to be given in the school assembly on WILDLIFE DAY on 'Live and Let Live'. (2½x1=2½)

(OR)

Write how we all, especially children, can help in saving endangered species.