

DAV PUBLIC SCHOOL, POKHARIPUT, BHUBANESWAR
PERIODIC ASSESSMENT-III(20-21)
SUB- ENGLISH
Set-I

TIME-1 ½ hrs

Max. Marks -40

Read the passage carefully and choose the right option for the question.

- I. Human beings are the larger parts of a social framework and for any framework to function, rules and regulations are an absolute necessity. When these regulations guide human behavior and devise a sense of organization, a system or an individual is said to be disciplined. Discipline finds its importance in every aspect of human as well as other forms of life. It instills a sense of responsibility, credibility and nurtures a person to be more accountable for their actions.
- II. From the daily routine of a sports person, the regular schedule of a business person to the first steps or achievements of children, discipline is present in all places. But it is equally important to understand that the same book of rules does not work for every person. Punishments may work brilliantly for one child in school but make another child feel miserable about themselves. So discipline anywhere should be compatible and considerate. Unlike the “terms and conditions” which suit their own needs, discipline should always be framed to meet individual requirements first.
- III. In our fast-paced lives, we often have to run so fast to be a part of the crowd, that we forget our own planned schedules. This leads to sleepless nights, anxiety, disorder and in extreme cases chaos and commotion. We indeed need to keep pushing ourselves to blend with the competition, but putting ourselves first is indispensable.
- IV. While discipline does have several interpretations and perceptions, its ultimate purpose is to give us a clear idea of life. The history of great personalities is a witness to the power of discipline in driving accomplishments. Discipline doesn't always have to be something dictating every minute of our life, it can be in the form of small steps which one fine day, bring home a bigger, better version of ourselves.
1. Which of the sentences regarding rules and regulations is correct?
- Rules and regulations may be a necessity for any framework to function
 - Rules and regulations are an absolute necessity for any framework to function.

- c. For any framework to work faster Rules and regulations are a common necessity.
 - d. For any framework to grow faster Rules and regulations are a unique necessity.
2. Which features of discipline should be taken care of before implementing them?
 - a. It instills a sense of responsibility, credibility in children.
 - b. its primary purpose is to give us a clear idea of life.
 - c. It should be considerate and compatible.
 - d. It should not necessarily always be framed to meet individual requirements first.
 3. Which of the below lends us sleepless nights, anxiety, disorder?
 - a. We run fast to be part of a crowd with strict adherence to our planned schedule.
 - b. We ignore our planned schedule while running fast to join a crowd.
 - c. We forget to run fast because of our planned schedules.
 - d. We run fast to prepare our schedule.
 4. Which is the gift of discipline to our life?
 - a. It gives us a clear idea of life.
 - b. It dictates every minute of our life.
 - c. It meets our individual requirements.
 - d. It takes away the better version of ourselves.
 5. What is the limitation of punishment?
 - a. It harms everybody.
 - b. It benefits only the children.
 - c. It benefits one and makes another miserable.
 - d. It benefits all.
 6. Discipline has _____.
 - a. A social framework that is not always effective.
 - b. Several interpretations and perceptions
 - c. Its own planned schedule.
 - d. Unclear ideas of life.

Find out suitable replacements of the words given below.

7. Framework (para-1)
 - a. Importance
 - b. Aspect
 - c. Regulations
 - d. Outline
8. Despondent (para-2)
 - a. Compatible
 - b. Daily
 - c. Miserable
 - d. Credible

Find out opposite words of the following from the above passage.

9. Slow (para-3)

- a. Fast
 - b. Indispensable
 - c. Sleepless
 - d. Extreme.
10. Silly (para-4)
- a. Great
 - b. Clear
 - c. Better
 - d. Totally

Fill the blanks with suitable words to get a meaningful passage.

The night 11. _____ was ghost silent. The winds were moving swiftly. 12. _____ there were people on the street. All the shops 13. _____ and there was only one factory working in the late night. The night was dark like 14. _____ interior of a cave. Suddenly there was a heavenly lightning and it 15. _____ the ground with hard force.

- 11. a. about that day b. at that day c. on that day d. upon that day.
- 12. a. barely b. clearly c. cleverly d. cunningly
- 13. a. have been closed b. had closed c. was closed d. are closed
- 14. a. some b. an c. little d. the
- 15. a. Stricken b. had stricken c. struck d. were struck

Choose the right options for the blanks to complete the reporting.

Pratiti: What is your favourite writer writing English novels?

Susovana: I like novels of Ruskin Bond so much.

Pratiti : So similar our choices are!

Susovana: He is truly a great and versatile writer.

Pratiti : He writes stories and novels and poems in English.

Susovana:What else you know about settings in his stories?

Pratiti: All his settings are Indian.

Susovana : Let's promote his writings among our friends.

Pratiti : Sure.

Pratiti asked Susovana 16. _____ writing English novels. Susovana replied that 17. _____. Pratiti exclaimed that 18. _____. Susovana stated that 19. _____. Then Pratiti added that he writes stories and novels and poems in English. Susovana asked Pratiti asked Susovana 20. _____. Pratiti replied that all his settings are Indian. Susaovana suggested that they should promote his writings among his friends. Pratiti agreed to her suggestion.

- 16. a. . Who is her favourite writer
- b. who her favourite writer had been

- c. who her favourite writer was
 - d. who her favourite writers were.
17. a. . she liked the novels of Ruskin Bond so much
- b. . she would like the novels of Ruskin Bond.
 - c. . She has liked the novels of Ruskin Bond.
 - d. She had liked the novels of Ruskin Bond.
- 18.
- a. Their choices were so similar
 - b. Their choices have been so similar
 - c. Their choice was so similar
 - d. Their choices was so similar.
- 19.
- a. He was a great writer truly.
 - b. He was truly a great versatile writer.
 - c. He was a great truly versatile writer.
 - d. He was truly a versatile writer.
- 20.
- a. what else more she knows about the writer.
 - b. what else he has known about the writer.
 - c. what else he would know about the writer.
 - d. what else she knew about the writer.

Answer the following questions in 20 to 30 words. (2x10)

- 21. Was Montmorency as a trouble maker? If 'yes' or 'no' reason.
- 22. What do you learn about the narrator for taking pride in his packing skills?
- 23. What do you learn about the relation between Bruno and the narrator's wife from their meeting at the zoo?
- 24. What mishap in the library had almost killed Bruno? How could he be saved?
- 25. What did the snake do to avoid being killed?
- 26. How years of Sunlight, air and water have helped the tree?
- 27. What did Santosh not do before enrolling her name in a course of mountaineering? Why did she do so?
- 28. Santosh as a human was a contradiction to her name. Justify.
- 29. Explain the statement, 'My cat was back and so was I'.
- 30. What is the narrator's reaction to see gifts at the gym table?