

BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE EDUCATION

SENIOR INTER ENGLISH PAPER - II

MODEL PAPER

Time: 3 hrs.

Max.Marks: 100

SECTION - A

1. **Annotate any TWO of the following in about 100 words each.** **2 × 4 = 8**
 - a) Happiness after all, is an inner state mind. It is little dependent on outside environment.
 - b) India will be radiant when our children are free to dance in the rain.
 - c) Then to my surprise, and I must confess, my relief, she opened it as quietly and with a grace and dignity that would have befitted a queen. She walked to her seat.
2. **Annotate any TWO of the following in about 100 words each.** **2 × 4 = 8**
 - a) I don't understand why, when I needed you the most, you would leave me.
 - b) And these few precepts in thy memory see thou character.
 - c) If I ask for a flower, it gives me pink flowers.
3. **Answer any TWO of the following questions in about 100 words each.** **2 × 4 = 8**
 - a) According to the writer, in what ways is a child different from adults?
 - b) How does Albee expose the hypocrisy of mommy and daddy in the play The Sandbox?
 - c) What attempts are being made to keep the earth habitable for future generations?
4. **Answer any TWO of the following questions in about 100 words each.** **2 × 4 = 8**
 - a) Explain briefly what the poet Walt Whitman, celebrato.
 - b) What tricks does the earth show, according to Gulzar?
 - c) Make a list of the sounds she hears in that place and the sounds she is used to. Which do you like?
5. **Answer any TWO of the following questions in about 100 words each.** **2 × 4 = 8**
 - a) What did Mrs. Srivastava tell Mrs. Bhushan about the bank? How did the news spread in pipalnagar?
 - b) Describe the condition that forced Mallaiah to collect parige late in the evening.
 - c) Describe the elder brother's attitude to his studies.

SECTION - B

6. **Read the following passage carefully and answer any FOUR questions given after it.** **4 × 1 = 4**

People were turned back from the counters and told to return the following day. They did not like the sound of that. And so they gathered outside on the steps of the bank shouting, 'Give us our money or we will break in!' and 'Fetch the Seth, we know he is hiding in a safe deposit locker!' Mischief makers who didn't have a paisa in the bank, joined the crowd and aggravated their mood. The manager stood at the door and tried to placate them. He declared that the bank had plenty of money but no immediate means of collecting it; he urged them to go home and come back the next day.

Questions:

- i) Where did the people gather?
- ii) What did they shout?
- iii) Who aggravated their mood?
- iv) What did the manager try?
- v) What did he declare?
- vi) Write the synonym of Fetch.

7. Read the following passage carefully and answer any FOUR questions given after it. $4 \times 1 = 4$

It was the industrial revolution that gave birth to environmental pollution as we know it today. Pollution issues escalated as population growth far exceeded the ability of neighbourhoods to handle their waste problem. Reformers began to demand sewer systems, and clean water. Waste - water from the houses collected in the gutters running alongside the curbs and emitted a truly fearsome smell. The emergence of great factories and consumption of immense quantities of coal gave rise to unprecedented air pollution and the large volume of industrial chemical discharges added to the growing load of untreated human waste.

Questions:

- i) When did environmental pollution begin?
- ii) What did reformers demand?
- iii) What happens when waste - water collects in gutters?
- iv) What is the cause for air pollution?
- v) Population growth is linked to an increase in pollution. Write true or false.
- vi) Find the word in the passage which means drainage channels.

8. Study the following advertisement given below and answer any FOUR questions given after it.

$4 \times 1 = 4$

DON'T 'RAG'

ALSO
DON'T BE A
MUTE WITNESS
TO 'RAGGING'



What is Ragging?
Any act resulting in:

- Mental / Physical / Sexual abuse
- Verbal abuse
- Indecent behaviour
- Criminal intimidation / Wrongful restraint
- Undermining human dignity
- Financial exploitation / Extortion
- Use of force

Each of the above is a criminal offence

A student indulging in ragging can be :

- Expelled from the institution
- Banned from the mess / hostel
- His / her scholarship can be withdrawn
- Debarred from examinations
- Denied admission to any institution
- Prosecuted for criminal action
- Institutions have been asked to file FIR with local police against those who RAG / ABET ragging



GO AHEAD, REPORT RAGGING

Join Hands to make our Campus Ragging Free

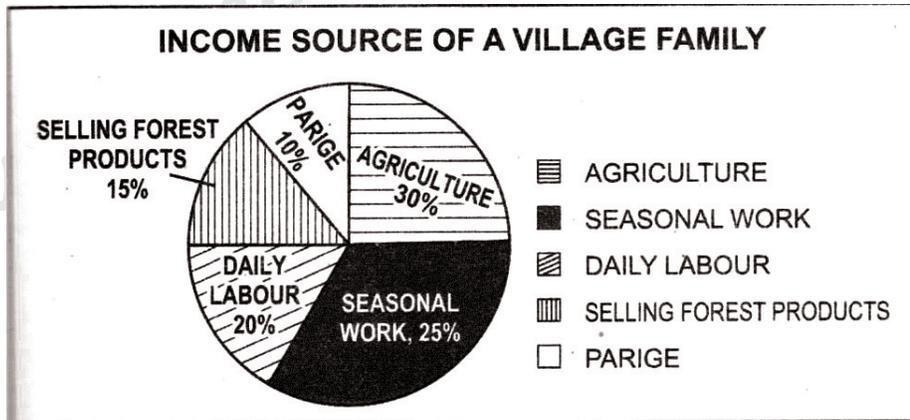
Questions:

- i) Name the social evil that is being picturised in the advertisement.
- ii) What are the four forms of abuse listed in the advertisement?
- iii) What are students encouraged to do if they come across someone being ragged?
- iv) Write down any two ways that a student can be punished for indulging in ragging.
- v) Students should not rag; Besides they should also not be a to ragging.

(Fill in the blanks using words from the advertisement)

- vi) The advertisement suggests that..... (Choose the best option)
 - a. It is impossible to stop the evil of ragging
 - b. If all co-operate, ragging in educational institutions can be completely stopped.
 - c. Some students should rag others while the rest should watch.

9. The following pie-chart depicts the income source of a typical village family. Study it and answer any FOUR questions that follow. 4 × 1 = 4



Questions:

- i) What does the pie-chart show?
- ii) Which is the highest income source?
- iii) How many income sources are given in the chart?
- iv) What is the share of daily labour in the family's income?
- v) Which two income sources put together come to half of the total income?
- vi) Parige occupies the last place among all the income sources. Write true or false.

SECTION - C

10. Rewrite the following passage/ sentences using eight of the punctuation marks wherever necessary. $8 \times \frac{1}{2} = 4$

having got the larger frame i looked more closely at my own country and wrote the discovery of India in it i concentrated on my country's past and the story of its development.

16. Write down the procedure to apply for an Aadhar Card. 1 × 4 = 4

(OR)

Write a short paragraph describing the process of making a glass of orange juice.

17. Write a letter of complaint on the theft of your mobile in your hostel. 1 × 4 = 4

(OR)

Write a letter to your cousin who recently meet with an accident. Advise him to be careful while driving and also wish him a quick recovery.

18. Read the following passage and make notes. Add a suitable title. 1 × 4 = 4

Renewable energy resources are being used all over the world. Brilliant minds have devoted their lives to finding resources that do not leak greenhouse gases into the ozone layer and which do not cost large amounts of money. Hydro energy, solar energy, wind energy, energy from bio mass and bio fuels are viable alternative sources of energy. They are clean sources of energy and have lower carbon emissions compared to conventional sources of energy such as fossil fuels. What's more, the energy generated is nearly 80% renewable.

Harnessing the power of moving water to generate electricity, known as hydroelectric power, is the largest source of emission-free, renewable electricity worldwide and has been used over the ages. Solar power is another excellent energy resource. The sun gives us free rays, so why not use them as a power source? solar power is trapped by special rows of panels which take in the energy of the sun and provide power for homes. In places which are windy, powerful wind turbines have been constructed to provide energy. The turbines are big towers with three prongs which are pushed around by the wind. This produces energy. The largest 'wind farm' in the world is in Denmark.

Biogas is a popular source of energy in some countries. In Vietnam, cow and pig manure and waste is washed into a drain, where the gas is allowed to gather through pipes, then leak into a large 'bag', which is situated above the stove. The methane (the gas produced by the cow and pig manure) is then stored and used as fuel. This procedure is environmentally friendly. Biomass fuels used today come in the form of wood products, dried vegetation, crop residues, and aquatic plants. Biomass has become one of the most commonly used renewable sources of energy in the last two decades.

19. Mark the stress for any EIGHT of the following words. $8 \times \frac{1}{2} = 4$

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|---------------|-------------|------------------|---------------|
| i) toothpaste | ii) gazette | iii) examination | iv) centre |
| v) curiosity | vi) because | vii) reality | viii) monsoon |
| ix) unique | x) social | | |

20. Write a dialogue between the principal and a student who is applying for leave. 1 × 4 = 4

(OR)

Write a dialogue between two students discussing their opinion about the importance of communication skills.

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