

विषय कोड : **113**  
Subject Code :

**CLASS-IX QUARTERLY EXAMINATION, JUNE - 2025**

कक्षा - IX त्रैमासिक परीक्षा, जून - 2025

**ENGLISH**  
**( COMPULSORY )**

कुल प्रश्न :  $70 + 20 + 8 = 98$

**Total Questions :  $70 + 20 + 8 = 98$**

(समय : 3 घंटे )

[ Time : 3 Hours ]

कुल मुद्रित पृष्ठ : 16

**Total Printed Pages : 16**

( पूर्णांक : 80 )

[ Full Marks : 80 ]

**SECTION - B**

**( Short Answer Type Questions )**

*Question Nos. 1 to 20 are Short Answer Type. Answer any 10 questions.*

*Each question carries 2 marks :*

**10 × 2 = 20**

1. Why was Padma unhappy with her father ?
2. What does SMS stand for ?
3. How does deforestation in Nepal affect India ?
4. What is the identity of human race according to Padma ?
5. What are stirring ashes in the poem 'The Grandmother' ?
6. How did Yayati become old ?
7. What is a voice call ?
8. How did Sonal Mansingh react after she regained consciousness ?
9. For whom is life hell, according to Padma's mother ?
10. Does God require His appreciation ?
11. Who was Emperor Yayati ?
12. From where did Santosh take the inspiration of mountaineering ?
13. What does SMSC stand for ?
14. What was the reply of Yayati's eldest son ?
15. Why did Hindu priests and maulavis hate Kabir ?

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16. Why does the poet ask the wind to flow ?
17. What did Padma want to know from her parents ?
18. How is the health of the forest threatened ?
19. Was Yayati devoid of sensual desires ?
20. Why is the delivery of a message delayed ?

**( Long Answer Type Questions )**

*Question Nos. 21 to 28 are Long Answer Type. Answer any 4 questions. Each question carries 5 marks :*

**4 × 5 = 20**

21. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow :

The Painted Desert, located in Arizona, covers 93,500 acres and stretches over 160 miles. It is called 'painted' because of coloured rocks that look like they were painted. This colourful desert has cliffs and hills. It also has trees that turned to stone long ago. These trees are located in a place called, 'the Petrified Forest'.

*Questions :*

- a) Where is the Painted Desert located ?
- b) Why is it called 'painted' ?
- c) How many acres of land does it cover ?
- d) Name two things you might see in the Painted Desert.
- e) What happened to some of the trees here ?

22. Read the poem carefully and answer the questions that follow :

Every evening,  
Dinner time,  
A bath to wash away the grime ;  
Story read,  
Cover raised,  
Curtain parted, eyes starglazed ;  
Eyelids heavy,  
Fighting sleep,  
Soon give in to slumber deep.

*Questions :*

- a) During what time does the poem take place ?
- b) Does the speaker want to go to sleep ?
- c) What do you understand by 'starglazed' ?
- d) What does the child do everyday ?
- e) Who does finally give in to sleep ?

23. Write a paragraph on any one of the following :

- a) Discipline
- b) A stitch in time saves nine.

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24. Write a letter to your mother explaining how you are preparing for your examination.
  25. Write an application to your Headmaster to help you financially from the Poor Boys' Fund.
  26. Write a speech on 'Teachers' Day'.
  27. Write a report on your visit to a museum in your town.
  28. Write a message to your cousin to pick you up after your tuition classes at 7 p.m.
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# **9th English Subjective**

## **SECTION-B**

**(Short Answer Type Questions)**

**Question Nos. 1 to 20 are Short Answer Type.**

**Answer any 10 questions.**

**1. Why was Padma unhappy with her father?**

**Answer:-** Padma was unhappy with her father because he was money-minded and didn't respect the equality of men and women.

**2. What does SMS stand for?**

**Answer:-** SMS stands for Short Message Service.

**3. How does deforestation in Nepal affect India?**

**Answer:-** Deforestation in Nepal leads to soil erosion and floods in the plains of India, especially in Bihar.

**4. What is the identity of human race according to Padma?**

**Answer:-** According to Padma, humanity is the true identity of the human race, beyond religion or gender.

**5. What are stirring ashes in the poem "The Grandmother"?**

**Answer:-** The "stirring ashes" represent the fading memories and deep pain associated with the grandmother's death.

**6. How did Yayati become old?**

**Answer:-** Yayati became old because he was cursed by Shukracharya for his immoral behavior.

**7. What is a voice call?**

**Answer:-** A voice call is a type of phone call where people talk using their voices over a telephone or mobile network.

**8. How did Sonal Mansingh react after she regained consciousness?**

**Answer:-** After regaining consciousness, Sonal Mansingh asked if she would be able to dance again, showing her dedication to dance.

**10. Does God require His appreciation?**

**Answer:-** No, God does not require appreciation, but expects humans to use their talents wisely in His service.

**12. From where did Santosh take the inspiration of mountaineering?**

**Answer:-** Santosh Yadav got inspired to take up mountaineering after seeing mountaineers climbing the Aravalli hills near her village.



# Long Question

**25. Write an application to your Headmaster to help you financially from the Poor Boys' Fund.**

To

The Headmaster,

[Your School Name],

[City Name].

Subject: Request for financial help from the Poor Boys' Fund.

Respected Sir,

I am a student of Class X in your school. My father is a daily wage worker and the only earning member of our family. Due to financial problems, it is becoming very difficult for me to buy books and pay school fees.

I humbly request you to kindly help me financially from the Poor Boys' Fund so that I can continue my studies without any problems. I shall be highly grateful to you.

## **26. Write a speech on Teachers' Day'.**

Good morning to all respected teachers and my dear friends,

Today, we are here to celebrate Teachers' Day. It is celebrated on 5th September every year in honour of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, a great teacher and the second President of India.

Teachers are our guides and role models. They help us grow, learn, and become better human beings. They give us knowledge and inspire us to dream big. On this special day, we thank all our teachers for their hard work and love.

**27. Write a report on your visit to a museum in your town.**

A Visit to the City Museum

Last Sunday, our school organized a visit to the City Museum. We went with our class teacher and reached there by bus. The museum had many interesting sections like ancient history, art, coins, weapons, and paintings.

We saw old statues, swords, tools, and clothes used by kings. There were also beautiful paintings and models of old forts. It was a very educational and enjoyable trip. We learned a lot about our history and culture.

**28. Write a message to your cousin to pick you up after your tuition classes at 7 p.m.**

Date: [Insert Date]

Time: [Insert Time]

Message:

Hi [Cousin's Name],

Please pick me up after my tuition classes at 7 p.m. today. I will be waiting outside the tuition centre. Don't be late.

Thanks,

[Your Name]