



SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT – FIRST TERM

EXPRESSIONS IN ENGLISH

Max. Marks: 60

Std - V

Time: 2 Hrs

- I. Write the synonyms:** **5 x 1 = 5**
1. restless - 3. counsel - 5. diverged -
 2. wisp - 4. hovering -
- II. Write the antonyms:** **5 x 1 = 5**
6. savage x 8. cowered x 10. swayed x
 7. bedraggled x 9. thick x
- III. Quote from memory:** **5**
11. Poem: *The Road Not Taken*:
 From: 'Two roads diverged -----
 To: ----- bent in the undergrowth'.
- IV. Write the meanings of these idioms:** **5 x 1 = 5**
12. eaten by curiosity 14. get cold feet 16. fell on deaf ears
 13. a piece of cake 15. out of the blue
- V. Choose and write the correct form of the noun in each sentence:** **3 x 1 = 3**
17. Mother washed all the (*potato / potatoes*) before cooking them.
 18. I lost both my new (*watches / watch*)
 19. People were asked to provide for the (*child / children*) in the orphanage.
- VI. Add 'ed' to the word to form past tense:** **2 x 1 = 2**
20. talk - _____.
 21. walk - _____.
- VII. Answer the following in one word from the poem 'In Colour':** **5 x 1 = 5**
22. What if things were only grey?
 23. What does everybody know?

24. What fades too quickly?
25. Have you watched the sunlight on the sea? What colours did you see?
26. What do painters know well?

VIII. Write quite or quiet in the following sentences: **2 x 1 = 2**

27. Surprisingly, it was calm and _____ before the storm.
28. I am _____ good at math but my sister is even better.

IX. Complete the similes: **5 x 1 = 5**

29. as blind as a _____.
30. as brave as a _____.
31. as proud as a _____.
32. as cunning as a _____.
33. as busy as a _____.

X. Answer the following: **5 x 2 = 10**

34. Who carried Sinbad into the nest?
35. What do the diverged roads symbolise?
36. Why did Black Beauty call himself a horse?
37. Why were Darzee and his wife miserable?
38. How did Rikki-Tikki burn his nose?

XI. Answer in detail: (Any one) **1 x 5 = 5**

39. Why would you call the merchants cunning?
40. Did Rikki-Tikki do the right thing by not following Nag and Nagina?

XII. Letter writing: **5**

41. Write a leave letter to your class teacher requesting two days of leave as you are suffering from fever.

XIII. Write any three proverbs: **3 x 1 = 3**