SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT – THIRD TERM

EXPRESSIONS IN ENGLISH

Max. Marks: 60

Std - VII

Time: 2 Hrs

Name of the School:	Name of the Student:
Place:	Roll No.:

I. **Choose the most appropriate synonyms of the underlined in the following sentences:** **6 × ½ = 3**

1. Ravi asked, "Are you *pleased*?"
   - a. satisfied
   - b. confident
   - c. avoid

2. Students should pay *attention* to their studies.
   - a. revelation
   - b. focus
   - c. seasoned

3. The teacher speaks to the students in a *gentle* manner.
   - a. sleek
   - b. yelled
   - c. mildly

Choose the most appropriate antonyms of the underlined in the following sentences:

4. Ravi and Mahesh were *frightened*.
   - a. stilled
   - b. smooth
   - c. fearless

5. Ravi bought a *large* water bottle.
   - a. ordinary
   - b. small
   - c. deplete

6. Mala bought a *pair* of slippers.
   - a. income
   - b. moist
   - c. mismatch

II. **Choose the best answer from the option given below:** **3 × 1 = 3**

7. The Khoja refused to return the money because
   - a. he did not believe the money lender
   - b. he wanted to buy a coat and mule.
   - c. he had guessed the truth, but did not want to return the money.
   - d. he expected God to give him the one gold coin.

8. The Chinese kept salted fish inside rice in order to
   - a. create a combination of main dish and side dish.
   - b. hide it from the other farmers who worked with them.
   - c. reduce the smell of fish
   - d. prevent it from decaying

9. Sushi is popular in riverside restaurants because

    a. vinegar gives it a tangy taste.

    b. plenty of fresh fish is available there.

    c. pressure cooking has reduced the preparation time.

    d. people are very health conscious in Japan.

III. **Fill in the blanks in the sentences below with the correct preposition to complete the phrasal verb:**   **4 × 1 = 4**

(down, forward, on, out, up)

10. Amit pretends to have studied abroad and puts _____ a fake accent.

11. The hall will look very artistic once you put _____ all the paintings and pictures.

12. The new employee hesitates to put _____ his ideas and opinions at meetings.

13. It is wrong to put someone _____ just because they cannot afford expensive clothes.

14. They managed to put _____ the fire before the firemen arrived.

IV. **Change the following statements into direct speech:**   **3 × 2 = 6**

15. The mother said, "I never scold my children."

16. He thought, "I shall cheat everyone and take the money"

17. The news report said, "People in Europe are facing an economic issue."

V. **Change the following statements into indirect speech:**   **3 × 2 = 6**

18. The students told the teacher that they had enjoyed the story.

19. On seeing the Khoja the servants greeted him, respectfully.

20. The money-lender told the Khoja that his act was done in jest.

VI. **Write the name of the actions done during cooking:**   **10 × ½ = 5**

(marinate, sauté, ferment, grate, peel, whisk, roast, simmer, slice, deep-fry)

21. Fry in a lot of oil

22. Boil for a long time in a low heat.

23. Fry quickly with less oil.

24. Remove the outer covering

25. Beat cream of eggs with light, quick movements continuously.

26. Cook to a crisp by keeping over heat for a long time.

27. Cut into pieces.

28. Use yeast or good bacteria to make the food soft and sour.

29. Reduce food into very tiny pieces.

VII. **Fill in the blanks with the correct determiners:**   **4 × 1 = 4**

30. She loves to have her tea with _____ginger(a few / a little)

31. I planted _____tress on my birthday.(a few / few)

32. His plans fail because he spend _____ time on planning. (little / a little)

33. I eat plenty of vegetables with _____ rice. (a few / a little)

VIII. Quote from memory: **1 × 5 = 5**

34. Name of the poem: 'An Old House Unroofed by an Autumn Gale'

From: "The roof ………

To: …….. wadded quilt".

IX.   Who said this to whom? And Why?   **4 × 1 = 4**

35. "Be good enough to partake in this dish"

36. "The Cadi Effendi shall decide between us".

37. "My dinner, give to me".

38. "Better lose part than all".

X.   Answer any five of the following questions in not more than 30 words each:

5 × 3 = 15

39. How did Jem lose the pudding?

40. Write about the Khoja's prayer.

41. Why do you think Peter's mother was unhappy? What made her happy in the end?

42. Write about the old man's physical condition.

43. How did the Khoja trick the cadi into taking his side?

44. What reason does Jem give for saving a part of his food?

45. What reason does Peter give for dropping the Parsnip man?

XI.   Read the following passage and answer the following questions: **1 × 5 = 5**

46.   There once was a king named John who did a good deed for a satyr. And he was then granted a wish by Dionysus, the god of wine. For his wish, John asked that whatever he touched would turn to gold. Despite Dionysus' efforts to prevent it, John pleaded that this was a fantastic wish, and so, it was bestowed. Excited about his newly – earned power, John started touching all kinds of things, turning each item into pure gold. But soon, John became hungry. As he picked up a piece of food, he found he couldn't eat it. It had turned to gold in his hand.

Hungry, John groaned, "I'll starve! Perhaps this was not such an excellent wish after all! "Seeing his dismay, John's beloved daughter threw her arms around him to comfort him, and she too, turned to gold. "The golden touch is no blessing," John cried.

1. Give a suitable name for this story.

2. What was John's wish?

3. Who granted a wish to John?

4. Why John said" The golden touch is not a blessing"?

5. Find any two adjectives from the story?