

GIRLS CADET COLLEGE MARDAN
ENTRY TEST FIRST YEAR MODEL PAPER- ENGLISH

Time: 1 Hour

Marks: 50

Q1. Choose the correct option. 15)

- i. A white elephant means something:
 - a. very beautiful
 - b. useless and costly
 - c. looks ugly
 - d. None of these
- ii. Took his words means:
 - a. Ignored what he said
 - b. Accepted or believed what he said
 - c. Disagreed with his statement
 - d. Repeated his words exactly
- iii. The cat is out of the bag means:
 - a. Secret is revealed
 - b. Secret is revealed carelessly
 - c. Secret is not disclosed
 - d. None of these
- iv. They hadn't told us _____.
 - a. where was the exam
 - b. what time the exam was
 - c. when was the exam going to start
 - d. how long would the exam last
- v. There was nothing you could do for the whole afternoon, _____?
 - a. was there
 - b. weren't there

- c. were they
- d. wasn't there

- vi. There wasn't any information on _____ departure time of _____ flight.
- a. the / the
 - b. a / -
 - c. the / an
 - d. a / the
- vii. Ahmad has finished the project, but _____ sister is still working on _____.
- a. his / hers
 - b. her / their
 - c. their / his own
 - d. hers / her
- viii. Sometimes everybody may need to be _____.
- a. to each other
 - b. of one's own
 - c. on their own
 - d. by herself
- ix. It takes about ten minutes to drive _____ this tunnel.
- a. through
 - b. across
 - c. over
 - d. among
- x. She never misses the concerts of her favourite band _____ they give one near her hometown.
- a. in case
 - b. until
 - c. whenever
 - d. so that

- xi. My grandfather turned up the volume of the TV _____ hear the news.
a. in case
b. so that
c. in addition to
d. in order to
- xii. Schools open in September after _____ holiday.
a. three months' of
b. three months
c. the three months
d. a three months'
- xiii. You can get over diseases _____ the common cold without taking any medicine.
a. both
b. such as
c. what is more
d. since
- xiv. My friends don't agree with me, but I find maths _____ the other school subjects.
a. less difficult than
b. difficult enough
c. so difficult that
d. more difficult
- xv. She finds even _____ rides in the amusement park so thrilling.
a. less horrible than
b. horrible enough
c. the most horrible
d. as horrible as

Q2. Change the voice of the following: 5)

- a. Someone had broken the window by 3:00 p.m.
- b. A strange man was watching us.
- c. Tokyo will hold the Olympics in 2020.
- d. We are working on the report right now.
- e. My manager has told him to arrive earlier.

Q3. Change the speech of the following: 5)

- a. "Call the ambulance," said the man.
- b. Aslam said to me, "I shall do the work."
- c. My mother said to me, "You were wrong."
- d. Mr.Arshad said to me, "Please wait here till I return."
- e. The captain said to me, "Bravo! You have played well."

Q4. Imagine your pet (cat, dog, hamster, etc.) suddenly starts talking! Write a story about your first conversation... / Write an essay on '**Corruption and its effects on the economy of a society**' /Write a letter or application/ Describe the given picture. (10)

Q5. Read the poem and answer the following questions. / Translation question / Arrangement of Sentence 10)

Oh, sweet content, that turns the labourer's sweat
 To tears of joy, and shines the roughest face;
 How often have I sought you high and low
 And found you still in some lone quiet place;
 Here, in my room, when full of happy dreams,
 With no life heard beyond that merry sound Of moths that on my lighted
 ceiling kiss Their shadows as they dance and dance around;
 Or in a garden, on a summer's night,
 When I have seen the dark and solemn air
 Blink with the blind bats' wings, and heaven's bright face

Twitch with the stars that shine in thousands there. -William Henry Davies

Questions:

- (1) What does the poet mean by 'no life heard'?
- (2) Why, do you think, has the poet mentioned the labourer?
- (3) What is 'Sweet Content', according to the poet?
- (4) What message does the poet give us in this poem?
- (5) highlight and explain two figurative devices used in poem .

Q6. Fill the blank spaces with correct prepositions. .

(5)

Dear Johnny I am sorry (i) ____ my inability to keep an appointment (ii) ____ you yesterday. I promised to see you (iii) ____ Om-Cineplex (iv) ____ 8.15 p.m. you must have waited (v) ____ me there. I sincerely apologise (vi) ____ you for my absence. Well, let me explain what happened. My elder brother met (vii) ____ an accident while returning (viii) ____ college He was (ix) ____ great pain .I had to rush him (x) ____ the hospital. Now he is better.

OR

Make sentences for the following words.

1. Demolish
2. Ceremonious
3. Perceive
4. Impeccable
5. Jovial