EDUGROSS

Section I: Each question carries 1 mark.

(10 x 1= 10 marks)

Read each sentence and complete it with the right form of verb.

- 1. I ______ my hands because they were dirty. (wash)
- 2. Somebody has ______ this window pane. (broke)
- 3. I feel good. I ______ very well last night. (sleep)
- 4. It ______ a lot while we were on holiday. (rain)
- 5. I have _____ my bag. (lose) Have you _____ it? (see)
- 6. This house was ______ about 15 years ago. (build)
- 7. I have never ______a horse. (ride)
- 8. Goutham is a good friend of mine. I have ______ him for a long time. (know)
- 9. I _______ to bed early because I was tired. (go)
- 10. Abhi's bicycle was _____ last week. (steal)

Section II: Each question carries 1 mark. (10 x 1= 10 marks)

Complete the sentences with the correct word. There are two extra words

(division, explosion, revision, expression, player, profession, situated, decision, forest, discussion, islands, permission)

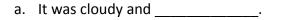
- 1. When I got home yesterday, my father had a surprised ______ on his face.
- 2. My uncle's ______ is medicine. He's a doctor.
- 3. Our class often has a ______ about important subjects.
- 4. Tropical rain _____are rapidly disappearing.
- 5. The teacher made ______ to give the children a test.
- 6. When they blew up the old tower, the ______ was very loud
- 7. It is very important to do lots of ______ before a test at school.
- 8. Jazz is to music as football is to _____
- 9. The Pyrences are ______ between Spain and France.
- 10. The Seychelles are a group of ______ in the Indian Ocean.



Section III: Each question carries 6 marks.

$(5 \times 6 = 30 \text{ marks})$

1. Write the antonyms.



- b. It was hot ______ in the classroom.
- c. The classroom was full and quiet ______.
- d. It was dark _____and cool inside.
- e. There was a normal ______painting on the wall.
- f. The test was very simple ______.

2. Complete the questions.

- a. What ______ the weather like yesterday?
- b. How many hours of school_____ you _____ each day?
- c. What _____ you _____ at midnight last night?
- d. What _____ you ____last Friday?
- e. What ______ your best friend ______ at the moment?
- f. When _____ you ____ your evening meal?

3. Write the words with ing and ed suffixes.



- e. Kuwait
- f. Norway
- 5. Answer the questions about yourself. Use full sentences.
 - a. Have you ever been on a plane? ______
 - b. Have you ever eaten Chinese food? ______
 - c. Have you ever climbed a mountain?
 - d. Have you ever swum in a river? ______
 - e. Have you ever been to London?
 - f. Have you ever seen a turtle?

Section IV: Each question carries 10 marks.

(1x 10 = 10 marks)

You were the emcee of a popular programme for children which were telecast yesterday.

Write a Diary Entry of the day when you came to know that children liked your

programme and you have now become a public figure. (Word Limit 120-150) Value

points:

- Day and Date of the programme
- Your experience and feelings
- Your plan to enjoy your success

Section V: Each question carries 2 marks.

Read the passage then answer the questions below:

$(1 \times 12 = 12)$ marks)

One of the greatest advances in modern technology has been the invention of computers. They are widely used in Industries and in Universities. Now there is hardly any sphere of human life where computers have not been pressed in to service of man. We are heading fast on the close of this present century towards a situation when a computer will be as much part of man's daily life as a telephone or a calculator.

Computers are capable of doing extremely complicated work in all branches of learning. They can solve the most complex mathematical problems or put thousands of unrelated facts in order. These machines can be put to varied uses. For instance, they can provide information on the best way to prevent traffic, or they can count the number of times the word "and" has been used in the Bible. Because they work accurately and at high speed, they save the research workers hard work. This whole process by which machines can be used to work for us had been called 'automation'. In the future 'automation' may enable human beings for more leisure than they do today. The coming of automation is bound to have important social consequences.

Some years ago an expert on automation, Sir Leon Bagrit, pointed out that it was a mistake to believe that these machines could 'think'. There no possibility that human beings will be "controlled by machines". Though computers are capable of learning from their mistakes and improving on their performance, they need detailed instructions from human beings to operate. They can never, as it were, lead independent lives or" rule the world" by making decision of their own.

Sir Leon said that in future, computers would be developed which would be small enough to carry in the pocket. Ordinary people would then be able to use them to obtain valuable information. Computers could be plugged into a national network and be used like radios. For instance, people going on holiday could be informed about weather conditions. Car drivers can be given alternative routes when there are traffic jams. It will also be possible to make tiny translating machines. This will enable people who do not share a common language to talk to each other without any difficulty or to read foreign publication. It is impossible to assess that importance of a machine of this short, for many international misunderstandings are caused simple through our failure to understand each other.

Computers will also be used in ordinary public hospital, by providing a machine with a patient's systems; a doctor will be able to diagnosis the nature of illness. Similarly machines could be used to keep a check on a patient's health record and bring it up to date. Doctors will there for have immediate access to a great many facts which will help in their work. Bookkeepers and accountants too could be relieved of dull clerical work, for the tedious task of compiling and checking lists of figures could be done entirely by machines. Computers will also be able to tell the exact the age a man is going to live, with the help of his blood picture. Computers are the most efficient servants man has ever had and there is no limit to the way they can be used to improve our life style and life.

Questions

- 1. What is the greatest advancement in modern technology?
- 2. Explain Automation?
- 3. What was the prediction of Sir Leon about the computers in future?



- 4. Name the areas where computers can be effectively used?
- 5. Find word in above passage which convey the similar meaning for
 - Difficult or complex
 - Collect or arrange
- 6. Why can't computers lead independent lives or rule the world?

Section VI: Each question carries 2 marks. $(1x \ 8 = 8 \text{ marks})$ Complete

the alliteration poem. Use the adjectives in the box.

(spicy, perfect, jolly, icy, delicious, massive, tasty, wonderful, fresh, great)

- a. _____Doughnuts, Excellent eggs, Fabulous, ______fish.
- b. _____ grapes, Healthy honey, Incredible, _____ice-cream.
- c. _____ jelly, Lovely lemons, _____ , melting mushrooms.
- d. Vast vegetables, ______ wheat, Yummy, yellow yoghurt, ______, melting mushrooms.