Primary Education Completion Examination, 2013

ENGLISH
Time—2 hours 30 minutes
Full marks—100

[N.B.—The figures in the right margin indicate full marks.]

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Read the text and answer the questions **1, 2** and **3** :

Belal is a very little boy. One day he was playing in his room. Suddenly he saw a lizard. He went running to kill the lizard. The lizard said, "Don't kill me, please. I help you. I eat mosquitoes. Because of this I stop you getting bitten. Please go and kill the frogs."

Belal did not kill the lizard. He went running to kill a frog. The frog said, "Don't kill me, please. I am your friend. I eat insects. I save crops from harmful insects. Please go and kill crows."

Belal did not kill the frog. He went running to kill a crow. The crow said, "Don't kill me, please. I eat dirty things and keep clean your village. Please go and kill sparrows."

Belal did not kill the crow. He went running to kill a sparrow. The sparrow said, "Don't kill me, please. I put seeds in the soil. The plants grow and you get oxygen and foods from plants to keep you alive. Please go and kill bees."

He didn't kill the sparrow. He went running to kill a bee. The bee said, "I pollinate flowers. I collect nectar from flowers. I take the nectar to the hive and you get honey. If you kill me, you will not get honey. Please go and kill ants."

Belal did not kill the bee. He went running to kill ants. The ants.......

1. Write only the answer on the answer paper :   1×10=10

   (i) Belal is—
      (a) a young boy   (b) a baby boy
      (c) an adult boy   (d) an old boy

   (ii) Lizard eats—
      (a) cockroach   •   (b) insects
      (c) ant's eggs   (d) dead body

   (iii) How do frogs help people?
      (a) Eating harmful insects   (b) Eating insects
      (c) Eating spider   (d) Eating earthworm

   (iv) Plants are useful to us because they—
      (a) are green   (b) give us food
      (c) give us shade   (d) give us shelter

   (v) He didn't kill the lizard, sparrow, crow, frog and bee because—
      (a) they clean rubbish   (b) they help people
      (c) they help plants to grow (d) they make honey

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(vi) Bees are useful because they help—
    (a) plants to grow   (b) flowers to bloom
    (c) pollinate flowers   (d) make nectar

(vii) How do we know that the story has not ended?
    (a) Belal was running to kill ants
    (b) The last sentence begins with "The ants........
    (c) He didn't find ants
    (d) It does not say "THE END"

(viii) " " is called—
    (a) a question mark   (b) quotation mark
    (c) an exclamation mark   (d) a comma

(ix) We use " " mark—
    (a) to express strong feelings
    (b) to separate words that introduce a sentence
    (c) to write a sentence
    (d) to show what someone said or wrote

(x) Choose the best title for this text?
    (a) Belal and the animals   (b) Belal's dream
    (c) Animals around us   (d) small creatures of God.

2. Write one of the words that completes each sentence. There are three extra words which you do not need to use.   1×5=5

around, kill, trees, easy, taste, soil, beat, water.

(a) Plants grow in the ———————————
(b) We should not ——————— animals.
(c) We can't live without ———————————
(d) Sparrows usually live in ———————————
(e) Honey has a sweet ———————————

3. Answer the following questions in sentence(s) :   10
(a) Where was Belal playing?   1
(b) Where can we usually find lizards?   1
(c) Why did the animals request Belal not to kill them?   1
(d) Which creatures do you like the most? Write one reason why you like this creature the most.   1+1=2
(e) What animals does Belal meet?   5

Read the text and answer the questions 4, 5 and 6 :

The name of Mamun's home town is Kishoreganj. It is a district head quarters and is only 145 kilometers north-east of Dhaka. The name Kishoreganj came from the name of an old landlord known as Brojakishore Pramanik or Nandakishore Pramanik. The district consists of 8 municipalities, 13 upazilas, 110 unions and 1794 villages. The area of Kishoreganj town is 19.57 square kolometre. The river Narasunda flows across the town. There are many important places in and around this small town. You can see the largest eid ground known as Solakia Eid Ground, the Pagla Mosque and the well-known Govt. Gurudayal College here. If you go out of the town, you will see the fond of Isah Khan at Jangal Bari, the Shah Muhammad Mosque at Egaroshindhur and the Shiva temple of Chandrabati on the bank of Fuleshwari river. I am very proud of my home town.

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4. Write the answer on the answer paper : 1×10=10
   (i) The story is about—
      (a) Brojakishore Pramanik   (b) Mamun's hometown
      (c) Nanda-Kishore Pramanik   (d) the importance of a town
   (ii) Kishoreganj district is in the—
      (a) North-East of Dhaka   (b) North-West of Dhaka
      (c) South-East of Dhaka   (d) South-West of Dhaka
   (iii) The district Kishoreganj consists of—
      (a) 8 municipalities, 10 upazilas (b) 9 municipalities, 13 upazilas
      (c) 8 municipalities, 13 upazilas (d) 10 municipalities, 12 upazilas
   (iv) The distance of Kishoreganj town from Dhaka is—
      (a) 195 kilometers   (b) 145 kilometers
      (c) 165 kilometers   (d) 154 kilometers
   (v) The name Kisoreganj came from a famous person named—
      (a) Syed Nazrul Islam
      (b) Upendro Kishore Roy Chowdhury
      (c) Zainul Abedin
      (d) An old landlord Brojakishore Pramanik
   (vi) The area of Kishoreganj town is—
      (a) 18·57 square kilometre   (b) 19·57 square kilometre
      (c) 19·67 square kilometre   (d) 19·50 square kilometre
   (vii) Kishoreganj town is not a—
      (a) big town   (b) small town
      (c) little town   (d) tiny town
   (viii) Which river flows across Kishoreganj town?
      (a) The Padma   (b) The Brahmaputra
      (c) The Narasunda   (d) The Meghna
   (ix) Solakia is—
      (a) the biggest Eid ground in Bangladesh
      (b) a very small Eid ground in Bangladesh
      (c) as like as many other Eid grounds in Bangladesh
      (d) Not a Eid ground at all
   (x) Kishoreganj district has—
      (a) a historical importance   (b) an educational importance
      (c) a political importance   (d) both political and historical
                                         importance

5. Match the words of the column A with their meaning that is
   mentioned in the text in the column B. 1×5=5

Column A	Column B
(a) Landlord	(1) having value of significance.
(b) Kilometer	(2) a building used for the worship of God.
(c) Flow	(3) owner of many lands.
(d) Important	(4) movement of water.
(e) Temple	(5) a unit of measurement of length.
	(6) a place where boys play.
	(7) owner of a big company.

6. Answer the following questions in sentence(s) : 5
   (a) Where is the Shiva temple situated? 1
   (b) How many villages are there in Kishoreganj district? 1
   (c) Why Kishoreganj is so important? 3

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7. Rearrange the given five sentences in correct order to make a story : 1×5=5

Long time ago, when Raju was in class 5, there was a fire in his school building. Raju could not forget this for many days. Raju is a firefighter. Everyone got panicked. But soon a fire brigade came and put out the fire.

8. Rewrite the sentence using punctuations and capital letters where necessary : 1×5=5

Amal says, "come neel lets read this story together." neel says, im not feeling well, amal.

9. Arrange and rewrite the following words so that they make sense. 1×5=5
   (a) at, home, is, a, on, friday, sufia.
   (b) winter, lovely, it's, a, morning.
   (c) all, done, homework, her, she, has.
   (d) out, go, to, she, wants, and, with, Helen, play.
   (e) talking, is, she, so, mother, to, her.

10. Translate into English : 1×5=5
    বাবুল পঞ্চম শ্রেণীর একজন ছাত্র। দুবলার চরে তার বাবার একটি ছোট মুদির দোকান ছিল। তার মা ছিল চিংড়ি ঘেরের একজন শ্রমিক। তাদের একটি ছোট ঘর ছিল। বাবুল সেখানে তার বোন নিপা এবং দাদা-দাদির সংগে থাকত।

11. Translate into Bangla : 1×5=5
    Tania is from Chittagong. She is visiting Khagrachari. There she meets Baichong Chakma. They become friends. One day, they were talking about their likes and dislikes about sports.

12. Read the following situation. Make a dialogue using would or could: 5
    You want to go to a book fair with your friend.

13. Suppose, Bushra lives with her parents. Recently her father has been transferred from Dhaka to Bogra. Her father's name is Md. Karim and mother's name is Taslima Begum. Now she wants to get admitted to class five in a local primary school on transfer. Her date of birth is 29th June.
    By using the above information, you have to fill up the following admission form : 5

Admission Form

   (a) Name of the applicant   :
   (b) Father's name   :
   (c) Mother's name   :
   (d) Date of Birth   :
   (e) Seeking admission to class   :

14. Write a short and simple composition on "My birthday" using the given cues : 10
    • memorable day
    • arrangement of birthday program
    • dress on birthday
    • songs and games for enjoyment
    • birthday cake
    • candles
    • birthday wish

15. Suppose, you are Shimu. Your home address is 25, Green Road, Dhaka. Now write a letter to your friend Sufia about your hobby. 10

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