

QUARTERLY EXAMINATION

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Class - 11th
Subject - English

Max.Marks- 50

Time : 3 Hours

Note :- 1) This question paper is divided into three sections.

2) Attempt all questions.

SECTION - A (Reading Skill)

Que.1. Read the following passage carefully :-

Conversation is indeed the most teachable of all arts. All you need to do in order to become a good conversationalist is to find a subject that interest you and your listeners. It just as important to know what subjects to avoid and what subjects to selects for good conversation. If you don't want to be set down as a wet blanket or a bore, be careful to avoid certain unpleasant subject. Avoid talking about yourself, unless you are asked to do so people are intrested in their own problems not in yours sickness or death bores everybody. The only one willingly listens to such talk is the doctor, but he gets paid for it.

To be good conversationalist you must know not only what to say, but also how also to say it. Be Mentally quick and witty. But don't hurt others with your wit finally try to avoid mannerism in your conversation. Don't bite yours lips or click your tongue, or roll your eyes as you speak. <https://www.cgboardonline.com>

- Que. a) Make notes on the contents of above paragraph in any format, using abbreviations supply a suitable title also. 4
- b) Make a summary of the passage. 4
- c) On the basis of your reading of the passage, answer the following questions. 2
- 1) What is the most teachable of all arts ?
 - 2) What things avoid in your conversations ?

SECTION - B (Writting)

Que.2. You are the head boy/girl of your school Draft a notice for the notice-board about a picnic that your school is organising, giving all necessary information in not more than 50 words asking those desirous to join the picnic to give their names. 4

Que.3. You are Seema a student of class XI. Write an application to the principal of your school requesting him to issue the school leaving certificate. 4

Que.4. Design a poster to increase awareness among youths about "Tabacco". 4

Que.5. Make advertisement for coaching center. 4

Que.6. Do as directed :- 4

- 1) He sang a song. (Change into past continuous)
- 2) You _____ obey the laws of our country. (must, used to, can)
- 3) You can't _____ to fight with him. (dare, need not, would)
- 4) They see a tiger. (Change into passive voice)

SECTION - C (Literature)

Que.7. And who art thou ? Said I do the
Soft-falling shower,
Which strang to tell,
gave me an answer,
as he translated.
I am the poem of earth,
said the voice of the rain.

- Que. 1) Who is "I" in the first line ?
2) What does the rain call itself ? Why ?
3) Why does the poet say, as here translated ?

Que.8. Answer the following questions, in about 40-50 words each. 5

- 1) List the advances in technology that have improved forensic analysis. <https://www.cgboardonline.com>
- 2) Here are the termes for different kinds of vessels : yatch, boat, canoe, ship, steamer, schooner, Think of similar terms in your language.

Que.9. Answer the following question in about 120-150 words. 12

- 1) The author's grand mother was a religious person. What are the differant ways in which we come to know this ?
- 2) What the human values did the two young boys reflect, in their character ? According to the story 'The summer of the beautiful white horse' Explain.