



- 12) How did the locusts attack the crops?  
A. One by one    B. In groups    C. In swarms    D. In formations
- 13) Which one is a desert state sweltering with the heat of injustice and oppression? (Refer to the lesson – I have a Dream)  
A. Georgia    B. Mississippi    C. Alabama    D. Virginia
- 14) Della's hair reached below her:  
A. Neck    B. Back    C. Feet    D. Knees
- 15) What was the condition of the overcoat, which the young man was wearing? (Refer to the lesson – Overcoat)  
A. It was old    B. It was new    C. It was ragged    D. It was full of dust
- 16) When would the sun come out? (Refer to the poem – The Rain)  
A. In the morning    B. In the noon  
C. During rain    D. When the rain would stop
- 17) The Night Mail travels:  
A. In day time    B. At night    C. At noon    D. Day and night
- 18) Three score years and ten are:  
A. Forty years    B. Fifty years    C. Sixty years    D. Seventy years
- 19) Which fruit has not been mentioned in the poem? (Refer to the poem – In the Street of the Fruit Stalls)  
A. Mango    B. Melon    C. Guava    D. Mandarin
- 20) The woman in the poem 'A Sindhi Woman' was passing through the:  
A. Market    B. Bazaar    C. Crowd    D. Street



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# ENGLISH COMPULSORY HSSC-I

## (For Hearing Impaired Children)

**Time allowed: 2:35 Hours**

**Total Marks Sections B and C: 80**

**NOTE:** Sections 'B' and 'C' comprise pages 1-2 and questions therein are to be answered on the separately provided answer book. Answer all the questions from Sections 'B' and 'C'. Use supplementary answer sheet i.e. Sheet-B if required. Write your answers neatly and legibly.

### SECTION – B (Marks 40)

**Q. 2 Answer any FOUR of the following questions:**

**( 4 x 4 = 16 )**

- (i) Why did Arthur disagree with his wife?
- (ii) What was the nature of the Luella Bates Washington's job?
- (iii) What should be the role of Qazi?
- (iv) What is a clump of trees?
- (v) Why did the farmers throw wet leaves on fire?

**Q. 3 Translate any ONE of the following paragraphs into Urdu:**

**(08)**

- a. Sheikh Sa'di was a great storyteller. He speaks to all nations and is perpetually modern, said Emerson. He thought of the Gulistan as one of the bibles of the world, for he found in it the universality of moral law. The Gulistan translated in Latin and English, became love for the people.
- b. "A pretty sort of doctor you must be!" cried they, "Before you begin your treatment, you are talking of digging the patient's grave! Away with you; we shall have nothing to do with you."

**Q. 4 Read the following paragraph and answer the questions given at the end:**

**(08)**

Suddenly, at the sound of drumbeat in the court everybody rose from the seats except a few ones who still had the food in their hands. After the drumbeat had ceased, the drummer called out to the people who were now attentive and impatiently waiting for him to call out the public announcement. "It is hereby made known to the inhabitants of this place and general to all persons in the market that a black leather pocketbook containing five hundred shillings and some business papers was lost on the road between 9.00 and 10.00 in the morning. The finder is requested to return the same to the mayor's office or to Mr. James, the caretaker of this public hall. There will be a reward of 20 shillings".

#### Questions:

- (i) Did all the people rise on hearing the sound of drumbeat?
- (ii) What was the announcement made by the drummer?
- (iii) Who was the owner of the lost pocketbook?
- (iv) Where was the pocketbook lost?

-OR-

**Read the following stanza carefully and answer the questions given at the end:**

My neighbour friend breathing his last!  
What should I do, O God! Aghast!  
He is to leave, now can't remain,  
Companions ready to catch the train.  
What should I do, O God! Aghast!  
On every side decamping talk,  
At every place are shrieks in stock,  
What should I do, O God! Aghast!

#### Questions:

- (i) Who is breathing his last?
- (ii) What does it mean by catching the train?
- (iii) Why there are shrieks at every place?
- (iv) Write down the central idea of these lines?

**Q. 5** Write theme of the play 'Visit to a Small Planet'. Also mention the name of the writer. **(08)**

**-OR-**

Write the name of the poet and the central idea of the poem 'Times'.

**SECTION – C (Marks 40)**

**Note: Attempt all the questions.**

**Q. 6** Write an essay on any ONE of the following topics: **(08)**

- (i) My College
- (ii) Importance of Computer

**Q. 7 a.** Make sentences using any FOUR of the following words: **(04)**

- (i) Purchase
- (ii) Shook
- (iii) Ask for
- (iv) Ask After
- (v) Permission
- (vi) Get

**b.** Use the correct form of the verb given in the brackets of any FOUR of the following: **(04)**

- (i) Some travellers (stay) to rest under a clump of trees.
- (ii) The owner (see) this and feared to lose the animal.
- (iii) A man (look) on and observed the procedure.
- (iv) He (tie) the woman's throat.
- (v) They (seize) him to carry him before the king.
- (vi) The man (labour) away with all his might.

**Q. 8** Punctuate the following line (s)/para: **(04)**

well you didnt have to snatch my pocketbook to get some suede shoes said mrs luella

**Q. 9** Write an application to your principle for a day's trip to Murree. **(08)**

**Q. 10** Write down the opposite of any FOUR of the following words: **(04)**

- (i) Dark
- (ii) Angry
- (iii) Hate
- (iv) Morning
- (v) Bad
- (vi) Left

**Q.11** Write a letter to News Editor, highlighting the severe water shortage problem in your area: **(08)**

**-OR-**

Write a paragraph on "Honesty is the Best Policy"