## Semester: 2

Subject Code: 14193151
Subject Name: English - II

Date: 20/04/2019
Time: 10:30AM to 1:00PM
Total Marks: 60

## Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
3. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
4. Start new question on new page.
5. Draw diagrams wherever necessary.
Q. 1 Do as directed. (Each of $1 / 2$ marks)
A) Make sentences using the words in the given tense.
6. We - can- climb - mountain (past simple)
7. We - learn - the whole night. (past perfect progressive)
8. He - ever - visit - grandmother? (present perfect simple)
9. I - come - at 7 (going-to future)
10. Where - he - go? (present perfect simple)
11. I - cannot - go out - last night (past simple)
B) Choose the correct form of the verb that agrees with the subject
12. The majority $\qquad$ (want/wants) to go to Goa and not to Nainital.
13. I, Yuvika Sharma, $\qquad$ (is/am) a student of Bal Bharati Public School.
14. Both the trains $\qquad$ (go/goes) to Kashmir.
15. A couple of boys $\qquad$ (disturbs/ disturb) the whole class.
16. Arham, Saksham and Sai none $\qquad$ (appear/appears) to be bright and wise.
17. The minister with his deputies $\qquad$ (is/are) about to arrive.
C) Complete the following sentences using the correct degree of the adjective given in the brackets
18. Andi is 165 cm tall. Donna is 167 cm tall. So, Donna is $\qquad$ than Andi.
A. Taller B. Bigger C. Shorter D. Smaller
19. My father is 45 years old. My mother is 46 years old. So, My mother is $\qquad$ than my father.
A. Older B. Younger C. Stronger D. Taller
20. A horse runs $\qquad$ than a buffalo.
A. Cleaner B. Bigger C. Faster D. Slower
21. Girls' hair is usually $\qquad$ than boys' hair.
A. Smaller B. Longer C. Taller D. Bigger
22. Most students think that Mathematics is $\qquad$ than other subjects.
A. More expensive B. More beautiful C. More diligent D. More difficult
23. Is that the $\qquad$ edition of The Times? (last, latest)
D) Find out errors- preposition
24. There have been doubts in weeks/(a) about the credibility of Presidential elections after/(b) it emerged that Yameen would be the only major candidate./(c) No Error/ (d)
25. The mixture carried by the storm was unhealthy because it had accumulated toxic/(a) substances of combustion sources/(b) in the wind's route./(c) No Error/ (d)
26. All the Pollution control agencies will have to/(a) scale up their coordination/(b) along the India Meteorological Department./(c) No Error/ (d)
27. When oil reserves ran/(a) in, it took a while for the Dutch/(b) economy to normalise./(c) No Error/ (d)
28. For all but three years of the last three/(a) decades, India has consumed more goods and/(b) services than it produced./(c) No Error/ (d)
29. The persistence of the Current Account Deficit and/(a) the consequent dependence on external flows to keep the/(b) currency stable raise questions beyond sustainability./(c) No Error/ (d)
E) Choose the word you think is correct to complete the gaps from the choices given
30. Today, the weather's going to be $\qquad$ A) hopeful B) warm C) blue D) urgent
31. The food at this supermarket is always $\qquad$ . A) gentle B) hopeful C) empty D) fresh
32. I had a brilliant holiday. It was really $\qquad$ A) relaxing B) loving $C$ ) low D) straight
33. When we get ready for dinner, I have to take my books $\qquad$ the table. A. Off B. From
C. Out D. Of
34. It was a long walk, so he began moving slowly $\qquad$ the town. A. For B. Towards
C. Until D. At
35. The week begins $\qquad$ Sunday. A.On B.in C.at D.From
F) Use the given pair of words in sentences to convey different meanings (5 pair of words)
36. Allusion vs. Illusion
37. Among vs. Between
38. Effect vs. Affect
39. Fewer vs. Less
40. Hanged vs. Hung
G) Cloze test - transitional tags
41. 42. I don't like $\qquad$ of my physics teachers.( either, neither ,both)
1. Neither of $\qquad$ valid. (this argument is, these arguments is, these arguments are)
2. $\qquad$ my friends wished me on my birthday. No one of, None of, None 4. $\qquad$ child was given a present. (Each, Each of, Either )
3. His ideas are $\qquad$ different from those of his peers. (little, less ,least)
4. The new job isn't $\qquad$
different from the old one. (many, much, most)
Q. 2 Compare and contrast the given images in around 150 words. (Any two out of three)

Q. 3 A) Reading comprehension (Any ten out of eleven)

Rick, about 5 foot 7 inches tall, is in good health and is a cheerful sort of guy, whom I came to know while trekking through his village in Oregon in 1997. I enjoyed staying with him and working on his diary farm where I experienced a new mode of living. Professionally speaking, for a living I am a fashion designer, so it was a new life style and entirely a new set of circumstances of me. We worked together with over 2000 cattle, and six cowboys. Rick, the master, was interesting and friendly to everyone. In the mornings and evenings, we had to milk cows, and in the afternoons, we led the cows to the pastures in order that they could graze. We had to go across many fields and meadows to get there. Due to spending so much time together, the cattle and people almost seemed to be accustomed to one-another! The fields were a vivid green, and the sky was particularly blue, and all of us looked around in amazement at the contrast of colors. It was like being in an entirely different world. I had not planned to stay for a whole month however, but the novelty of the situation made me forget my home and career. Rick looked after everything for me and gave me great deal of his attention and time. I found Rick different from my other friends, interested about me, caring, and highly amicable.
(A) Find the words in the above passage which are closest in meaning to the following: $4 \times 0.5=2$
(a) friendly (b) uniqueness (c) familiar (d) wonder
B. Complete the following sentences by choosing the correct answer: $4 \times 0.5=2$
(a) Cows gave milk .... a day. (once/twice/thrice)
(b) The writer was greatly ..... with the beauties of nature.
( pleased/ impressed/amazed)
(c )The writer"s boss was a/an ..... person. (amicable/fashionable/familiar)
(d) The writer knew Rick when .... (he was a child/he went to Oregon/ he worked in his dairy farm)
C. Answer the following questions: $3 \times 2=6$
(a) What did the writer think of his new job?
(b) What was his daily duty?
(c) Why did he feel that he was in a completely different world?
D. Give appropriate title to the passage:1x1=1
B) Précis writing of the passage asked in Q. 3 (A).
Q. 4 A) write the dialogue on the given situation. (Any two out of three)

1. Write a dialogue between a doctor and his patient about the condition of his health and prescribing medicine
2. Write a dialogue between two friends discussing about their ambition
3. Write a dialogue between you and customer care executive discussing about the Internet offers for your phone

## B) Letter writing.

You are a sales representative for your company. Write a letter to Mike Mason of ABC Enterprises, introducing one of your new products or services. Be sure to give important details about your product/service.

OR
B) Write a letter to your friend congratulating him/her on his/her success in class 12th board exam.

