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C-109-English

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# Open Basic Education Examination Program – 2019

Level-C (CLASS-8)

## ENGLISH

Time : 2.30 Hrs.]

[Max. Marks: 100

### General Instructions:

- (1) Candidates must write their Enrollment Nos. on the question paper.
- (2) **All** the questions are compulsory.
- (3) Write the answer to each question in the given answer-book only.
- (4) For the questions having more than one part, the answers to those parts must be written together in continuity.
- (5) Write the correct serial number of each question as mentioned in the question paper.
- (6) Questions have been divided into **four** parts. **Part-I** consists of multiple choice questions. **Part-II** consists of one-word answer type questions. **Part-III** consists of comprehension passages (unseen and seen) with the textual questions. **Part-IV** consists of writing skill based questions.
- (7) Draw a table in the answer-sheet and write the answer of the questions from **1 to 9**.

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## Part-I

Choose the correct answer :

**2 × 9 = 18**

1. I received your letter this morning. Here 'received' means :
  - (a) got
  - (b) sent
  - (c) gave
  - (d) provided
2. After the last visitor had left, the animals of a zoo used to assemble everyday. The meaning of the word "Zoo" is :
  - (a) a place where animals are sold.
  - (b) a place where animals are cut.
  - (c) a place where animals are kept and given artificial protection.
  - (d) a place where animals are treated.
3. Which of the following is not related to school ?
  - (a) Student
  - (b) Teacher
  - (c) Mid Day Meal
  - (d) Aeroplane
4. Mahaveer Phogat told Geeta Phogat that \_\_\_\_\_ can be achieved without having dedication towards the goal.
  - (a) nothing
  - (b) everything
  - (c) something
  - (d) anything
5. Mohan is studying \_\_\_\_\_ my room.
  - (a) on
  - (b) in
  - (c) into
  - (d) under

6. Our country \_\_\_\_\_ by the enemy last year.
- (a) is invaded
  - (b) was invaded
  - (c) will be invaded
  - (d) has invaded
7. The tenants \_\_\_\_\_ lived in the surrounding houses have left.
- (a) who
  - (b) whose
  - (c) whom
  - (d) which
8. If I were you, I \_\_\_\_\_ help him.
- (a) will
  - (b) would
  - (c) shall
  - (d) should
9. She \_\_\_\_\_ to school daily.
- (a) is going
  - (b) are going
  - (c) goes
  - (d) went

## Part-II

10. Write the opposite words for the following words : **2 × 1 = 2**  
(a) Far  
(b) Question
11. Write the plurals of the following words : **2 × 1 = 2**  
(a) Story  
(b) Book
12. Give one word for the following group of words : **2 × 1 = 2**  
(a) A person who teaches in the school. t.....  
(b) A piece of land surrounded by water. i.....
13. Write the missing letters in the following words : **2 × 1 = 2**  
(a) el \_ ph \_ nt  
(b) he \_ rt
14. Make new words by adding “hood, ship” to the following words properly : **2 × 1 = 2**  
(a) Child + ..... =  
(b) Citizen + ..... =
15. Identify words with incorrect spelling and rewrite them after correcting : **2 × 1 = 2**  
I get up early in the mourning. Then I play in cool send.
16. Fill in the blanks with the help of the words given in the bracket : **2 × 1 = 2**  
(share, close, assembly)  
(a) Aman and Naman are \_\_\_\_\_ friends.  
(b) They always \_\_\_\_\_ lunch with each other.

17. \_\_\_\_\_ did Mohan see the red light at the cross roads, he stopped his car.  
(No sooner / not with standing) **2**
18. You must keep to the left while driving \_\_\_\_\_ you may avoid an accident.  
(so that / because) **2**
19. Complete the following sentence using the correct form of the verb given in the bracket:  
She generally \_\_\_\_\_ tea but today she is taking coffee. (take) **2**
20. Change the degree of the adjective given in the bracket :  
Budhraj is the \_\_\_\_\_ man in this village. (tall) **2**
21. Answer the following questions based on your text book :  
Who writes the letter and to whom ? [Life in KGBV] **2**
22. What are the five parts of a computer ? [The Electronic Brain : Computer] **2**
23. Use Punctuation marks such as comma, question marks and the capital letters in the following sentences wherever required. **3 x 1 = 3**
- (a) What is your name.
- (b) her mother said “Work hard geeta.
- (c) are you a student ?

### Part-III

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below :

**4 × 3 = 12**

The next morning, when Sangeeta was going to school, she saw someone drowning in the canal. She jumped into the canal immediately. The flow of the water was fast. Sangeeta caught the hand of the drowning child tightly. After trying hard she could pull her to the bank. When she saw the face of the rescued child she was astonished. She was none other than Roshni's sister Adhi Shri. By the time a large crowd gathered there everyone was praising Sangeeta.

24. Who was going to school the next morning ?

25. What did Sangeeta see ?

26. Who was the rescued child ?

27. What was everyone doing ?

28. Read the following unseen passage carefully and answer the following questions :

**2 + 2 + 8 = 12**

I am Sunita. I live in Delhi with my parents. Last summer I went to Rampur to stay with my maternal uncle. My mother packed my luggage. She gave me some dresses for my cousins. She also gave me a wooden horse for little Monti. My father gave me some money. Then he took me to the railway station. When I reached Rampur, I saw my uncle. He was waiting for me at the railway station. He took me to home.

(a) "I live in Delhi with my parents."

For whom does the word "I" here refer to ?

(b) She gave me some dresses .....

For whom does the word “she” here refer to ?

(c) Rearrange the following sentences according to the time of events :

(i) I went to Rampur to stay with my maternal uncle.

(ii) My father gave me some money.

(iii) I saw my uncle.

(iv) I am Sunita. I live in Delhi with my parents.

(v) My mother packed my luggage.

(vi) He was waiting for me at the railway station.

#### Part – IV

29. Imagine that you are Anurag from Delhi. Some person use loudspeakers at high volume during late night. You are being disturbed. Write a letter to the District Collector to ban the use of loudspeakers during late night.

You may use the following clues :

**1 × 10 = 10**

The .....

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Dear Sir/Madam

I ..... from ..... Some person ..... we are .....  
examination

..... It is hard to study ..... Therefore, I request .....

Thanking you in anticipation.

Yours faithfully

Name

**OR**

**1 × 10 = 10**

You are Mohan. Your friend Sohan got A<sup>+</sup> grade in class VIII. Write a letter congratulating him on his grand success.

30. Your school organized an “Educational Tour” to Agra last week. You were also the part of it. Write a short paragraph of about ten sentences telling what you saw and did there.

You may use the following words in the paragraph :

**1 × 11 = 11**

[reached by bus, Taj Mahal, bought tickets, beautiful building, white marble, Shahjahan, memory of Mumtajmahal, breakfast, returned, happy]

**OR**

Write a story in about one hundred words with the help of the given outlines.

a lion – sleeping under a tree – a mouse comes – starts jumping on lion’s body – wakes up – catches – gets angry – prays for mercy – leaves – hunter – caught in a net – roars – mouse comes – cuts the net – freed – happy.

**1 × 11 = 11**

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