

I. A. Change the correct Synonyms for the underlined words:

5x1=5

1. Only few hatchlings survive, escaping from predators.
 - a. Create
 - b. Continue to live
 - c. vanish
2. The world without tree is a night mare.
 - a. A frightening dream
 - b. Sweet dream
 - c. Pleasant dream
3. Spices make our food delicious
 - a. flavorless
 - b. unsavory
 - c. tasty
4. I rattle off a list.
 - a. recite
 - b. falter
 - c. mumble
5. Peepul tree quivers in the breeze.
 - a. Shakes lazily
 - b. Shakes quickly
 - c. Move

B. Choose the correct antonyms for the underlined words: 6x1=6

6. We need trees to attract rain.
 - a. steer
 - b. repel
 - c. tempt
7. Sea turtles spend almost their entire life in the sea.
 - a. partial
 - b. intact
 - c. unbroken
8. Crocodile smiles gently
 - a. hardly
 - b. softly
 - c. smoothly
9. We should eat locally, grown vegetables.
 - a. nearby
 - b. provincially
 - c. globally
10. Chilli is the foreign visitor mentioned in this lesson.
 - a. invitee
 - b. foreigner
 - c. host
11. The turtle has to haul itself laboriously on to the beach.
 - a. pull
 - b. push
 - c. drag

C. Frame the sentences:

3x1=3

12. Spice
13. Prey
14. Vigorous

II. A. Answer any five in short:

5x2=10

15. Name the five sea turtle found in the Indian Coastal waters?
16. Name some of the trees planted by his grandfather?
17. What did Ruskin Bond's grandmother prefer doing?
18. What did Mani like to eat?
19. Who came to India in search of spices?
20. Where was chilli first brought in India?
21. How do the hatchlings reach the shore?

B. Answer any one in paragraph:

1x5=5

22. What are the problems faced by the female turtles, When they come ashore to lay their eggs?
23. Who is the foreign visitor mentioned in the lesson and how did Christopher Columbus found chillies?

C. Annotations:

3x2=6

24. "Imagine the joy of the sailors when they reached Kozhikode and found black pepper!
 - a. What was the name of the spice mentioned above?
 - b. Where did the sailors find the pepper?
25. "Here it scoops out nest cavity 45 cm deep, into which it lays about 100 eggs."
 - a. Who scoops out the nest?
 - b. How many eggs does it lay?
26. "How do the little Crocodile improve his shining tail, And pour the water of the Nile.
 - a. Pick out the rhyming words?
 - b. Write the name of the poet?

Section-C

III. A. Quote from the memory lines: (Any 1) (8)

27. "The Crocodile (OR) The Trees

B. Answer any one in paragraph: (5)

28. What are the trees mentioned in the poem and explain its uses?

29. What did Raj's mother ask him to buy and what happened at the end?

C. Read the poetic lines and answer the question given: 2x3=6

30. "The Banyan is the largest trees,
The peepul quivers in the breeze".

a. Which is the largest tree?

b. What happens to the peepul tree?

31. "And so I go to the shops
singing all the way".

a. Who goes to the shops?

b. How does he go?

32. Mother twist my ears. Ouch!

a. Pick out the alliteration?

b. Give the meaning for ouch?

Section-D

IV: A. Choose the correct answer: (5)

33. Raj did not buy _____. a. Onions and Sesame
b. Ginger and garlic c. Tomatoes and pickle

34. Amma bought the vegetables from the _____.
a. Shops b. Shopping mall c. Super market

35. According to the author the tendril was moving towards grandfather because it _____.

a. needed light and warmth.

b. did not like the light and warmth.

c. wanted to be near grandfather.

36. A turtle's flippers help it to _____.

a. swim b. dig a nest c. climb

37. Mani's family lived in _____ district.

a. Vellore b. Chennai c. Villupuram

B. Fill in the blanks with correct words: 3x1=3

38. Tiny hatchlings fall _____ (Pray/Prey) to many predators.

39. The predators follows the _____ (sent/scent) of the turtles to eat their eggs.

40. People came to India in search of black _____ (Paper/Pepper)

C. Match the following sentences: 3x1=3

41. Hatchlings – threaten the survival of sea turtle.

42. A turtle – cut open the leathery egg shell.

43. Many factors – uses its front flippers to swim.

D. Write True or False: 5x1=5

44. There are seven kinds of sea turtles in the world.

45. The eggs of an Olive Ridley are in the shape and size of a cricket ball.

46. The hatchlings use a tiny egg tooth to come out of the eggs.

47. Ruskin Bond's grandfather served in Indian Police service.

48. Portuguese brought chilli to India.

V. A. Match the compound words: 5x1=5

A	B
49. Rain	Stick
50. Match	bed
51. Smart	boy
52. River	board
53. Cow	coat

B. Write the name of the country for the given Nationality: 5x1=5

<u>Nationality</u>	<u>Country</u>
54. Australian	
55. European	
56. American	
57. Pakistani	
58. Italian	