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**BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-14)
MARCH/APRIL—2018
FIRST YEAR (COMMON) EXAMINATION**

ENGLISH

Time : 3 hours]

[Total Marks : 80

PART—A

10×3=30

- Instructions :** (1) Answer **all** questions.
(2) Each question carries **three** marks.
(3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.

1. Rewrite the following sentences as directed:

- (a) I want to use your computer.
(b) Obey the traffic rules (Obligation)
(c) Invite your friend to your birthday party (Initiation)

2. Write directions from your college to your home.

3. Give instructions to your friend on how to use a coin operated telephone.

4. Change the following into indirect speech :

- (a) Bharath said to Gopal, "Send me books by courier."
(b) Vani said to Vijay, "Where is your home?"
(c) Archana says, "I play caroms every day."

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5. Write one sentence each in the given pattern:

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(a) S+V+IO+IIO

(b) S+V+SC

(c) S+V+O

6. Change the voice of the following :

(a) Our juniors gave us a farewell party.

(b) A student sang a song.

(c) Sweets were eaten by the students.

7. Fill in the blanks with appropriate verb forms:

(a) My uncle _____ (sleep) when I went to his house.

(b) It _____ (rain) since morning.

(c) Radha _____ (participate) in the dance show next month.

8. Introduce yourself on the first day of your college.

9. Write three sentences about what you like in your college.

10. Make a telephonic conversation with the receptionist of a hospital to cancel your appointment with the doctor that you had fixed earlier.

PART—B

10×5=50

Instructions : (1) Answer *any five* questions.

(2) Question No. 18 is compulsory.

(3) Each question carries 10 marks.

(4) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for evaluation is the content but not the length of the answer.

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11. Write a paragraph in about 100 to 150 words on “causes of pollution”.

12. Ask your friend five “Wh-questions” about the facilities available in your hostel.

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- 13.** Read the following passage and summarise it :

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Computers are electronic machines that process information. They are capable of communicating with the users, of doing five kinds of arithmetic operations and of making three kinds of decisions. However, they are incapable of thinking. They accept data and instructions as input, and after processing the information, they output the results. When talking about computers, both hardware and software need to be considered, the former refers to the actual machinery, whereas the latter refers to the programs that control and coordinate the activities of the hardware. The first computer was built in 1930 but since then computer technology has evolved a great deal. There are three different kinds of computer in use today the main frame, the minicomputer and the microcomputer. All three have one thing in common they operate quickly and accurately in solving problems.

- 14.** Read the following passage and make necessary corrections.

I have much friends but Ankur is my best friend. He study in my class. We go to school together by walk. We also sits together to do our homework. He is good with studies and helps the students who are weak with studies. He have won many prizes to our school. He come lately to school. He has been living in Hyderabad since six years. He is inspired by his cousin brother, Krishna.

- 15.** Write a letter to your younger sister describing how you celebrated Independence day.

- 16.** Draw a flowchart describing how money can be drawn from an ATM and write a paragraph.

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- 17.** Write a report on your industrial visit.

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18. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:

* The writers F.Row and P.C Wren give a vivid account of the workers in our organized social structure. They classify the workers into five kinds. The first kind workers are the growers. They include cultivators, gardeners, shepherds and others who work on the field. The second kind is diggers. The diggers include miners, quarrymen and others who are engaged in digging the ground. The third type of workers are the makers. They include weavers, potters, carpenters, blacksmiths, welders etc., The fourth type of workers and the movers. They include drivers, loaders, etc., They transport the commodities to the places where they are weded. The fifth type of workers are helpers. They include shopkeepers, lawyers, teachers, doctors, engineers and other professionals.

- (1) How many kinds of workers exist in the society?
- (2) Who are the growers?
- (3) What do the diggers do?
- (4) In which category can we place 'drivers'?
- (5) Give a suitable title to this passage.
