

MANGALORE DIOCESAN EXAMINATION ON VALUE EDUCATION

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Time : 2½ hrs.

STD : VII

Marks: 80

Note : *Do not write your name in the answer paper.*

*Write only the **register number**.*

I. Choose the correct answer from the brackets and write: 5x1=5

1. We should respect and appreciate the various senses _____ has given us.
(God; nature)
2. If you have been _____, be a blessing to others
(Cursed; blessed)
3. Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel was born in _____.
(Karnataka; Gujarat)
4. To reach our goal _____ and discipline is necessary.
(hard work, appearance)
5. Abraham Lincoln is known as _____.
(Iron man of America, Honest Abe)

II. Fill in the blanks: 5x1=5

1. Damon and Pythias are known for their _____.
2. When I got the mobile in my hand, I forgot how to _____ letters.
3. Mahatma Gandhi released India from _____.
4. India is my country and all _____ are my brothers and sisters.
5. Autobiography of Helen Keller _____.

III. Answer the following questions in ONE sentence each: 5x1=5

1. How many books did Helen Keller write throughout her life?
2. What is true friendship?
3. What is Internet?
4. Who is the father of our nation?
5. Who is Dee Dee Trotter? What did she achieve at the 2004 Olympics?

IV. Answer any FIVE of the following in TWO to THREE sentences each: 5x2=10

1. What are the Seven wonders of the world written by a little girl? Name them.
2. Write down any two qualities of team work.
3. How will you make use of your sense of hearing for your good purpose?
4. What will you do to keep the school environment clean?
5. Mention any two qualities of a leader?
6. Who were the other two leaders, besides Vallabhbhai Patel, who led India from 1947 to 1950?

V. Answer any FIVE of the following in FIVE to SIX sentences each: 5x3=15

1. Mention any three qualities of a patient person.
2. What are the incredible gifts for which you want to thank God?
3. Why do we respect Mahatma Gandhi as a great leader?
4. Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much. Justify the statement.
5. How did you encourage your friends to be disciplined and responsible with the electronic media?
6. Write any three instances where you acted with honesty.

VI. Write a short prayer for Harmony: 1x3=3

VII. Explain any TWO of the following values in your own words with examples: 2x5=10

1. "We make a living by what we get; we make a life by what we give."
2. "A friend in need is a friend indeed."
3. "Success is not final, failure is not fatal; it is the courage to continue that counts."

VIII. Read the given passage and answer the questions that follow: 5x1=5

Gratitude is one of the most beautiful feelings a person can have. It means being thankful for the good things we receive in life, whether they are big or small. When we practice gratitude, we begin to notice the many blessings around us- our family, friends, teachers, good health, food and

even the fresh air we breathe. Grateful persons are always happy because they focus on what they have, instead of worrying about what they don't have. Gratitude also makes us kind and humble. It teaches us to respect others, to value their help and give back with love. Even in difficult times, gratitude helps us stay strong by reminding us of the good things still remain.

1. **What is gratitude?**
2. **What will happen if we practice gratitude?**
3. **Why grateful persons are always happy?**
4. **What does gratitude make us?**
5. **How does gratitude help in your life?**

IX. Observe the picture and write a short passage describing what you see. What values does this picture convey? : 1x4=4



X. Read, reflect and answer: 3x6=18

1. Arun is a student who is addicted to using his mobile phone. He knew that mobile phones are prohibited in school, yet he violated the rules and brought one without the teacher's knowledge. One of his classmates secretly informed the teacher. The teacher tried in vain to find the phone. Finally, one student gathered the courage to tell the teacher who had the mobile.
 - a) **Is it right for Arun to use a mobile phone in school? Why or why not?**
 - b) **What is your opinion about the student who revealed the truth to the teacher? Was he right in doing so?**

- c) How would you help students like Arun to become more sincere and truthful?**
2. Rohan, a student of Std. VII, found a bag in the auto-rickshaw in which he was travelling. When he opened it, he saw a large amount of money, a mobile phone, keys, and other valuable items. For a moment, he thought of keeping them for himself. However, he soon changed his mind and showed the bag to the auto driver. Both of them decided to hand it over to the nearest police station. The police were later able to return the bag to its rightful owner.
- a) i) **Do you appreciate the steps taken by Rohan and the auto driver?**
ii) **Why or why not?**
- b) i) **If you were in Rohan's place, what would you have done?**
ii) **Why?**
- c) **Suppose you meet both of them, how would you appreciate their honesty? Give two points.**
3. Neha was very excited because it was her best friend Riya's birthday. She had planned to wish her early in the morning but Neha got busy with school work and completely forgot. The whole day passed and she didn't even send a message. In the evening, she saw photos of the birthday party on social media. Immediately, Neha called Riya and apologized. Riya sounded a little upset but forgave her when she said, "I was waiting for you all day." Neha felt very guilty. She promised never to forget important dates again. Neha reflected that true friendship means care, love, and thoughtfulness.
- a) i) **Why was Neha so excited?**
ii) **What had she planned?**
- b) i) **Do you think it was right for Neha to forget Riya's birthday?**
ii) **What should Neha have done to avoid forgetting Riya's birthday?**
- c) **How can one balance between work and friendship effectively?**