

MAR THOMA RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL  
ANNUAL EXAMINATION -2019  
ENGLISH LITERATURE - PAPER II

CLASS:3

MARKS:50

Each question carries 2 marks

TIME:1 1/2hrs

I. *There is one special ice cave high up in the Himalayas called Go-Mukh. Go-Mukh is the place where the River Ganga is born. Go means cow and mukh means mouth.*

- a) Which is the most famous and beloved river of India ?
- b) Where is the Ganga born?
- c) What do the words Go-Mukh mean?
- d) What happens to the Ganga after she reaches the plains?
- e) Write words from the lesson with the following meanings:
  1. prayed to:
  2. well-known:

II. *We trees give you shade and fruit to eat. But you human beings cut us down for our wood. You are the ones who are ungrateful.*

- a) Who says these words and to whom?
- b) Whom did the tree support? Why?
- c) Whom did the man speak to after he spoke to the tree?
- d) Whom did the bullock support? Why?
- e) Write words from the lesson with the following meanings :
  1. feeling thankful for something received :
  2. a relaxed happy feeling:

III. *Tiger: You fool! You have to understand .I was in the hole - like this.*

*Story teller: The tiger jumped into the deep hole.*

- a) Who is *I* in the above lines? Who is he speaking to?
- b) What does the speaker do while he speaks ?

- c) Why does the tiger call the rabbit a 'fool'?
- d) Do you think that the rabbit really did not understand where the tiger was?
- e) Write words from the lesson with the following meanings:

1. tasty

2. to suffer or die for lack of food:

IV. *At the end of forty-nine days, Siddhartha felt that he had the answers to his questions. He became the Buddha or the 'Wise One'.*

- a) What did Siddhartha do in the forest? How long was he there in the forest?
- b) What happened at the end forty-nine days?
- c) What did Siddhartha become? What does Buddha mean?
- d) What did he teach the people?
- e) Write words from the lesson with the following meanings :

1. making a small low sound of pain :

2. a chariot driver :

V. *And then I could go walking,*

*Just like a lady walking,*

*A grown-up lady walking,*

*Away 'way down the lane.*

- a) What does the poet have? Describe.
- b) What does she want to do?
- c) What does she see on the way?
- d) Why couldn't she step in puddles?
- e) Write words from the lesson with the following meanings:

1. a small pool of rainwater on the road :

2. a woman who is well-behaved :