

# KHANNUR VIDYANIKETHAN SCHOOL, RANEBENNUR

FIRST PERIODICAL ASSESSMENT

AUGUST – 2020

Grade: VII

Subject: ENGLISH

Marks: 20

**(Use ENGLISH H W Note Book to ANSWER)**

**I) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow: 1x5=5**

Srinivasa Ramanujan was one of the greatest mathematical geniuses of the world. Born in a poor Brahmin family, he gave no indication of his hidden talent. He was born in Erode at Coimbatore in 1887. His father was an accountant to a cloth merchant who had to maintain a large family on a small income. Srinivasa was granted half exemption of fees when he stood first in the Primary School Examination in the whole of Tanjore District. From his childhood Ramanujan was a quite and dreamy temperament. He had answer to all sums that puzzled his classmates and seniors. Figures did not worry him; no calculation was too difficult for him. Things which were dark and muddled to his classmates were as clear as daylight to him. He always helped them with generosity which was the most lovable feature of his character all through his career.

- Questions:**
- 1) Where was Ramanujan born?
  - 2) What was Ramanujan's father?
  - 3) Why was Ramanujan exempted from paying half of his fees?
  - 4) How was Ramanujan from his childhood?
  - 5) Pick out the word from the passage that is similar to word confusion.

**II) Write a letter to your previous school Principal requesting him to provide TC. 5**

**III) Complete the sentences with appropriate prepositions from the bracket: 1x5=5**

(with, to, in, at, from)

- 1) Compare your answers \_\_\_\_\_ your partner.
- 2) Nice \_\_\_\_\_ meet you.
- 3) Are you the new student \_\_\_\_\_ Portugal?
- 4) Look \_\_\_\_\_ the flowers.
- 5) Apples and peaches are \_\_\_\_\_ the same box.

**IV) Answer the following questions in a word or a sentence each: 1x3=3**

- 1) Who is the author of the story "Three Questions"?
- 2) How long does it take for a grub to become a complete ant?
- 3) Name some other creatures that live in anthills.

**V) Answer anyone of the following in TWO to THREE sentences: 1x2=2**

- 1) Why was the king advised to go to magicians?
- 2) Why did the king want to know answers to three questions?

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