



Date: 11-04-2019
Time: 09:00-12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

SECTION - A

Answer any TEN of the following in about 50 words each:(10x3=30)

1. What are the common elements of Children's books?
2. How would you define Children's literature?
3. What is your take on the treatment of women in the tales from Arabian Nights?
4. What do you know about *Panchatantra*?
5. Why does Mrs Weston want to get rid of Robbie?
6. What is Fantasy?
7. List the qualities of Children's poetry.
8. Write a short note on the background of the song *All Things Bright and Beautiful*.
9. Why is the picture book genre a paradox?
10. Don't you think books with illustrations present the children with a one-sided view? Why/why not?
11. Mention the notable works by Charles Perrault.
12. Write a note on the character of Aslan.

SECTION - B

Answer any Four of the following in about 200 words each: (4X10=40)

13. Comment on the general setting of Children's literature.
14. Discuss the themes of Grimm's fairy tales.
15. What view about robots is presented by Asimov in *Robbie*.
16. *Fun is one the chief ingredients of Children's literature*-Explain the statement with special reference to *Dentist and the Crocodile*.
17. Write a critical note on the pictures given in the book *The Why-why girl*.
18. Analyze the common features of *Tales from Arabian Nights*.

SECTION - C

Answer any Two of the following in about 250 words each: (2X15=30)

19. Expatriate on the ideology, history and politics in Children's literature.
20. Compare and contrast the salient aspects of Tenali Raman Tales with those of Akbar-Birbal tales.
21. Trace the elements of Fantasy in *The Woman who Thought she was a Planet*.
22. Write a stylistic analysis of Children's poetry with special reference to the prescribed poems.

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