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SECTION A : READ THE PASSAGE AND ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS BELOW

1 Michelle left the house to meet up with several friends at the shopping center. She skipped along the path, whistling a tune as she made her way there. They were meeting first for lunch. Michelle suggested that they had pizza for lunch and everyone cheered in agreement. Pizza was her favorite food. She especially loved eating the melted cheese on top of it. It would be a delicious and satisfying lunch.

2 Once everyone had filled their stomachs, they went to the cinema that was located on the top floor. There was a comedy screening and it was a unanimous decision to watch that. Despite just having had lunch, Michelle enjoyed munching on popcorn while watching movies. She shared a box with her friend. The movie was hilarious and all of them enjoyed it. At certain scenes, Michelle even laughed until she teared. When the movie was over, they were still talking about the funny scenes and laughing about **them**.

3 Michelle and her friends then went their separate ways to go home. When Michelle arrived home, she fished in her bag for the house keys. They were missing. She frowned and poured out all the contents of her bag onto the ground. Then, she sieved through them but still, the keys were nowhere to be found ! She must have left them in the house when she went out. To make things worse, her parents were both at work and would not be home for another two hours. She went over to her neighbor's house, thinking that if they were home, she could wait for her parents there. Unfortunately, her neighbors were out too.

4 With a sigh, Michelle went downstairs to look for a public telephone to call her mother. She explained her **situation** to her mother and her mother advised her to wait at the void deck for her. Michelle had no choice but to do just that. Luckily, Michelle was someone with the habit of carrying a story book with her everywhere she went. she went downstairs to read her book while waiting for her mother to return from work.

5 After that day, Michelle learnt her lesson. Her mother then attached her house keys to a lanyard so that it could be hung around Michelle's neck. Hopefully, in this way, Michelle would not forget her keys again.

Answer the following questions using complete sentences

1. In paragraph one, what were the **two** things Michelle did that show that she was eager to meet her friends ? (2 marks)
2. Do Michelle's friends enjoy pizza? Write the sentence in the passage that supports your answer. (2 marks)

3. Which word in paragraph two shows that everyone was in agreement to watch the movie ? (2 marks)
4. Suggest why Michelle had to share the popcorn with her friend. (2 marks)
5. What does 'them' in paragraph two refer to ? (2 marks)
6. Explain fully what Michelle did in an attempt to find her keys. (2 marks)
7. What was Michelle planning to do when she realized she was locked out of her house? (2 marks)
8. What exactly does the '**situation**' (paragraph four) refer to ? (2 marks)
9. Why was it lucky that Michelle had carried her story book with her? (2 marks)
10. What preventive measure did Michelle's mother take after the incident? (2 marks)

SECTION B (20 marks)

PART 1

Choose the correct answers from the parentheses to complete the sentences. (10 marks)

1. He (correct, correctly) defined the terms. The answer sounded (correctly, correct).
2. She (quickly, quick) adjusted the fees. She adapted (quick, quickly) to any situation.
3. He measured the floor (exact, exactly). They proved to be (perfectly, perfect) measurements.
4. The stillness of the tomb was (awfully, awful). The tomb was (awfully, awful) still.
5. It was a (dangerously, dangerous) lake to swim in. The men threaded (careful, carefully) to find for the lost boat.
6. She performed (magnificent, magnificently). It was a (magnificent, magnificently) beautiful performance.
7. Her voice sounds (beautifully, beautiful). She sang the song (exact, exactly) as it was written.
8. The girl sang (beautiful, beautifully). The song is a (beautiful, beautifully) rendition.

9. Mike wrote too (slow, slowly) on the exam. He always writes (slow, slowly).

10. Talk (softly, soft) or don't talk at all. The music played (softly, soft).

PART II

Rewrite the sentences into one sentence using the correct relative pronouns;

where, whose, which, who, when (5 marks)

11. The man lives next door. He is very friendly.

12. Yesterday I met a boy. His mother is a teacher.

13. Mr Smith is going to go to Moscow . It is the capital of Russia

14. I remember my twentieth birthday. It was the day my cat broke my favourite vase.

15. At the end of the road is the General Hospital. I go there every week for my checkup.

PART III

Complete the sentences using present perfect or present perfect continuous. (5 marks)

16. The Browns _____ (build) a house for some time.

17. John _____ (write) his novel since last year.

18. The painters _____ (paint) the town hall.

19. I _____ (watch) 4 cartoons on TV already.

20. The boy _____ (sit) with his grandmother in the hospital since evening.

SECTION C (20 marks)

PART I – 10 marks

Put in the infinitive or the gerund (-ing) form of the verb in brackets (10 marks)

1. I was overjoyed _____ (see) you at the party.
2. The nuclear station is not likely _____ (blow up) although it may shut down.
3. I've forgotten _____ (buy) flowers for my girlfriend's birthday.
4. I simply can't afford _____ (waste) time trying to explain this to you.
5. Janice was sad _____ (see) such poverty when she visited India.
6. It is possible _____ (work) all day without being disturbed.
7. You are free _____ (leave) any time you want to.
8. You should be able to practise _____ (sing) every day.
9. Scientists are hoping _____ (discover) a new chemical element.
10. I don't mind people _____ (ask) me questions.

PART II – 10 marks

Use the words in the parentheses to join the sentences into compound and complex sentences. Use the correct punctuation mark

11. The teacher was angry. The student did not do his homework . (for)
12. The workers were very tired. They still continued to finish the task. (yet)
13. Music is very relaxing. It also helps the family to get closer to one another. (moreover)
14. The band played badly. Everyone had a good time. (even though)
15. You will be called for an interview. They have viewed your exam transcripts. (as soon as)
16. The chairperson was unable to attend the meeting. The meeting was cancelled. (so)

- 17. The girl hit the rock. She fell flat on her face. (and)
- 18. She returns to her hometown. She visits her friends. (whenever)
- 19. You want to go to the university. You need to put in more effort. (if)
- 20. The clerk has to work overtime. She can finish the report (although)

SECTION D – 20 marks

Part I

Identify the parts of speech from the sentence below – 10 marks

The children were watching television quietly when the big dog pounced at them.

- 1. Noun (3 words) a. b. c.
- 2. Verb (2 words) a. b.
- 3. Adverb (1 word) a.
- 4. Adjective (1 word) a.
- 5. article (1 word) a.
- 6. preposition (1 word) a.
- 7. pronoun (1 word) a.

Part II – 10 marks

In each of the following sentences, choose the appropriate form of the verb.

- 1. Both Azah and Shanta (participate , participates) in outdoor sports.
- 2 Peter and his wife (do , does) the housework and laundry on Saturdays.
- 3. A seer, so my friends tell me, (predict , predicts) events or developments.

4. The seer, together with three other psychics, (plans , plan) to make a number of startling predictions.
5. These predictions, including one about how well you will do on this practice, (is , are) not to be believed.
6. The dairy cattle (roam , roams) in the pasture for long hours in the summer.
7. Plantation workers (want , wants) fairer wages.
8. Hurricanes (cause , causes) great damage in the coastal areas.
9. The boss, as well as his colleagues, (has , have) been mugged by the gang members.
10. Johnny, together with his friends, (enjoy , enjoys) going out together.

SECTION E (20 marks)

Question 1 – 5 marks

Choose ONE of the topics listed below and write an outline for a paragraph.

1. Ways to be your teacher's favourite student.
2. Explain why your country is the best place to live in.
3. Describe your best friend.

Your outline should be written in the following format:

Topic Sentence :	(2 marks)
Supporting Sentence 1:	(1 mark)
Supporting Sentence 2:	(1 mark)
Concluding	(1 mark)

Question 2 – (15 marks)

Develop the outline from Question 1 into a paragraph of about 150 words.

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