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Section A – Multiple Choice Questions (20 Marks)				
1. A) carelessly 2. B) Stingy 3. D) Text book 4. A) i, o (violin)	5. D) un 6. A) -ment 7. A) start 8. A) change	9. A) motionless 10. C) musical 11. C) the 12. C) in	13. A) gently 14. C) to travel 15. A) She said, "What a lovely evening!" 16. B) went	17. B) a clean-up drive 18. A) team work, dedication, and responsibility 19. B) Leadership 20. D) Responsible

Section B (4×2=8)
21. <b>Editing:</b> 2M a) <u>a</u> – an b) <u>was</u> – were c) <u>see</u> – saw d) <u>butterflies</u> – butterfly
22. (a) understand. (b) courage. 2M
23. If there are any books left, we shall preserve them. 2M
24. i) faltered. (c) failed. 2M ii) at odds. (a) disagree iii) uproar. (d) in a desperate state iv) proclaimed (b) announced

Section C (5×4=20)
25. i) The slot where she had to put homework and test papers. 4M ii) Because he took the mechanical teacher apart and reassembled it perfectly. iii) D) in no time iv) A) The punch code Margie learned when she was six.
26. i) While standing on the roadway or pavement. 4M ii) It creates a feeling of peace and deep connection with nature. iii) A) Alliteration iv) B) between city life and nature's peace.

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27.i) **D**) by adding suspense and surprise ending with dramatic gestures. **4M**  
ii) **A**) because he enjoyed the stories without questioning.  
iii) **A**) a bushy beast  
iv) **A**) By describing the deserted road, dramatic gestures, and suspenseful narration.

28. i) **Having finished his homework**, the boy ran out to play. **4M**  
ii) **Meaning**: unusually great intelligence, skill, or artistic ability  
iii) The theory of relativity **was discovered by** Einstein.  
iv) The teacher **asked** the boy **where he was** going.

29. Correct order: **b — c — d — a.** **4M**

### Section D (4×8=32)

#### 30. a) Conversation between two friends (Future – 2157)

**Me:** Ugh! The mechanical teacher gave me such a tough test today. I'm sure I'll fail.

**Friend:** Don't worry. These machines have no idea how hard some lessons are!

**Me:** I wish we had real teachers like in the old days. They understood how students felt.

**Friend:** Yes, and they learned from books made of paper! It must have been fun turning real pages instead of reading on a screen.

**Me:** And they studied together in classrooms, not alone in rooms like we do.

**Friend:** I'd love to talk, laugh, and ask doubts face-to-face.

**Me:** Exactly! Learning must have been so joyful then. Machines teach us facts, but not feelings.

**Friend:** True. Maybe one day we'll get to learn the way they did.

**Me:** I hope so. Learning should be about joy, not just marks.

(Or) **8M**

#### 30. b) Diary Entry by the Doctor

Date: XXXX

Time: Sunday Night

What a terrifying experience I had today! As I sat in my room admiring myself in the mirror, a snake silently fell from the ceiling and coiled itself around my arm. I froze with fear, unable to move or breathe. I felt the cold skin of the reptile on my skin and waited for death. Suddenly, it turned its head and looked into the mirror, seemingly fascinated by its reflection. Seizing that moment, I slipped out of the room quietly and ran to my friend's house.

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Even now, my heart pounds when I think of it. The incident taught me a lesson in humility. Vanity and pride have no place in life. I am grateful to be alive—and wiser.

### **31. a) Letter to Publisher**

Gowtham, 9-A,  
A.P. Model School  
Kurupam  
Parvathipuram Manyam Dist.  
Andhra Pradesh.

Date: 12 Nov 2025

The Publisher,  
Oxford University Press,  
YMCA Library Building,  
Jai Singh Road, New Delhi.

Subject: Request for one copy of Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary (Student Edition) by VPP.

Sir/Madam,

I wish to order one copy of the Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary – Student Edition. Please send it to the address mentioned below by Value Payable Post (VPP).

Address:  
Gowtham, 9-A,  
A.P. Model School  
Kurupam  
Parvathipuram Manyam Dist.  
Andhra Pradesh.

Kindly send it at your earliest convenience.

Thanking you,  
Yours faithfully,  
Gowtham

**(Or) 8M**

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**31. b) Description – Relationship with Parents**

When I was younger, I often thought my parents were too strict. They scolded me for being careless and made me follow rules. At that time, I felt they didn't understand me. But now, as I've grown older, I realise their strictness was actually love and care. They wanted me to learn discipline, respect, and responsibility.

Today, our relationship is more open and friendly. They listen to me and trust my decisions. I've also become more understanding and patient. To strengthen our bond, I try to share my thoughts, help them in small ways, and spend quality time together. I now see that behind every scolding was affection and concern.

**32. a) News Report – Einstein Wins Nobel Prize (1921)**

**Einstein Awarded Nobel Prize for Physics  
Stockholm, December 1921**

Dr. Albert Einstein, the world-renowned physicist, has been awarded the Nobel Prize in Physics for his discovery of the photoelectric effect, which revolutionized the understanding of light and energy.

Einstein, born in Germany and working in Berlin, had already gained international fame for his Theory of Relativity, which changed modern physics forever. Scientists across the world praised him as a genius who reshaped human understanding of the universe.

Messages of congratulations have poured in from every continent. Though humble and reserved, Einstein expressed his joy and gratitude, dedicating his success to scientific truth and humanity's pursuit of knowledge. His contribution marks a new era in science and inspires young minds everywhere.

**(Or) 8M**

**32. b) Speech – “The Power of Hard Work and Determination”**

Good morning everyone,

Today, I want to speak about The Power of Hard Work and Determination, inspired by the story of Evelyn Glennie. Evelyn lost her hearing at a young age, but she never gave up on her dream of becoming a musician. With courage, practice, and faith, she learned to “hear” music through vibrations and became the world's greatest percussionist.

Her story teaches us that no disability or difficulty can stop us if we are determined. Hard work turns challenges into opportunities. Like Evelyn, we must believe in ourselves and never give up, no matter how hard life seems.

Let us remember — **success belongs to those who work hard with dedication and perseverance. And always remember the words of Swami Vivekananda: “Perseverance is the only requirement for achievement.”**

Thank you very much all....

**33. a) Frightening Version of the Dog Story**

It was getting dark. Shadows stretched across the garden as I walked alone. Suddenly, a loud growl broke the silence. A large, shaggy dog stood near the gate, its eyes gleaming in the dim light. My heart pounded. I tried to step back quietly, but the dog barked furiously and moved closer.

Every sound echoed—the rustle of leaves, the pounding of my footsteps. The dog's growl grew louder, its teeth bared. I stumbled and fell, trembling with fear. For a moment, it seemed the creature would pounce. Then, a door creaked open and the light from the house scared it away. I sat frozen, drenched in sweat, realizing how close I had been to danger

**(Or) 8M**

**33. b) Paragraph – Bar Chart : Students Participating in Sports Events (2021–2023)**

The bar chart shows the number of students who participated in various sports events during the school annual meet from 2021 to 2023. It is clear that participation increased in all sports over the three years. **In football**, around 120 students participated in 2021, which rose to about 130 in 2022 and 140 in 2023. **In cricket**, the number of participants increased from 100 in 2021 to 110 in 2022 and further to 130 in 2023. **Athletics** also saw a steady rise, with 80 students in 2021, nearly 100 in 2022, and 120 in 2023. **In badminton**, participation grew from 60 students in 2021 to 80 in 2022 and reached 90 in 2023. Overall, the chart indicates a consistent growth in students' interest in sports, showing that more students are becoming active and enthusiastic about participating in different events each year.

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