

## **Jharkhand Council of Educational Research and Training**

## **Project Rail**

## (Regular Assessment for Improved Learning)

#### **General School**

Subject :- English Class :- 10.

Time :- 1 Hr. Total Marks :- 20.

#### **Answer Keys**

## Section- A (1x6=6) (MCQs)

- 1. (C) Mustard Seeds
- 2. (B) 25
- 3. (D) Banares
- 4. (B) Ogden Nash
- 5. (C) is
- 6. (A) you

# **Section - B (4x2=8) (Short Answer Type)**

- 7. Once Prince Siddhartha, while hunting, saw a sick man, an aged man, a funeral procession and finally a holy monk begging for alms. Looking at these, he left the palace and became a beggar to search for enlightenment.
- 8. Answer: Belinda is a little girl who lived in a little white house with her four pets. They are- a kitten, mouse, dog and a dragon and also had a little red wagon.

- 9. Matilda is unhappy with her life because she ceaselessly felt herself born for all delicacies and luxuries. The shabby walls, the worn out chairs in her house tortured and angered her.
- 10. The marriage of Bholi did not take place. Bholi refused to marry
  Bishamber as he demanded dowry of five hundred rupees. She would not be
  the wife of such a greedy man. So the marriage did not take place.

## Section - C (2x3=6) (Long Answer Type)

- 11. Gautama Buddha taught Kisa Gotami that life and death are part and parcel of life. No one can avoid this truth. Whoever has come into this earth will die one day. Thus, in the hour of grief at the death of beloved one, one must remain calm. However, persons who are wise never complain or lament over their loss. They accept the truth and overcome their sorrow. So, wisdom is in the fact that people should not get distressed with pain, suffering and death.
- 12. The real name of Bholi was Sulekha. Since her childhood everyone had been calling her Bholi, the simpleton. She had fallen off the cot when she was ten months old. Perhaps, it had damaged some part of her brain. She had small pox as well during her childhood and her face was disfigured by pock marks. Bholi also used to stammer. She was neither wise nor beautiful. But her education changed her personality.

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