



**Jharkhand Council of Educational Research and Training**  
**Project Rail Exam**  
**(Regular Assessment for Improved Learning)**  
**General School**

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**Subject :- English**

**Class :- 10**

**Time :- 1 Hr**

**Total Marks :- 20**

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**General Instructions:-**

1. Total number of questions are twelve (12). All questions are compulsory.
  2. Question no. 1-6 is multiple choice type. Out of 6 Multiple Choice questions 2 Questions are Competency Based Questions. Each question carries 1 mark.
  3. Question no. 7- 10 is short answer type and carry 2 marks.
  4. Question no. 11- 12 is long answer type and carries 3 marks each.
  5. Submit the answers sheet with your responses before leaving the examination hall.
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**Section :- A (1x6=6) (MCQs)**

1. Which seed did Buddha ask to bring to Kisa Gotami?  
(A) Cotton seeds  
(B) Sunflower seeds  
(C) Mustard Seeds  
(D) Pumpkin Seeds
2. At what age did Prince Siddhartha renounce his princely life?  
(A) 30  
(B) 25  
(C) 20  
(D) 22
3. In which city did Gautama Buddha deliver his first sermon?  
(A) Gaya  
(B) Patna  
(C) Lumbini  
(D) Banares
4. Who is the poet of the poem "The Tale of Custard The Dragon"?  
(A) Leslie Norris  
(B) Ogden Nash  
(C) Robert Frost  
(D) Carl Sandburg

5. Fill the blanks with correct word:-  
'Honesty \_\_\_\_\_ the best policy'.  
(A) am  
(B) are  
(C) is  
(D) was
6. Replace the underlined word with current language form.  
'Who has given thee this bag?'  
(A) you  
(B) your  
(C) yours  
(D) their

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

7. Why did Prince Siddhartha leave the palace and become a beggar?  
8. Who is Belinda?  
9. Why is Matilda unhappy with her life?  
10. Why did the marriage of Bholi not take place?

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

11. What lesson on death and suffering did the Buddha teach Kisa Gotami?  
12. Give the character sketch of Bholi.

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