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Exam Number :

324

Div. :

Time : 40 Minutes

Marks :

Q.1 Language Study. **5**

a) Fill in the missing letters. 1

- 1) s.....ct.....r
- 2) reg.....l.....r

b) Punctuate the following. 1

margie said to tommy can i read the book

Ans. :

c) Put the following words in alphabetically order. 1

(moving, mechanical, mother, million)

Ans. :

d) Make two words each (minimum 3 letters) using the letters in the given word. 1

important i) ii)

e) Write related words. (noun) 1

Geography	noun.....	noun.....
	noun.....	noun.....

Q.2 Read the following passage and do the activities. **10**

A1) Complete the sentences. 2

- 1) The buds and leaves are called
- 2) Tea plants require minimum rainfall every year
- 3) An evergreen plant grows in climates.
- 4) The tea plants are kept at height of about

Camellia sinensis is an evergreen plant that grows in tropical and sub-tropical climates. Tea plants require at least 100-125 cm of rainfall a year and prefer acidic soils. Many of the world's best tea estates are located on hill slopes at elevations of up to 1500 metres : it is said that the tea plants grow slowly and acquire a richer flavour at this height.

When the plants mature, only the top 1-2 inches of the plant are picked. These buds and leaves are called flushes. A new flush appears on the plant every seven to ten days during the peak growing season. Left to grow on its own, the tea plant may actually grow into a small tree. But in all tea gardens, the plants are pruned and kept at a height of about three feet (waist high) to enable easy plucking of the leaves.

The teas we buy are usually classified according to their leaf size. Accordingly we have (1) Assam type of tea, characterised by the largest leaves; (2) China type, characterised by the smallest leaves; and (3) Cambod, characterised by leaves of intermediate size.

A2) Complete the table.

Type of Tea	Their characteristics
1)
2)

A3) Find out synonyms from the passage.

- 1) need =
 2) like =
 3) cut away =
 4) taste of food =

A4) Matching.

Statement	Answer	Tail tag
1) Tea plants grow slowly.	a) don't we?
2) The plants are pruned.	b) don't they?
3) A new flush appears on the plant	c) aren't they?
4) We have Assam type of Tea	d) doesn't it?

A5) Do you like to drink tea? why?

Ans. :

Q. 3 Read the following poem and do the activities.

A1) State the following statements true or false.

- 1) 'Hope' is personified as a little bird in the poem.
 2) The bird stops singing even in a storm

'Hope' is the thing with feathers -
 'Hope' is the thing with feathers -
 That perches in the soul -
 And sings the tune without the words -
 And never stops - at all
 And sweetest - in the Gale - is heard -
 And sore must be the storm -
 That could abash the little Bird
 That kept so many warm -
 I've heard it in the chilliest land -
 And on the strangest Sea -
 Yet - never - in Extremity,
 It asked a crumb - of me.

- By Emily Dickinson

A 2) Find the places where the poet has heard the bird's voice.

- 1)
 2)

A 3) Pick out the rhyming words from the poem.

- 1) 2)

Q. 4 Translation.

A1) Translate the following words into Marathi.

- 1) Shoulder : 2) Progress :

A2) Translate the following sentence into English.

- 1) झाडे, पत्रे व पक्षी वाय्यावर उभे करा.

Ans. :
