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TELANGANA, HYDERABAD.

TEACHING AND LEARNING WORKSHEET-5
LEVEL -II

SUBJECT : ENGLISH

CLASS: VII

UNIT-1 : B - Reading

THE TOWN CHILD AND THE COUNTRY CHILD (POEM)

There are 20 MCQs in section I, II and III

(Reading Comprehension, Vocabulary and Grammar and Editing)

Section -IV is for Home Assignment (Creative Writing)

SECTION I
(READING COMPREHENSION)

(Q.NO 1 - 10) Read the following poem with comprehension and respond to the questions by choosing the suitable options.

The Town Child

- Irene Thompson

I live in the town
In a street;
It is crowded with traffic
And feet;
There are buses and motors
And trams;
I wish there were meadows
And lambs.

The houses all wait
In a row,
There is smoke everywhere
That I go.
I don't like the noises
I hear-
I wish there were woods
Very near.

There is only one thing
That I love,
And that is the sky

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Far above,
There is plenty of room
In the blue
For castles of clouds
And me, too!

Now, choose the answers for the following questions

1. The narrator of the poem is-----
 - A. A young man
 - B. An old man
 - C. A town
 - D. A boy
2. The town is very noisy with the sounds of-----
 - A. buses
 - B. motor cars
 - C. trains
 - D. all the above
3. The narrator lives in a -----
 - A. village
 - B. town
 - C. country side
 - D. forest
4. Instead of heavy crowd and noise , the child wishes to have-----
 - A. meadows
 - B. lambs
 - C. factories
 - D. A&B
5. How many things does the child love in the town?
 - A. Many things
 - B. A few things
 - C. Plenty
 - D. Only one
6. The town is filled with-----
 - A. fresh air
 - B. smoke
 - C. fog
 - D. mist
7. What does the child love in the town?
 - A. Trains
 - B. Houses
 - C. Sky
 - D. Traffic

8. Which of the following does the child wish to have near the town ?
A. Airport
B. Beach
C. School
D. Forest
9. The town child doesn't like-----
A. the sounds .
B. the meadows.
C. lambs
D. the sky
10. The sky is filled with-----
A. clouds
B. houses
C. meadows
D. woods

SECTION - II
(VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR)

(Q. No. 11-15) some words or phrases in the given passage are underlined and numbered. Follow the direction for each question and choose the correct answer.

11. There is plenty of room - Find the meaning of the underlined word.
A. some
B. a lot of
C. little
D. a few
12. It is crowded with traffic and feet - choose the singular of the underlined word.
A. feet
B. foot
C. foots
D. fit
13. There is smoke everywhere that I go. choose the past participle of the underlined word
A. goes
B. going
C. went
D. gone
14. It is crowded with traffic and feet - choose the contextual meaning for the underlined word
A. People' legs.
B. People's steps.
C. People who walk in streets.
D. A part of human body.

15. . I wish there were woods very near - Choose the antonym of the underlined word.
- A. close
 - B. distant
 - C. adjacent
 - D. beside

SECTION III
(APPRECIATION OF THE POEM)

(Q.No. 16-20) Read the following passage, each of the numbered sentences from 16- 20 has an error. Choose the right answers to make it correct sentence.

16. The poet compared the clouds with-----
- A. sky
 - B. castles
 - C. room
 - D. blue
17. The words like “**tail** – **tale**” are called ‘rhyming words’. Now choose a word which rhymes with “hear”.
- A. bore
 - B. near
 - C. pair
 - D. share
18. There is plenty of room in the blue. “blue” is used to mention.....
- A. a colour
 - B. room
 - C. the sky
 - D. plenty
19. The mood of the poem is
- A. serious
 - B. angry
 - C. humorous
 - D. dissatisfaction
20. What kind of atmosphere does the child wish to have?
- A. Crowded and noisy
 - B. Filled with pollution
 - C. Filled with greenery
 - D. Having heavy traffic