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अति महत्वपूर्ण प्रश्न

2 अंक वाले प्रश्न

1.What is a tele book?

Ans. A tale book is a book that can be interpreted on-screen. On the computer, words move for the readers to study.

2.Where did Bismillah khan get his big break?

Ans. In the year 1938 in Lucknow, Bismillah Khan got his big break with the opening of the All India Radio.

3.Who were the people in Kezia's family?

Ans. In all there were four members in Kezia's family – her strict father, her stern mother, a loving grandmother and Kezia herself.

4.Why did Einstein write a letter to Franklin Roosevelt?

Ans. The main purpose of writing the letter Einstein to Franklin Roosevelt was to alert him about the Nazis.

5.Where was Abdul Kalam's house?

Ans. Abdul Kalam's house was in Rameswaram on Mosque Street.

6.How did Abdul Kalam earn his first wages?

Ans. Abdul Kalam earned his first wages by helping his cousin in catching the newspaper bundles thrown out of a moving train during the Second World War.

7.What did Margie write in her diary?

Ans. Margie wrote in her diary, "Today Tommy found a real book.

8.What should we do to make friends with the wind?

Ans. To make friends with the wind, the poet ask us to build strong homes, join the doors farmly and practice to make our bodies and hearts stronger.

8. Where does the traveller find himself?

Ans. The traveller finds himself in the yellow woods at a point where the road forks into two.

9. What is the single major memory that comes to the poet?

Ans. The poet's mother is the single major memory that comes to his mind. 'Darling dreamers' are those 'kids' who remember their mothers like the poet.

10. In the fair the child wants many things. What are they?

Ans. At the fair, the boy wants many things. He wants to buy the toys from the shops that lined the way, sweets from the sweetmeat seller, a garland of gulmohar flowers and balloon from the man selling balloons.

11. What are the two strange things the guru and his disciple find in the Kingdom of Fools?

Ans. The first strange thing noticed by the guru and his disciple is that everyone is asleep in the morning, and go about their business in the night. The second strange thing is that every item costs the same.

12. Why does the Happy Prince send a ruby for the seamstress?

Ans. The Happy Prince sent a ruby for the seamstress because she was very poor and could not feed her child who was suffering from fever.

13. How is Shehnai different from a Pungi?

Ans. Shehnai is an improved version of pungi as it has better tonal quality than pungi.

14. In what ways did Kezia's grandmother encourage her to get to know her father well?

Ans. Kezia's grandmother encouraged her to get to know her father better by sending her to the drawing room to talk to her parents on Sundays.

15. What did Einstein call his desk drawer at the patent office? Why?

Ans. Einstein called his desk drawer at the patent office the "bureau of theoretical physics".

16. What kind of person the doctor is?

Ans. The doctor is a poor person with hardly any wealth. He lived in a small rented room.

17. When was Evelyn's deafness first noticed? When was it confirmed?

Ans. Her deafness was first noticed when she was just eight years old. It was confirmed by the time she was eleven.

18. What kind of teacher did Margie and Tommy have?

Ans. Margie and Tommy had mechanical teachers.

19. What do you mean by 'Humid shadow" in the poem 'Rain on the roof"?

Ans. "Humid shadows" refer to the dark clouds that bring rain. "Starry spheres" refer to the sky at night time which is full of stars.

20. What kind of music will the poet enjoy on the lake isle of innisfnee?

Ans. On the Isle of Innisfree, the poet will enjoy the loud music of the bees and the mild music of the waves striking against the shore.

21. Why does the lost child lose interest in the things he had wanted earlier?

Ans. The lost child loses interest in the things that he wanted earlier because now his heart was full of sadness, as he has lost his parents. He was in a great fear and insecurity.

22. Why did the narrator and his grandfather hide Toto?

Ans. The narrator's Grandmother was always upset whenever his Grandfather brought an animal home. So, they hid Toto.

23. Where did the child go with his parents?

Ans. The child went to a fair with his parents.

3 अंक वाले प्रश्न

1. How does Tommy describe the old kind of school?

Ans. Tommy describes the old kind of school as a special building where all kids studied together. There hundreds of students were studying and playing together.

2. Why does the world remember Einstein as a "world citizen"?

Ans. Einstein is remembered as a "world citizen" as much as a genius scientist because of his efforts towards world peace and democracy and for his crusade against the use of arms.

3. Why did Abdul Kalam want to leave Rameswaram? What did his father say to this? What do you think his words mean?

Ans. Kalam wanted to leave Rameswaram to study at the district headquarters in Ramanathapuram. Kalams father said that he knew that one day Kalam had to go away to grow. He says that the seagull flies across the sun alone and without a nest.

4. Write the central idea of the poem 'Rain on the Roof.

Ans. The Theme of Rain on the Roof In the poem 'Rain on the Roof', the poet highlights the soothing and healing quality of nature. The poet voices

out the feelings awakened after a rainy day. He reminisces moments and memories of long forlorn days. He dreams of better times when life wasn't complicated.

5. What are the things the wind does in the poem? What does the poet say to the wind god winnows?

Ans. The poet says that the wind god winnows the weak crumbling houses, doors, rafters, wood, bodies, lives and hearts, and then crushes them all.

6. What are the Guru's words of wisdom? When does the disciple remember them?

Ans. The guru's words of wisdom were that it was the city of fools. He advised the disciple to leave the city because he would not know what they would do next. The disciple remembers this when he was going to be executed.

7. What are the precious things mentioned in the story 'The Happy Prince'? Why are they precious?

Ans. The precious things mentioned in the story are the dead bird and the leaden heart of the Prince. These two are precious as they sacrificed their lives to help others in their desperate times.

8. Why did Margie hate school? Why did she think the old kind of school must have been fun?

Ans. Margie hated school because it was not fun. A mechanical teacher used to teach her everyday at a fixed time. She thought that the old kind of school must have been fun as she imagined all the kids from the entire neighbourhood coming together laughing and shouting in the schoolyard.

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10. Why does the poet want the snake to be spared?

Ans. The poet wants the snake to be spared because he is non-venomous and hence harmless. He is so safe that he cannot harm even a young child. Since the snake is not a threat to any human being, there is no rhyme or reason in killing him.

11. Is there any difference between the two roads as the poet describes them in stanzas two and three?

Ans. In the last two lines of the poem, the poet says that there is a difference between the two roads because he took the road that was less travelled by other people and that made all the difference to his journey.

12. Why does the author say, Toto was not the sort of pet we could keep for long?

Ans. The author said that Toto was not the sort of pet they could keep for long because he was very mischievous and kept destroying things at home. He would tear things to pieces. He would make every effort to tear a hole in the narrator's aunt's dresses.

13. Why has Iswaran been called an asset? To whom?

Ans. Iswaran is an asset to Mahendra because he follows him wherever he is posted. Iswaran cooks for Mahendra, washes his clothes, and chats away with his master about endless stories and anecdotes on varied subjects.

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