

25. Discuss Harry's encounter with his antagonists?
26. Describe Swami's friendship with Mani and Rajam.
27. Explain the Princess' Sleep on a Pea.

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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (20 marks)

- I. Annotate any FIVE of the following : (5 × 2 = 10)
 1. They took some honey, and plenty of money
Wrapped up in a five-pound note.
 2. They sailed away, for a year and a day,
To the land where the Bong-Tree grows.
 3. And hand in hand, on the edge of the sand,
They danced by the light of the moon.
 4. If you are a pretender, come sit by the fire
For we have some flax-golden tales to spin.
 5. For he sometimes shoots up taller like an India-
rubber ball.
And he sometimes gets so little that there's 'lone
of him at all.
 6. I rose and found the shining dew on every
buttercup;
But my lazy little shadow, like an an-ant sleepy-
head.
 7. I will spend the rest of my life
Trying to figure this out.

- II. Answer any FIVE of the following questions in about one or two sentences : (5 × 2 = 10)
8. What according to Hunt is 'Didacticism' in Children's Literature?
 9. Who are all invited by the poet Silverstein in the poem, "Invitation"?
 10. What happened at the zoo on Dudley's eleventh Birthday?
 11. What is the significance of Halloween in Harry Potter?
 12. Who calls Swami 'tail' and why?
 13. How does Swami feel at the Board High School?
 14. What is the narrative structure of Mark Twain's "Jumping Frog of Calaveras Country"?

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

- III. Answer any FIVE of the following in about 100 words :
15. How do children's books address complex issues like identity, diversity and social justice?
 16. Bring out the romantic love of the "Owl and the Pussy Cat" in Edward Lear's poem.

17. How is Harry Potter brought up at the Dursley family?
18. What happened to Harry at Hogwarts during the Christmas holidays?
19. Describe the different attitudes of teachers at Abert Mission School.
20. Why does Swami run away from the Board High School? Explain.
21. Analyse the character of Mr. Lindsey and his relationship with Snow Image.
22. Sketch the character of Draco Malfoy in Harry Potter.

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

- IV. Write essays on any THREE of the following in about 300 words each :
23. Examine Hunt's views on the importance of historical context in Children's Literature. How does it influence interpretation?
 24. How does R.L. Stevenson present his shadow in the poem "My Shadow"?