The Lawrence School, Lovedale

NEVER GIVE IN

SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER

2026-27

CLASS VI
(STUDENTS SEEKING ADMISSION FOR CLASS VI)

Reading- (15 marks)

I. Read the following passage.

1. The cinema is the cheapest source of entertainment today. Millions of people see movies and enjoy them. It is a good pastime in all the places – big or small.

2. The cinema industry has made rapid progress after independence. In the beginning, there were silent and black-and-white movies. Now we see colours in every movie. Big posters are seen on the walls of cities and towns for advertisements. They also announce the upcoming movies in the city. There is always a rush in front of the booking window. So, the tickets are often sold in the black market at a high price.

3. On the one hand the cinema is a source of entertainment. On the other, it is also a source of knowledge and information. Indian cinema has a very great influence on society. It shapes our ideas, fuels aspirations, and even impacts lifestyle choices. The powerful stories of Indian cinema often serve as a reason for social change, challenging stereotypes and breaking societal norms.

4. Films satisfy all the kinds of people and their different tastes. There are religious movies and historical movies. They recreate the past, the old culture and lifestyle. Social films spread awareness about social evils of dowry, casteism and ill feelings against different religions. Some films expose the corruption in high places among the policemen and the citizens.

5. Indian cinema is a combination of different regional cinemas. Tamil, Telugu, Bengali, Marathi, and Malayalam cinemas have produced extraordinary films and have significantly contributed to Indian cinema's richness. Films like 'Pather Panchali', 'Salaam Bombay', and 'Lagaan' have gained global recognition, showcasing Indian cinema's capability on the international stage.

A. Answer the following questions briefly: (2×5=10m)
(a) Why is cinema so popular?

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(b) How can you say that the cinema industry has made rapid progress after independence?

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(c) Why are tickets often sold in the black market?

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(d) Mention two advantages of cinema.

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(e) What is the main purpose of making social films?

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B. Match each word with the meaning it has in the passage: (½x4=2m)

1. Corruption	Fast
2. Rapid	Low in price
3. Cheapest	Create again
4. Recreate	Dishonest behaviour

C. Frame sentences in your own words: (1×3=3m)

1. Lifestyle-

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2. Progress -

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3. Advertisements-

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Writing- 20 marks

II. Write a paragraph on the topic, 'Benefits of Reading' in 70-80 words:

(10m)

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III. Your younger brother is in class 5. Write a letter to your younger brother who has not done well in his class exam. Suggest ways to improve his performance. (70-80 words) **(10m)**

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Grammar: 15 marks

IV. Find the incorrect words/phrases in this paragraph and put them in the columns. Write the corrections in the second column. Look at the example.

(½x10=5m)

Passage	Incorrect	Correct
Example : Children are fond to mango. It is a	**To**	**Of**
juicy or sweet fruit, available in		
much varieties. Mangoes grown on a		
tree over tropical and temperate climate.		
One of the best places to has good mangoes		
had Andhra Pradesh, India.		

V. Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct verbs from the brackets.

(½ ×6=3m)

1. We _____ to watch the movie yesterday. (go/went)

2. They _____ completed their work. (has/have)

3. He wanted to _____ an engineer(become/becomes/becoming)

4. _____ is a good exercise (Walk/Walking)

5. The chair ____ broken by the student. (were/was)

6. ____ you taken my pen? (have/has/did)

VI. Read the sentences given below. Read the underlined word in the sentence. Circle the option that has the same meaning as the underlined word. **(5m)**

1. Fireworks on the 4th of July give off a beautiful glimmer in the sky.

   a) glow

   b) bright

   c) look

2. The tower will topple if it has too much weight at the top.

   a) shake

   b) fall over

   c) stay straight

3. When we go camping, my father will ignite the fire so we can roast marshmallows.

     a) start

     b) blow

     c) strike

4. The student replied to the teacher with a witty answer and the class laughed.

     a) funny

     b) mean

     c) intelligent

5. The news made her heart throb with excitement.

     a) beat more slowly

     b) beat more strongly

     c) stop beating

VII. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb given in the bracket.
(½x4=2m)

Eg- You were sleeping when I came to your house. (Sleep)

1. Gandhiji_____(shoot) on his way to a prayer meeting.

2. Rohan_____(suffer) from fever since Monday.

3. The teacher_____(announce) the results.

4. If he_____(work) hard, he will pass.

General instructions:

I.   **Attempt all the questions.**
II.   Questions from 1 to 10 carry 2 mark each.
III. Questions from 11 to 20 carry 3 marks each.

SECTION-A

1	Multiply: 456 X 207	2
2	Subtract: 83,024 – 27,888	2
3	Compare the fractions given below using < and > signs (a) $\frac{1}{4}$ ____ $\frac{3}{4}$ (b) $\frac{3}{5}$ ____ $\frac{4}{5}$	2
4	Add: 76,851 + 32,451 + 20,050	2
5	What is the sum of first four 3-digit numbers?	2

6	Fill in the blanks by continuing the pattern in each of the following sequences.	2
	a) 456 → 567 → 678 → ☐ → ☐ → ☐ → ☐	
	b) 5,501 → 6,401 → 7,301 → ☐ → ☐ → ☐ → ☐	
7	Fill in the blanks:	2
	a) 678 mm = _____ cm _____ mm	
	b) 45,780 m = _____ km _____ m	
8	If a student study for 4 hours in a day, what fraction of the day does the student study?	2
9	Make the smallest and the greatest 6-digit number using the digits 0, 2, 6, 5, 1, 7	2
	Smallest number: _____	
	Greatest number: _____	
10	Write the number name of the given number:	2
	23,708 : _____	
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SECTION – B

11	Arrange the following numbers in **ascending (increasing)** order: 65,223 65,232 65,221 65,212 65,201	3
12	Fill in the boxes such that the fractions become equivalent. a) $\dfrac{2}{5} = \dfrac{\square}{10}$ b) $\dfrac{4}{7} = \dfrac{8}{\square}$ c) $\dfrac{3}{4} = \dfrac{\square}{16}$	3
13	List all the palindrome numbers between 300 and 400. (Palindrome numbers are those which read same backwards and forwards eg. 1331)	3
14	If 1 m 30 cm cloth is required to make a shirt. How much cloth will be needed to make 20 such shirts?	3

15	# MEAN There are 14 angles inside the given word 'MEAN". Count and write: Number of right angles: _____ Number of acute angles _____ Number of obtuse angles _____	3
16	Complete the table by filling the direction the children will face on completing the given turns. <table><tr><th>STARTING DIRECTION</th><th>TURNS</th><th>ENDING DIRECTION</th></tr><tr><td>NORTH</td><td>Two right angles, anti-clockwise</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>SOUTH</td><td>5 right angles, clockwise</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>WEST</td><td>3 right angles clockwise, then $\frac{1}{2}$ right angle clockwise, then $\frac{1}{2}$ right angle clockwise again</td><td></td></tr></table>	3

17	A school auditorium has 12 rows, and each row has 14 seats.
	   a) If half the seats are filled, how many people are in the auditorium?
	   b) If 3 more rows get filled, how many total people will be there now?
	
	Ans a) _____
	
	Ans b) _____
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18	The distance from Bhopal to Sanchi is 48 km 700 m. Bhadbhada Ghat waterfall is on the way, and 17 km 900 m away from Bhopal. How far is Sanchi from the waterfall?	3

| 19 | Round off the given number to Nearest Tens, Nearest Hundreds and Nearest Thousands. | 3 |

Number	Nearest Tens (10)	Nearest Hundreds (100)	Nearest Thousands (1000)
6,837			

20	A truck can carry 9,360 kg of goods. A farmer loads 4,245 kg of potato and 2,244 kg of onion on it.	3

a) What is the total weight loaded onto the truck?

Ans: _____ kg

b) How much more weight can the truck carry before reaching its maximum capacity?

Ans: _____ kg