

**J&K POLICE PUBLIC SCHOOL, MIRAN SAHIB, JAMMU**

**1<sup>ST</sup> ASSESSMENT TEST**

**Subject: English**

**Class:10<sup>th</sup>**

**Subject Teacher: Rashmi Sharma**

**M: Marks: 20**

**Contact no.: 8493860074**

**SECTION A (READING)**

**1. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:**

All great men have to be successful. They are remembered for their great achievements. But it is certain that success comes to those who are sincere, hardworking, loyal and committed to their goals. It smiles on those who have a proper approach, planning, vision and stamina. One cannot be successful without cultivating these certain basic things in life. A focused approach with proper planning is certain to bring success. Indecision and insincerity are big obstacles on the path to success.

**QUESTIONS:**

**(3 marks)**

1. To whom does success come certainly?
2. What are the basic things in life we need to achieve success?
3. Find the synonym of the word 'concentrated' from the given paragraph.

**SECTION B (WRITING and Grammar)**

**(4 marks)**

2. Write a letter to M/S Global Electronics, Faridabad, complaining against the improper functioning of washing machine purchased by you a week before. You are Sumit/Rita who live in 40 Shiv Puri, Faridabad.

**3. Fill in the blanks with appropriate Determiners.**

**(3 marks)**

For \_\_\_\_\_ minutes \_\_\_\_\_ monkey and I sat gazing at each other. Then with one leap it disappeared and I was left staring sadly at the sea. Then, in \_\_\_\_\_ distance, I noticed \_\_\_\_\_ boat with two men in it approaching the island. I waved and shouted and \_\_\_\_\_ men waved back. \_\_\_\_\_ had saved me after all!

**SECTION C (LITERATURE)**

**4. Read the extract given below and answer the question that follows:**

*Some say the world will end in fire*

*Some say in ice.*

*From what I have tasted of desire*

*I hold with those who favour fire.*

**QUESTIONS:**

**(4 marks)**

1. What are the different views of people?
2. Which view is favoured by the poet?
3. Fire signifies \_\_\_\_\_ according to poet.
4. The rhyme scheme of the stanza is \_\_\_\_\_.

**5. Answer the following questions.**

**(2x3=6)**

1. What happened to Lencho's field after the heavy storm?
2. Why was Mr. Herriot shocked at Tricki's appearance?
3. Whom did Lencho write a letter? What did he ask for?

