Provincial Department of Education. – Central Province

Monthly Test – February 2020

Appreciation of English Literary Texts.

Grade 11 **01 hour**

Part I

1). Answer all the questions.

i."Hoarse, booming drums of the regiment

Little souls who thirst for fight"

a. From where are these lines taken? Who is the writer? (2 marks)

b. What is the situation described in these lines? (2 marks)

c. Who are referred to as 'Little Souls' here? (2 marks)

d Write the meaning of the second line in your own words. (3 marks)

e. What is your opinion of the 'Little souls' in the poem? (6 marks)

(15 marks)

Or

ii. "He was a gentleman from sole to crown,

Clean favored and imperially slim"

a. From where are these lines taken? Who is the writer? (2 marks)

b. Who is the person mentioned in the extract? (2 marks)

c. What do the words 'imperially slim' suggest? (2 marks)

d. Describe the first line of this extract in your own words. (3 marks)

e. Explain how 'contrast' is used in the poem. (6 marks)

(15 marks)

iii. "Stop worrying about the supper. You have got to come. Let's play together!"

a. Name the work that carries these lines. Who is the writer? (2 marks)

b. Who is the speaker of these words? Whom are they spoken to? (2 marks)

c. What is the situation referred to here? (2 marks)

d. What is 'play' in this extract symbolic of? (3 marks)

e. Comment briefly on the relationship between the two characters in this extract. (6 marks)

(15 marks)

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Part II

Answer one question.

2) Analyze the techniques used in the poem ***War is Kind*** by Steven Crane. (20 marks)

3) What theme does Robinson deal with in his poem ***Richard Cory***? (20 marks)

4).Characters in the play ***The Twilight of a Crane*** by Junji Kinoshita, are representative of different extremes of society. Do you agree? Justify your answer. .

(20 marks)

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