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## **CBSE Sample Paper Class 11 English 2021-22**

Subject: English Class: 11 Maximum Marks: 80 Duration: 3 hours

Section A: Reading (20 marks)
1. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:
[Passage]
a) What is the main theme of the passage? b) What does the author mean by "adversity builds character"?
2. Read the poem given below and answer the questions:
[Poem]
a) What is the central idea of the poem? b) Identify and explain one poetic device used in the poem.
Section B: Writing and Grammar (30 marks)
<ol> <li>Write a letter to the editor of a newspaper expressing your concern about the increasing pollution levels in your city. (10 marks)</li> </ol>
4. Rewrite the following sentences using the correct form of the verbs:
a) They (study) all night for the exam. b) She (not go) to the party last night.
5. Fill in the blanks with the appropriate word given in the brackets:
a) The boy is (tall) than his sister. b) We have (little) time to finish the project.
Section C: Literature (30 marks)
6. Answer the following questions based on the prescribed novel:
[Novel]

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- a) Who is the protagonist of the novel? b) What is the main conflict in the story?
  - 7. Write a character sketch of any one of the characters from the prescribed drama. (10 marks)
  - 8. Write a critical appreciation of any one of the prescribed poems. (10 marks)