

HOLIDAYS HOME WORK

CLASS - X

SUBJECT - ENGLISH

SESSION - 2022-23

NOTE:

- Holiday Homework should be done in separate notebook.
- Holiday H.W. should be done in neat and clean handwriting.
- Revise the syllabus done in the class.
- It must be submitted by July 2, 2022.

Q-1: Read the passage given below - [Bravia, Section-A]
[Reading] from the prescribed Grammar Book and answer the questions briefly:

- a) There are over a ----- in barren soil. (pg 13-14).
- b) Have you ever ----- that works out. (pg 19-20)

Q-2: A teacher motivates and inspires the students. Taking ideas from the following notes, write an article in about 120 words, talking about the role and importance of teachers in our lives. Sign yourself as Nitin.

- ★ Teachers are inspirational models of life.
- ★ Influence children's future
- ★ Influential figures of society.

Q-3: You are Soumil Sharma of 115, Preet Vihar, Delhi. Last month you had purchased an automatic washing machine from M/S Bengal Electronics, New Delhi. Now you discover that machine has started creating troubles. Write a letter to the dealer complaining about the problem and requesting them to change the piece as it is still under warranty period.

(P.T.O.)

Q-4 Complete the story using passive voice.

This building, which is the oldest surviving example in the country, (a) _____ (say) to be the most expensive house in Canada. Currently the house (b) _____ (sell) by the international auctioneers, McPhersons. The house (c) _____ (report) to be haunted and many people down the centuries (d) _____ (hear) strange footsteps and noises in the dark of night.

Q-5 In the following sentences, there is one error in each line regarding 'sub-vb-concord', write the incorrect word and the correct word in the space provided.

- Mumps are one of the most uncomfortable diseases. _____
- One hundred dollars are not a lot of money to some people. _____
- Grandpa claims that Martian measles cause green and purple spots to erupt all over a person's body. _____
- Either my cousin or my uncle were on the critical list. _____

Q-6 Find out the missing word from the passage regarding 'Models' and write the words before and after it in the space provided.

God is great and we be grateful to him. _____

We do our duty and leave the reward in the hands of God. _____

Ultimately, God help us. _____

We leave everything to God. _____

Q-7 Read the given extract and answer the questions that follow with reference to context.

★ A few moments later we - - - - - fairly elected.
Pg: 19

a) Who are 'we' here?

b) What was the occasion?

c) What did the event signify?

d) How was the new government elected?

e) Find a word from the passage which means as "an impressive display"

Q-8 Answer the following questions about 30-40 words.

a) Who were the visitors? Why was the tiger ignoring the visitors?

b) When and how did Mandela's understanding of freedom change?

c) How did the young seagull's parents teach him the art of flying?

d) How did seagull's father and mother threaten him and persuade him to fly?

Q-9 Rearrange the following words and phrases to form meaningful sentences.

(1) platinum / rare / but / a / is / amazing / metal.

2) 18th century / the / is / in / first / was / discovered / platinum / south America

3) hardest / it / the / of / metals / is / one.

4) name / derived / from / spanish / plata / means / little / its / is / the / word / which / silver.

Fun Activity

Write down the Biography of "Nelson Mandela - The first black president of South Africa".

Highlighting the following points :-

- Childhood.
- Parents
- Education
- Profession
- Contribution to the World.
- His achievements
- Famous quotes (any 5)

Q-10- Given below is a list of literary devices.

Select three poems from the syllabus and highlight the presence of listed literary devices while explaining the literary devices.

- Simile, Metaphor, Personification
- Repitition, Alliteration, Assonance, Anaphora
symbolism