# KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA TARAKESWAR HOLIDAY HOMEWORK SUMMER VACATION – 2020 CLASS- VII

# SOCIAL SCIENCE

# A-COMPLETION OF EXERCISE QUESTION ANSWERS- FOR THE FOLLOWING LESSONS-

1-TRACING THE CHANGES THROUGH THOUSAND YEARS

2- ENVIRONMENT

3- ON EQUALITY

# B- MAP AND DIAGRAM ALONG WITH THE LESSONS (HISTORY + GEOGRAPHY)

(AS PER THE LESSONS).

## C: ACTIVITY

1- READ THE CHAPTER — ENVIRONMENT. IN THE BEGINNING, A STORY IS GIVEN IN WHICH SOME LEARNERS ARE DISCUSSING ABOUT THE CHANGES WHICHHAVE TAKEN PLACE IN THEIR IN OUR ENVIRONMENT IN PAST FEW YEARS. WRITE DOWN ABOUT THESE CHANGES.

2- IMAGINE AN IDEAL ENVIRONMENT WHERE THEY WOULD LOVE TO LIVE AND DRAW THE PICTURE OF THEIR IDEAL ENVIRONMENT. THOSE WHO MAY NOT PREFER TO DRAW CAN PREPARE A WRITE UP OR A POEM ON THE THEME.

3- IF HUMANS HAVE A RIGHT TO MINE THE EARTH FOR MINERALS, OILS, ETC., THEN THEY ALSO HAVE THE RESPONSIBILITY TO PROTECT IT. WRITE IN 150 WORDS ABOUT THE STATEMENT. SUPPORT WITH THE RELATED PICTURES/DRAWING ETC.

4- WRITE ON THE LIFE OF RASSUNDARI DEVI WITH THE HELP OF THE CHAPTER 'WOMEN CHANGES THE WORLD'.

### **SCIENCE**

Revision of Chapter 1 and 2. Do all the questions.

# **MATHS**

Revision of Chapter 1 and 2.

# <u>HINDI</u>

#### Holiday homework

100 points

मिठाई वाला पाठ का पूरा अभ्यास करो। कठपुतली कविता का सारांश लिखो। कालेलकर ने नदी को लोकमाता क्यों कहा है लिखो। नदी को बेटी क्यों कहा गया है लिखो। हम पंछी उन्मुक्त गगन के पाठ का सारांश लिखो। दादी मां का व्यवहार कैसा लगा उनके न रहने पर घर में क्या होता विस्तृत में लिखो।

# **SANSKRIT**

Instructions

Student work

#### Holiday homework

100 points

दिए गए सभी शब्द रूप और धातुरूप को याद कर लो। पहले इस को अपने कॉपी में लिखो और उसके बाद याद कर लो। सुभाषित पहला पाठ का हिन्दी में अर्थ भी लिखो।

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# <u>ENGLISH</u>

#### Instructions:

1) Don't attempt the whole paper in one sitting. Time each question and try and attempt it one at a time or maximum two at a time.

2) Holiday Homework should be done in a separate notebook.

#### READING COMPREHENSION

Q1. Read the Notice given below and answer the questions that follow:

#### **BLOOD DONATION NOTICE**

#### Blood donation is essential

There is no product that can truly substitute for human blood. Blood donation is thus irreplaceable and essential to save lives. In France, each year, 500,000 patients benefit from a blood transformation.

The instruments for taking the blood are sterile and single use (syringes, tubes, Bags). There is no risk in giving your blood .

It is the best –known kind of donation and takes from 45 minutes to 1 hour.

A 450-ml bag is taken as well as some small samples on which tests and checks will be done.

A man can give his blood five times in a year, a woman three times Donors can be from 18 to 65 years old.

An 8 week interval is compulsory between each donation.

- An 18-year-old woman who has given her blood twice in the last twelve months wants to give blood again. According to Blood Donation Notice on what condition will she can be allowed to give blood?
- 2. The instruments for taking blood are sterile and single use ---Why does the text include this information?
  - a) To reassure you that blood donation is safe
  - b) To emphasise that blood donation is essential
  - c) To explain the uses of your blood.
  - d) To give details of the tests

- 3. What is the basic idea of the notice?
  - a) It is very safe to donate blood
  - b) The instruments are not safe
  - c) Blood can be drawn how much they want.
  - d) Blood is replaceable
- 4. If you are a female/male, how many times you can donate blood in a year?
- Q.2. 'Brushing your teeth' is an article from a Norwegian magazine. Read it carefully to answer the questions that follow-

#### **BRUSHING YOUR TEETH**

Do our teeth become cleaner and harder we brush them? British researcher says 'No'. They have actually tried out many different alternatives and ended up with the perfect way to brush your teeth. A two-minute brush, without brushing too hard, gives the best result. If you brush hard, you harm your tooth enamel and your gums without loosening food remnants or plaque. Benle Hansen, an expert on tooth brushing says that it is a good idea to hold the tooth brush the way you hold a pen. "Start in one corner and brush your way along the whole row." She says, "Don't forget your tongue either. It can actually contain loads of bacteria that may cause bad breath."

- 1. What is the purpose of this article?
  - a) The way different people brush their teeth.
  - b) The best kind of toothbrush to use.
  - c) The importance of good teeth.
  - d) The best way to brush your teeth.
- 2. What recommendation of British researcher is given in this article?
  - a) you should often brush your teeth.
  - b) you should try to brush your tongue.
  - c) you should not brush your teeth too hard.
  - d) you should brush your tongue more often than teeth.

3. According to Benle Hansen, what is the purpose of brushing your tongue?

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4. Why is 'a pen' mentioned in the text? Explain your answer by using your own words.

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Q3. Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow:

Most students groan when they hear their teachers assigning homework. When I was a kid even I did not like having homework because it took up my playing and television time. But studies have shown that homework is important for the students because it can create good study habits and positive attitude towards learning as they grow older.

Homework can improve the study habits of a student. This means that the student can create a good time management at home. By having a homework, the students will then have to schedule their time so that they can still do other home activities that they want to do.

Homework can also make the students remember and make them understand more clearly the lessons that they are taking up at school.

These are just the main reasons why homework is important for the students. It is an attitude and good habit building exercise for the students. Homework can also make the parents get involved with the education of their kids. If you are a parent then you have to encourage your kids to pay attention to their homework and manage their time to finish it early. If you are a student, then you should not complain because these home works are not given out of teacher's whim but it is an essential part of your education.

- 1. Answer by choosing the correct option:
- a. The above passage is about
- i.Home work
- ii. The importance of homework
- iii.Doing homework is all fun
- iv.Parents' role in child's homework

b. Parent's role in his/her child's homework is

- i.Remind the child all the time about the homework.
- ii.Let the child do all the homework himself/herself.

iii.Do all the child's homework.

- iv.Encourage and manage the time for the child to do his/her homework.
- How can doing homework improve a child's study habits? (Answer in 30-40 words)
- Find out the words from the passage which means:
- i.A complaining noise (para 1).....
- ii.Plan (para 2).....
- Q.4. Read the extract and answer the questions based on it. Questions:

# Fly by day, fly by night

# **B**utterflies and moths are found throughout the world, from deserts to hot jungles to high up in snowy mountains. You can see them on every continent except Antarctica.

Butterflies and moths are insects, and like all insects they have three pairs of legs. Their bodies are divided into three sections: head, **thorax**,



Brown moth. © Karen Tweedy-Holmes/Corbis

and **abdomen**. On either side of the head is a large special eye. These eyes are able to detect the smallest movement. But they cannot see faraway things very clearly.

The thorax, the middle section of the body, has two pairs of wings. The wings in front are usually larger. Dust-like scales cover the wings, body, and legs. If you happen to touch a butterfly or moth, these scales will come off in your hand.

If you want to know whether you are looking at a butterfly or a moth, you should look at its antennae. Butterflies and moths use their

antennae to hear and smell. Butterfly antennae end in little round knobs. Moth antennae may look like tiny feathers or threads.

The most striking thing about butterflies is their colouring. Most are bright and beautiful. But most moths are dull coloured, with thicker bodies and smaller wings. Butterflies hold their wings straight up over their backs when they rest. Moths rest with their wings spread out. Butterflies are active during the day. But moths usually fly around at night.

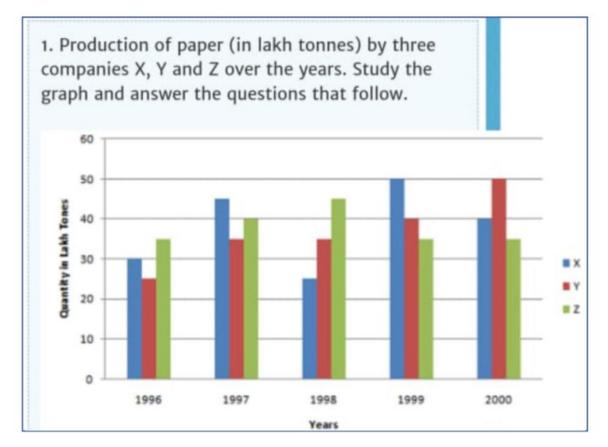
Many butterflies and moths seem to like sweet things. Nectar from flowers is an important part of their diet. Some will eat mosses and ferns. Others like cones, fruits, and seeds, but some do not eat at all and live for only a short time!

> LEARN MORE! READ THESE ARTICLES... BEES • CRICKETS • INSECTS

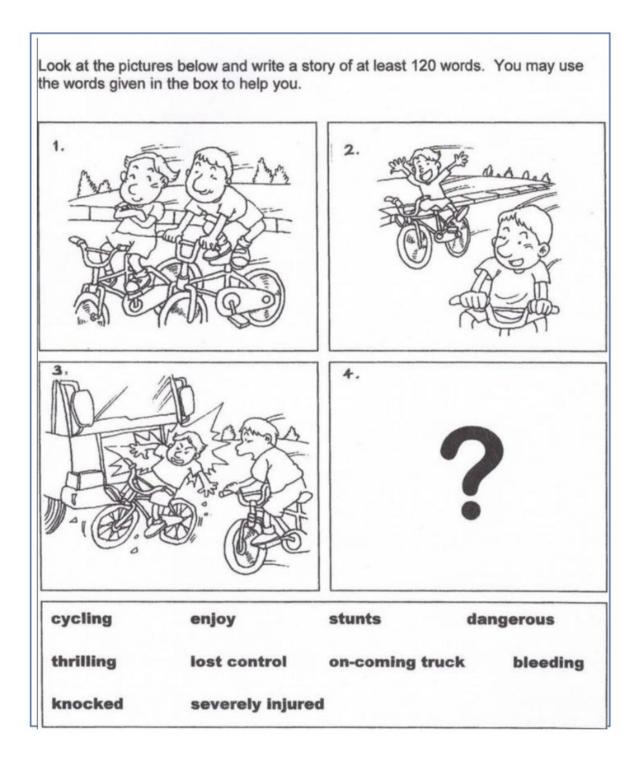


When do most butterflies fly, during the day or at night?

- Rohan went to a park and caught a butterfly. As the butterfly fluttered to escape, he could feel the dust on his hand. This dust is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the butterfly:
  - a) Wings c) Veins
  - b) Scales d) Skin
- 2. One of the reasons why butterflies and moths are not found in Antarctica is the extreme cold weather conditions. What could be the other possible reason?
- 3. Mention any four ways in which a butterfly can be distinguished from a moth?
- 4. Daisy sees colourful butterflies sitting on the flowers of her garden every day. Give a reason why do they perch on the flowers?
- Q.5. Given below is a graph on the production of paper by three companies: Questions:



Q.10. Look at the comic strips given below and write a story in about 80-100 words using the words given in the box below the comic strips, along with your own words, adjectives, adverbs, phrases. Give a suitable Title to your story.



- Q.11. Your house is very close to the main road. You can see the road from your window. Describe the road as you see it from your window in about 100 words. Use the following hint points. Also use adjectives, adverbs and phrases to develop your paragraph "A view of Main Road from the Window of My House." (Hint: Road, Traffic lights, vehicles, pedestrians, shops, shady trees, etc.)
- Q.12. Complete the work of Lesson (1) 'Three Questions', Lesson (2) 'The Gift of Chappals' and Poem (1) 'The Squirrel', and Poem (2) 'The Rebel', in your English notebook.

The work should be done in a following manner.

- 1. A short summary of the lesson.
- 2. Unfamiliar words with meaning.
- 3. Comprehensive check.
- 4. Working with the Text.
- 5. Working with the Language.
- 6. Speaking and Writing.

(Holiday Homework from Q.1 to Q.11 should be done in a separate notebook)

Enjoy Learning!!

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