

**SAINIK SCHOOL NALANDA**

**WINTER VACATION ASSIGNMENT 2023**

**CLASS VI**

A. Underline the main verbs and encircle the auxiliary verbs in the following sentences:

1. Wilma had weighed only four pounds at birth.
2. Others have expected little from her.
3. She is becoming a great athlete.
4. Not a single problem has stopped her.
5. People are noticing her skill in basketball.
6. Wilma will surprise everyone.
7. They are urging her to run races.
8. The sweat is flying off her face.
9. She has lunged across the finish line.
10. She is not thinking about her fear or pain.
11. She was forgetting all her problems.
12. People in the crowd were cheering for her.
13. No American woman had captured three gold medals at one Olympics.
14. She has changed sports history.
15. We will tell others about Wilma Rudolph's accomplishments.

B. Write a short paragraph(50-60 words) on any two of the following topics:

1. Homework
2. Experience of the trip to Rajgir
3. How you spent your winter vacations

C. Complete the textbook questions and answers for all the chapters, until chapter 4 in 'Honeysuckle', and 'A Pact with the Sun'.

D. Write a short Biography of any famous personality, outlining their struggles and ascent to success.

E. Rearrange the following words to frame sentences that are correct in syntax and semantics.

1. this we visiting Assam are summer.
2. first I quite happy was to receive prize the.
3. a should have called you him liar not.
4. I to the forgot letter post.
5. at the aim the deer took hunter.
6. the behind were the bush thieves hiding.
7. can I the see on roof something.
8. must we protect resources our natural.
9. upset why looking you are?
10. colours kites in of many flew the city different.

**CLASS: VII**

1. Write an original short story that revolves around the theme of "Quality." Your story should have a clear beginning, middle, and end. Be creative and use descriptive language to engage your readers. The story should be a minimum of 120 words.

2. Write an informal letter to your uncle sharing your experiences from the National Adventure Camp at the National Adventure Institute in Pachmarhi, Madhya Pradesh.

3. Reflect on how your experiences at the National Adventure Camp have impacted your personal growth and learning. Write a short reflection essay (minimum 150 words) on what you learned and how it has influenced your values.

**4. Following sentences are given in the active voice. Change them into the passive voice.**

1. He has bought a fiat car.
2. I put down the pen.
3. I saw a hut at a distance.
4. All of them welcomed the suggestion enthusiastically.
5. Most of my friends have watched this movie.
6. The teacher appreciated the boy's work.
7. Somebody has stolen the bicycle.
8. The police finally caught the notorious thief.
9. The head of the organization will run the project.
10. Firemen miraculously saved the people living on the second and third floors.
11. I am drafting a document now.
12. She will have sent the report.

## CLASS VIII

### **A. Fill in the blanks with suitable determiners:**

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ house is not mine.
- 2) I have \_\_\_\_\_ more files to complete.
- 3) She doesn't like him \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4) Nidhi answered \_\_\_\_\_ the questions wrong.
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ the girls had to carry their own luggage.
- 6) I shall not buy \_\_\_\_\_ oranges. These are rotten.
- 7) I have bought \_\_\_\_\_ cycle.
- 8) I drive 10 Kms \_\_\_\_\_ day to reach my school.
- 9) We are expecting \_\_\_\_\_ guests tonight.
- 10) \_\_\_\_\_ of my answers were correct. So, I passed.
- 11) Hello! \_\_\_\_\_ is Nupur. Can I speak to Aman?
- 12) He spends \_\_\_\_\_ time on video games.
- 13) What is your sister doing \_\_\_\_\_ days?
- 14) I can speak \_\_\_\_\_ Hindi.
- 15) He had built \_\_\_\_\_ unique house.

**B. Write a book review of any book that has deeply moved you, outlining the following areas: summary and background, details about the author, critical analysis, and diction. The layout of most book reviews is as follows: bibliographical information, introduction, thesis, supportive context, summary, critical analysis, and conclusion.**

### **C. Fill in the blanks with appropriate modals:**

1. Rose and Ted \_\_\_\_\_ be good players. They have won hundreds of cups !
2. You \_\_\_\_\_ pay to use the library. It's free.
3. I'm not sure where my wife is at the moment. She \_\_\_\_\_ be at her dance class.
4. Jerry \_\_\_\_\_ be working today. He never works on Sundays.
5. You \_\_\_\_\_ be 18 to see that film.
6. You \_\_\_\_\_ hear this story. It's very funny.
7. Dad \_\_\_\_\_ go and see a doctor. His cough is getting worse all the time.
8. You don't have to shout. I \_\_\_\_\_ hear you very well.
9. It \_\_\_\_\_ be him. I saw him a week ago, and he didn't look like that.
10. You look pretty tired. I think you \_\_\_\_\_ go to bed early tonight.

11. Let me look. I \_\_\_\_\_ be able to help you.
12. "Children, you \_\_\_\_\_ cross the street if the lights are red !"
13. You \_\_\_\_\_ sit so near the TV. It's bad for your eyes.
14. I'm sorry but I \_\_\_\_\_ give you a lift because my car is broken.
15. I \_\_\_\_\_ stop and talk to you now. I have to get to the library.

**D. Complete the textbook questions and answers for all the chapters, until chapter 'This is Jody's Fawn' in 'Honeydew', and 'Princess September' in 'A Pact with the Sun'.**

**E. Watch the following two films and write a review for them in relation to the chapters you have studied:**

Poorna

The Yearlings

### Class-IX

**Answer the following questions.**

**1. Write a short article on each of the following topics in 200 words.**

(a) Dr APJ Abdul Kalam

(b) Santosh Yadav

(c) Climate Change and Biodiversity Loss

(d) Green Solutions to Combat Air Pollution: Sustainable Practices for Cleaner Air

(e)

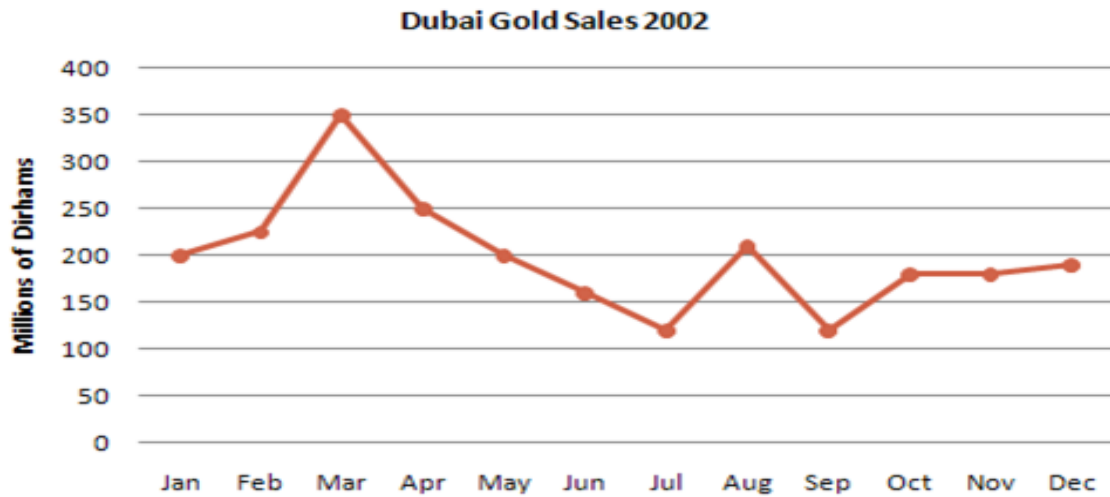
**2. Write a short story with following beginning lines.**

*Once upon a time, in a small coastal town, there lived Sonu, a teenage student with an insatiable passion for adventure. He was drawn to the sea, a realm of mystery and endless possibilities.*

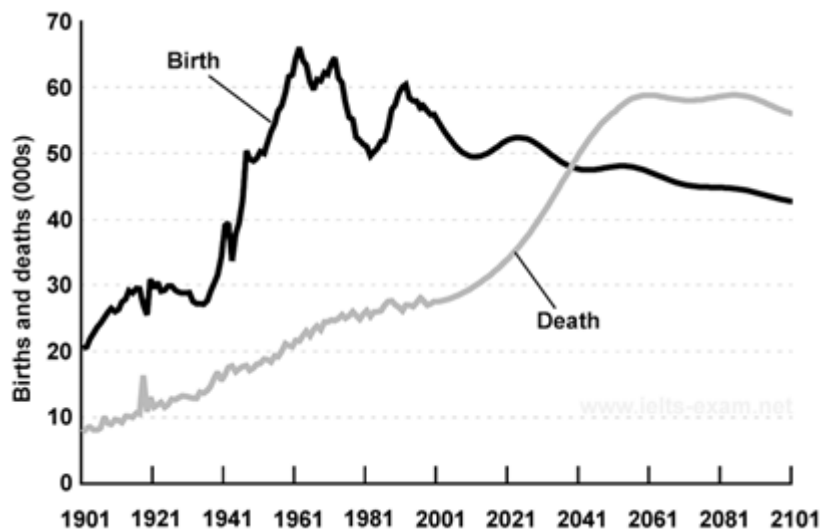
*3. Write a letter to the editor of local daily newspaper highlighting the problems of open manholes and unhygienic condition in your locality. You are Rohit Kumar, Q No 86, Shastri Nagar, Allahabad.*

### Class- X

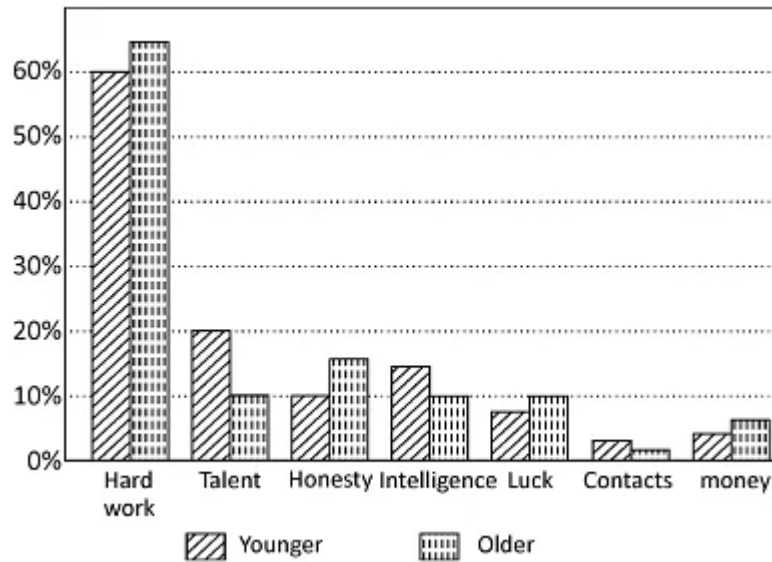
1. The provided line graph illustrates the projected gold sales in Dubai for the year 2002. Compose a comprehensive paragraph analyzing the line graph, encompassing roughly 150 words.



2. Observe a graph given below illustrating the birth and death rates in a country spanning from 1901 to 2101. Craft an analytical paragraph within the range of 100 to 150 words to describe the trends depicted in the graph.



3. A research study was undertaken to investigate the maturity gap between two age groups: individuals aged 15 to 35 years and those aged 36 to 60 years. Respondents from both age groups were surveyed to determine their perspectives on the most crucial factors for achieving success in life. To gain a comprehensive understanding of the findings, craft an analytical paragraph containing between 150 and 200 words.



4. The presented statistics depict the allocation of income within an average UK household. Summarize the key insights and trends evident from the data in an analytical paragraph.

