# **DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL JAMMU**

## **SESSION-2019 -20**

# **English Assignment Half-Yearly**

## **CLASS XI**

#### **HORNBILL**

- 1. Describe the changing relationship between the author and his grandmother? Did their feelings change for each other?
- 2. The Poem 'Photograph' depicts three different phases. What are they?
- 3. How did the children's presence and behavior during the crisis affect the narrator in "We are not afraid...."?
- 4. What do you notice about the reign of king Tut?
- 5. How do rain and song make the place of their birth more beautiful?
- 6. Why is the image of the engine evoked by the poet in Laburnam Top?
- 7. What does "Landscape of the Soul" talk about?

#### **SNAPSHOTS**

- 1. Describe the two boys Aram and Morad from 'The Summer of the beautiful ----
- 2. Justify the title of the story, 'The Address'
- 3. What were Ranga's views on marriage?
- 4. Why did the author want to forget the address given by her mother?

## **WRITING**

- 1. You are Arnit/Arnika .You want to sell your car as you are planning to buy a new one. Draft a suitable advertisement to be published in the Vehicles column of a newspaper.
- 2. Write a notice about the practice schedule for the forthcoming inter-school cricket tournament. You are Meenu/Mehul the sports captain of the school.
- 3. On the threshold of being a world super power, India does have a large young workforce but unfortunately not many in this force are employable for want of necessary skills. Write in about 150-200 words, an article for a newspaper on the topic' Skill Development is the need of the hour'. You are Anita/Arnay.
- 4. Yoga unites the body, mind and soul. When you are in harmony, the journey through life is calmer, happier and more fulfilling.. Write a speech in 150-200 words to be delivered in the morning assembly on the topic 'Yoga- a way of life'. You are Karan/ Kajal, Head Boy /Head Girl of D.A.V. Public School, Delhi

# **GRAMMAR**

1. In the passage given below, there is a word missing in each line. Find the right word and insert it where required---.

	First word	Missing word
Some political thinkers think	(a)	
Liberty equality couldn't go together.	(b)	
They that liberty implies freedom	(c)	
to do what one like to do.	(d)	
This is true if freedom interpreted	(e)	
in its absolute sense mean that	(f)	
each individual shall free	(g)	
according to opportunities,	(h)	
there will be a chaos		

- 2. Re-arrange following words and phrases into. meaningful sentences---.
- a. a fashion /has become/with/eating out/ people/today
- b. by/relished/home cooked food/no longer/the youngster/healthy/is
- c. to/the popularity/every corner/junk food/has led/ of/ eating joints/ around/of/the opening
- d. What/that/do not realize/we/be pleasing/may not be/to/to/so/our digestive system/may/the taste buds