

DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, JAMMU
REVISION SHEET FOR CYCLE TEST- I
SESSION 2018-2019

Subject :- English

Class:- VI

Syllabus:- *MCB- Durga and Oppu, Size of a Whisper, Life doesn't Frighten Me (poem)*

Workbook- Unit- I and II

Grammar- Jumbled Sentences, Articles.

Writing- Notice, Poster

Lit. Reader- A Letter to God

Novel- My Early Home

Reading- Comprehension of Prose and Poetry

SECTION – A

Q1:- Read the passage and answer the questions that follow :-

ART OF CONVERSATION

It is not always easy in company to speak frankly and if you don't want to be considered a bad mannered person. You have to watch constantly for signs. It is not easy, for example, to listen for long to any one person. Try in company to take only a fair share of the conversation. If there are two of you, take half of it. When you have said a little, keep quiet, and give your friend a chance to say something. If he does not talk, he probably does not want you to talk either. Many a young man or woman talks away, thinking the company is delighted to hear him or her whereas everyone is really exhausted and angry.

Don't think you can say unpleasant thing about someone behind his back and not be found out. It is surprising how the remarks usually find their way to the person with your name attached, so to speak. Whatever, you say, always assumes that the person may overhear, and modify your remarks accordingly. All experienced people act in this way.

A. Tick the most appropriate option:

a) In company we sometimes fail to

- i) speak frankly
- ii) convince others
- iii) overpower others
- iv) impress others

b) The word 'modify' means

- i) to increase
- ii) to beautify
- iii) to lessen
- iv) to change

B. Complete the sentences:

- i) If the other person in your company does not talk, it means_____.
- ii) If two of you are engaged in conversation, you should allow your companion to_____.

C. Answer the following question in 15 to 20 words.

- i) We should not say unpleasant things about someone behind his back. Why?

Q2:- Read the poem given below and answer the questions that follow:

POLAR BEAR

The polar bear never makes his bed;
He sleep on a cake of ice instead.
He has no blanket, no quilt, no sheet
Except the rain and snow and sleet,
He drills about on a white ice floe
While cold winds howl and blizzards blow
And the temperature drops to forty below.

The polar bear never makes his bed;
The blanket he pulls up over his head
Is lined with soft and feathery snow.
If ever he rose and turned on the light,
He would find a world of bathtub white,
And icebergs floating through the night.

-William Jay Smith

A. Tick the most appropriate option:

a) The polar bear sleeps

i) in a big hole

i) on trees

ii) on ice

iii) on land

b) Which of the following statements of the polar bear is not correct?

i) He makes his own bed.

i) He is white.

ii) He always faces rain and snow and sleet.

iii) He feels comfortable in the home of ice.

B. Complete the sentence.

i) The polar bear's body is adapted to _____

ii) The blanket that he pulls over his head is made up of _____

SECTION – B

Q3:- A Tree Plantation Ceremony is going to be held in your school premises on 10th October 2017. **Create a Poster inviting students** to participate in it by contributing at least five plants from each class.

Q4:- You are Avinash / Nitika of VI, the Sports Secretary of your school. Write a notice for your school notice-board about the **Annual Sport Meet** to be held in the coming week.

SECTION – C

Q5:- Rearrange the following jumbled up sentences into meaningful ones:-

(a) is/ good/ both/ for/ and/ early/ rising/ old/ adults

(b) Mohit/ and/ skating/ Saturday/ went/ on/ Preeti

(c) thankful/ should/ be/ we/ God/ to/ it/ for

(d) strike/ opportunity/ the/ wait/ I/ to/ right/ for/ will

(e) place/ our lives/ music/ important/ has / in/ an

Q6:- Complete the following sentences using appropriate articles. (a/an/the)

a) I am _____ university student.

b) She goes to the temple in _____ mornings.

c) _____ camel is the ship of the desert.

d) She returned after _____ hour.

e) He works at _____ factory.

SECTION – D

Q7:- Answer the following questions:- (MCB)

- a) What kind of qualities do Oppu and Durga have?
- b) What are Mark's feelings toward Olivia and his mother?
- c) Why does Mark want to become as tiny as Olivia?

Q8:- Read the extract and answer the following questions:-

I go boo
Make them Shoo
I make fun
Way they run
I won't cry
So they fly
I just smile
They go wild

- a) What is the rhyming scheme of the above extract?
- b) According to the above lines, what are the best strategies to overcome with fear?
- c) What is the name of the poet?

Q9:- Identify the gender of the words below and tick the correct answer:- (W.B)

a) **Pencil**

1. Masculine 2. Feminine 3. Neuter 4. Common

b) **Pupil**

1. Masculine 2. Feminine 3. Neuter 4. Common

c) **Heroine**

1. Masculine 2. Feminine 3. Neuter 4. Common

Q10:- Complete the following sentences with the correct order of adjectives:-

a) **He was wearing a _____ shirt.**

1. dirty old flannel 2. flannel old dirty 3. old dirty flannel

b) **Pass me the _____ cups.**

1. plastic big blue 2. big blue plastic 3. big plastic blue

Q11:- Answer the following questions:- (Lit. Reader)

“But don't send it to me through mail, because the post office employees are a bunch of crooks”.

- a) Who says this to whom?
- b) What did he not wish to receive through mail?
- c) Why does he call the post office employees “a bunch of crooks”?
- d) What was the only hope that Lencho had?

Q12:- Write down the character sketch of Black Beauty in 50 words. (Novel)

Q13:- Who was Dick? How did he treat the horses?