

# ST. COLUMBUS SCHOOL

Dayal Bagh, Surajkund, Faridabad-121009 (Haryana)

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**WINTER BREAK ASSIGNMENT**  
**SUBJECT- ENGLISH**  
**CLASS – VIII**

NAME- \_\_\_\_\_ SEC. - \_\_\_\_\_ ROLL NO. - \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Q1. Read the conversation between two friends and complete the dialogue in a suitable way.**

- Shruti** : Did you visit the book fair in Pragati Maidan?  
**Arushi** : No. Did you?  
**Shruti** : Yes, **(i)** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Arushi** : Did you buy any books?  
**Shruti** : Yes, **(ii)** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Arushi** : Well, what sort of science fiction books did you buy?  
**Shruti** : Stories about space and unidentified flying objects.  
**Arushi** : Were **(iii)** \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
**Shruti** : Yes, books of all the subjects were available there.  
**Arushi** : Do you have any idea? **(iv)** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Shruti** : I guess it will go on till 30th of this month.  
**Arushi** : Then I'll definitely go there and buy some good books.

**Q2. Combine the following sentences using non- finites.**

- i. I finished my work. I went home.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- ii. I was very excited. I couldn't sleep.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- iii. My bag is very small. It can't hold all my books.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- iv. I saw a boat. It was floating in the river.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- v. The thief saw the policeman. He ran away.  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Q3. Fill in the blanks with suitable connectors.**

- i. She looks beautiful \_\_\_\_\_ she uses this cream.  
ii. You will not pass \_\_\_\_\_ you study.  
iii. We have to clean the house \_\_\_\_\_ tomorrow is Diwali.  
iv. She told me \_\_\_\_\_ she was a poet.  
v. \_\_\_\_\_ give a presentation \_\_\_\_\_ leave the meeting.

**Q4. Identify and write the figures of speech in the following sentences.**

i. Jackie jumped in the jar of jelly.

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ii. That car is like a rocket.

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iii. I am a cloud.

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iv. I think that time flies when I am having fun.

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v. I heard a thud sound.

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**Q5. Answer the following questions.**

i. Why was scotch terrier at the Rocket Station?

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ii. Who was Robutt and how did it get its name?

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iii. Why did Viola decide to disguise herself?

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iv. How long does Olivia refuse to marry?

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v. How is the homeless character treated by others?

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**Q6. Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow.**

“To know that I’ll never have to move  
to review seasons from one lair.”

i. Name the poem.

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ii. Name the poet.

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iii. What do you mean by the word ‘lair’?

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iv. What does the homeless character long for?

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**ACTIVITY**

A mind map is an easy way to brainstorm thoughts organically without worrying about the order and structure. It allows you to visually structure your ideas to help with analysis and recall. Make a mind map on ‘Connectors’ giving examples of the same. (on A4 size sheet)

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## WINTER BREAK ASSIGNMENT

SUBJECT- HINDI

CLASS – VIII

NAME-\_\_\_\_\_ SEC. \_\_\_ ROLL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

प्र.1 निम्नलिखित पठित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़कर दिए गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए।

हुमायूँ : सचमुच हिंदूबेग, उन्होंने जादू का पिटारा भेजा है। मेरे सूने आसमान में मुहब्बत का चाँद चमकाया है। उन्होंने मुझे राखी भेजी है। मुझे अपना भाई बनाया है। (दूत से) बहन कर्मवती से कहना, हुमायूँ तुम्हारी माँ के पेट से पैदा ना हुआ तो क्या, वह तुम्हारे सगे भाई से बढ़कर है। कह देना- मेवाड़ की इज्जत, मेरी इज्जत है।

क) हिंदूबेग कौन था?

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ख) हुमायूँ को राखी किसने भेजी थी?

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ग) मेवाड़ पर क्या मुसीबत आई थी?

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घ) निम्नलिखित गद्यांश किस पाठ से लिया गया है?

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ङ) पाठ के लेखक का नाम लिखिए।

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प्र.2 निम्नलिखित शब्दों के अर्थ लिखिए।

क) खिदमत ..... ख) अनुभव .....

ग) तात ..... घ) दशक .....

प्र.3 निम्नलिखित वाक्यों में क्रिया के काल का कौन- सा भेद है, लिखिए।

क) शायद आज पिताजी आएँ? .....

ख) मैं पत्र लिख चुका था। .....

**प्र.4 निम्नलिखित अशुद्ध वाक्यों को शुद्ध कीजिए।**

क) मैंने मेरा कलम कविता को दे दिया।

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ख) सिपाही मैदान से दौड़ खड़ा हुआ।

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ग) खरगोश को काटकर गाजर खिलाओ।

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**प्र.5 लोकोक्तियों के अर्थ लिखकर वाक्यों में प्रयोग कीजिए।**

क) एक थाली के चट्टे- बट्टे .....

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ख) खोदा पहाड़ निकली चुहिया .....

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**प्र.6 अनेक शब्दों के लिए एक शब्द लिखिए।**

क) किसी को न मारना .....

ख) जो पढ़ा लिखा ना हो .....

**प्र.7 निम्नलिखित श्रुतिसम भिन्नार्थक शब्दों के अर्थ लिखिए।**

क) उग्र .....

ख) आदी .....

अग्र .....

आदि .....

**प्र.8 निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों के उत्तर लिखिए।**

क) राखी के पवित्र धागों में बँधकर मेवाड़ के वीरों ने क्या प्रतिज्ञा की?

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ख) कृष्ण ने बलराम की क्या-क्या शिकायतें की हैं?

ग) प्राचीन काल में भारतीय खगोल विज्ञान की क्या स्थिति थी?

घ) यशोदा कृष्ण को घर से दूर जाकर खेलने से क्यों मना करती हैं?

### रचनात्मक कार्य

- भारतीय खगोल विज्ञानियों ने अपने अथक प्रयासों द्वारा अंतरिक्ष के क्षेत्र में अविस्मरणीय योगदान दिया है। विक्रम साराभाई, डॉ. ए.पी.जे. अब्दुल कलाम, कल्पना चावला आदि वैज्ञानिकों में से किसी एक खगोल विज्ञानी के जीवन व कार्यों पर एक परियोजना तैयार कीजिए।
- सूरदास के जीवन तथा उनकी रचनाओं पर एक परियोजना तैयार कीजिए। ( रचनात्मक कार्य A4 साइज शीट पर)

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## WINTER BREAK ASSIGNMENT

SUBJECT: SANSKRIT  
CLASS-VIII

Name:----- Section: ----- Roll no: ----- Date: -----

प्रश्न 1 शब्दार्थाः लिखन्तु।

क) आदाय ..... ख) न्यसेत्.....

ग) अवरुद्धः ..... घ) परिणीता.....

प्रश्न 2 एकपदेन उत्तरत।

क) के कूपात् जलोद्धरणम् अवारयन ? .....

ख) वयं शिक्षिताः अपि कथमाचरामः ? .....

ग) कीदृशं कर्म समाचरेत् ? .....

प्रश्न 3 अधोलिखित समस्तपदानां विग्रहं कृत्वा लिखत ।

क) उपनगरम् .....

ख) निर्भयम् .....

ग) सबलम् .....

घ) यथाधनम् .....

प्रश्न 4 संस्कृते संख्यावाचिशब्दान् लिखत।

क) 52 ..... ख) 65 ..... ग) 70 .....

प्रश्न 5 रेखांकित पदानि आधृत्य प्रश्ननिर्माणं कुरुत ।

क) साहित्यरचनया अपि सावित्री महीयते ।

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ख) मनुष्य सत्यपूतां वाचं वदेत् ।

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ग) सर्वे नदीतीरं प्राप्ताः प्रसन्नाः भवति ।

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प्रश्न 6 अव्ययपदानि प्रयुज्यं कृत्वा वाक्यप्रयोगं कुरुत ।

क) अन्यत्र .....

ख) विना .....

ग) यदा .....

प्रश्न 7 'कृ' धातु रूपाणि लोटलकारे लिखत ।

पुरुष	एकवचनम्	द्विवचनम्	बहुवचनम्
प्रथम	.....	.....	.....
मध्यम	.....	.....	.....
उत्तम	.....	.....	.....

प्रश्न 8 'माता' इति शब्दस्य पञ्चमी षष्ठी सप्तमी विभक्त्याम् च रूपाणि लिखत ।

विभक्ति	एकवचनम्	द्विवचनम्	बहुवचनम्
पञ्चमी	.....	.....	.....
षष्ठी	.....	.....	.....
सप्तमी	.....	.....	.....

- रचनात्मक कार्यम् -

अस्माकं देशस्य पञ्च सफल स्त्रीणां विषये पञ्च – पञ्च वाक्यानि लिखत ।



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## WINTER BREAK ASSIGNMENT

### SUBJECT- MATHEMATICS

#### CLASS – VIII

NAME-\_\_\_\_\_ SEC. \_\_\_\_ ROLL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Solve  $(a + b + c)(a - b - c)$

2. Solve the following by using identity:

i.  $81p^2 - 36q^2$

ii.  $(4p - 3q)^2$

3. By selling a saree for Rs. 864, a shopkeeper earns a profit of 8%. Find the cost price.

4. Construct quadrilateral ABCD, given that  $AB = 5\text{cm}$ ,  $BC = 3\text{cm}$ ,  $CD = 5\text{cm}$ ,  $AD = 4\text{cm}$ ,  
 $AC = 6\text{cm}$

- Hema lent Rs. 40,960 to Hameed at the rate of  $25\frac{1}{4}\%$  per annum for two years. Find the compound interest.
- A table with marked price Rs. 1,200 was sold to a customer for Rs. 1,100. Find the rate of discount allowed on the table.
- Kiran purchases a sewing machine marked for Rs. 3,270. If the rate of sales tax is 12%, find the amount which she will have to pay for buying the machine.
- Construct a rhombus in which two diagonals AC and BD are 6cm and 4.6cm long respectively.

9. Multiply and find the result when  $x = -1$  and  $y = 2$   
 $(xy^2 - x^2y)(2x + 1)$

10. Find the value of p if:

i.  $5p = 56^2 - 51^2$

ii. Find  $x^2 + 1/x^2$ , if  $x + 1/x = 5$

### **ACTIVITY**

11. What is Cartesian plane? Who discovered it and in which century? Draw a Cartesian plane on A4 size pastel sheet with 4 quadrants and represent it with plus and minus sign. Do the following question based on it.

Draw a graph for a different situation where x represents the side of a square and y represents its area.

x	1	2	3
y	1	4	9

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## WINTER BREAK ASSIGNMENT

SUBJECT- SCIENCE

CLASS – VIII

NAME- \_\_\_\_\_ SEC. \_\_\_\_\_ ROLL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

### A. Fill in the blanks :

1. \_\_\_\_\_ is the hormone that regulates secondary sexual characters in males.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ is the other name of voice box.
3. Fertilisation takes place in \_\_\_\_\_ in human female.
4. Hypermetropia is corrected by using \_\_\_\_\_ lens.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ is a device which works on the principle of multiple reflection.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ is defined as the reflection of light from an uneven surface.
7. Fertilisation which takes place inside the female's body is called \_\_\_\_\_ .

### B. Define :

1. Menarche

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2. Cloning

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3. Reflection

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### C. Answer the following questions :

1. What are viviparous and oviparous animals?

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2. State three changes which takes place in boys during adolescence.

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3. How is sex of a baby determined ?

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4. The angle between the incident ray and reflected ray is  $100^\circ$ . What is the value of angle of incidence?

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D. Draw a well labelled diagram of human eye.

- **ACTIVITY : Make a model of Kaleidoscope .**

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**WINTER BREAK ASSIGNMENT**  
**SUBJECT- SOCIAL SCIENCE**  
**CLASS – VIII**

NAME- \_\_\_\_\_ SEC. \_\_\_\_\_ ROLL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Q1. Fill in the blanks:**

- a) \_\_\_\_\_ college was established in 1892.
- b) \_\_\_\_\_ Samaj was established in 1867.
- c) The \_\_\_\_\_ revolution started in 1776.
- d) Dadu was forced to leave his village in \_\_\_\_\_.
- e) \_\_\_\_\_ are essential for the development of civilization.
- f) Adivasis are not a \_\_\_\_\_ population.

**Q2. Answer the following questions in one word:**

- a) Who was the writer of the book 'Stripurushtulna' ?

\_\_\_\_\_

- b) In which year was the Child Marriage Restraint Act passed?

\_\_\_\_\_

- c) How many different Adivasi groups are there in India ?

\_\_\_\_\_

- d) Which crop needs 125 to 200 cm rainfall to grow?

\_\_\_\_\_

- e) In which type of commercial farming single crop is grown?

\_\_\_\_\_

- f) Name any two beverage crops.

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**Q3. Long answer type questions:**

- a) What are the climatic conditions needed for the rice production?

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a) What is Sati Pratha?

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b) What is smelting?

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c) Write any three things about the lives of Adivasis in India.

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d) Draw the diagram of factors affecting location of industries.

**Q4. Activity:** Paste or draw pictures of four prominent social reformers and state their contribution. (on A4 size sheet)

## **WINTER BREAK COMPUTER PROJECT WORK**

Create a web page on the topic ‘ New Education Policy-2020’. Use the suitable images and tags to make the web pages attractive.