

English Test

(Any 12 but Q13 is mandatory)

Q1. Why did Margie hate school? Why did she think the old kind of school must have been fun?

Q2. What do you think the last two lines of the poem mean? (Looking back, does the poet regret his choice or accept it).

Q3. Where was the shehnai traditionally played? How did Bismillah Khan change this?

Q4. When and how did Bismillah Khan get his big break?

Q5. . How does Kezia begin to see her father as a human being who needs her sympathy?

Q6. Why does the author say that Iswaran seemed to more than make up for the absence of a TV in Mahendra's living quarters?

Q7. For whom does the prince send the sapphires and why?

Q8. Do you think the feeling of depression Johnsy has is common among teenagers?

Q9. The cat and the author are very fond of each other. How has this been shown in the story? Where was the cat after the fire? Who brings it back and how?

Q10. What are the precious things mentioned in the story? Why are they precious?

Q11. Mahendra calls ghosts or spirits a figment of the imagination. What happens to him on a full-moon night?

Q12. How does the guru manage to save his disciple's life?

Q13. Write an Article on Vehicular Pollution in your city and a letter to the editor of a newspaper to plea to the people to switch to solar energy to save electricity.