



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, BANGALORE-EAST
INTERNAL ASSESSMENT II (2021 -2022)
SUBJECT-ENGLISH

CLASS: IX
DATE:16/11/21

MAX-MARKS:20
TIME:45 minutes

SECTION A – WRITING AND GRAMMAR (10 marks)

1. Your elder brother has come from abroad after completing his higher studies. Your family members celebrated his arrival. Write a diary entry describing how you arranged a homecoming welcome for your brother and how that day became “A Memorable Family Occasion” for you. (5 marks)

2. Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct options for the sentences given below. (1x2= 2 marks)

(i) I praised him for what he for the poor.

- (a) did (b) have done (c) had done (d) was doing

(ii) When you reach there, he a book.

- (a) would read (b) will read (c) will have read (d) will be reading

3. Read the following dialogue and then complete the passage by choosing the correct options from the ones given below. (1x3=3 marks)

Gardener: Did you water the plant today?

Dev: No, but I will do today.

Gardener: Then tomorrow I will get a sapling of sunflower.

The Gardener asked Dev (i) Dev replied negatively but (ii) Then the gardener said that (iii)

- (i) (a) if he watered the plant that day.
(b) if he had watered the plant that day.
(c) had he watered the plant that day?
(d) did he water the plant that day?

- (ii) (a) said he will do today.
(b) said he will do that today.
(c) said he would do that day.
(d) said he would do this day.

- (iii) (a) he will get a sapling of sunflower tomorrow.
(b) he will get a sapling of sunflower the next day.
(c) he would get a sapling of sunflower the next day.
(d) he will be getting a sapling of sunflower the next day.

SECTION B – LITERATURE (10 marks)

4. Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow.

‘O let him go
over the water
into the reeds to hide
without hurt.’

- (i) What is ‘he’ trying to escape from? **(1 mark)**
- (ii) Why is the speaker telling the listener to let ‘him’ go? **(1 mark)**
- (iii) Identify the literary device used in the first line of the extract. **(1 mark)**

5. Answer the following questions in 20-30 words each. **(2x2= 4 marks)**

- (i) “I lived with a man once who used to make me mad that way.” What did the man do or say to make Jerome K. Jerome mad?
- (ii) “So hack and chop. But this alone won’t do it.” What does hack and chop do to a tree?

6. Answer the following question in 40-50 words. **(1x3= 3marks)**

- (i) The future of a country depends upon the power of youth. Explain how Prashant organised the youth in Ersama, to help the cyclone-affected people.