

**Q. 1. (A) Read the extract and complete the activities given below:**

In the small village of Rampur, life moved at an unhurried pace. People woke up early, tended to their fields, and ended their day with the setting sun. The main source of livelihood was farming, and most families grew wheat, sugarcane, and vegetables. However, in recent years, farmers had begun facing difficulties due to irregular rainfall. Many were forced to depend on groundwater, which was depleting rapidly.

Ravi, a young farmer, decided to try a different approach. He attended a training workshop on sustainable farming conducted by an agricultural officer in the nearby town. There, he learned about drip irrigation, crop rotation, and organic fertilizers. When he returned to Rampur, he applied these methods to his small plot of land. Slowly, his crops began to grow healthier, and his water usage reduced significantly.

Seeing his success, other farmers in the village also adopted similar practices. Within a few years, Rampur's agricultural yield improved, and the villagers were able to earn a better living. This change also helped preserve the environment, as fewer chemical fertilizers were used, and water resources were conserved. Ravi's initiative showed how one person's determination can inspire an entire community.

**A. Multiple Choice Questions (1 mark each)**

1. What was the main occupation of the people of Rampur?
  - a) Fishing
  - b) Farming
  - c) Teaching
  - d) Trading
2. Which method was *not* mentioned as part of sustainable farming in the passage?
  - a) Drip irrigation
  - b) Crop rotation
  - c) Use of chemical fertilizers
  - d) Organic fertilizers
3. What problem did the farmers face in recent years?
  - a) Floods
  - b) Irregular rainfall
  - c) Pest attacks
  - d) Lack of seeds

**B. Short Answer Questions (2 marks each)**

4. What changes did Ravi make in his farming methods?
5. How did the environment benefit from the new farming practices?

**C. Long Answer Question (4 marks)**

6. Describe how Ravi's actions brought change to the village. Include examples from the passage.

**D. Vocabulary (1 mark each)**

7. Find a word from the passage that means:
  - i) Supply of water through pipes or channels: \_\_\_\_\_
  - ii) To keep safe from harm or destruction: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Q2. Question Tag:**

A **question tag** is a short question added at the end of a statement to confirm information, seek agreement, or keep a conversation going.

It usually consists of an **auxiliary verb (helping verb) + pronoun**.

- If the statement is **positive**, the tag is **negative**.
- If the statement is **negative**, the tag is **positive**.

### **Question Tag Practice**

1. She can play the guitar, \_\_\_\_\_?
2. You aren't coming to the picnic, \_\_\_\_\_?
3. They have finished their homework, \_\_\_\_\_?
4. He doesn't know the answer, \_\_\_\_\_?
5. We will meet tomorrow, \_\_\_\_\_?
6. It's raining heavily, \_\_\_\_\_?
7. You haven't seen my notebook, \_\_\_\_\_?
8. The students are ready for the test, \_\_\_\_\_?
9. She was very tired yesterday, \_\_\_\_\_?
10. I'm your best friend, \_\_\_\_\_?

## **Q.3 Information Transfer**

### **- Nonverbal to Verbal**

#### **1- Population of India (in billions)**

