

Q4. Each year on April 22, billions of people across the globe join together to raise awareness about environmental protection. This global event is known as Earth Day. As the Secretary of the Nature Club of your school, draft a poster to make students aware about a programme that the school is undertaking to celebrate this special day.

Q4. Poster (Earth Day)

EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

Date: April 22 | Venue: School Auditorium

Organised by: The Nature Club

Join us to celebrate Earth Day and take a pledge to protect our environment!

Highlights: Awareness Rally, Tree Plantation Drive, Skits, Exhibitions, and Pledge Ceremony.

Be the change you wish to see Together for a Greener Tomorrow!

Q5(a). Draft an advertisement in about 50 words for the Classified Column of an English daily announcing the release of a book by an eminent author at Oxford Book Store, also mentioning that there will be a chance to interact with the author at the event.

Q5(a). Advertisement

Oxford Book Store is proud to announce the release of the latest book by eminent author R.K. Sharma.

Join us on Sunday, 10th October at 5 PM for the grand launch at our Park Street branch.

An exclusive interactive session with the author will follow the release.

Do not miss this rare opportunity! All book lovers are welcome.

Q5(b). As an entrepreneur of a small business, you are looking for office space on rent in a

prominent locality of Kolkata. Draft an advertisement in about 50 words for the Classified Column of an English daily, mentioning your requirements.

Q5(b). Advertisement

REQUIRED: Office space on rent in a prime locality of Kolkata.

Area required: 800-1000 sq. ft., suitable for a small business set-up.

The office should be well-ventilated, furnished, and easily accessible by public transport.

Interested property owners may contact: 9876543210 or Email: officekol@gmail.com.

Q6(a). Advertisements not only persuade people to buy certain unnecessary things, but they also give people unrealistic lifestyle expectations. Draft a speech in about 120-150 words for the school assembly on the influence the advertisements have on us as we see them everywhere these days.

Q6(a). Speech

Good morning respected Principal, teachers, and dear friends,

Today I wish to draw your attention to the influence of advertisements on our lives.

Advertisements surround us everywhere on TV, social media, newspapers, and billboards.

While they help us become aware of new products and services, they often push us towards unnecessary spending.

They create artificial desires and unrealistic lifestyle expectations, making us believe that happiness depends on material possessions.

Young people, especially students, are vulnerable to these tactics and may waste time and money on things they do not need.

Therefore, we must learn to view advertisements critically and make choices based on necessity rather than false promises.

Thank you.

Q6(b). Children these days are mostly glued to mobile phones and video games. These games in a way are making the children mentally agile and quick in their responses, but at the same time, children are getting distanced from the active life and outdoor games. Draft a speech for the school assembly in about 120-150 words on the advantages and disadvantages of playing such video games.

Q6(b). Speech

Good morning respected Principal, teachers, and dear friends,

Today I would like to speak about the impact of mobile phones and video games on children.

On the positive side, video games can make children mentally agile, improve reflexes, and develop quick decision-making skills.

They also improve concentration and sometimes even teamwork.

However, excessive use of video games isolates children from outdoor activities, leading to poor physical fitness and social disconnection.

It may also cause addiction, affect eyesight, and reduce time spent on studies and family interactions.

Thus, while video games can be beneficial in moderation, they should never replace outdoor play and a balanced lifestyle.

Thank you.

Q7(a). Exotic pets have become more and more popular over the years. Lots of pet owners are choosing exotic animals as pets over the typical domesticated animals such as cats and dogs. Write a speech for a debate in about 120-150 words expressing your views for or against the motion 'Exotic animals should not be domesticated.'

Q7(a). Debate Speech (Against Exotic Pets)

Respected Chairperson, teachers, and dear friends,

I strongly oppose the motion that exotic animals should be domesticated.

Exotic pets like snakes, monkeys, or parrots may appear attractive, but they belong in the wild.

Removing them from their natural habitat disrupts the ecological balance and may even endanger species.

Moreover, many exotic animals carry diseases harmful to humans and require special care which ordinary owners cannot provide.

Domesticated pets like dogs and cats have adapted over centuries to live with humans, but exotic animals suffer in captivity.

Therefore, exotic animals should not be domesticated as pets.

Thank you.

Q7(b). Digitalization has revolutionized money and payments systems. Although digital money itself is not new to modern economies, digital currencies now facilitate instantaneous peer-to-peer transfers of value. Yet, many elderly and uneducated people are not comfortable with online transactions. Write a speech for a debate in about 120-150 words expressing your views for/against the motion 'Digitalization has made monetary transactions difficult for certain sections of the society.'

Q7(b). Debate Speech (For Digitalization)

Respected Chairperson, teachers, and dear friends,

I stand for the motion that digitalization has made monetary transactions difficult for certain sections of society.

Digital payments have indeed made life faster and easier for many, but the elderly and uneducated

often struggle with technology.

They face problems in using smartphones, remembering PINs, and dealing with frequent frauds and scams.

Poor internet connectivity and lack of awareness also make digital transactions inaccessible for rural populations.

Thus, despite its many benefits, digitalization is not fully inclusive.

We must create awareness campaigns and user-friendly platforms so that no section of society is left behind.

Thank you.