

## NATIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL EXAMINATION

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MARKS	8	12	8	10	4	4	4	4	10	8	72

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	GRAND TOTAL	80
MARKS IN WORDS	Eighty only	

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Signature of the Examiner

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## Section - (A) Reading

Ans-1

- (a) = ii) The Narendra Modi government.  
 (b) = i) Article 370  
 (c) = iv) All of these  
 (d) = iii) Used provision from Article 370 to say it's no longer applicable.  
 (e) = i) Bifurcated J&K into two union territories.  
 (f) = false  
 (g) = Unprecedented and shocking for the entire nation.  
 (h) = iii) It has been made inoperative.

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Ans-2

T = a) This is a rainforest that provides one-fifth of the world's oxygen; it is hard not to feel powerless and despairing in the face of the disaster overtaking the region.  
 But however strong - and bitter - the feeling about this an environmental catastrophe, we must never lose sight of the fact that it is also a human tragedy.



(b) > the survival and well-doing of the communities should take precedence over the drive for "development" that serves only a lust for consumption and convenience.

(c) > for generations, the indigenous people of the Amazon basin have been the stewards of the forests. Some have literally paid for this their lives, long before this summer's fires. These communities have for years been subject to attacks, illegal invasions and deforestation. Their rights have been overridden in the face of the greed of various powerful economic interests.

(d) > the global patterns of economic growth, including the unprecedented levels of demand for meat in the developed world, account for much of the pressure on land use in the region. And widespread deforestation.

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(a) 1. volatile

(b) > precedence.

(c) = Indigenous

(d) = 2 independent

### Section - (B) Writing and Grammar

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Ans-3

Sector 20, Chandigarh,

Date: 1 Jan 2020,

Oxford Publishing House,  
London

Sub: Complain regarding sending wrong book

Sir,

On 2 Dec 2019, I had placed an order on your order no. 000678 to be delivered to the Sector 20, Chandigarh. I regret to state that I have not yet received the book I ordered. Instead, I have received a wrong book set. For this reason, I am highly disappointed.



To close the issue, I hereby requesting you to replace the book which was originally ordered at the earliest. please let me know by e-mail the action you are going to take in this regard. I am looking forward to the action you are going to take. Enclosed please find scanned copy of the transaction document.

please contact me at the above address or e-mail address  
choudhary 007@gmail.com

Sincerely  
Varun Joshi

Ans-4

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### A Lost Identity

After waking up in the morning, he failed to recognise own face in the mirror. This sudden first surprised him and then he cried aloud. "This is not me!" He was astonished, petrified. He rushed out of his room, got out of his door and knocked at the door next to his, but there was no reply. He got down the stairs of the apartment and went outside. He looked around on the busy road and started walking today a tea stall a few



steps away from his apartment. He asked the tea seller, "where am I?, do you know who am I," the guy gave him a weird look and turned back to do his work. Suddenly Amit felt everything going dark around, and the next movement he dropped to the ground. Amit opened his eyes to find himself laying on the same bed he woke up on. He let his eyes adjust to the light, got up and went to the hall to find a guy sitting on the couch. Amit, thank god you woke up, I been worried sick!" The guy said. "who are you, and where am I? Amit asked. "I'm prateek, your friend, and your at your home, Amit. Sit down first and I'll tell you everything. prateek motioned Amit to sit down next to him on the couch. Amit sat down hesitantly, you wouldn't remember but last night we found a book called "The Enchanted book" in your attic. It was a book of spells, magic and stuff like that. At first neither of us believed it was true, but then you chanted a spell from it. This is all happening because of the spell, magic and stuff like that. At first neither of us believed it was true. but then you chanted a spell from it. This is all happening because of the spell you recited. Amit". prateek explained to Amit. Even if you saying the truth, how do we stop this?" Amit asked. "oh! found a spell to reverse this, but you have to chant it, because you were the one who started it so you'll be the one to end it" prateek took a old dusty book out of his bag, opened the book and gave it Amit to receive the spell Amit did what he was told



to do, but just as he came to the end of the spell he felt everything turning dark around him again. When Amit woke up this time, he remembered everything very clearly. He saw his friend sitting at the couch, he rushed towards him and hugged him. Thank you prateek, if you wouldn't have been there. I don't even know what would have happened to me. Both the friends then burned the book.

Ans-5

(a) = iii) most

(b) = iv) many

(c) = i) the

(d) = ii) which

Ans-6

Error

Correction

(a)

who

which

(b)

be

are

(c)

Manage

Managing

(d)

when

whenever

04  
Ans-7

- (a) We live in the age of science.
- (b) We have conquered the air, time and space with the help of scientific inventions.
- (c) Science has armed man with inventions which are not less than miracles.
- (d) But science has also given man deadly weapons of warfare.

## Section - (C): Literature

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Ans-8

- (a) = Amanda.
- (b) = Amanda wishes to enjoy and live her life at her own terms without any restrictions from her parents, therefore she craves solitude.
- (c) = ii) mermaid.
- (d) = iv) metaphor.

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Ans-9

- (a) The postmaster was a kind, generous, helpful and god-fearing man. When he received the letter written to god asking for 100 pesos, he felt sympathetic.



towards Jenuho. Hence, he decided ~~to~~ help Jenuho. He gave a part of his salary and asked the other employees to help. He signed the letter 'god' in order to preserve the man's faith ~~in~~ god.

(b) Animals show tokens of goodness. They are self-contained, peaceful, thankful and happy creatures. Animals ~~are~~ not unhappy and indeed, bring out tokens of man's good nature ~~lost~~ long ago. Animals do not grumble about their lives.

(c) The poet says that Belinda was as brave as a barrel full of bears. Ink and Blink followed lions down the stairs. Mustard was as brave as a tiger in a rage. But Custard was a coward. He kept crying for a nice safe cage.

(d) Buddha said that death is common to all mortals. You cannot avoid it. No amount of weeping and lamenting can bring ~~back~~ a dead. So wise men don't grieve. Weeping and lamenting ~~rather~~ spoil one's health. To overcome a sorrow, become free of sorrow.

- (e) Matilda was simply displeased when her husband showed the invitations. She felt humiliated and threw the invitation spitefully as she had nothing beautiful enough to wear to such a grand gathering.

Ans to

08 The story 'The Hundred Dresses - I' is really all about teasing of Wanda being Polish and having strange name. They made fun of Wanda and made her feel inferior by asking her about her dresses. Their behaviour towards Wanda was completely undesirable as it shows racism and teasing. These are totally condemnable issues in the society which cannot be accepted. Peggy and Maddie never thought of Wanda's feeling and continued teasing her but her selection as a winner shows that colour, prejudice or racism are not the parameter of talent as everybody clapped for her drawing.

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Ans-1

A True scientist is a law-abiding person. A scientist is also called a "natural philosopher". Griffen was not a true scientist as he did not use his discovery of how to make himself invisible for good uses. He lost control of himself and behaved like a animal. First, he set fire to his landlord's houses and ran away. Then he stole food without paying for it in a London store. Besides, he robbed the owner of a theatrical company and stole money from a clergyman's desk. Griffen proved how the misuse of science and its great discovery can be misused. An eccentric scientist can degenerated himself into a lawless anarcasted. He can become debilitated and distaster for himself and the society. Lawlessness and anarcasted behaviour make him a homeless wanderer, without closed and money. He has to make illegal entries and burglaries in a clergyman house, A big store in London and a shop in Drury lane. This brings him disreputated and disowner instead of fame and respect.

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