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WORKSHEET- AUGUST

Class: VI

Subject: ENGLISH

Reading Comprehension, Grammar & Writing

Section – A Reading

Question 1 - Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Once there was a miser who sold all his possessions and, with the money, bought a great lump of gold, dug a deep hole at the edge of the garden, and there he buried his gold. Once a day, thereafter, the miser went to the garden, dug up his gold, and embraced it lovingly. One of the miser's workmen wondered why his master spent so much time in the garden. One day, he hid behind a tree and soon discovered the secret of the hidden treasure. That night, when the miser was fast asleep, the workman crept into the garden and stole the lump of gold. When the miser found that his gold was gone, he tore his hair and cried aloud in his despair. A neighbour came running to see what the matter was, and the grief-stricken miser told him what had happened. Then the neighbour said, "Pray to stop your crying. Go and find a stone. Place the stone in the hole and imagine that it is your lump of gold. The stone will serve your purpose, for you never meant to use the gold anyway." "To a miser, what he has is of no use than what he has not."

Choose the correct answer.

- i. How did the miser get the lump of gold?
 - a) By selling all he had
 - b) While digging the garden
 - c) From his ancestors
 - d) From his neighbour
- ii. Why did miser spend so much time in the garden?
 - a) He was a nature lover.
 - b) He liked watching children playing in the garden.
 - c) To keep an eye on his hidden treasure.
 - d) To change the place of his lump of gold.
- iii. By whom was the gold stolen?
 - a) A thief
 - b) His neighbour
 - c) The miser's workman
 - d) The miser himself
- iv. The neighbour advised the miser to put a stone in the hole because _____.
 - a) Gold is like a stone only.
 - b) The miser would never use the gold, hence no difference between the two.
 - c) The stone will become gold after some time.
 - d) For a wise man, gold and stone have equal worth.
- v. Who is called a miser?
 - a) One who spends much money
 - b) One who does not like to spend money
 - c) One who eats a lot
 - d) One who sleeps a lot

Q. 2. Provide the meaning of the following words from the given passage: -

- hug-
- weep-

Section B - Grammar & Writing

Q. 3. You are Srikant/Shreya Verma, a student of class VI - C of Blooming Dale Public School, Pune. You lost your English copy in the classroom in recess. Giving details of the copy, draft a notice (in about 50 words) to be put up on the school notice board.

Q. 4. Write a descriptive paragraph on “My Favourite Holiday Destination.” (100-120 words)

OR

You will be out of station for five days due to zonal level football tournament. Write a letter to the Principal of your school asking to sanction you the leave for the aforesaid period. (within 100 words)

Q. 5. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb.

- a) Each of the girls _____ her own dress. (has/have)
- b) Five miles _____ long distance. (is/are)
- c) Many a man _____ tried hard to climb the treacherous mountain range. (have/has)
- d) The furniture of the house _____ quite impressive. (is/are)
- e) There _____ a large number of boys in the field. (is/are)
- f) Your new glasses _____ very nice. (is/are)

Q. 6. Underline the subjects and circle the predicates.

- a) It is a lovely morning.
- b) We all have to submit our notebooks.
- c) The children fell asleep.
- d) The class was taken to a field trip.
- e) The lady with blue umbrella is our English teacher.

Q.7. Read each sentence and identify its type as Declarative, Interrogative, Imperative or Exclamatory.

- a) When will you come?
- b) Alas! The man is no more.
- c) Come and see the new house.
- d) The lion has escaped from its cage.
- e) Pay for your groceries at the cashier in the front.
- f) How melodiously the nightingale sings!

Q.8. Pick out the nouns in the following sentences. Say whether they are proper, common, abstract or collective.

- a) Doctors use thermometer to measure the temperature.
- b) Aleena visited her friend in the hospital and took a bouquet of flowers for her.
- c) He burst into laughter.
- d) Thomas Alva Edison invented the electric bulb.
- e) The company is run by a board of directors.

Q.9. Fill in the blanks with proper forms of tenses.

- a) The panda _____ bamboo shoots and leaves. (eat)
- b) She _____ to a dance class once a week. (go)
- c) Mukta _____ the gift yesterday. (receive)
- d) Babies _____ when they _____ hungry. (cry, be)
- e) _____ you _____ to school tomorrow? (come)

Q.10. Rearrange the jumbled words to make meaningful sentences.

- a) prince / the young / far and wide / travelled
- b) wind blew / the garden / around / the strong
- c) after saying / the prayers / left / the children
- d) provides / summer day / the tree / shade on a

Section D – Literature

Q 11. Read the lines carefully and then answer the questions.

‘I do think that it one of the cases where we might ask the advice of the lady from Philadelphia.’

(i) Who is the speaker of the above words?

- (a) Solomon John
- (b) Agamemnon
- (c) Mrs Peterkin

(ii) What case is the speaker talking about?

- (a) The trunk
- (b) The Atlas
- (c) The Little boys' kite

(iii) Why does the speaker want advice from the lady from Philadelphia?

- (a) She was very wise.
- (b) She was very selfish.
- (c) She was very cunning.

Q 12. Read the lines and answer the questions that follow them.

And though I don't mean
To crib, whinge and whine
A little appreciation would be nice
When you sit down to dine

(i) Who is the poet of these lines?

- (a) William Wordsworth
- (b) Robin McMaugh Klien
- (c) Natasha Sharma

(ii) Who wants a little appreciation?

- (a) The poet
- (b) The roti
- (c) The child

(iii) What is the rhyme scheme of these lines?

- (a) aabb
- (b) abab
- (c) abcb

Q 13. Answer ANY FOUR questions in 20 words.

- (i) Who were the first visitors of the cherry tree?
- (ii) What did the speaker see all at once and where?
- (iii) Why was it still winter in one corner of the garden?
- (iv) What fate is the roti prepared for?

Q 14 A. Write the antonyms of:

- (i) Virtue x
- (ii) Barren x

B. Do as directed.

- (i) We should never _____ (respect) anyone. (add a prefix)
- (ii) This chair is more _____ (comfort) than that one. (add a suffix)

C. Make anagrams.

- (i) votes - _____
- (ii) tugs - _____

