

ST. COLUMBUS SCHOOL
DAYAL BAGH, FARIDABAD
CLASS – XI (HUMANITIES)
HOLIDAY HOMEWORK (2024-25)

General Instructions:-

1. Holiday Homework of English, History, Political Science, Economics, Music and Typography should be done in the respective class work register.
 2. Holiday Homework of Hindi should be done in a separate Notebook
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SUBJECT - ENGLISH

1. Revise the syllabus covered.
2. Design the poster for your school fete. You may use slogans.
3. Design a poster on the importance of education.
4. Our past is not with us and the future is yet to come. The present is before us. Students postpone their work thinking that they will do it tomorrow. But tomorrow never comes. In the end they repent, but it is no use crying over spilt milk. Write a speech on “The Importance of Time”.
5. Fill in the blanks with the Simple Present or the Present Continuous forms of the verbs given in the brackets.
 - i) He usually to a hill station during holidays but this year he (go, not go)
 - ii) My brotherhere come tomorrow, he generally (come, not come)
 - iii) I generally to my school but today I in my brother’s car. (walk, go)
 - iv) Why are you noise? He Don’thim. (make, sleep, disturb)
 - v) I to play with my class fellows. (love)
 - vi) Be silent. Candidates their examinations. (write)
 - vii) Be quick! My brother is (wait)
 - viii) She lessons in classical music. She with harmonium. (take , practice)
 - ix) I cannot tolerate it; I (leave)
 - x) My car servicing. I it to the service station. (need, take)
6. Bring out the contrast between the school education in the village and in the city.
7. The chapter ‘The Portrait of a Lady’ displays the sad reality of old age. Old people face loneliness and seclusion. It gets you thinking about the pain of old age. Write a story about ‘The pain of old age’ in 150-200 words.
8. Give a brief character-sketch of Khushwant Singh’s grandmother on the basis of The Portrait of a Lady.

9. Give a brief account of the scene of Van Mahotsava celebration.
10. Why do you think people undertake adventurous journey inspite of the risks involved?
11. Bring out some of the notable traits of the Mourad's character.
12. The hurdle of life can be challenged if we have confidence to make optimum use of our potential. Explain.
13. In today's materialistic world, where greed and money are the most important things, the example of Garoghlanian Tribe can teach us many things. According to you what qualities must a society have?
14. Happy moments are short-lived but provide a lifetime memory. They provide a cushion to bear the difficulties. Comment in the light of poem 'A Photograph'.
15. Make a project file on any one chapter already explained in the class.

विषय –हिन्दी

1. प्रेमचंद की कहानियों का संग्रह 'मानसरोवर' के नाम से आठ भागों में प्रकाशित है. कोई दो कहानियों की समीक्षा लिखिए ।
2. पठित पाठ/कहानी 'ईदगाह' में लोक प्रचलित मुहावरों की भरमार है, जैसे - नानी मरना, छक्के छूटना आदि. इसमें आए मुहावरों की सूची बनाकर वाक्य प्रयोग कीजिए ।
3. कबीर तथा अन्य निर्गुण संतों के बारे में जानकारी प्राप्त करें ।
4. दैनिक समाचार पत्र पढ़ो और प्रत्येक दिन कोई दो समाचारों को काटकर 'स्क्रेब बुक' में लगाओ ।
5. रेडियो पर प्रसारित समाचार सुनकर कोई पाँच रेडियो समाचार लिखिए ।
6. अपने प्रिय दृश्य का वर्णन कीजिए ।
7. 'नानी की मजेदार कहानी' अथवा 'नानी की स्वादिष्ट कचौड़ी' विषय पर संस्मरण /अनुभव लेखन कीजिए ।
8. राष्ट्रगान लिखकर याद कीजिए ।
9. 'ईदगाह' कहानी की समीक्षा लिखिए ।
10. कोई एक स्वरचित कविता लिखिए ।

SUBJECT - HISTORY

1. Make a project on the following topics:-
 - Contribution of Roman empire-
 - a) Roman Economy, Army, Roman law, Language
 - b) Displacing Indigenous people-life style of native people, Technique of clothes weaving
2. Locate the famous cities of Mesopotamia.

3. On the map of Australia locate the following-
Perth, Sydney, Darwin, Canberra, Melbourne.
4. Write a short note on Gilgamesh epic , Nebopolasar ,Nebonidus ,Enmarkar, Assurbanipal
5. Write about the gender and marriage relation in Roman Empire.

SUBJECT - POLITICAL SCIENCE

1. Explain in details the fundamental Rights of India and the articles along with it?
2. Explain DPSP? Write about its relationship with fundamental Rights?
3. If you will be given a chance to add any right as fundamental Right, Which right will you choose?
4. How the idea to introduced Fundamental duties in Indian Constitution came to Indira Gandhi after coming back from Russia?
5. Activity :-
 - Find out about the articles parts and schedule of Indian constitution:
 1. At the time of Independence
 2. In today's scenario
6. Reading Task :-
 - Read newspaper daily, especially the editorial.
7. Make a project on any one topic given below :
 - Making of the Constitution.
 - Elections in India
 - Working of Indian Judiciary
 - Political impact on Indian legislature.
 - Social Justice :- Are ethics followed in Indian Politics.

SUBJECT - ECONOMICS

1. Revise the following chapters – Part A- Statistics for Economics- Chapter 1. Part B- Introductory Micro Economics -Chapter 1 and 2.
2. Make a Project on ‘Measures of Central Tendency.’
3. Collect the data of Lok Sabha election 2024 and analyses the data with the help of (on the basis of previous knowledge)
 - Histogram (State wise voting %)
 - Draw a Pie chart (Party wise % of vote)

SUBJECT – TYPOGRAPHY AND COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

1. What is the importance of communication?
2. What are the elements of communication?

3. Describe Visual communication.
4. Describe 7C's of communication.
5. Explain public speaking.
6. Describe 3P's of public speaking.
7. Define parts of speech.
8. Write advantages and disadvantages of verbal communication.
9. What is Assertive communication?
10. Explain types of non – verbal communication.
11. Explain how to find our strength and weakness.
12. Explain interest and ability with example.
13. What do you mean by personal grooming?
14. Explain personal hygiene.
15. What is team? Why team work is important.
16. Write benefits of networking skills.
17. Explain types of self motivation.
18. Explain smart goal management.
19. Write importance of time management.
20. How to build Networking Skills.
21. What is time management and how can you manage your time?
22. Write advantages of word processor.
23. Write the steps to save the document.
24. What are the different alignments in the writer document?
25. Write the names of few word processing software.
26. What is the purpose of spelling and grammar checkers?

SUBJECT – MUSIC

1. नाद, श्रुति, स्वर और सप्तक की परिभाषा याद करें।
2. अपनी पसंद का कोई भी भक्ति गीत तैयार करें।
3. आरोही व अवरोही क्रम सहित सात अलंकारों का निर्माण करें।
4. पाठ्यक्रम के राग 'राग भैरवी' पर आधारित फिल्मी गीतों की सूची तैयार करें व उनमें से कोई एक गीत के गायन का अभ्यास करें।
5. हिंदुस्तानी शास्त्रीय संगीत में 'वाद्यों के विभिन्न प्रकार' पर एक रिसर्च प्रोजेक्ट तैयार करें। प्रत्येक श्रेणी के अंतर्गत एक वाद्य का परिचय देते हुए उसके चित्र सहित एक ऐसा गीत का नाम लिखें जिसमें उस वाद्ययंत्र का प्रयोग हुआ है ।

Be Happy By Doing Good

1. Spare some time and help your mother in household work. Talk to your parents and elders and learn values.
2. Adopt the habit of reading newspaper and learn new words and expressions.
3. Read at least two books (Hindi & English) apart from prescribed syllabus.
4. Respect flora and fauna (Plants and Animals). Keep your home and surroundings clean. Plant at least 5 saplings.
5. Keep water for birds and stray animals outside your house or in balcony.
6. Food is equal to God. So avoid wasting of food.
7. Try to share your knowledge and donate old books and notebooks to the underprivileged and deprived children of your locality.
8. Maintain a diary in English & Hindi and write your experience along with daily routine during summer break. It will help you in enriching your vocabulary and writing skills.

ENJOY YOUR SUMMER BREAK.....

