



XII English

MODEL ANSWER SHEET



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1 (B)

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B1.

1) If you ask me, I will help you.

2) What did some thugs try to snatch?

3) No other girl in our class is so smart as Samidha.

B2.

The sun always sets in the West.



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A1.

i) The use of information technology is increasing day by day in the field of Governance, company management, banking, advertising, entertainment, insurance, medical, engineering and industrial field.

ii) A flow of FDI in information technology has given India required capital to develop its country.

iii) Software engineers in India have provided services to the whole world.

iv) Government can make policies to provide economic benefits to investors in the field of IT.

A2.

ii) The progress of India has not been influenced by IT sector.
Correct statement :
The progress of India has been influenced by IT sector.

iii) In the map of the IT world India has no scope.
Correct statement :
In the map of IT world, India has scope.

iv) IIT's technicians have no demand in the world market.
Correct statement :
IIT's technicians have demand in the world market.

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A3. Government can make policies to provide economic benefits to investors in the field of IT. Under such policies, government should provide necessary infrastructure. These policies will help to reduce complexities in administrative and legal procedures.

A4. Yes, I think that information technology in education has been beneficial. In the 21st century information technology has become the part and parcel of teaching and learning process. E-learning has improved communication and research. It has proved its importance in lockdown caused by Covid 19.

A5.

1) India's progress in this sector is quick and influential to provide the economy a boost.

2) The face of India has been changed by IT.

A6.

i) come into view : emerge

ii) a person skilled in the technique : technician

iii) commercial transactions electronically conducted on the internet : e-commerce

iv) medium of exchange : currency

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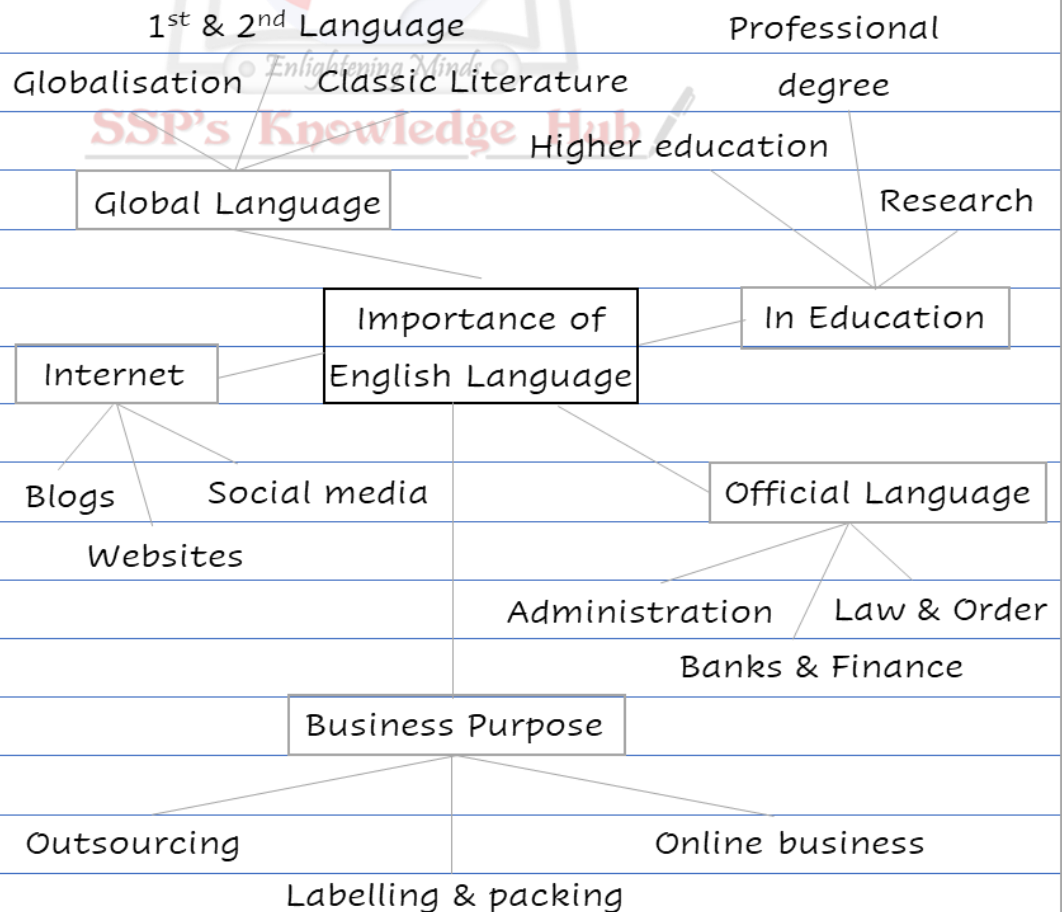
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B. Summary Writing :Title : Information Technology and India's Progress

Information technology has played very important role in the progress of India. IT sector provides the economy a boost. The use of IT in various fields is increasing continuously. There is a great demand to experts prepared by IIT's in the whole world. This sector has helped Indian economic growth. Favourable policies have been prepared to attract foreign companies. The special 'Act' has been implemented. Favourable policies of the government can raise investments in this field.

C. Mind Map on 'Importance of English Language'

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SECTION – II

A1.

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a) Early morning - break of day

b) Late in the evening - fall of night

c) Cold night - moonlight chill

d) Serious and calm - solemn and still

A2.

Robes of a new-born child with
the wing of a halcyon wild

Weavers compare
the garments being
woven by them with

Dead man's funeral
shroud with white
feather and cloud

Marriage veils of
queen with the
feather of a peacock

A3.

The work of the weavers in the cloth factory is not ideal. They have to work in an unhealthy conditions. They get minimum wages with which they can't fulfill their family needs. They are not paid in proportion to their hard efforts. Sometimes they are replaced by machines. Their craftsmanship is not recognized or under-valued.

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A4. The rhyme scheme :
 The first stanza : a a b b
 The second stanza : c c d d
The rhyming pairs of words :
 The first stanza : day – gay; wild – child.
 The second stanza : night – bright; green – queen.

A5. Clothes
 Clothes can make us,
 Even they can break us.
 They are the first impression,
 A kind of non-verbal expression.

3 (B)

Appreciation :

The poem 'Father Returning Home' is written by Dilip Chitre. It is an account of any old man who does the hard work for his family but leads a monotonous life where no one is there to take care of him, to converse with him or to understand his feelings.

The poet deals with the theme of man's estrangement from a man-made world. It depicts dull, monotonous, exhausting and equally pitiable daily routine.

The poem consists of two stanzas of 12 lines each. It is written in free verse with no particular meter or rhyme scheme followed.

Probably the lack of rhythm is symbolic of the poet's father's uncared-for life. The language is easy and

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simple but full of symbolic expressions and poetic devices like simile.

It is in first person narrative where the poet-speaker narrates how his father returns home and what he does thereafter.

I think the new generation should communicate with the old people. There are many things to learn from them. They should not be alienated but should be taken care.



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SECTION – III

(1) Virtual Message

March 20, 2021, 09.00 am

Friend,

Hi, this is to inform you that I am leaving home early since I have been selected in the final football team of our college. One of the players in our team got injured in the semi-final. It's the final match today. I just got message from my coach sir. I have to visit him on urgent basis. Though I promised you to meet, I am unable to see you now. I apologise for this, but I think you will be happy to hear this. I will call you as soon as I come back home.

Your friend

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(3) Interview :

Name of the Interviewee	Saina Nehwal
Area of Success/Reputation	Badminton
Date/venue/time	21 st March 2021, Mumbai, 06.00pm
Duration of interview	30 Minutes

Questions

It is a privilege for us to be able to interview the first Indian woman shuttler to attain the world No. 1 rank, Saina Nehwal.

1) Student life	What extracurricular activities were you involved in during your school days? How do you cope up with the pressure of your studies?
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2) Early interest	Have you been interested in badminton since school days, or did you have interest in any other field?
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3) Idols	You are truly an inspiration and role model for many but who have been your role models?
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4) Primary training	Training is crucial in any sports, where did you have your primary training and who trained you?
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5) Opportunity

Sports in India is not a career option for most people. Very few dare to take specialized sports training leaving behind traditional studies. When and how have you got an opportunity to enter in this sport?

6) Accomplishments

You are the first Indian shuttler to win a medal at the Olympics. You are also the winner of World Championship. How do you feel about your accomplishments?

7) Targets/Goals

You have created history by becoming the first Indian woman shuttler to attain the world No. 1 ranking. Do you have any other target in your mind for the rest of the years?

8) Suggestion

What is your message to the upcoming players as well as to our listeners?

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(1) Speech on "Blood Donation Camp"

Honourable Principal, respected teachers, guests and my friends.

I am here to present a speech on 'Blood Donation'.

As we all know, blood is an important fluid that flows in our body. It is so important that if we lose excess of it from our body, we can die. But we are very lucky to have a blood transfusion process that can help to save the lives of the people.

The lives can only be saved if we have enough blood for the transfusion. Hence, blood donation is the only medium that can help us. Donating blood helps the receiver but also enhances the health of the donor. It revitalizes the body for better health. It is so important that the world celebrates Blood donor day on 14th June every year.

Our English Department has organized the 'Blood Donation Camp' on 1st June 2021 in the Multipurpose Hall of our college from Morn. 8 to Eve. 5. We together can make the camp successful.

With the said piece of information, I would request you all to come and donate blood. It can save many lives. Blood donation is our responsibility towards society.

Thank You.

(3) Appeal on "Laughter Club"LAUGH AND LET LAUGH

Join the Laughter Club today...!

- Don't you know laughter is the best medicine?
- Come every morning and evening at seven;
laugh, feel happy, and make others happy.
- With tensionless laughter, there is Yoga and Pranayama that will help you to get rid of worries and stress.

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Feel free and Join us.

At

Shivaji Hall, Gangapur Road, Nashik

Time

Morning : 07 to 08 and Evening : 06 to 07

We load cans of laughter in you.

If you come and laugh, you'll be happy forever!

"LET'S LAUGH AND BE HAPPY...!"

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SECTION – IV

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a) Theme - philosophical statement, a central idea

b) Plot - course of events

c) Conflict - the struggle between opposite forces

d) Language, style - techniques of narration

(2)

i) English word 'Novel' is derived from the Italian word Novella.

ii) The first Indian English novel 'Rajmohan's Wife' was written by Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyaya.

5 (B)

(1)

Denham is one of the boys in Braithwaite's class. He is particularly aggressive and bad-tempered. Braithwaite's patience and tolerance transform Denham into a mature, young man who learns to respect others and takes up responsibility. This can be seen from his ability to host the Students' Council report and supervise its proceedings.

While hosting the Council, he refers to other senior girls as 'miss'. He is a trained boxer and enjoys athletic

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activities. He does not want to do P.T. exercises which he feels are unnecessary for him. He is a natural leader, who enjoys influence over his classmates. Denham is clever, assertive and determined in his argument.

(2) A comic relief is an element which provides humour in a serious situation. The half-yearly report organized by the Students' Council was a day of great importance for the students and teachers of Greenslade School. The students were assigned roles and responsibilities and they took their job seriously.

When it was time for Fernman to present his report on Physiology, the use of skeleton was a comic relief. He humourously concluded saying, "...basically all people were the same". Through his dramatic presentation, Fernman was able to relieve the tension of the audience by providing a comical element. Thus, he brought comic relief in the Students' Council Programme.

5 (C)

(1) The given extract of the novel, 'Around the World in Eighty Days' focuses on the importance of human connection. Before undertaking a trip around the world, Fogg lived a lonely life. However, by the end of the trip, Fogg realizes the significance of human connection. In Passepartout, he finds a loyal and trustworthy friend and in Aouda, a wonderful and charming partner.

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Through his many adventures, Fogg gains an understanding and appreciation of interpersonal relationships. The ending of the novel is unexpected which results in Fogg winning the bet. Thus, the novelist tries to convey that life holds more meaning than mere worldly desires.

(2) The journey undertaken by Fogg and Passepartout in the novel, 'Around the World in Eighty Days' is filled with dangerous obstacles and impossibly difficult situations. However, with Fogg's determination and wit, and Passepartout's clever ways, they manage to overcome the numerous challenges.

When Fogg thinks that he will win the bet, he gets arrested by detective Fix. When Fix eventually realizes his mistake and releases Fogg, they miss the deadline. Through the series of events, they realize that the deadline has not passed, and they reach the Reform Club. Thus, the novel ends with Fogg being rewarded for his efforts. Hence, we can say, "Justice is done in the end."

5 (D)

(1) The extract from 'The Sign of Four' begins when Mary Morstan meets Sherlock Holmes at his house in London. She informed that her father was an officer in an Indian regiment who came back to London and disappeared after that. They meet Thaddeus Sholto in a rundown neighbourhood of London. He reveals few facts about his father Major Sholto and death of Mary's father captain Morstan. Then they all go to Bartholomew Sholto's house where he found dead.

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Holmes follows Jonathan small and Tonga, who have escaped by a steam launch, over the river Thames in London. After Small's capture, he talks about the time spent in India and stealing the Agra treasure. Thus, the series of actions in 'The Sign of Four' move from London to India.

(2) Miss Mary Morstan appears early in the extract of 'The Sign of Four' and brings two mysteries to Sherlock Homes.

The first is the puzzle of her missing father. Her father was an officer in an Indian regiment. In 1878, he obtained twelve months' leave and came home. He telegraphed her from London and directed her to see him at the Langham Hotel. But she got the message that he had gone out the night before and never returned.

The second is a series of strange gifts of beautiful pearls that she has received annually for the past six years since 1882.



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