# ADARSH VIDYALAYA MOWA HOLIDAY PRACTICE WORK / SKILL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES (2024-25) CLASS – VIII

#### **General Note:**

- 1. All the assigned work will be assessed and graded.
- 2. All vacation Practice work need to be done in class work copy.
- 3. Assessment of reading will be done in every exam.
- 4. Students should learn Hindi and Sanskrit pledge.
- 5. Parents are requested to:
  - Spend time & have meals together with your ward.
  - Motivate your ward to inculcate the habit of "READING HINDI & ENGLISH Literature (Newspaper, Comics etc.)
  - Allow them to be independent (age wise) in their daily tasks like:
    - > Arrange shelves
    - > Washing their own plates
    - > Watering plants & weeding Garden
    - > Hang/fold clean clothes
    - ➤ Dust furniture
    - > Do simple mending (hems, buttons, etc.)
    - > Shop for groceries with list
    - ► Iron clothes etc.
  - Include your ward while preparing monthly budget.
  - Share your family history & your childhood memories with them

### **SUBJECT- ENGLISH**

- 1. Collect any five news items on the given issues. Paste them in your notebook and write a paragraph on any two in 120-150 words.
  - Environmental issues
  - Technological development
  - Sports
  - Women Centric issues
- 2. Read the chapter A Short Monsoon Dairy by Ruskin Bond and write a brief synopsis of the chapter. And you can also read the any other book or stories written by Ruskin Bond and write a brief synopsis of the story like about Author- plot- characters- your opinion - conclusion.
- 3. Prepare a chart of Tenses with sentence structure and examples in your notebook and learn the rules of tenses.
- 4. Read the supplementary chapter-2 Children at Work and write a synopsis of the story.

### SUBJECT-HINDI

### वाचन कार्य -

1.'लाख की चूड़िया ' पाठ पढ़ना व समझना, कठिन शब्दों के अर्थ समझते हुए प्रश्नों के उत्तर याद करना। 2.पाठ्य पुस्तक की अन्य कहानियों को पढना।

3.प्रतिदिन समाचार पत्र पढ़ना।

4.बाल-पत्रिकाएँ व बाल चित्र-कथा पढ़ना।

लेखन कार्य -

1. तत्सम- तद्भव की परिभाषा लिखकर 1-35 क्रमांक तक उदाहरण लिखिए।

2.देशी, विदेशी, संकर शब्दों को परिभाषित करते हुए उदाहरण सहित लिखिए।

- 3. पर्यायवाची शब्द लिखिए।(1-31)
- 4. समश्रुति भिन्नार्थक शब्द लिखिए।(1-22)
- 5. अनेक शब्दों के लिए एक शब्द लिखिए। (1-25)
- 6.दो पेज सुलेख लिखिए।

रचनात्मक कार्य -

1. दिए गए वर्ग पहेली से 15 मुहावरे छाँटकर कर लिखिए।

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2. विभिन्न प्रकार के चूड़ियों के संग्रह से कलात्मक वस्तु का निर्माण कीजिए। जैसे- पेन स्टैंड, वॉल हैंगिंग इत्यादि।

### SUBJECT-SANSKRIT

## वाचनकार्यम्-

- 1. श्लोकद्वयम् अर्थैः साकम् स्मर्यतु।
- 2. प्रथमः पाठः (सुभाषितानि) अभ्याससहितं स्मर्यतु।

# लेखनकार्यम्-

- 3. शब्दरूपाणि लिखत- (वारि, राजन्, मातृ)
- 4. धातुरूपाणि लिखत- ( लिख्, स्था, रक्ष्) (लट्, लृट्, लोट्, लङ्, विधिलिङ् लकारः)
- 5. पर्यायाः (1-25) लिखत।
- 6. विपर्यायाः ( 1-30 ) लिखत।
- 7. संख्या (1-100) संस्कृतेन लिखत।
- 8. संस्कृतेन समयलेखनम्- 2:00, 4:15, 8:30, 12:45
- 9. संस्कृत भाषया अनुवादं कुरुत-
- क) तुम कहाँ जा रहे हो?
- ख) हमसब फुटबॉल खेलते हैं।

### क्रियाकलापम्-

1. प्रदत्तविच्छेदानां सन्धियुक्तपदानि वर्गप्रहेलिकायाम् अण्वेषित्वा लिखत।

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### **SUBJECT-MATHEMATICS**

- 1. Explain the properties of Rational numbers under, Associative property, Commutative property, and Distributive property over addition, with an example.
- 2. Represent 7/4 and 10/3 on number line.
- 3. Find five rational numbers between 1/2 and 1/3.
- 4. Using appropriate property find value of: -
  - 1. -2/3 X 3/5 + 5/2 3/5 X 1/6
  - 2. 2/5 X -3/7 1/6 X 3/7 + 1/14 + 2/5
- Solve the equation and check: -(3y+ 4) / (2-6y) = - 2/5
- 6. The perimeter of a rectangular swimming pool is 154 meters. If length is 2 m more than twice its breadth. Find its dimensions and its area.

- 7. Two numbers are in ratio 5:3. If they differ by 18, what are the numbers.
- 8. Three consecutive integers add up to 51. What are these integers?

#### **SUBJECT - SCIENCE**

- 1. Prepare a table having two columns depicting names of endocrine glands and hormones secreted by them.
- 2. Compare the use of coal and LPG in your home and list any two advantages of LPG over coal as a fuel.
- 3. Old and worn-out tyres burst easily as compared to new tyres. Give reasons for this.
- 4. Explain the building structure recommended for the earthquake zones, building materials used and level of safety for each zones. Take examples of earthquake zones of Indian city.
- 5. With suitable examples write the differences of the following
  - Good microorganisms and bad microorganisms.
  - Atmospheric pressure and gravitational force
  - Electrolysis and Electroplating
- 6. Draw well labelled diagrams of the following: -
  - Agricultural tools and Nitrogen cycle
  - A fertilised ovum
  - Human Eye
- 7. Prepare 3D static or working models on given topics: -
  - Petroleum refinary rig
  - Lightning conductor
  - Periscope

Above three models are classified.

• Make an innovative model of hydroelectric power plant using sludge water.

Note: Innovative model should not be copied from any web - resources.

#### **SUBJECT - SOCIAL SCIENCE**

- I. A. On the political maps of India locate the following: -
  - States and it's capital
  - Union Territories and it's capital
  - Neighbouring countries of India
  - State that you live in and it's Neighbouring states
  - B. On the world map locate the following: -
    - Oceans
    - Continents

II.Interview any 5 maids/domestic helpers in your society with the help of a Questionnaire (10 questions) related to education, salary, health conditions, accommodation, family status, working environment, food habits, purchasing power, saving etc. and file them in a folder. Also write a conclusion by providing measures to establish Dignity of Labours in society and support it with pictures.

Note: Map work should be done in Geography copy and the activity in Civics copy.

### SUBJECT: INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

- 1. Write the base of given number system:
  - a. Octal Number System
  - b. Hexadecimal Number System
- 2. Add the following binary numbers:
  - a. (1111)<sub>2</sub> and (1110)<sub>2</sub>
  - b. (11001)<sub>2</sub> and (10101)<sub>2</sub>
- 3. Write the names of different types of number system.
- 4. Subtract (1101)<sub>2</sub> from (100110)<sub>2</sub>
- 5. Convert the following decimal numbers into binary.
  - a. **(54)**10
  - b. (37)<sub>10</sub>

#### SUBJECT-GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

- 1. Where is the Centre for cellular and molecular biology is situated?
- 2. Which Sanskrit epic poem narrates the tale of the Pandavas and the Kauravas in their epic battle for the throne?
- **3.** Rabindranath Tagore, the first non-European to win the Nobel Prize in Literature, hailed from which Indian state?
- 4. Write the name of the ministry that issued an advisory to the artificial intelligence industry recently.
- 5. Which monument was built to commemorate the visit of king George V and Queen Mary to Bombay?
- 6. Who is the only Indian male boxer to win a medal at the Olympics?
- 7. With which form of performing art is Teejan Bai associated?
- 8. Write the name of national currency of India.
- 9. Name the state that has the longest coastline in India.
- 10. What is the name of the sport played on horseback, where players use a mallet to hit a ball?
- 11. 'Paika' is a traditional dance form of which state?
- 12. Name the location of Wadia institute of Himalayan Geology.
- 13. Which was the first language conferred with the status of Classical Language in India?
- 14. Who is the current Governor of the RBI?
- 15. In which state Konda Reddy tribe primarily inhabits?
- 16. Name the country which developed P-800 onyx missile.
- 17. How many players are there in a rugby team?
- 18. In how many languages the amount is written on the bank note?
- 19. Rouf is a dance of which state of India?
- 20. What is the name of the huge complex in Beijing which is used to be home to the Emperor of China?
- 21. In which sport do athletes use a racket to hit a shuttlecock?
- 22. Name the state that associated with classical dance 'Sattriya'.

- 23. In which city would you find the Hochi Minh Mousoleum?
- 24. Name the instrument Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam used to play.
- 25. From where did the Tapi river originate?
- 26. Name the term used for geographical unit that collects, stores, and release water.
- 27. Name the country that launched the first ever deep UV laser device.
- 28. To whom does the autobiography titled "Wings of Fire" belong?
- 29. Name the company recently announced to launch 'AMBER alerts' to find missing children.
- 30. Name the official language of Sikkim.
- 31. Ustad BismIllah Khan was famous for playing which musical Instrument?
- 32. Who wrote Natyashastra?
- 33. Which country has the strongest currency in the world?
- 34. Who founded Indian council of cultural relations?
- 35. Which National Park is the oldest in the USA and home to old faithful, a geyser?
- 36. Name the scientist who first used a glass prism to obtain the spectrum of sun light.
- 37. Which is a wind instrument?
- 38. Karla, one of the best-preserved Buddhist Caves situated in which Indian state?
- 39. Which state in India is known for originating the traditional dance 'Mohiniyattam'?
- 40. Which space agency launched the Jupiter Icy Moons Explorer JUICE project?
- 41. Who invented SITAR?
- 42. In which city, elephant festival celebrated annually?
- 43. As per a recent study, a protein called shugosin gives shape to which structure?
- 44. Which motif is present on the new Rs. 500 note?
- 45. Name the musical instrument which is Indian origin?
- 46. Write the name of port in India emerged as the top cargo -handling in India in 2023-24.
- 47. The world famous Khajuraho sculptures are located in which state?
- 48. Name a folk dance with the social themes which has two main traditions-Hathras tradition and Kanpur tradition.
- 49. ICC and BCCI are the controlling authorities for which sports in India and the world?
- 50. Usha Barle is associated with which folk songs?

#### SUBJECT-DRAWING

Complete the page no. 7 to 14 of ABCD book.