



INDIAN SCHOOL DARSAIT
SAMPLE PAPER
PERIODIC TEST-2
ENGLISH



Class: V Sec:
 Date:
 Name:

Max.Marks:20
 Time:1 hr
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General Instructions

1. All the questions are compulsory
2. Answer all questions in a separate paper

Section – A (Unseen Comprehension)

Q. I Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:-

Thomas Edison was born February 11, 1847, in Milan, Ohio. He was nicknamed "Al" at an early age. At age 11, Edison moved to Michigan, where he spent the remainder of his childhood. Thomas Edison struggled at school but learned to love reading and conducting experiments from his mother who taught him at home. At age 15, Edison became a "tramp telegrapher," sending and receiving messages via Morse Code, an electronically-conveyed alphabet using different clicks for each letter. Eventually, he worked for the Union Army as a telegrapher. Edison often entertained himself by taking things apart to see how they worked. Soon, he decided to become an inventor. In 1870, Edison moved to New York City and improved the stock ticker. He soon formed his own company that manufactured the new stock tickers. He also began working on the telegraph and invented a version that could send four messages at once. Meanwhile, Edison married Mary Stillwell, had three children, and moved his family to Menlo Park, New Jersey, where he started his famous laboratory.

I. State whether true or false:-

½ X 2 = 1

1. Thomas Edison was born in Michigan. _____
2. In 1870, Edison moved to New York City and improved the stock ticker. _____

II. Answer the following:-

1 X 2 = 2

1. How did Edison entertain himself?
2. What job did Edison do at the age of 15?

Section – B (Literature)

Q.II Write the meanings of:-

½ X 2 = 1

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| 1. miraculous | 2. dome |
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Q.III Frame interesting sentences:-

1 X 2 = 2

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| 1. demanded | 2. bravery |
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- Q.IV Answer the following questions:-** **1 ½ x 2 = 3**
1. Why did Michael want their new nanny to stay?
 2. How did Sindbad land in the valley?

- Q.V Give reference to the context:-** **½ X 2 = 1**
1. "Your gift is valuable enough to make a fortune in itself."
- a) Who said this to whom?
 - b) What was the gift?

Section – C (Grammar)

- Q.VI Fill in the blanks choosing the correct verb from the bracket:** **½ X 2 = 1**
1. I _____ (has/ have) some old good clothes for the poor.
 2. Mathematics _____ (is / are) a difficult subject.

- Q.VII Rewrite the sentence from active to passive:-** **1 X 2 = 2**
1. He saw a kitten.
 2. Maria sweeps the floor.

- Q.VIII. Rewrite the sentence from passive to active:-** **1 X 2 = 2**
1. The children were taught by the teacher.
 2. The bat is held by Ram.

- Q.IX. Pick out the adverbs from the given sentences and mention its kind:-** **1 X 2 = 2**
1. Shaima is late to school.
 2. I usually take shower in the morning.

Section – D (Composition)

- Q.X. Conversation about two friends meeting by chance at the movies.** **½ x 6 = 3**

Bob: Hi Jason, _____.

Jason: Wow, it's great seeing you, How long has it been? It must be more than 6 months. I'm doing well. _____

Bob: I am _____.

Jason: I am planning _____. What movie are you and the family going to see?

Bob: _____. How about you?

Jason: I'm _____