



INDIAN SCHOOL SOHAR
PERIODIC TEST I 2017- 18
ENGLISH

CLASS:-VI

SET -1

MAX MARKS: 20

DATE: _____

TIME: 40 Mins _____

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- This paper consists of three sections.
 - Section A reading (5 marks)
 - Section B writing & Grammar (8 marks)
 - Section C Literature (7 marks)
- All sections are compulsory.
- Separate instructions are given for each section and question wherever necessary.
- Read the instructions carefully and follow them.

SECTION A – (READING) (5 Marks)**I. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow: -** (5 marks)

Papaya is the healthiest fruit with a list of properties that is long and exhaustive. Papaya favours digestion as well as cures skin irritation and sun burns. Modern science confirms the age-old beliefs that papaya has much to contribute to the health cause.

Papain in raw papaya makes us for the deficiency of gastric juice and fights excess unhealthy mucus in the stomach, dyspepsia and intestinal irritation. The ripe fruit is eaten regularly corrects habitual constipation, bleeding, piles and chronic diarrhea. The juice used as a cosmetic, removes freckles or brown spots due to exposure to sunlight and makes the skin smooth and delicate. The fresh juice of raw papaya mixed with honey can be applied over inflamed tonsils, for diphtheria and other throat disorders.

I.1. Answer the following questions by choosing the most appropriate option: (1x2=2marks)

- a) Papain is found in
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| (i) ripe papaya | (ii) raw papaya |
| (iii) fresh papaya | (iv) dry papaya |
- b) The juice of papaya makes our skin.....
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| (i) bright | (ii) soft |
| (iii) dry | (iv) oily |

I.2. Answer the following questions briefly: (1x2=2marks)

- a) What is the age-old belief about papaya?
 b) Name the diseases that can be treated with the fresh juice of raw papaya when mixed with honey.

I.3. Find a word from the passage which means the same as the following: ($\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 1$ marks)

- a) ancient (first para)
 b) long- lasting (second para)

SECTION-B (WRITING & GRAMMAR) (8 Marks)

II. A Calligraphy Writing Workshop is to be organized in your school by a well- known artist Mr. Anees Siddiqui. As the President of the Hobbi Club of your school, write a notice for the students of classes VI-VIII announcing the event and inviting them to register for it. (4 marks)

III. Insert a colon in each sentence:-

(1/2 x 2=1 marks)

- a) You have only one choice leave now while you can.
- b) I can see only one thing the old lighthouse.

IV. Write the adjectives in order :-

(1 x 2=2 marks)

- a) Some _____ trousers. (slim, French, new)
- b) A _____ clock. (Italian, wonderful, old)

V. Add the suitable prefixes:-

(1/2 x 2=1 marks)

- a) behave
- b) pleasant

SECTION –C (LITERATURE) (7 Marks)

VI. Read the extract and answer the questions that follow:

‘If we let them in,
they will steal our daily bread’:
He was talking of you and me, my dear,
he was talking of you and me.

- a) Who does them refer to?
- b) What does this tell us about people’s attitude to refugees?

(1x2=2 marks)

VII. Give the meaning of the following words and use them in sentences.

(1x2 =2 marks)

- a) thimble
- b) gilded

VIII. Answer the following questions:

(1 ½ x2 =3 marks)

- a) Why did the angel choose the leaden heart and the dead bird?
- b) What did the Prince ask the Swallow to do? Why?
