



INDIAN SCHOOL SOHAR
PERIODIC TEST II (2023 – 24)

ENGLISH

SET 2

CLASS: VI
DATE: 15-01-2024

MAX MARKS: 20
TIME: 40 MINUTES

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- This paper consists of three sections.
 - Section A Reading (4 marks)
 - Section B Grammar & Creative Writing Skills (7 marks)
 - Section C Literature (9 marks)
 - All Sections are compulsory.
 - Attempt questions based on specific instructions for each part.
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SECTION A : READING (4 MARKS)

1. Read the following passage carefully.

I believe if there was a choice to pick the eighth Wonder of the World, then Mr Bean would most certainly get my vote. I must admit I simply can't get enough of watching him do his side-splittingly funny jig on my favourite channel.

The serial called 'Mr Bean' began a while ago. And the man responsible for making this show a smashing success is none other than the hero, Rowan Atkinson. It was a completely new idea to have a hero like Bean, a disgusting and clumsy fool who could be quite brilliant at times.

Mr Bean gets into situations where he causes nothing but trouble for others. He is a fully grown man, who is quite alone in this life except for the only things he has affection for—his small teddy bear and a parrot-green car. A man of very few words, he keeps uttering "Oh, no..." in a croaky, heavy British accent. His actions to get out of problems are unusual and hilarious.

Based on your understanding of the passage, answer ANY FOUR of the following questions. (4)

- i. What was Bean fond of?
- ii. Which country did Bean belong to? Which line tells us so?
- iii. Who plays the character of Mr. Bean on screen?
- iv. What does 'side-splittingly funny' mean?
 - A. Mr. Bean is a painful comedy.
 - B. Mr. Bean makes you laugh so hard that it hurts.
 - C. Mr. Bean dances in a funny way.
 - D. Mr. Bean makes you cry.
- v. According to the passage, Mr. Bean was _____ (Complete the sentence.)
 - A. cunning and clumsy.
 - B. smart and wise.
 - C. troublesome but graceful.
 - D. clumsy and foolish.

SECTION B: GRAMMAR AND CREATIVE WRITING SKILLS (7 MARKS)

2. You are the Cultural Captain of your school. Draft a notice in about 50 words for the students of classes VI-VIII inviting them to participate in a singing competition to be held in school the auditorium. (3)

OR

You are the Head Boy / Girl of Global International School, Mumbai. Your school is organizing a picnic in a park for the students of classes VI-VIII. Write a notice in about 50 words inviting the interested students. Mention the date, time and other required details.

3. Answer ANY FOUR of the following questions: (4)

- i. Fill in the blank by using the simple future tense form of the verb given in the bracket.
We _____ our house next month. (paint)
- ii. Identify the finite and the non-finite verbs from the given sentence.
We were talking about the picnic.
- iii. Read the given sentence carefully and identify the verb that has been used as an adjective.
She kept the broken vase in the storeroom.
Tick the correct option:
A. kept B. storeroom C. vase D. broken
- iv. Rearrange the given words in the correct order to form a sentence in past continuous tense.
were shouting / the teacher / in / the children / when / came
- v. Choose the correct option to fill in the blank.
Julia _____ a chocolate cake at the moment.
A. am baking B. baked C. was baking D. is baking

SECTION C : LITERATURE (9 MARKS)

4. Read the given extract and answer ANY THREE of the following questions: (3)

**Lord God had stamped upon his skin
In equal stripes both night and dawn.
His black-and-gold won't shimmer now.
Boar-hunter, Forest King – he's gone.**

- i. Why does the speaker say the tiger's 'black-and-gold won't shimmer now'?
Tick the correct option.
A. The sun won't be shining brightly. B. The tiger migrated to the other jungle.
C. The tiger is not alive anymore. D. The tiger is sleeping in its den.
- ii. Name the poetic device used in the second line of the extract. Choose the correct option.
A. Simile B. Metaphor C. Alliteration D. Personification
- iii. Who is 'he' in the above lines?
iv. What are the other different names he has been given?

5. Answer ANY TWO of the following questions briefly: (4)

- i. What have the poachers used Sheru's skin and bones for?
ii. Who did the old lady mistake Ju for? Why?
iii. What did Ju find in the second-hand books that her mother brought for her?

6. Give the meaning and frame a sentence with ANY ONE of the following words: (2)

- i. ration ii. peer
