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**WORKSHEET (2017-18)**

**ENGLISH LITERATURE**

**PERIODICAL TEST - I**

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**STD VI**

**I. Give the meanings of:**

1. Fantastic 2. Expectantly 3. Vanished 4. Forbidding 5. Gesture 6. Gaze
7. regret 8. Stumble 9. Curses 10. Leave 11. unpleasant 12. Prepossessing
13. Wicked 14. Darting 15. Secure

**II. Give the opposites of:**

1. Enormous 2. Secured 3. Strange 4. Inside 5. Satisfied 6. Massive
7. companion
8. forward 9. Lend 10. Successful 11. Tired 12. Whisper 13. Clumsy
14. Disappeared 15. Obligingly

**III. Give the homophones of:**

- a. One b. son c. two d. tied e. tail f. right g. here h. whole.

**IV. ERC**

1. 'I am quite alarmed to hear it'
  - a. Name the lesson.
  - b. Name the speaker
2. 'Why not change his name to blind worm?'
  - a. Whom does 'you' refer here?
  - b. What is the reason for changing his name to blind worm?
3. 'Leave me alone for a moment'
  - a. Who wants to be left alone.
  - b. Explain the above line
4. 'But who gave it you'
  - a. Whom does 'you' refer here?
  - b. Identify the speaker
5. 'Don't think of it anymore'
  - a. Identify the speaker and addressee
  - b. What is that is not be thought anymore

**V. Frame a sentence using the words:**

1. Strange 2. Extreme 3. Obvious 4. Peep 5. Defend 6. Gaze
7. Flung 8. Terrible

**VI. Answer the following question**

1. What was the family's reason for buying a dog?
2. What made Ranga get angry on Attila?
3. Give the meaning of the word Attila?
4. What was Attila's reaction when strangers came to house?
5. What was mother's criticism about Attila?
6. Who is Ranga? Describe him.
7. How did Attila become the hero of the day?

8. What happened when Pandora opened the box for the first time?
9. Describe the mysterious box
10. Why does mankind need hope?
11. What do you learn from the lesson 'Pandora and the mysterious box'?
12. What happened when Pandora opened the box for the second time?

**SECTION-B**  
**POETRY**

**I. Give the meanings of:**

1. Disposition 2. Sunny 3. Glory 4. Lend 5. Trifling 6. Endeavour 7. Gaze 8. Sigh 9. Temperament 10. Youth.

**II. Give the opposites of:**

1. Cheerful 2. Simple 3. Friend 4. Foolish 5. Willing 6. Cheer 7. Honest 8. Brave 9. Profit 10. Rich

**III. ERC**

1. Be a friend you don't need money  
Just a disposition sunny;  
Just the wish to help another  
Get along some way at other;  
a. Name the poem  
b. Give the meaning of wish
2. Be a friend you don't need glory,  
Friendship is a simple story  
Pass by trifling errors blindly,  
Gaze on honest effort kindly,  
a. Write a few lines about the poet  
b. Give the opposite of 'simple'  
c. Give the synonym of 'gaze'.
3. You'll have friends instead of neighbor  
For the profit of your labors;  
You'll be richer in the end  
Than a prince, if you're a friend  
a. Give the meaning of profit.  
b. Who will be richer and why?

**IV. Answer the following**

1. What are the duties one has to fulfill in order to be a good friend?
2. How can one be rich by having good friends?
3. What are the qualities that one needs to be a good friend?
4. Why do we need friends?
5. How to make a person as a friend?
6. 'Friendship is a simple story'. Explain the line.
7. What should one do to a sad person?

**SECTION – C**

**I. Fill in the blanks:**

1. Tom was found hiding in the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Tom sewed his collar with a \_\_\_\_\_ thread
3. Aunt Dolly told Tom to \_\_\_\_\_ the fence.
4. Ben was eating an \_\_\_\_\_

5. The other boys were \_\_\_\_\_ of Tom.
6. Tom was \_\_\_\_\_ on Monday morning.
7. Huck had a \_\_\_\_\_ to bury in the grave yard.
8. Tom and Huck saw \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ in the grave yard.
9. Dr. Robinson was killed by \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Huck and Tom made a solemn oath with the \_\_\_\_\_.

**II. Say true or false.**

1. Tom painted the fence by himself.
2. Sid was a naughty boy.
3. The head teacher did not expect a demand from Tom.
4. Tom was groaning as he was not well.
5. Tom had a dead cat with him.
6. The teacher punished Tom by making him sit near a girl.
7. Muff Potter killed the doctor.
8. Tom and Huck decided that they would tell everybody of the murder.
9. Tom poured the medicine into cat's mouth.
10. The cat slept after drinking the medicine.

**III. Identify the speaker:**

1. Didn't you want to go swimming.
2. Hello, old chap. You've got to work.
3. I should have thought of that cupboard.
4. Why don't you ever whack sid when he takes it.
5. Don't groan like that.
6. What's the matter with your tooth.
7. Stopped to talk with Huck.
8. Please Becky, won't you take it.
9. What on earth is the matter with cat.
10. It's a bad sign.

**IV. Answer the following:**

1. What work did Aunt Dolly give Tom?
2. How was sid different from Tom?
3. Tom was a naughty and also a clever boy? How?
4. Why did Tom and Huck go to the grave yard?
5. What were the men carrying and why?
6. What things did Tom collect by the end of the day?
7. Describe Huckle berry Finn.
8. What are the reasons Tom said to avoid going to school?
9. Why did Tom and Huck decide not to tell what they had seen in the graveyard?
10. What did Tom do with the medicine?

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