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Risk Holiday Self - Education Worksheet - 2020

Grade - 10 | English

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A) Fill in the blanks correctly with one of the following words.(7 marks)

(By, with, to, for, at, in, on, from, between)

1. _____ April we went 2. _____ a pilgrimage to Sri Pada. We travelled 3. _____ home 4. _____ van 5. _____ my uncle and his family. We travelled 6. _____ eight hours and reached Hatton 7. _____ morning.

B) Fill in the blanks with suitable words.(13 marks)

1. Some boys take keen interest _____ sports (in, on, at)
2. Last year many people died _____ hunger _____ India and Nigeria. (in, on, of)
3. The postman delivers your letters _____ you _____ at your door. (for, to, at)
4. Public wells are used _____ all the people. (with, by, of)
5. He has been here _____ two days. (by, for, of)
6. All are familiar _____ the name of Gandhi. (of, in, with)
7. It has been raining _____ yesterday. (from, since, through)
8. Most colleges _____ towns close _____ four 'o' clock. (from, in, at)
9. It rained _____ the night. (from, in, throughout)
10. They could not agree _____ themselves. (with, among, to)

C) Fill in the blanks correctly with one of the following words.(15 marks). You may use a word more than once.

A boy _____ a certain village who was born _____ poor parents _____ none _____ help him went _____ a city. He roamed the streets _____ the city. He roamed the streets _____ the city the whole day and came _____ a house _____ sunset. He knocked _____ the door _____ the house. The master _____ the house opened the door and saw the hungry boy. He called him _____ and served him _____ a good meal _____ rice and curry.

(to, in, with, from, of, at)

D) Replace the underlined phrases with suitable collective nouns.(10 marks)

1. There was a lot of people at the spot to know about the accident.

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2. When I threw stones to the mango tree, so many bees started chasing me.

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3. There are many big trees on a ground, on my way to school.

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4. Some dancers performed a good dance with some musicians on the stage.

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5. Some thieves were caught by the police yesterday.

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E) Match the collective nouns in the column A with the common nouns in column B.

(10 marks)

1. BAND	.....
2. PACKET	.....
3. BROOD	.....
4. PACK	.....
5. BAR	.....
6. TROUPE	.....
7. COLLECTION	.....
8. BLOCK	.....
9. FEET	.....
10. FLOCK	.....

a. Apartments	.....
b. Books	.....
c. Ships	.....
d. Sheep	.....
e. Actors	.....
f. Wolves	.....
g. Musicians	.....
h. Chocolates	.....
i. Biscuits	.....
j. chickens	.....

F) Fill in the blanks with appropriate collective noun.(10 marks)

1. Mr. Soni has a _____ of stamps that he is proud of.

2. The washer woman carried a _____ of clothes on her shoulders.

3. The speeding truck was stopped by a _____ of cows.

4. The managing _____ will hold its meeting in September.

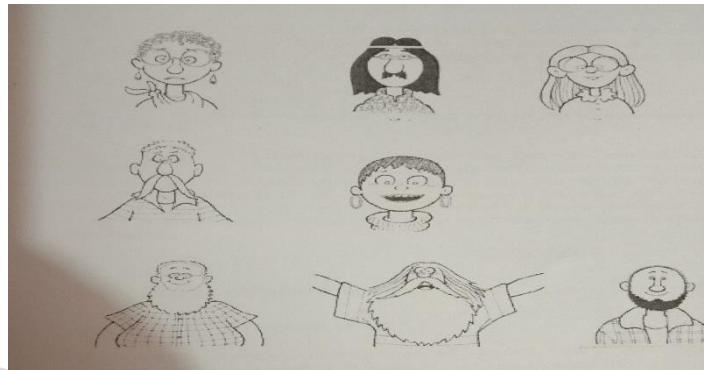
5. The _____ of sailors had to face a storm in the sea.

(Herd, bundle, crew, collection, board)

G) Look at the pictures of the eight people. Complete the gaps in the following sentences.

1. She's got s _____, c _____ hair.
2. He's got long, s _____, b _____ hair and a moustache.
3. She's got l _____, s _____ hair.
4. He's got s _____ hair and l _____ moustache.
5. She's got a s _____, straight hair.
6. He's got a short, s _____ hair and a b _____.
7. He's got l _____ hair and very big b _____.
8. He's got very short, s _____ hair and big b _____.

(15 marks)



H) Describe these pictures in three sentences.



1.
2.
3.
4.
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6.

(18 marks)

I) Imagine that you have lost your bag at the Fort railway station. Write a notice to put in the newspaper about the bag. Include the following details.(6 marks)

- Lap top briefcase type
- Colour
- Leather/cloth
- Things inside. Announce reward to the finder

J) Read the e-mail sent to Kamal by Kamal's father, who went on an official trip to USA. Imagine you're Kamal and write a reply.(10 marks)

Kamal,
I'm fine here and hope you the same. I arrived California last night. I'm staying in a five star hotel. 15 other staff from other countries also accompany me. we had an orientation programme in the morning and I'm sending this mail while enjoying the lunch.
By the way take care of you and mum. keep studying and help mum in house hold chores. Give my kind regards to all.
Bye
Loving
Dad.

K) Change these sentences into indirect speech.(10 marks)

1. Ranu said "This is my new bag"

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2. Vidyan said "we play cricket in the evening"

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3. My mother said "I am not well. I need rest"

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4. My friend said me "I will visit you tomorrow"

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5. Raven said "my sister grows vegetables in our garden"

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L) Find and write the meanings of these idioms. You can use the dictionary.(7marks)

1. see eye to eye-

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2. let the cat out of the bag-

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3. kill two birds with one stone-

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4. A piece of cake-

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5. Cost an arm and leg-

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6. Around the clock-

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7. Black sheep-

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M) Describe these pictures using passive voice.(10 marks)



1.



2.

3.



4.

5.

N) Samith has written his future intention here. Construct similar sentences on your future intention.(10 marks)

1. I will have bought a house in 2050.

2.

3.

4.

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O) Read the dictionary page carefully and answer the questions given below.

PULLET	661	PUNCTURE
pullet (pool'et), <i>n.</i> a young hen.		(water or a liquid) by means of a pump; free from water by a pump; extract (information) by artful questions. [French, also Danish.]
pulley (pool'li), <i>n.</i> a small wheel turning about an axis, and having a groove in which a rope works.		pumpkin (pump'kin, colloq. pung'kin), <i>n.</i> a plant of the gourd family and its fruit. As an edible it is much esteemed in the northern part of the United States. [Old French.]
pulmonary (pul'mon-ēr-i), <i>adj.</i> provided with lungs.		pun (pun), <i>n.</i> a play upon words; <i>v.i.</i> [<i>i.t.</i> & <i>p.p.</i> punned, <i>v.pr.</i> punning], to play upon words similar in sound but having a different meaning.
pulmonic (pul-mon'ik), <i>adj.</i> pertaining to the lungs: <i>n.</i> a medicine for diseases of the lungs. [Latin.]		punch (punch), <i>n.</i> a tool for stamping or perforating; a beverage of rum, whiskey, &c., water, lemon-juice, and sugar, the name coming from the Sanskrit <i>pancha</i> , "five," because of the five ingredients which compose it: tea, arrack, lemons, sugar and water; a blow or thrust; the buffoon of a puppet-show; <i>punchinello</i> ; a short fat person; <i>v.t.</i> to perforate with a punch; to strike with the fist.
pulmōtōr (pool'mō-tōr), <i>n.</i> a device for artificially restoring respiration in cases of asphyxiation.		puncheon (pun'chun), <i>n.</i> a liquid measure of 84 wine-gallons.
pulp (pulp), <i>n.</i> the soft fleshy part of bodies, as of fruit; any soft uniform mass: <i>v.t.</i> to reduce to a soft mass; extract or separate the pulp from.		punchinello (punch-i-nel'ō), <i>n.</i> the thick-set, hump-backed figure in a puppet-show. [Italian.]
pulpiness (pulp'i-nes), <i>n.</i> pulpy state.		punctate (pungk'tāt), <i>adj.</i> dotted with small spots; pointed.
pulpit (pool'pit), <i>n.</i> an elevated or inclosed desk in a church from which the sermon is delivered; preachers or preaching. [Greek.]		punctiform (pungk'tī-fōrm), <i>adj.</i> point-shaped.
pulpy (pul'pi), <i>adj.</i> consisting of, or like, pulp; soft; succulent. [French.]		punctilio (pungk-til'i-ō), <i>n.</i> a nice point in conduct or ceremony; formal exactness.
pulque (pool'kā), a Mexican beverage made from the juice of the agave.		punctilious (pungk-til'i-us), <i>adj.</i> very nice or precise in conduct or ceremony; exact to excess.
pulsate (pul'sāt), <i>v.t.</i> to throb; beat.		punctual (pungk'tū-al), <i>adj.</i> observing, or done at, the exact time.
pulsation (pul-sā'shun), <i>n.</i> a throb or beat, especially of the heart.		punctuality (pungk-tū-al'i-ti), <i>n.</i> the quality of being punctual; the characteristic of keeping the exact time of an appointment or engagement.
pulsative (pul'sa-tiv), <i>adj.</i> beating or throbbing. Also <i>pulsatory</i> .		punctually (pungk'tū-al-i), <i>adv.</i> in a punctual manner.
pulse (puls), <i>n.</i> the rhythmic beating of the heart or arteries; vibration: leguminous plants or their seeds, as peas, beans, &c.: <i>v.t.</i> to beat or throb, as the pulse.		punctuate (pungk'tū-āt), <i>v.t.</i> to mark with points; divide into sentences by points.
pulsimeter (pul-sim'e-tēr), <i>n.</i> an instrument applied over an artery, to ascertain the force or movement of the pulse.		punctuation (pungk-tū-ā-shun), <i>n.</i> the act or art of dividing sentences by points or stops.
pulsometer (pul-som'e-tēr), <i>n.</i> a kind of steam-condensing vacuum-pump.		puncture (pungk'tür), <i>n.</i> a small hole or wound made by a pointed instru-
pulu (pū'lōō), <i>n.</i> a kind of vegetable silk obtained from the fibers of a fern-tree of Hawaii.		âte, ärm, at, awl; mē, mērge, met; mīte, mit; nōte, nōrth, not; böön, book; hü, hut; think, then.
pulverization (pul-vēr-i-ză'shun), <i>n.</i> the act of pulverizing.		
pulverize (pul'vēr-iz), <i>v.t.</i> to reduce to powder.		
puma (pū'ma), <i>n.</i> a large cat-like carnivorous animal of America; mountain lion.		
pumice (pum'is), <i>n.</i> a hard, light, spongy, volcanic lava or rock. Also pumice-stone. See <i>pomace</i> .		
pump (pump), <i>n.</i> a machine for raising water or other liquid; a light low shoe or slipper: <i>v.t.</i> to raise		

- 1) A large cat like animal -
- 2) A play related to words is called -
- 3) A man with this qualification is appreciated everywhere-
.....
- 4) If we don't consider about this when writing, it'll be meaningless-
.....
- 5) A common word for beans, peas and seeds-

(10marks)

P) Each sentence has an incorrect word and underlined. Correct the word and re write the sentence(14 marks)

1. We went by boat and stay at a hotel.

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2. The hall is decorated colourful.

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3. He has been paint the room.

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4. There are some tree in the picture.

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5. Most medicine plants can be found in the forests.

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6. I want a seat at the window.

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7. I have been waiting for the bus since 6 hours.

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Q) Read the paragraph and answer the questions.(12 marks)

It was George's 8th birthday and he was so excited for his big party. They have spent a whole week preparing the decorations and creating invitations. His mother had spent all morning baking an enormous chocolate cake and it looked absolutely delicious. All his friends started arriving and everyone was playing happily outside in the backyard. The clown was standing in front of the cake making balloon animals for all the children, when disaster struck! Suddenly one of the balloons burst, with a loud BANG! The noise startled George's dog, Lenny, who leapt into the air, and bolted straight for the cake. It was like a hippopotamus jumping into a muddy river! Brown chocolate cake flew all over the place, completely covering all the guests. Everyone went silent. No one knew what to say or do. Suddenly a giggle sounded from the group. Then another and another. Before long the entire party was completely in stitches, laughing and laughing! They spent the rest of the afternoon licking the chocolate mixture off their clothing and laughing about the time the dog jumped on the birthday cake!

1) How old was George turning?

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2) What flavor was the cake that George's mother baked?

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3) What startled George's dog?

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4) How does the writer compare the dog with a hippopotamus?
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5) What did the guests think about being covered in chocolate cake?
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6) What does the underlined words refer to
It-..... They-

R) Write an essay on how to spend a vacation meaningfully. Use about 150 words.(15 marks)

