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## **SUMMETIVE ASSEMENT-II-2013-14**

## MARKING SCHEME

SUB-ENGLISH	CLASS-VIII	TIME-2Hrs 30min
Q.I. READING		1 X 5 = 5
1] [C]-both [a] and [b]		
2] [c] both of the above		
3] [a] with means of interaction		
4] [b] English		
5] [b] could understand only little of what was taught		
Q.2 [A] Poem		1 x 4 = 4
A] Alphabet or 'A'		
B] Looking		
C] Long answers		
D] Kind		
Q.2. [B]		½ x 2 = 1
A] Messed up		
B] Nurtured		
Q.3. Reading		1 x 5 = 5
[A] Goa is famous for its monsoon.		
[b] People go to Goa for the sun and surfing		
[c] Rain is cool because it takes away the heat and helps the crops grow.		
[d] Water has been called accommodative and tolerant.		
[e] Famous		

## **Section-B Writing**]

**Q.4 Notice Writing**- Format : 1 Mark

Content : 2 marks

Total: 3 marks

Q.5. Diary Writing- Content : 2 marks

Expression : 1 mark

Total : 3 marks

**Q.6.Informal Letter Writing** - Format : 1 mark

Content : 2 mark

Expression: 2 marks [accuracy& fluency]

Total: 5 marks

**Q.7. Bio-Sketch** - Content : 2 marks

Expression: 2 marks

Total: 4 marks

Section-C [Grammar]

Q.8. ½ x 6 = 3

[1] shall phone; get [2] rains; shall not go [3] see; will not recognize

Q.9. ½ x 6 = 3

[a] -have been trying [b] -are keeping fine [c]- more [d]- fights

[e]- all little things [f]- what

Q.10.  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$ [a] what she was doing [b] she was watching T.V [c] When her next paper was [d] why she was not studying Q.11.  $1 \times 4 = 4$ [a] a good night's sleep is essential for the body. [b] People who get less than 7 hours of sleep are likely to catch cold. [c] They may also experience loss of appetite. [d] Hence to relax one must wear comfortable clothes and sleep deeply. Q.12.  $1 \times 3 = 3$ [I] Lyonnesse was a hundred miles away. [ii] Starlight lit the poet's lonesomeness. [iii] It was winter season and with drop of frost and dew. OR [i] The word 'it' is referred to the Fawn.

- [ii] The boy and his dad were right in the decision of bringing fawn home.
- [iii] The boy would ride to the forest in search of fawn with Mill-Wheel.

Q.13.  $3 \times 2 = 6$ 

- [1] In the Rajputana desert, the pools were sticky and muddy where women washed clothes or buffaloes wallowed. But forest pool was clean, cold and inviting.
- [2] Mrs. Sappleton said that her husband and brothers would be entering the house any time. The window was kept open till it was dark. They would enter through the open window.
- [3] As a result of spending his fees money on jalebis, he had to be absent from school for the first time money in his life.
- [4] Sir John got hold of James 'original manuscript from Mr. Taylor who wanted to get his opinion before sending it to a professional referee.
- [5] The paper makes the important point is that Duttada's comet would collide with the earth.

Q.14.  $3 \times 2 = 6$ 

[1] Prof. Hawking's message for the disabled is that they should concentrate on what they are good at. He didn't like the idea of the disabled Olympics. He thought that it was a waste of time.

- [2] The three qualities that ensured the success of the author were 'endurance, persistence and will power'.
- [3] General Blood-and-thunder had risen to high position from a soldier. When he returned to the valley, his childhood friends said that the General had always looked like the Stone Face.
- [4] The poet confessed that he was not worthy to be compared with the Stone Face. His actions did not match with his thoughts. He had only grand dreams but he lacked faith in his own thoughts.
- [5] Like a caged bird, the boy is also not free to do anything at his own will. He wants to lead a life of freedom but he can't because there are many restrictions on him.

#### Q.15. Value Based Questions

3 marks

#### [a] Value Points

Little boy-his interest grew-Great Stone Face smiled-prophecy about it-regarded it as his teacher-noble-kind-helpful -these qualities helps.

OR

Fees money should not be misused- not to bunk the classes-always listen to heart-repents his foolishness-self -realization-to apologizes to God