# **Apex Public School**

Sant Nagar, Burari, Delhi

## **Summer Vacation Holiday Homework (2024-25)**

#### Class XI

**English Core (301)** 

### (English-Literature)

Write each of the following questions in 100-120 words.

- Explain the reasons of changing relationship between the grandmother and the author.
- Sketch the character of the grandmother.
- Discuss the values highlighted in the chapter The 'Portrait of a Lady'.
- Identify the poetic devices used in the poem 'A Photograph' and discuss their meanings.

### (English-Reading)

Read any two of the novels suggested below:

- The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn by Mark Twain
- 1984...by George Orwell
- To Sir with Love- E.R.Braithwaite
- Great Expectations- Charles Dickens and summarize any two of them in about 250-300 words each

### (English-Grammar)

1. Write all Modals and their uses.

(English-Project Work)

The Project-Portfolio may include the following:

- Cover page, with title of project, school details/details of students.
- Statement of purpose/objectives/goals
- Certificate of completion under the guidance of the teacher.
- Action plan for the completion of assigned tasks.

• Materials such as scripts for the theater/role play, questionnaires for interview, written assignments, essays,

survey-reports and other material evidence of learning progress and academic accomplishment.

- The 800-1000 words essay/Script/Report.
- Student reflection.
- If possible, Photographs that capture the positive learning experiences of the student.
- List of resources/bibliography.

#### Choose one topic from below mentioned:

- TOPIC:1 Gender Bias
- TOPIC:2 Autobiography of the Smartphone
- TOPIC:3 Domestic Violence
- TOPIC:4 Healthcare
- TOPIC: 5 How to Improve Communication Skills
- TOPIC: 6 How to Deal with Mental Breakdowns
- TOPIC:7 How Math Changed the World
- TOPIC: 8 The Importance of School Volunteering and Social Work

#### **PHYSICS**

- 1. To make a paper scale of given least count, e.g., 0.2cm, 0.5 cm.
- 2. Make an investigatory project on Bernoulli's Principle.
- **3.** NCERT Exercises (2.1 to 4.10)

#### **CHEMISTRY**

### Prepare a report on the following topics

- 1. Conference of parties: Timeline and the major highlights of them.
- 2. Waste to Chemicals: Transforming wastes and residues to energy, fuels and other useful chemicals
- 3.Endangered Elements: Managing the extraction, use, reuse and alternative development for elements in the chemical enterprise that are facing critical supply risks.
- 4. Nobel Laureates in Chemistry (Any5): Their life and works.

#### **General Instructions**

- i. The report can be typewritten/Handwritten with pictures.
- ii. In case its typewritten use font size 14.
- iii. Write only on one side of the sheet.
- iv. Use A-4 coloured/white sheets

Assignments to be done for the chapters taught (refer school website)

### **BIOLOGY**

- 1) Prepare short report on:
- a) DNA Sequencing
- b) Post Complications of Covid 19
- c) Human Genome Project
- 2) Nobel Laureates and their contributions in the field of Medicine (since 2018 to 2023)

#### **General Instructions:**

- i. Report can be typed or handwritten with pictures.
- ii. For typed report use font size 14, Times New Roman.
- iii. Write only on side of the sheet.
- iv. Use A-4 coloured or white sheets

### **Mathematics**

### **Lab Manual Activity**

- To find the number of subsets of a given set and verify that if a set has n number of elements, then the total number of subsets is 2<sup>n</sup>.
- To verify that for two sets A and B,  $n(A \times B) = pq$  and the total number of relations from A to B is 2pq, where n(A) = p and n(B) = q.

#### **Worksheet - SETS**

#### Which of the following are sets? Justify your answer.

- 1. The collection of all the months of a year beginning with letter M
- 2. The collection of difficult topics in Mathematics.

Let A =  $\{1,3,5,7,9\}$ . Insert the appropriate symbol  $\in$  or  $\notin$  in blank spaces: – (Question- 3,4)

- 3. 2 \_\_\_\_ A
- 4. Write the set A =  $\{x : x \text{ is an integer}, -1 \le x < 4\}$  in roster form
- Write the set B = {3,9,27,81} in set-builder form.

Which of the following are empty sets? Justify. (Question- 6,7)

- 6.  $A = \{ x : x \in N \text{ and } 3 < x < 4 \}$
- 7. B = { x : x  $\in$  N and  $x^2 = x$ }

Which of the following sets are finite or Infinite? Justify. (Question-8, 9)

- The set of all the points on the circumference of a circle.
- 9.  $B = \{ x : x \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and } x \text{ is an even prime number} \}$
- 10. Are sets A =  $\{-2,2\}$ , B =  $\{x : x \in Z, x^2-4 = 0\}$  equal? Why?
- 11. Write (-5,9] in set-builder form
- 12. Write  $\{x : x \in \mathbb{R}, -3 \le x < 7\}$  as interval.
- 13. If A = { 1,3,5}, how many elements has P(A)?
- 14. Write all the possible subsets of A = {5,6}.

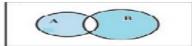
If A = Set of letters of the word 'DELHI' and B= the set of letters the words 'DOLL' find (Question- 17,18,19)

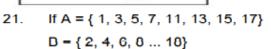
- 15. A ∪ B
- 16. A o B
- 17. A B
- 18. Are sets A =  $\{1,2,3,4\}$ , B =  $\{x : x \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and } 5 \le x \le 7\}$  disjoint? Why?

What is Represented by the shaded regions in each of the following Venn-diagrams. (Question 19,20)

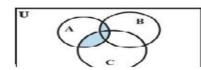
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and  $\cup$  is universal set then find  $A' \cup [(A \cup B) \cap B']$ 



### **Informatics Practices / Computer Science**

### Prepare a chart on any 1 of the following:

- Units of memory
- Functional components of computer system
- Classification of computer software
- Python tokens
- Python datatypes
- All method functions of math module and random module
- Data types of MYSQL
- Ascii table between having decimal no and char only
- Logic gates with its diagram
- Logic gate with it's truth table
- Conditional and looping statements with syntax
- List of string methods
- List of list data type methods
- List of tuple and dictionary methods
- List of types of operators
- Computer generations and their importance in 3 points each.
- Various input devices with images
- Various output devices and storage devices with images
- SQL constraints with its explanation of use
- SQL functions

Note: Chart should be pasted on a thermocol and covered with transparent plastic.

### **Accountancy**

1. Visit the nearest business unit and prepare a report on identifying the following:
→ The nature of business.
<b>→</b> Fixed Assets and Current assets used
<b>→</b> Expense
<b>→</b> Source of income

2. Revise the following

→ Principles of Accounting

→ Accounting Terminology

### **Economics**

- 1. Revise taught chapters and Do given questions in fair note book.
- 2. Do given worksheet in fair note book.
- 3. Prepare questionnaire as per instructions given in class.

#### **BUSINESS STUDIES**

- 1. Prepare a collage on the following topics as allotted:
  - Popular Co-Operative societies in India with their details.
  - Various scams that took place in India after independence with their volume and reasons.
  - Aids to trade.
  - Industry and its types.
  - Forms of Business Organization with examples.
- 2. Revise chapters 1st and 2nd for PA-1
- 3. Read at least one business related news daily and note down in your notebook.

#### **HISTORY**

Choose any one topic from the below given topics and make project

- 1. Facts of the Industrialization in sixteenth- eighteenth centuries.
- 2. Crusades: causes; rationale; events; outcomes; Holy Alliance
- 3. Ancient History in depth: Mesopotamia
- 4. Greek Philosophy and City States
- 5. Contributions of Roman Civilization
- 6. The spirit of Renaissance: Manifestation in art; Literature; Sculpture; Influence on Trading Community; Social Fabric; Philosophy; Political Values; Rational Thinking; Existentialism
- 7. Aspects of Development -South American States / Central American States
- 8. Different schools of thoughts- Realism: Humanism: Romanticism
- 9. Piecing together the past of Genghis Khan

- 10. Myriad Realms of Slavery in ancient, medieval, and modern world
- 11. History of Aborigines America /Australia
- 12. Facets of Modernization China /Japan/Korea
  - **Complete questions and answers of chapter 1st and 2nd.**
  - \* Revision of P. A syllabus

#### **Political Science**

- 1. Prepare a project according to CBSE guidelines.
  - Ring file to be used
  - Use white or light coloured interleaf sheets.

#### Suggested topics:

- > Constitution
- **Elections** in India
- > Fundamental Rights, Fundamental Duties and DPSP
- > Federalism
- Local Governments
- > Any other topic from the syllabus.
- 2. Revise chapters 1st ,2nd and 3rd.

### **Legal Studies**

- > Complete your questions and answers in the notebook for all the chapters.
- > Revise all the chapters and prepare for PA I.

# **Sociology**

The function of sociology, as of every science, is to reveal that which is hidden. - Pierre Bourdieu

**♣** Prepare and complete your sociology project according to your individual topic. (As per CBSE guidelines and instructions given in class.)

Note: No need to do the binding now. Final binding will be done after verification by the subject teacher after the summer break.

- **Complete your sociology notebook.**
- **♣** Revise chapter 1<sup>st</sup> and prepare for PA I.