

# INDIAN SCHOOL AL GHUBRA, MUSCAT

PERIODIC TEST-II: 2017-2018

CLASS: VI ENGLISH

Time allowed: 1 Hour

M. Marks: 20

General Instructions:

18/01/2018

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| (i) This paper has 6 questions.<br>(ii) All the answers must be numbered correctly. |
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## SECTION - A: WRITING

1. You recently visited a zoo and were shocked to see the sad condition of the animals there. You took pictures of some animals too. Most cages were too small for them, there was noise everywhere and many animals looked ill and thin. Write a letter to your cousin sharing your feelings and opinions whether we really need zoos or are animals better in the jungles. 6

## SECTION - B: GRAMMAR

2. Fill in the blanks with a, an or the. Put an X where an article is not needed.  $\frac{1}{4} \times 4 = 1$
- a) If you want to lose \_\_\_\_\_ weight eat healthy food.  
b) \_\_\_\_\_ sky is overcast today.  
c) I saw \_\_\_\_\_ unicorn in my dream.  
d) \_\_\_\_\_ frogs have long hind legs.

3. Change the sentences in direct speech into indirect speech.  $1 \times 3 = 3$
- a) The farmer said, "My hens are healthy and they lay lots of eggs."  
b) Mayank said, "I live here."  
c) Dalip said, "We are leaving for Pune today."

4. Fill in the blank with the opposite of the underlined adjective choosing from those given in the box.  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$

fearless,      courteous,      modern,      serious
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- a) Ancient history is more interesting than \_\_\_\_\_ history.  
b) The deer is a timid animal but the lion is \_\_\_\_\_.  
c) He was insolent but his brother was \_\_\_\_\_.  
d) His humorous jokes were not liked by his \_\_\_\_\_ wife.

## SECTION - C: LITERATURE

5. Answer the following with reference to context  $1 \times 2 = 2$
- "He'll jump out and chop off my head  
But I'll take a peek one day."

- a) Name the poem and the poet.  
b) Who is 'he' referred to and where will he jump out from?

6. Answer the following questions  $3 \times 2 = 6$
- a) Who was the well driller and what misgivings did Granny have about his work?  
b) What was the real story of the disappearing meat and why did Gramps not do anything when he learned about it?