

**ST.THOMAS SCHOOL**

**PERIODIC TEST-3**

**WORKSHEET SUBJECT –ENGLISH**

**Q. 1. Answer the following questions:**

- a. Why did that one word, “sayonara”, make such a great impression on the author?
- b. Why, in your opinion, did Ben Price pretend not to recognize Jimmy?
- c. What does the poet mean by saying “the head is held high”?
- d. Who was Jimmy Valentine? Why was he set free?.
- e. Why did Ben Price begin to look for Jimmy again?
- f. Explain how dead habits can create a dreary desert.
- g. What piece of advice did the warden give Jimmy?
- h. Why did the author feel that ‘sayonara’ was the most beautiful of all goodbyes?
- i. Comment on the title of the story ‘Retrieved Reformation’. Say if it is apt. Give reasons.
- g. What are the narrow domestic walls that the poet is alluding to? Mention at least three points.

**Q. 2. Change the following sentences in passive voice.**

- a. Monika completes her work daily.
- b. The gardener is watering flowers.
- c. The boys have won the match.
- d. The mad dog bit the beggar.
- e. Who has seen the wind ?
- f. Will you play cricket?
- g. I did not eat chocolate.
- h. We should not tease monkeys.
- i. The principal refused the admission.
- j. Is my mother cooking food?

**Q. 3. Fill in the blanks with a suitable determiner :**

Suresh joined (a)\_\_\_\_\_ (a/an/the)university but he could not make (b) \_\_\_\_\_ (some/many/any) friends there. His father is (c)\_\_\_\_\_(the/a/an) engineer and he has(d) \_\_\_\_\_(any/many/much) friends. Suresh wanted to buy (e)\_\_\_\_\_ (a/much/a few)books on how to make good friends but he did not get any. Once he participated in (f) \_\_\_\_\_(the/a/some) seminar, there he found (g)\_\_\_\_\_ (some/much/little)good people. There he got (h)\_\_\_\_\_ (a/an/many)chance to make friend.

**Q.4. Write the similar meaning of the underlined words:**

- a. I purchased fruits from the market. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. The teacher praised the work of students. \_\_\_\_\_

- c. The students clapped when the head boy ended his speech. \_\_\_\_\_  
d. All shops are closed today because of National festival. \_\_\_\_\_

Q.3. Write the antonyms of the underlined words:

- a. I have accepted all the gifts given on my birthday.  
b. The mountaineers ascended the hill.  
c. I have withdrawn some money from my bank account.  
d. Today my friend was in gloomy mood.

Q.4. Develop a story with the help of given outlines about 150 words.

flood in the village - widespread destruction - no govt. relief for two days - people`s - movement to safety - Gobind, a 14 years old boy - notices - frightened puppy - carries along - friendship.

Q.5. Develop a story with the help of given outlines about 150 words.

Man - finds a purse in a ditch - covered with stone- moves the stone to allow a car to pass by - sees the purse - takes it out- opens it - finds money - people gather-think he is a thief - start beating him - Man runs to save himself - finds a police station- hands over the purse- is appreciated by the police.

Q.6. On the basis of the information given below, write a short bio-sketch of Abraham Lincoln.

Born : 1809 in Northern Kentucky

Family : Father- wealthy farmer, lost his land when Lincoln was 7, moved to Indiana  
Mother- died when he was nine, family moved to Illinois soon after

Education : Little formal education, loved to read. Studied law by reading law books- became a lawyer in 1837, Springfield, Illinois

Political Career : began early- served in State Legislature, in the U.S. House of Representatives. Gifted Speaker, speeches against slavery, nomination for Presidency- won in 1860. Re elected in 1864

Death : assassinated by John Wilks Booth on April 15, 1865. Remembered for wisdom, compassion, patriotic