

KITE VICTERS ONLINE CLASS SUPPORT MATERIAL



Class: 10

Subject: English

**Unit: 4
Flights of Fancy**

**Work Sheet: 35
Class : 48**

**Topic: The Never, Never
Nest (Part -2)**

Review and Assignments based on VICTERS First Bell Online Class - 48 on 29/12/2020, Tuesday 9.30 am

Previous Assignments based on VICTERS Online Class on 28/12/2020

Dear students please check your assignments with these possible answers.

ACTIVITY 1

Read the first part of the play ‘The Never-Never Nest’ and answer the following questions.

[JILL: And this is the lounge. JACK; Rent? Oh, no, we don’t pay rent.]

1. What is the setting of the play?

Ans: The lounge of Jack and Jill’s Villa at New Hampstead.

2. What are the properties you find in scene 1?

Ans: A table on which are writing materials, and two chairs.

3. Who are the characters of the play?

Ans: Jack, Jill, his wife, Aunt Jane and the Nurse.

4. Why did Aunt Jane exclaim ‘charming’?

Ans: Aunt Jane exclaimed ‘charming’ because the room was cosy and pretty.

5. What does Jill love to do while she is alone?

Ans: Jill enjoys the radio programmes while cooking.

6. What was really wonderful according to Aunt Jane?

Ans: The furniture, the car, the piano, the refrigerator and the radio looked wonderful for Aunt Jane.

7. What made Aunt Jane worry about her gift cheque?

Ans: Aunt Jane is worried because she doubts whether she has written two thousand pounds in the gift cheque.

ACTIVITY 2

1. Draft a notice informing the public about the staging of the play ‘The Never-Never Nest’ with necessary details.

A notice is a written information or intimation of an event or a programme. It is written by an individual, a group or an organisation to draw the attention of the readers to something that needs immediate attention. What message do notices usually convey? A notice usually presents the information about the programme/event like: where and when it takes place, who are involved in it along with the invitation to attend the programme or function.

ഒരു പരിപാടിയെക്കുറിച്ചുള്ള വിവരങ്ങൾ പൊതുജനങ്ങളെ അറിയിക്കുന്നതിനായി നാം സ്വീകരിക്കുന്ന ഒരുപാധയാണ് നോട്ടീസ്. പ്രത്യേക ശ്രദ്ധ ആകർഷിക്കുന്നതിനായി അത് ഒരു വ്യക്തിയോ, ഒരു കൂട്ടം ആളുകളോ, സംഘടനയോ നോട്ടീസ് പ്രസിദ്ധീകരിക്കാം. പരിപാടി എവിടെ, എപ്പോൾ നടക്കുന്നുവെന്നും, ആരൊക്കെ പങ്കെടുക്കുന്നുവെന്നും ഉള്ള വിവരങ്ങൾ ഉൾപ്പെടുത്തേണ്ടതാണ്. അതോടൊപ്പം ആളുകളെ ക്ഷണിച്ചുകൊണ്ടുള്ള ഒരു കുറിപ്പും, പരിപാടിയുടെ വിശദാംശങ്ങളും ചേർക്കണം.

- Identify the programme/event or the type of notice to be prepared.
എന്താണ് പരിപാടിയെന്ന് ചോദ്യത്തിൽ നിന്നും തിരിച്ചറിയുക.
- Prepare an invitation to invite the people.
ആളുകളെ ക്ഷണിച്ചുകൊണ്ട് ഒരു കുറിപ്പ് തയ്യാറാക്കുക.
- Use appropriate format and layout of a notice.
അനുയോജ്യമായ നോട്ടീസ് ഘടന സ്വീകരിക്കുക.
- Mention the date, time and venue of the programme.
തീയതി, സമയം, വേദി എന്നിവ ചേർക്കണം.
- Include the details of the programme.
പരിപാടിയുടെ വിശദാംശങ്ങൾ ഉൾപ്പെടുത്തുക.
- Use clear and brief language.
വ്യക്തമായ ഭാഷാപ്രയോഗവും, ചുരുങ്ങിയ വാക്കുകളിൽ തയ്യാറാക്കുക.
- Specify the person/authority who issues the notice.
നോട്ടീസ് പ്രസിദ്ധീകരിക്കുന്ന വ്യക്തിയുടെ വിവരങ്ങൾ ചേർക്കുക.

Features



The title saying Notice. Notice എന്ന തലക്കെട്ട്.

A title to introduce the subject of the Notice.
Notice -ന്റെ വിഷയം അവതരിപ്പിക്കുന്ന തലവാചകം

Salutation. Dear Friends, Dear Students etc. സംബോധന.

Body of the Notice. Make it simple, formal and brief. Include
* What is going to happen?
* Where will it take place?
* When will it happen?
നോട്ടീസിന്റെ ഉള്ളടക്കം ലളിതവും, ഔപചാരികവും, സംക്ഷിപ്തവും ആകണം. എന്ത്? എവിടെ വെച്ച് എപ്പോൾ നടക്കുന്നുവെന്ന് രേഖപ്പെടുത്തുക.

Invitation. ആളുകളെ ക്ഷണിച്ചുകൊണ്ടുള്ള കുറിപ്പ്

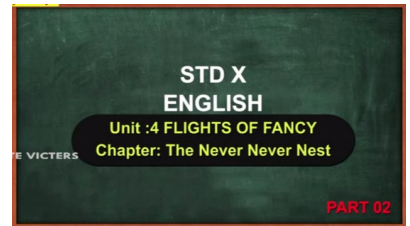
Place & Date സ്ഥലം, തീയതി.


Issuing Authority നോട്ടീസ് പരസ്യപ്പെടുത്തുന്ന വ്യക്തിയുടെ വിവരങ്ങൾ

Review and Assignments based on Vickers Online Class on 29/12/2020.
‘The Never Never Nest’ Part - 2


Dear students,

Did you watch the English class today? (29/12/2020). If not, **Click on the image** to watch the video. After watching the video try the following assignments. Hope the following explanations will help you to have a feedback of today’s class. The class continued with the discussion of the play ‘The Never never Nest’ - a play by Cedric mount. The features of a Notice, Announcement and Posters were also discussed. The play was introduced through a radio play. Drafting an official letter was the assignment given.



<p>UNIT IV FLIGHTS OF FANCY</p> 	<p>This unit is title as ‘Flights of Fancy’ and consists of three literary pieces – a short story, a one act play and a poem. They are set independent, but thematically inter-linked. The first one ‘The Scholarship Jacket’ is a short story by Martha Salinas. This story speaks about the obstacles the narrator had to encounter in her school days. The second one is a poem titled ‘Poetry’ written by Pablo Neruda, a Chilean poet. In this poem, the poet shares his experience of being embraced by creativity. The third one ‘The Never Never Nest is a one-act play, depicting a couple Jck and Jill. Who brought each and every luxury of life on instalments and are living cheerfully without even being aware that they would be struggling under the burden in the near future. Read and the enjoy learning the story, the play and the poem.</p>
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Let’s Recap

<p>The Never-Never Nest</p> 	<p><i>The one-act play ‘The Never-Never Nest’ is a comedy about a young naive couple Jack and Jill who believe in buying things in instalments. They purchased a new villa in New Hampstead, a car, furniture, a radiogram, a piano and a refrigerator. Aunt Jane a relative of Jack and Jill visited their new house. She was surprised to find that they lived in a beautiful house with all comforts. She found it hard to believe that Jack could afford all these things especially the house.</i></p>
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Preparing Announcements

Read the announcement given below.

Ladies and Gentlemen,
 Victer’s Theatre presents before you ‘**The Never- Never Nest**’ scripted by the eminent playwright Cedric Mount.
 We welcome you all to the staging of the play scheduled at 8.00 p.m. at the Kite Auditorium. Come and be a witness to the spectacular performance of our brilliant artists..
Watch..... Imbibe.... and Enjoy...



























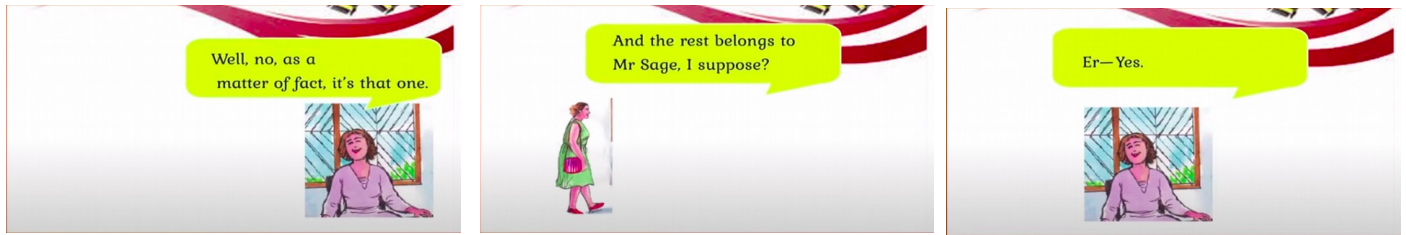
Let’s Discuss its features.

- * The above poster or announcement informs us about an upcoming event and the details about it. That is about the staging of the play ‘The Never-Never Nest’.
 (നടക്കവാനു പോകുന്ന ഒരു സംഭവത്തെ / പരിചയപ്പെടുത്തുന്നതിനും അതിന്റെ വിശദാംശങ്ങളെക്കുറിച്ചും അറിവു നൽകുന്നു.)
- * The language used in a poster or announcement and poster is simple and brief and striking to catch our attention. (ഇതിലെ ഭാഷ ലളിതവും, ചുരുങ്ങിയ വാക്കുകളിലും ശ്രദ്ധേയവും ആകർഷകവുമായിരിക്കണം)

* Whereas in Poster, we can use colourful pictures and diagrams through which the idea is conveyed quickly. (എന്നാൽ പോസ്റ്ററുകളിൽ അകർഷകമായ ചിത്രങ്ങളിലൂടെയും വരകളിലൂടെയും വേഗത്തിൽ ആശയവിനിമയം നടത്താം.)

Let's continue reading the Play.

 <p>But, Jack, if you don't pay rent, you'll get turned out—into the street. And that would never do. You've Jill and the baby to think of now, you know.</p>	 <p>No, no, Aunt Jane. You misunderstood me. We don't pay rent because the house is ours.</p>	 <p>YOURS?.</p>
 <p>Why, yes; you just pay ten pounds and it's yours.</p>	 <p>You see, Aunt Jane, we realized how uneconomic it is to go on paying rent year after year, when you can buy and enjoy a home of your own for ten pounds—and a few quarterly payments, of course. Why be Mr Tenant when you can be Mr Owner?</p>	 <p>I see. Yes, there's something in that. Even so, you must be getting on very well to keep up a place like this.</p>
 <p>Oh, he is, Aunt Jane. Why, only last year he had a five shilling rise—didn't you, Jack?</p>	 <p>Of course that was nothing, really. I'm expecting ten this Christmas.</p>	 <p>Jack ! I've just thought of something. That car—is it yours?</p>
 <p>Of course it's ours.</p>	 <p>All yours?</p>	 <p>Well, no. Not exactly all.</p>
 <p>How much of it?</p>	 <p>Oh, I should say the steering wheel—and one of the tyres -- and about two of the cylinders. But don't you see, that's the wonderful thing about it.</p>	 <p>I don't see anything wonderful about it.</p>
 <p>But there is, Aunt Jane. You see, although we could never buy a car outright, we can enjoy all the pleasures of motoring for a mere five pounds down.</p>	 <p>And the rest by easy instalments, I suppose.</p>	 <p>Exactly. And what about the radio—what's it?.</p>  <p>Exactly.</p>
 <p>And the piano?</p>  <p>Well, that's the—</p>	 <p>And the furniture?</p>  <p>Well, of course—</p>	 <p>And the furniture?</p>  <p>I'm afraid so—</p>



Refer the text book also.



In today's class the play was discussed using the medium Radio Play.
What is a Radio Play?

Radio play is a dramatized acoustic performance which means it depends on dialogue, music and sound effects to help the listener imagine the characters and story.

റേഡിയോ നാടകം എന്ന സങ്കേതമുപയോഗിച്ചാണ് ഇന്ന് ക്ലാസ് അവതരിപ്പിച്ചത്. എന്താണ് റേഡിയോ നാടകം?
നാടകത്തിന്റെ ശബ്ദ രേഖാ രൂപത്തിലുള്ള അവതരണമാണ് റേഡിയോ നാടകം. അത് കഥാപാത്രങ്ങളുടെ സംഭാഷണത്തിലൂടെയും, പശ്ചാത്തല സംഗീതത്തിലൂടെയും, മറ്റ് ശബ്ദ വ്യന്യാസത്തിലൂടെയും കേഴ്ത്തിക്കാരുന് കഥയും, കഥാപാത്രങ്ങളെയും വെളിപ്പെടുത്തിക്കൊടുക്കുന്നു.

Glossary (Refer to the glossary while reading the text. It will help you comprehend the play well)

- misunderstand- fail to interpret or understand (something) correctly (തെറ്റിധരിക്കുക)
- uneconomic - constituting an inefficient use of money (വരവിൽ കവിഞ്ഞ് ചെലവാക്കുക)
- quarterly - once every quarter of a year (നാലു മാസത്തിൽ ഒരിക്കൽ)
- modestly - in an unassuming manner; without vanity or arrogance (വിനയത്തോടെ)
- tenant - a person who occupies land or property rented from a landlord (വാടകക്കാരൻ)
- outright - not by degrees or instalments (പണം മൊത്തമായടച്ച് / നേരിട്ട്)
- motoring - travel in a motor vehicle (വാഹനത്തിൽ സഞ്ചരിക്കുക)

ACTIVITY 1

Read the play and answer the following questions

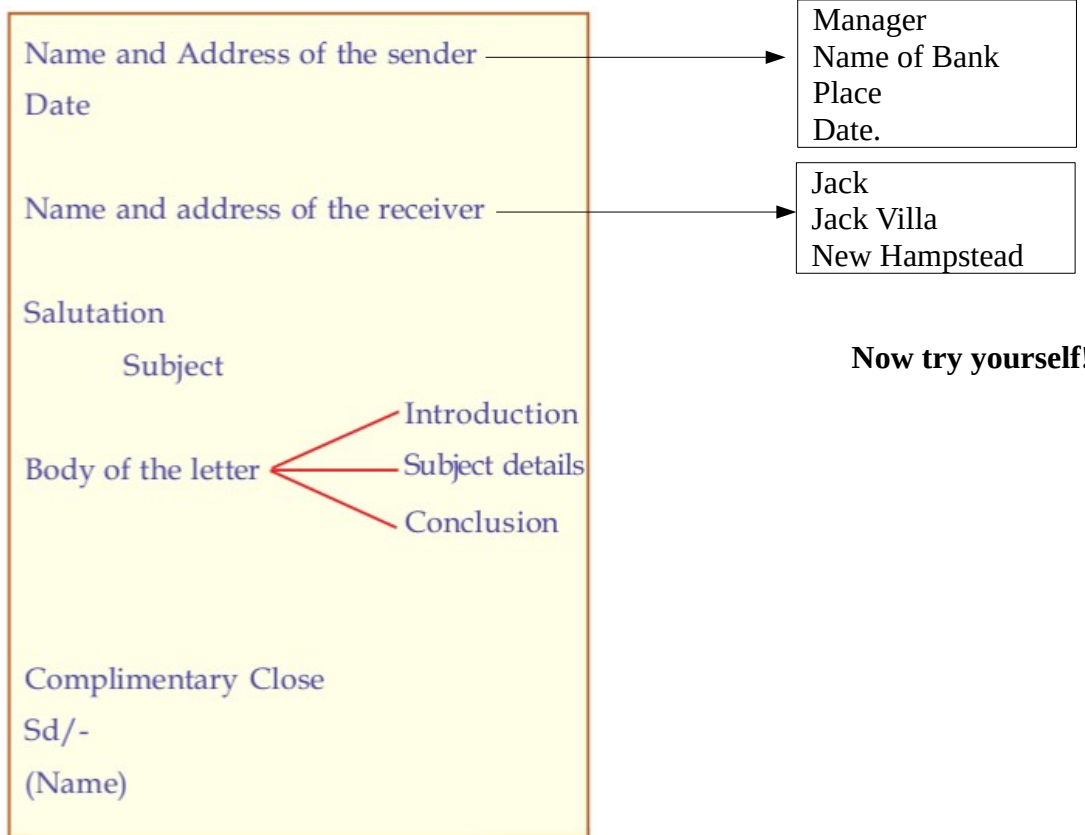
[AUNT JANE: But, Jack, if you don't pay rent, you'll get turned out—into the street. AUNT JANE: Well, I'm not going to sit on—Mr Sage's part for any one.]

1. What argument did Jack give in support of purchasing a house on instalment basis?
2. Aunt Jane asked them a funny question. What was that?
3. Which part of the car does he really own?
4. From where did Jack buy the furniture?
5. How did Aunt Jane react to this?
6. Why did she say so?

ACTIVITY 2

Jack receives a letter from the bank which urges him to pay the due amount of the home loan as early as possible. How would that letter be. Draft the likely **letter**.

This is an Official letter. So keep the format of an official letter. Study the format below.



Now try yourself!

Do these assignments and send it to the class Whats app group