

# ANNUAL EVALUATION 2016-17

## ENGLISH

Standard : VII

Time : 2 Hrs

- 15 minutes is given as cool-off time. This time is to be spent for reading the activities.
- Answer all questions.

### Activity I

You have learned the poem 'To my Mother' by Christina Rossetti.

Here is another poem by Christina Rossetti. Read and answer the questions given.

Is the moon tired? She looks so pale  
Within her misty veil;  
She scales the sky from east to west  
And takes no rest.

Before the coming of the night  
The moon shows papery white;  
Before the dawning of the day  
She fades away.

(\*scales the sky-climbs the sky \*shows papery white-looks pale white)

1. Pick out any two pairs of rhyming words from the poem.
2. What happens to the moon before the night?
3. How does the moon look like?
4. What is meant by 'misty veil' that covers the moon?
5. Suggest a suitable title to the poem.

### Activity II

You have read the story "The Wooden Cup", haven't you? It shows the problems of old people. It is decided to celebrate Grandparents Day at your school to make people aware of caring the old people. Prepare three slogans for the Grandparents Day.

### Activity III

Do you remember Poliya's story? It was Mariya who made Poliya literate. Poliya was really thankful to Mariya. She decided to write a letter to Mariya with great happiness. Prepare the letter.

### Activity IV

In the unit 'Village Pooram' Anitha Nair gives a beautiful description on festivals. Now it is the season of festivals. Write a description on a festival you have enjoyed.

### Activity -V

Read the passage carefully. Some errors are underlined. Edit it.

A (a) old man lived in a small street in the city of mumbai (b). He were (c) annoyed by the nuisance of boys playing criket (d) at night. He went out to talked (e) to the boys.