

**ANNUAL EVALUATION 2016-17**

Standard : VI

**ENGLISH**

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**

**Read the passage and answer the questions given below:**

The eel is a very funny fish. It doesn't look like a fish at all. It is long, thin and looks like a snake. Its long and thin body helps it to travel very fast in water. They are seen mostly in ponds of Amazon and basins of South America. Eels never seem to get tired. They can swim as much as ten miles a day. Eels can generate electricity. The smooth and slippery skin of the fish also helps it to escape from its enemies.

- 1) How does the eel look like?
- 2) Where are eels found?
- 3) What makes eel different from the other fishes?
- 4) Find out the antonym (opposite) of the word 'rough' from the passage.

**Activity II**

Do you remember Radha in the story, 'The Champ'? Her city cousins insulted her. "Radha, you swim free style?" asked Ranjit. "Or backstroke?" asked Aman. They laughed at her. "She learned swimming even before she could walk," aunt supported her. Even then the cousins didn't take her to the swimming pool. Radha became very sad.

What will be her thoughts? Write the thoughts of Radha.

**Activity III**

Water scarcity is a serious issue that we face today. We waste water in many ways. It is our responsibility to preserve water for the next generation.

Prepare two placards to make people aware of the importance of water.

#### Activity IV

Have you enjoyed the story "A Glass of Milk?" Dr. Howard Kelley in the story is kind and hard working person. He has many good qualities.

Write a description about Dr. Howard.

#### Activity V

Read the passage carefully. There are a few errors which are underlined. Edit it.

When I became the owner of a tiny piece of this earth, I feel (a) very happy. It was a two- acre plot with coconut palms and a (b) old house. In those days, the prize (c) of coconut were (d) high. But then came the trespassers. They were the birds and a variety in (e) butterflies.