

FIRST MID TERM EVALUATION 2024-2025

ENGLISH – VII

TIME : 1 HR.

MARKS: 20

- I. Read the passage from ‘Glimpses of the Emirates’ and answer the given questions. (1x5)**

At Sweihan in Abu Dhabi, I caught sight of something unexpected. It was the entrance to the Noor Abu Dhabi Solar Power Plant. It is the largest single site solar power plant in the world, producing a stupendous 1.2 GW of power. Of course, tourists are not allowed inside. I had to satisfy myself with the magnificent photographs of the power plant on the net. The plant has an amazing 3.2 million solar panels. I wish tourists were given an aerial view of the plant.

I was able to view the imposing Burj Khalifa, the tallest building in the world. Climbing it all the way up would take you to the top of the world! Of course, I could not do it. A boat ride at Bur Dubai late in the evening was ‘a fascinating experience. The dazzling lights and their reflections on the the creek give you a feeling of being out of the world. It was only matched by a ride on the metro from Al Nahda to Stadium. Watching the landscape from a train is, always entertaining. But here was a landscape totally different from anything I had ever seen.

1. What is the name of the largest single-site solar power plant in the world mentioned in the passage?
2. How much power does the Noor Abu Dhabi Solar Power Plant produce?
3. How many solar panels does the Noor Abu Dhabi Solar Power Plant have?
4. What is the name of the tallest building in the world mentioned in the passage?

5. What kind of ride did the author describe as a 'fascinating experience' at Bur Dubai?

II. Read the lines from the poem 'Nature's Song' and answer the given questions. (1x5)

Nature's Song

The sun shines bright, the stars do gleam,

The world is full of life and dreams.

With flowers' scent and grass so green,

In wonder and awe, my heart sings.

The birds they chirp, the trees they sway,

The gifts of joy are here to stay.

I walk in woods and feel so free,

In wonder and joy, my spirit sings.

The world is vast, both known and new,

With open eyes, I see the view.

The beauty here is all around,

In wonder and peace, my soul sings.

1. What does the sun do in the poem?

2. Where does the speaker walk to feel free?

3. What sound do the birds make in the poem?

4. Find out an example of Alliteration from the given lines.

5. Pick out an example for Refrain from the stanzas.

III. Mili has bought a smart TV from a popular outlet. Unfortunately, it has stopped working. So she decided to register a complaint through email with the company asking them to get it repaired. Prepare the likely email. (5)

IV. Design a poster on the misuse of electronic gadgets. (5)