

SECOND TERM EVALUATION 2024-25
ENGLISH MODEL QUESTION PAPER 2
Standard: VII

15 minutes is given as cool off time Read the questions carefully during this time.

Activity I is compulsory.

Attempt any four activities from Activity II to Activity VI.

Activity 1: Comprehension Based on a Poem

Read the poem below and answer the questions that follow:

Poem:

The sun sets in a crimson glow,
The rivers whisper as they flow.
The trees sway to the evening breeze,
A tranquil dance, nature's ease.

The stars begin to softly gleam,
Awakening the world of dreams.
The moonlight spills its silver hue,
A magical night begins anew.

Questions:

1. What does the phrase "crimson glow" refer to?
 - (a) The morning sky
 - (b) The setting sun
 - (c) The color of flowers
 - (d) A glowing fire
2. Identify the poetic device used in the line, "The rivers whisper as they flow."
 - (a) Simile
 - (b) Personification
 - (c) Metaphor
 - (d) Alliteration
3. Which figure of speech is used in "The moonlight spills its silver hue"?
 - (a) Metaphor
 - (b) Simile
 - (c) Personification

- (d) Hyperbole
4. What mood does the poet convey in the poem?
- (a) Joyful and energetic
 - (b) Calm and peaceful
 - (c) Sad and melancholic
 - (d) Excited and adventurous
5. Suggest a suitable title for the poem.
- (a) The Morning Bliss
 - (b) Dreams of the Day
 - (c) The Evening Glow
 - (d) The Dancing Stars

Activity 2: Diary Entry

Imagine you are the poet of the above poem. Write a diary entry about what inspired you to write this poem and your feelings about nature.

Activity 3: Profile Writing

Write a profile of William Blake based on the following points:

- Birth: 1757, London, England
- Occupation: Poet, painter, and engraver
- Major Works: *Songs of Innocence and of Experience*, *The Tyger*, *The Lamb*
- Style: Rich in imagery, symbolism, and themes of innocence and experience
- Legacy: One of the key figures of the Romantic Age, known for blending art and poetry

Activity 4: Writing Thoughts

Imagine you are Ranji from *Ranji's Magic Bat*. Write your thoughts the night before your crucial match, where you plan to use the "magic bat" for the first time.

Activity 5: Character Sketch

Write a character sketch of Anne Sullivan from *The Story of My Life* by Helen Keller. Use the following hints:

- Her patience and perseverance
- Her innovative teaching methods

- Her dedication to Helen's success
- Her role as Helen's lifelong companion and guide

Activity 6: Editing Sentences

Correct the errors in the following sentences:

1. The rivers whispers softly in the evening.
2. Anne Sullivan has teached Helen Keller to spell words.
3. William Blake's poems are full with symbolism.
4. Ranji plays cricket with a magical bat he finded.
5. The moonlight spill its silver hue over the land.

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