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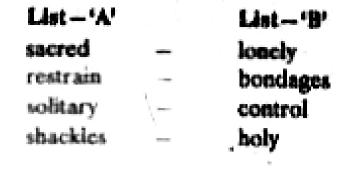
ENGLISH

BOOKS - UP BOARD PREVIOUS YEAR

HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION ,(2012)

Section A

1. Match the words of List 'A' with their meanings in List 'B':





2. Answer two of the following questions in about 25 words:

(a) Why was Edison taken out of school?

(b) Why did the guilty tremble before Vikramaditya ? (c) What did Pierre de Coubertin say about

Olympic Games ?



3. Point out 'true' and 'false' statements in the following:

(a) Edison found in his mother his best teacher.

(b) Vikramaditya did not love justice..

(c) Luz Long was a German.

(d) Olympic Games were held in America in

1936.



(a) The essential thing in life is :
(i) conquering (ii) earning money (iii) fulfilling

selfish ends (iv) fighting well (b) The important

thing in Olympic Games is : (1) winning (ii)

taking part (iii) playing tricks

(c) Jesse Owens could not jump properly in the

beginning. because :

(i) he did not want to jump.

(ii) he did not know how to jump properly, .

(ii) he was in tension. Ut

(iv) he was not trained.

(d) Edison got a good beating from his mother

because :

(i) he had sold the eggs.

(ii) he has hatched the eggs.be

(iii) he had smashed the eggs and spoiled his

shirt.

(iv) he had eaten up all the egges.



2. Do as indicated against each of the following sentences :

(i) Not Delhi gone yesterday he had to. (frame a correct sentence by reordering the words.) (
(ii) They will finish their work by tomorrow.
(change into passive)

(iii) The teacher said "The sun rises in the

east".-(change into indirect speech) (iv) The teacher had...... my mistakes yesterday. (use correct form of the verb 'correct)





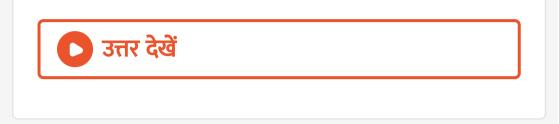
1. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below it:

Smiling and dancing in the morning sunlight

and dark and gloomy and full of mystery as the evening shadows fall, a narrow, slow and graceful stream in winter and a vast roaring thing during the monsoon, broad bosomed almost as the sea and with something of the sea's power to destroy, the Ganga has been to me a symbol and memory of the past of India, running into the present and flowing on to the great ocean of the future. (a) Write the name of the lesson from which the above passage has been taken, Who is the writer of this lesson? (ii) Which words in the passage give the

synonyms of the following words? (i) sea (ii)

ruin.



2. Match the words of List A with their

meanings in List B :

	List A	List B
(a)	insist	worked hard
(b)	a lot of	sufficient
(c)	enough	make repeated request
(d)	toiled	much



3. Answer two of the following questions in about 25 words each:
(a) Why was Edison awarded a medal ?
(b) Why do we call Vikramaditya the greatest judge in the history of India ?
(c) Who was the founder of modern Olympic

Games ?



4. Point out the true and false statements in the following:

(a) Edison bought toys with the pocket money

his father gave.

(b) Vikramaditya did not love justice and learning.

(c) Jesse Owens was an American Negro.

(d) Edison was never satisfied till he got the

right answer.



5. Match the words of List A with their

meanings in List B:

List A	List B
(a) in the course of	moaned
(b) talents	indebted
(c) sobbed	during
(d) owe	natural qualitites



6. Answer two of the following questions in about 25 words each :

(a) Why did the teacher think that Edison was

stupid and naughty?

(b) How and why did the judgement seat of

Vikramaditya disappear from the earth forever

?

(c) Why has Luz Long been called a fine example of Coubertin's ideal ?



7. Point out the true and false statements in the following:

(a) Éven in his childhood Edison loved to do experiments.

(b) Winning is the most important thing in

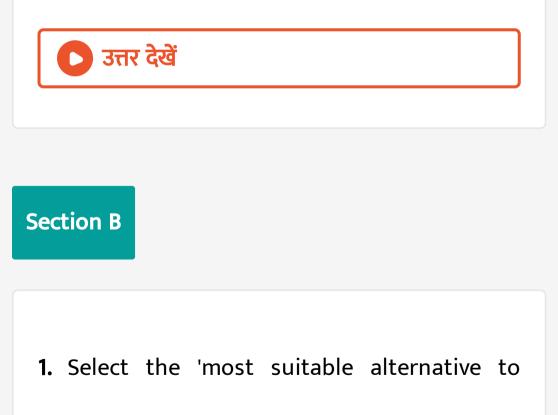
games and sports.

(c) The judgement seat of Vikramaditya was a

slab of white marble.

(d) Edison bought toys with the pocket money

his father gave him.



complete the following statements :

(a) When Edison went on asking questions the

teacher thought that he was :

- (i) trying to befool her (ü) stupid and naughty
- (ii) very intelligent (iv) arrogant.
- (b) The judgement seat of Vikramaditya was found in
- (i) Ujjain (ii) Agra (iii) Delhi (iv) Gwalior.
- (c) The essential thing in life is :
- (i) earning money (ü) winning the game (ii)

fighting well (iv) winning prizes.

(d) Edison was fond of:

(i) telling stories (ü) playing games (iii) doingexperiments (iv) flying kites.



2. Do as indicated against each of the following sentences :

(i) our friend decided by bus to go in the morning. (Frame a correct sentence by reordering the words)

(ii) Leave the room. (Change into Passive voice) (iii) Rupa said to Rekha, "Will you participate in the college cultural programme ?" (Change into Indirect speech)

(iv) Rekha for Delhi tomorrow.

(Complete the sentence by using the correct form of the verb bi 'start'. Use future indefinite tense)

3. Select the most suitable alternative to complete the following statements :
(a) Edison got a beating from his mother because :
(i) he had eaten up all the eggs

(ii) he had sold the eggs

(iii) he had hatched the eggs .

(iv) he had smashed the eggs and spoiled his shorts.

(b) Jesse Owens was angry because :

(i) he was not allowed to take part in games

(ii) he had not qualified himself for the games

(iii) Negrocs were supposed to be inferior to

Aryans

(iv) Germans were not superior to all other races of the world.

(c) King Vikramaditya is famous for his :

(i) justice and learning

(ii) honesty

(iii) affection

(iv) injustice and learing.

(d) When Edison went on asking questions in

the class, the teacher thought that he was :

(i) trying to befool her

(ii) very intelligent

(ii) arrogant

(iv) stupid and naughty



4. Do as indicated against each of the following sentences :

(i) loss his regretting seller the greedy cried.(Frame a correct sentence by re-ordering the words)

(ii) Everybody knows him. (Change into Passive voice)

(iii) The speaker said, "Forests prevent soil erosion." (Change into Indirect speech)(iv) Using the correct form of the verb given within the brackets complete the sentence :

My father will go home, when the rain

(stop).

