



ENGLISH

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817 Ah Section A

1. A chain is as strong as its weakest link . Each one of us is a link in the chain that is , our country .If we are weak and poor citizens , our country will suffer , even though we may try to comfort

ourselves with the false idea that it does not make any difference what one person does , in such a large country , where so many people live . But if one candle goes out , then in that one place there is darkness instead of light . It is only when all the candles burn brightly , the whole house will be full of light .

Write the name of the lesson from which the above passage has been taken . Who is the writer of the lesson ?



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What will happen , if we are weak and poor citizens ?



उत्तर देखें

3. Match the words of List A with their meanings in List B .

List A

(a)scared

(b)precious

(c)fame

(d)appreciate

List B

admire

reputation

holy

valuable



उत्तर देखें

4. Read the following lines of poetry and answer the questions given below it :

Brave men work while others sleep

Who dare while others pillars deep

And lift them to the sky .

What do brave men do while others sleep ?



उत्तर देखें

5. Read the following lines of poetry and answer the questions given below it :

Brave men work while others sleep

Who dare while others pillars deep

And lift them to the sky .

Who build a nation's pillars deep ?



उत्तर देखें

6. When Edison tried his experiment on his servant girl :

- A. she began to fly
- B. she began to tremble
- C. she fell ill
- D. she began to run

Answer:



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7. The essential thing in life is :

A. earning money

B. conquering

C. fighting well

D. winning price

Answer:



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817 Ah Section B

1. The morning good to early it is set up in (Frame a correct sentence by re - ordering the words)



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2. He is helping his brother .



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3. The teacher said to the students , " Why are you not doing your homework "



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4. My brother in Kanpur for the last ten years .



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5. Complete the following sentence : You cannot prosper unless



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6. Complete the spellings of the following words

(a) qu_st_on (b) va__tion



उत्तर देखें

7. Punctuate the following using capital letters wherever necessarily .

my brother said to me you should not waste your time on sundays



उत्तर देखें

1. Tansen was a great musician and Akbar was found of his music .One day when Tansen was in particularly good from Akbar went into ecstasy and asked him ." What is the secret of this sweet concord of notes which takes me out of this world and transports me to Divine regions? I have not heard any one else who can thus caste a spell of magic and make slave of our hearts . You are really wonderful . Tansen."

Write the name of the lesson from which the given passage has been taken .

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Who was Tansen ? How did Akbar react to his music ?



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3. Match the words of List A with their meanings

in List B :

List A

List B

(a) mystrey burnt fire

(b) enough secret

(c) toilet sufficient

(d) cremated worked hard



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4. The beautiful palace of Vikramaditya stands even today in Ujjain .



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5. The guilty trembled before Vikramaditya because

.....

A. he was cruel

B. he was unjust

C. he has intelligent enough to discover their
built

D. he looked very fearful

Answer:



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6. When edison went on asking questions in the class , the teacher thought that he was

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7. The important thing in Olympic games is

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8. The angles took the judgement seal to

.....



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817 Ai Section B

1. Do as indicated against each of the following

sentences :(i) I/we on foot village go his to



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2. I know him very well .



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3. They said to him , " The servant will not go to the market "



उत्तर देखें

4. He has been since last night .



उत्तर देखें

5. Complete the following sentence : f it rains

.....



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6. Complete the spellings of the following words

(i) d_s_ip_e (ii) s_lf_sh



उत्तर देखें

7. Punctuate the following using capital letters

wherever necessary :

I said to shyam you will not fail if you work hard .



उत्तर देखें

817 Aj Section A

1. Akbar was greatly intrigued , he wanted to hear Hari Das but emperor though he was , he could not get Hari to his court . So he and Tansen went to the Himalayas where in his ashrama dwelt the swami . Tansen had already warned Akbar at the ashrama , but the Swami di not sing . Then , one day , Tansen sang one of the songs taught by the

Swami and deliberately introduced a false note. it had almost an electric effect on the saint, his aesthetic nature received a rude shock. He turned to Tansen and rebuked him, saying "What has happened to you, Tansen, that you, a pupil of mine, should commit such a gross blunder? " He, then, started singing the piece correctly.

What did Akbar do 16 hear Hari Das ?



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What did Tansen do to make his Guru Hari Das During ?



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3. Match the words of List A with their meanings in List B .

List A

List B

(a) vast

desirous

(b) paused

bargaining

(c) willing

huge

(d) haggling

stopped



उत्तर देखें

4. Read the following lines of poetry and answer the questions given below it :

Brave men work while others sleep

Who dare while others fly

They build a nation's pillars deep

And lifted them to the sky

From which poem has the above stanza been taken ? Who is the author of the poem ?



उत्तर देखें

5. Read the following lines of poetry and answer the questions given below it :

Brave men work while others sleep

Who dare while others fly

They build a nation's pillars deep

And lifted them to the sky

Who can build a nation's pillars deep ?



उत्तर देखें

6. Edison was taken out of the school because.....

(a) he was not satisfied out with his teacher

(b) he was a poor student



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7. Edison died on

A. 18th October ,1931

B. 22nd September ,1898

C. 15th December ,1920

D. 12th July ,1925

Answer: A



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8. Vikramaditya was famous for his

A. affection

B. sincerity

C. justice and learning

D. injustice

Answer: c



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9. The essential thing in life is

A. winning prize

B. fighting well

C. earning money

D. defeating others

Answer: B



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817 Aj Section B

1. Do as indicated against each of the following sentences :
- (i) I/we on foot village go his to
- (i) Been for they travelling have two days



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2. The Principle said to Ramu , " Get out of the room ?"



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3. He will finish his work by tomorrow .



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4. Her toys stolen yesterday .



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5. Complete the following sentences :

The teacher has been teaching



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6. Complete the spellings of the following words :

(a) eno_g_

(b) hu_r_



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7. Punctuate the following using capital letters wherever necessary :

her father said to Meena give this book to Neetu .



उत्तर देखें

817 Ak Section A

1. Socrats told his countrymen that everyone must learn to think for himself ,so that by using his reason , he would have the power to see what was right , just true and beautiful ,and so shape his

own conduct . He wanted Athens to be a perfect state . He told everyone - both his pupils and his other followers -that this could was right and noble .He believed that questioning and discussion would help them do this and so he was forever talking to them in the open streets .

What did Socrafes tell his countrymen ?



उत्तर देखें

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What did he ask the people of Athens to do , to make Athens a perfect state ?



उत्तर देखें

3. Match the words of List A with their meanings

in List B :

List A

List B

(a) appreciate

holy

(b) fame

valuable

(c) sacred

reputation

(d) precious

admire



उत्तर देखें

4. Read the following lines of poetry and answer

the questions given below it :

Glorious fountain !

Let my heart be Fresh , changeful , constant

Upward like thee.

Write the title of the poem from which the above noted lines , have been selected .Who is the composer of the poem ?



उत्तर देखें

5. Read the following lines of poetry and answer the questions given below it :

Glorious fountain !

Let my heart be Fresh , changeful ,constant

Upward like thee.

What qualities of the fountain does the poet wish to have ?



उत्तर देखें

6. When Edison tried his experiment on his servant girl

- A. she died
- B. she became unconscious
- C. she fell ill
- D. she started weeping

Answer:



उत्तर देखें

7. Luz Long was a real sportsman because

.....



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8. The judgement seat of Vikramaditya was found

in



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9. Edison had beating from his mother because

.....

A. he failed in his experiment

B. he sat on the eggs to hatch them and thus
spoiled his shirts

C. he committed mischief

D. he did not obey his mother

Answer:



उत्तर देखें

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

(i) love both and him honour we



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2. Rita said to her father , " She will not go to school ."



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3. Shalu will not play football as he
..... ill .



उत्तर देखें

4. Complete the spellings of the following words

nr_th_e

(ii) Al_h_ugh



उत्तर देखें

5. Punctuate the following using capital letters

wherever necessary :

sister your friend has come beena said to me



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817 Al Section A

1. Socrats lived in Athens about four -hundred years before Jesus Christ was born . As a boy he was ugly , undersized and had a flat nose and bulging eyes . His father was a poor stone - cutter , so he was always rather shabbily dressed

This strange creature with the short neck and plain face was a thoughtful child . He watched his

companions all the time and allowed very few things to escape his notice.

Socrates did not have a big house or fine furniture . he did not seem to want either wealth or beautiful possessions . As he grew older he began to think very little of bodily comfort and pleasure . He gave his mind to all that was noble , honourable and just .

Write the name of the lesson from which the above passage has been taken . Who is the author of the lesson ?



उत्तर देखें

2. Match the words of List A with their meanings

in List B :

List A

List B

(a) Forsake

took pleasure

(b) Scattered

to distant place

(c) Far and wide

thrown here and there

(d) Delighted

leave alone in a helpless condition



उत्तर देखें

3. Brave men who work while others sleep , Who
dare while others fly -

They build a nation's pillars deep

And lift them to the sky .

Write the title of the poem from which the above

lines have been taken . Who is the author of the poem ?



उत्तर देखें

4. Brave men who work while others sleep , Who dare while others fly -

They build a nation's pillars deep

And lift them to the sky .

What type of people lay the foundation of a strong nation ?



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5. Edison told his teacher, " But the kites have no wings and still we can fly them in the sky ." It was

- A. an intelligent answer
- B. a doubtful answer
- C. a silly answer
- D. a wrong answer

Answer:



उत्तर देखें

6. Electric lights shone for the first time in America
in

A. 1878

B. 1880

C. 1882

D. 1884

Answer:



उत्तर देखें

7. The king of Ujjain could not sit on the judgement seat of Vikramaditya because

- A. he was afraid of the cowherd boy
- B. every time he was pushed aside by an angel
- C. he thought himself unworthy of it .
- D. he had given up the idea of sitting on the throne

Answer:



उत्तर देखें

8. The founder of the modern Olympic Games was

.....

A. Adolf Hitler

B. pierre de Coubertin

C. Jesse Owens

D. Luz Long

Answer:



उत्तर देखें

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

(a) Monday to Sunday from out on a tour was he .



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2. Everyone loves him .



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3. Ashok said to his sister , " Please put these papers on may table ."



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4. Complete the following sentence :

I do not know why



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5. Complete the spellings of the following words .

(i) Con_ _ y (ii) C_ r_ y



उत्तर देखें

6. Punctuate the following sentence using capital letters wherever necessary :

what is your named asked my senior I replied my name is saurabh



उत्तर देखें

817 Am Section A

1. Now we have to see to it that we grow into such citizens that people will want the light of our character and influence everywhere .We do not wish to have the sort of character that will make people want us to stay in one place and not mix with others . If we are to be good citizens ,who will be able to serve our country , we must be carrying light with us whenever we go and not darkness .

Our influence on others must be for good and not darkness . Our influence on others must be for good and not darkness . Our lives must be such that wherever we go and wherever we live , other people will be better for our having been with

them .

What type of citizens should we grow into ?



उत्तर देखें

2. Match the words of List - A with their meanings

in List - B :

List A

List B

(a) unique

really

(b) truly

stopped for a short time

(c) reluctant

being the only one of its kind

(d) paused

not willing



उत्तर देखें

3. Glorious faountain !

Let mu heart be ,

Fresh ,changeful ,constant

Upkard like thee !

Give the title of the poem and name of the poet ,
from which the above noted lines have been
selected .



उत्तर देखें

4. Glorious faountain !

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Upkard like thee !

What qualities of the fountain does the poet wish to have ?



उत्तर देखें

5. The guilty trembled before Vikramaditya because .

A. he was unjust

B. he was very cruel

C. he was intelligent enough to discover their
guilt .

D. he looked very fearful.

Answer:



उत्तर देखें

6. Edison was fond of

A. playing games

B. flying kites

C. doing experiments

D. telling stories

Answer:



उत्तर देखें

7. Jesse Owens could not jump properly in the beginning because

A. he was tense

B. he was ill

C. he did not want to jump

D. he did not know how to jump properly

Answer:



उत्तर देखें

817 Am Section B

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

(i) my taught swimming me brother .



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2. Sunil goes for a morning walk daily .



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3. This house to me .



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4. He said , " You must work hard to pass ."



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5. Choose the correct preposition from the ones given below the sentences to fill in the blank :

(i) The soldiers fought courage .



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6. Complete the following sentence :

Work hard ,lest



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7. Complete the spellings of the following words :

(i) q_es_ion (ii) g_ _lty



उत्तर देखें

8. Punctuate the following using capital letters wherever necessary :

he said I can't come because I am suffering from fever



उत्तर देखें

1. Smiling and dancing in the morning sunlight and dark and gloomy and full of mystrey 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 ans 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 .

Write the name of the lesson from which the

above passage has been taken . Who is the writer of this lesson ?



उत्तर देखें

2. Smiling and dancing in the morning sunlight and dark and gloomy and full of mystrey 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 ans 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 .

What does the Ganga look like during of this lesson ?



उत्तर देखें

3. Match the words of List A with their meanings in List B .

List A

(a) appreciate

(b) resemble

(c) solitary

(d) unique

List B

being the only one of its kind

lonely

admire

(to) look like



उत्तर देखें

4. Into the moonlight

Whiter than snow ,

Waving so flower -like ,

When the winds blow !

What is the colour of the fountain in the
moonlight ?



उत्तर देखें

5. Into the moonlight

Whiter than snow ,

Waving so flower -like ,

When the winds blow !

What does the fountain do when the winds blow ?



उत्तर देखें

6. The judgement seat of Vikramaditya was found
in :

A. Agra

B. Delhi

C. Ujjain

D. Gwalior

Answer:



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817 An Section B

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

(a) him eat give please to something .



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2. He teaches us English everyday .



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3. They the show for three hours .



उत्तर देखें

4. Mohan said to Meera , " Please help me in solving these questions of mathematics " .



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5. Complete the following sentence :

When he returned from home



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6. Complete the spellings of the following words :

(i) h _ _ ght (ii) c _ llect _ r



उत्तर देखें

7. Punctuate the following using capital letters

whenever necessary :

he said to me I am going to delhi to see your
ailing mother



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