



**INDIAN SCHOOL DARSAIT**  
**TERM II- MARCH 2018**  
**SAMPLE PAPER**  
**ENGLISH**



Class: V Sec: ....  
 Date: .....  
 Name: .....

Max.Marks:50  
 Time: 2hrs  
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General Instructions

1. All the questions are compulsory
2. Answer all questions in a separate paper

**SECTION A –READING COMPREHENSION**

**Read the paragraph below given and answer the following questions:-**

Here is the story of the Marathon, a long-distance race that is usually run as a road race.

Athens and Sparta were the two famous cities in ancient Greece. The Persian King attacked Greece in 490 B.C. The Athenians fought the Persians at a place called Marathon. The leader of the Athenian army sent a soldier called Pheidippides to Sparta with a request for help. The messenger ran the 42km to Sparta, delivered the message and ran all the way back to Marathon. When the Athenians won the Battle of Marathon, Pheidippides was sent to Athens to deliver the joyful news. He was exhausted by the time he reached Athens. But he managed to give the news of their victory before he collapsed.

The Marathon is run in the memory of Pheidippides. It is a run over a distance of nearly 43km. It was one of the original Olympic events in 1896.

The Marathon is run even today. It is said that about 500 Marathon runs are organized around the world annually.

**Q.I Choose the correct option and write the answer:-** 2 x ½ =1

1. The Marathon is run in the memory of \_\_\_\_\_  
 (a) the city of Marathon  
  
 (b) the Battle of Marathon  
  
 (c) the messenger, Pheidippides
2. Pheidippides went to Sparta with \_\_\_\_\_  
  
 a) a request                      b) an apology                      c) a gift

**Q.II Write True / False:-** 2x ½ =1

1. The marathon is a long distance race that is usually run as a road race. \_\_\_\_\_
2. It is said that about 5000 Marathon runs are organized around the world annually.  
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- Q.III **Answer the following questions:-**
1. Which were the two famous cities in ancient Greece?
  2. Who fought the Battle of Marathon?
  3. Where is Marathon located?

#### SECTION - B PROSE

- Q.IV **Write the meanings of:-** 4 x ½ =2
- 1) rustle      2) queer      3) exquisite      4) soothing

- Q.V **Frame interesting sentences:-** 3 x 1=3
- 1) remained      2) disappearing      3) cut down

- Q.VI **Answer the following questions:-** 4 x 2 =8
1. Why did Mutthashi call Unni?
  2. Why did Raoul refuse to eat the mouse?
  3. Who came in search of grandfather? Why?
  4. What did Melkorran build for Kuruman Panikkan? Describe it.

- Q.VII **Reference to the context:-** 4 x 1=4
1. "I've almost reached the end."
    - a. Who said this to whom?
    - b. When did the speaker say this?
  2. "I think he lives in the drainpipe"
    - a. Who is the speaker of the above line?
    - b. Whom does "he" refer to in the above line?

#### SECTION C - GRAMMAR

- Q.VIII **Fill in the blanks with suitable articles to complete the passage:-** 4x½=2
- Take \_\_\_\_\_ slice of fresh bread. Spread some butter on one side of \_\_\_\_\_ slice. Fold \_\_\_\_\_ slice. Trim \_\_\_\_\_ sides. \_\_\_\_\_ butter sandwich is ready.

- Q.IX **Fill in the blanks with appropriate Prepositions ( in front of, in , under, off, over ):-** 4x½=2
1. We found the mobile phone lying \_\_\_\_\_ the table.
  2. I stood \_\_\_\_\_ the school.
  3. The boy fell \_\_\_\_\_ the bed.
  4. She stirred the spoon \_\_\_\_\_ the bowl.

- Q.X **Do as Directed:-** 8 x 1= 8
1. Hari said, " It is a cold day." ( Rewrite in Reported Speech )
  2. Meeta said that her father was a pilot. ( Rewrite in Direct Speech )
  3. We watched the movie. ( Rewrite in Present Perfect Tense )
  4. Mary said, "I drank the milk." ( Rewrite in Reported Speech )
  5. The police catches the thieves. ( Rewrite in Past Perfect Tense )

6. They said, "We participated in the competition" ( Rewrite in Reported Speech )
7. Megha said that she would meet the officer the next day. ( Rewrite in Direct Speech)
8. Sumeet studies in Canada. ( Rewrite in Present Perfect Tense )

- Q.XI            **Choose the right option from the bracket and complete the following sentences in Present Perfect Tense:-**            4x½=2
1. I \_\_\_\_\_ ( have played / has played/ had played ) the game before .
  2. She \_\_\_\_\_ ( have visited / has visited / had visited ) Dubai .
  3. Sam \_\_\_\_\_ ( have written / has written /had written ) a novel..
  4. The tailor \_\_\_\_\_( have stitched / has stitched / had stitched ) the dress.
- Q.XII            **Complete the sentences in Past Perfect Tense:-**            4x½=2
1. Sally \_\_\_\_\_ ( return ) from her office at 6.00pm.
  2. The dog \_\_\_\_\_ ( chase ) away the hungry fox.
  3. The little boy \_\_\_\_\_ ( tie ) his shoelaces himself.
  4. The doctor \_\_\_\_\_ ( prescribe )the medicines.
- Q.XIII            **Identify the type of sentences given below:-**            4x½=2
1. What a surprise!
  2. Sit in your place.
  3. How did you solve this sum?
  4. The Sun rises in the east.
- Q.XIV            **Rewrite the sentences by placing the adverbs of frequency in right place:-**            4x½=2
1. They read the novels.( never)
  2. We go to parks during our weekends. ( often )
  3. The Sun sets in the west. ( always )
  4. He attends the party. ( rarely )
- Q.XV            **SECTION D – COMPOSITION**
1. **Essay Writing:-**            1 X 4=4
 

An autobiography of a Story book	<b>Or</b>	Importance of Education
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  2. **Review Writing:-**            1 X 4=4
 

Write a review of a story	<b>Or</b>	Write a review of a play
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