

**DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, DURGAPUR**  
**QUESTION BANK & REVISION SHEET FOR PERIODIC ASSESSMENT-II (2018-19)**  
**SUBJECT- ENGLISH**  
**CLASS-V**

**Literature**

**I. THE ADVENTURES OF TOM SAWYER**

- 1) Why did Tom canvass his system?
- 2) Why did he want to hold the tooth in reserve? Who extracted his tooth at the end? How?
- 3) What other ailment did he have? Was he able to convince Aunt Polly with that?
- 4) What instructions Tom gave Sid if he were dead?
- 5) 'Rubbage! I don't believe it.'
- 6) 'Oh please Auntie don't pull it out'

**II. OUT WITH THE GOATS**

- 1) Do kind of a person was Heidi? Write five sentences on her character.
- 2) What made Heidi jump for joy? What different things did she see there?
- 3) Why do you think Heidi could hardly wait for another day to go to the mountains?
- 4) Give examples from the story to show that Heidi's grandfather cared for her?
- 5) "The sun that shines so brightly over head will else laugh at you for-----"
- 6) "She heard a loud harsh cry overhead"
- 7) "She was full of wonder..."
- 8) Who was Greenfinch and what was she holding under Greenfinch's nose?

**III. TO A BUTTERFLY**

- 1) What does the poet ask butterfly to do when its wings are weary?
- 2) What will the breeze do when it finds the butterfly among the trees?
- 3) "I've watched you now a full half hour"
- 4) "Sit near us on the bough!"

**IV. THE SNARE**

- 1) "What did the poet hear? How does the poet know that a rabbit is trapped in a snare?"
- 2) Why do you think the poet is in distress?
- 3) Explain the term 'frightened air'.
- 4) How does the poet know that the rabbit is wrinkling up its little face?

**V. THE FIR TREE**

- 1) Why were young fir trees cut down just before Christmas?
- 2) Describe the room in which the fir tree was kept at Christmas? How was it decorated?
- 3) Describe the place where the fir tree was taken the morning after the Christmas Day.
- 4) "Rejoice in your growth"
- 5) "How thoughtful and kind man is!"
- 6) "He could not think of happiness-he was sad....."

## **VI. THE SOFTEST BED**

- 1) Why was Minakshi unhappy and discontented?
- 2) What solution did the Prime Minister give to the king to solve his problems?
- 3) Why was there bruises at Minakshi's back?
- 4) What did Minakshi decide to do after getting an unopened bud in her bed?
- 5) What happened during the queens voyage?
- 6) How did Minakshi cater to her and the old couple's needs?
- 7) How did Minakshi's brother find her?
- 8) 'You seem to be sleeping well'
- 9) 'She was disgruntled and bad tempered'

## **VII. THESEUS AND THE MINOTAUR**

- 1) What instruction was given to the queen by Aegeus regarding Theseus?
- 2) Why was king Aegeus sad?
- 3) What solution did Theseus give Aegeus to his problems?
- 4) How did Ariadne help Theseus?
- 5) How did Theseus kill the Minotaur?
- 6) Why did Theseus never celebrate his victory over Minotaur?
- 7) 'You may be brave prince but you are foolish'
- 8) 'Don't be afraid. The gods will help me'

## **VIII. SUPERIOR**

- 1) What does the baby do when the children are playing at eating pebbles?
- 2) "When I open a book before her"
- 3) How does the baby react when she hears the word 'Father'?
- 4) When the speaker says, 'I am the school master,' does the baby believe it? What does she do?
- 5) "She is so funny"
- 6) 'When I shake my head at her'
- 7) She does not know the difference between....."

## **Grammar**

### **Divide each of the following sentences into Subject and Predicate:**

1. The moon shone brightly.
2. The dogs were barking loudly.
3. The pretty girl was wearing a red frock.
4. My maternal uncle serves in the army.
5. The man and his wife were working in their garden.
6. My mother and my aunt are trained classical dancers.

7. We will no longer tolerate this.

8. The little tree was covered with needles instead of leaves.

**Identify the type of the sentences**

\_\_\_\_\_ I was confident on the line because free-throw shooting is my strong side.

\_\_\_\_\_ The tiny sailboat overturned in the gale.

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you like coconut milk?

\_\_\_\_\_ The villagers were afraid the volcano would erupt soon.

\_\_\_\_\_ Your perfume stinks!

\_\_\_\_\_ Jan read the barometer every 15 minutes before the storm.

**Pick out the adjectives and mention their kinds**

1. The car sustained heavy damage in the accident.
2. He has written several stories.
3. A dog is very faithful to its master.
4. Every man has his duties.
5. He is a man of few words.
6. Neither party is quite in the right.
7. Which color do you prefer?
8. The way was long, the wind was cold.
9. He calls me every day.
10. I have not seen him in several days.

**PICK OUT THE PRONOUNS AND STATE THEIR KIND:**

1. Mohini picked up a scarf for herself.
2. We should not let ourselves overlook the plight of the homeless.

3. The principal himself called me with the good news.
4. The cat found a hiding place for itself.
5. After the twins assembled the ingredients, they looked for the muffin tins.
6. Before you mop the floor, please move the chairs.

**Choose the correct form of the verb that agrees with the subject.**

- 1) The man with all the birds (live, lives) on my street.
- 2) The movie, including all the previews, (take, takes) about two hours to watch.
- 3) The players, as well as the captain, (want, wants) to win.
- 4) Either answer (is, are) acceptable.
- 5) Every one of those books (is, are) fiction
- 6) Nobody (know, knows) the trouble I've seen.
- 7) (Is, Are) the news on at five or six?
- 8) Mathematics (is, are) John's favorite subject, while Civics (is, are) Andrea's favourite subject
- 9) Annie and her brothers (is, are) at school.
- 10) Either my mother or my father (is, are)
- 11) The dog or the cats (is, are) outside.
- 12) Either my shoes or your coat (is, are) always on the floor.
- 13) . George and Tamara (doesn't, don't) want to see that movie.
- 14) Benito (doesn't, don't) know the answer.
- 15) One of my sisters (is, are) going on a trip to France.

**Fill in the blanks with appropriate ARTICLES :-**

- 1) This is \_\_\_\_\_ house where John lives.
- 2) Frying pan is \_\_\_\_\_ useful thing for \_\_\_\_\_ kitchen.
- 3) I bought \_\_\_\_\_ pair of shoes.
- 4) I saw \_\_\_\_\_ movie last night.

- 5) They are staying at \_\_\_\_\_ hotel.
- 6) Look at \_\_\_\_\_ woman over there!
- 7) I once met \_\_\_\_\_ lady from Hong Kong. She was visiting Mumbai for \_\_\_\_\_ first time. She had \_\_\_\_\_ young girl with her. They were staying at \_\_\_\_\_ Taj Hotel
- 8) I am excited because it is Friday today. I will be visiting \_\_\_\_\_ old age home with my friends tomorrow. We will act and sing for \_\_\_\_\_ residents. What \_\_\_\_\_ lovely way to spend \_\_\_\_\_ day!
- 9) Rahul has bought \_\_\_\_\_ new pair of trousers.

### Writing Skill

#### I. PARAGRAPH WRITING

- i) If I were on the Moon
- ii) A Visit to a Farm
- iii) At an Amusement Park
- iv) My neighbourhood
- v) The Day I was Alone at Home

#### II. INFORMAL LETTER

- i) Write a letter to your friend congratulating her for her result in periodic Assessment 1.
- ii) You went on a vacation to a sea side resort. Write a letter to your grandmother telling her what you saw and did.
- iii) Write a letter to your friend telling him/her that you cannot attend his/her sister's wedding as you have your unit tests and need to prepare for it.
- iv) Write a letter to your grandmother telling her about your new school..
- v) You have received a wonderful book as a gift from your uncle on your birthday. Write a letter thanking him and inform him that you will visit him during summer holidays

#### III. STORY COMPLETION

- a. Sanju----intelligent and clever---went to buy tomatoes---vegetable seller---dishonest-- -weighed 900 gm---Sanju asked him the reason----vendor replied weighed correctly--- would be easy for him to carry---Sanju paid less vendor asked for more money- Sanju answered correct amount---would be easy to count and carry in the pocket.

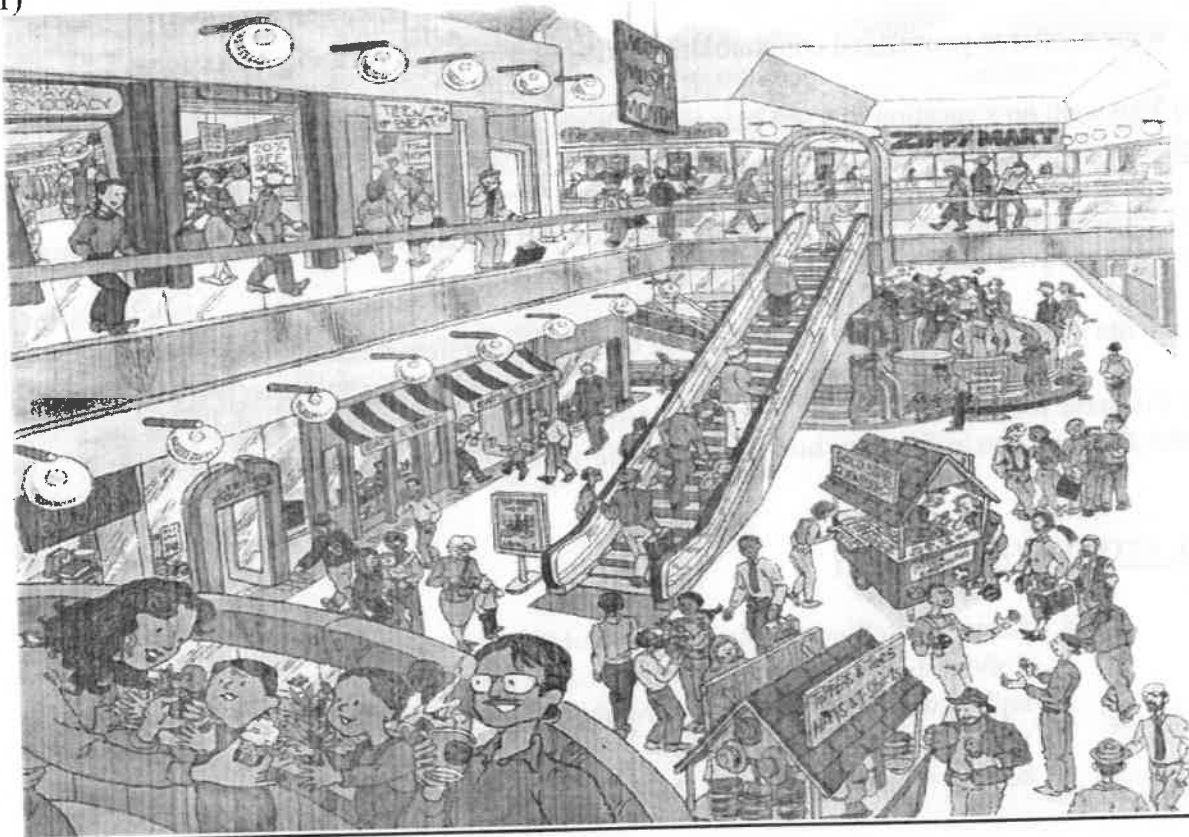
b. Rohan - poor man---no money no work set out to look for a job---went to a circus--- manager said that he wanted two lions for the show---one of them died ---asked him to put on lion-skin and act like a lion---Rohan happy---went to lion's cage---sat down--- --later another lion was put into same cage---Rohan shouted----tried to run out----“shut up” said the other lion---“you are not the only one looking for a job.”  
king had many enemies--- fought against them---defeated---ran away---went to the forest--- hid in a cave---noticed a spider---climbing the roof top---fell down---several times---kept trying---after several attempts succeeded ---king felt ashamed--- learnt a lesson---went back---fought--- got his kingdom back--  
- Moral

d. slave escaped from bondage to the forest - soldiers came after him to catch - entered a cave - a lion was roaring with pain - its paw was swollen - the slave approached it and removed the thorn - they became friends - later the soldiers arrested the slave - took him to the king - the king ordered the solidiers to throw the slave to the hungry lion - the lion rushed at the slave - recognised the slave - remembered the kindness shown by the slave - then licked the feet of the slave - the spectators amazed - the slave explained the situation to them - the king set him free.

e. A donkey - happy and contented---a wolf saw it---donkey thought---wolf was going to kill him---had a brilliant idea---began to limp---wolf asked what the matter was---thorn in his hind leg---asked the wolf to pull it out---wolf thought that he could easily bite his leg---went behind the donkey---donkey kicked him - ran away

#### **IV. PICTURE COMPOSITION**

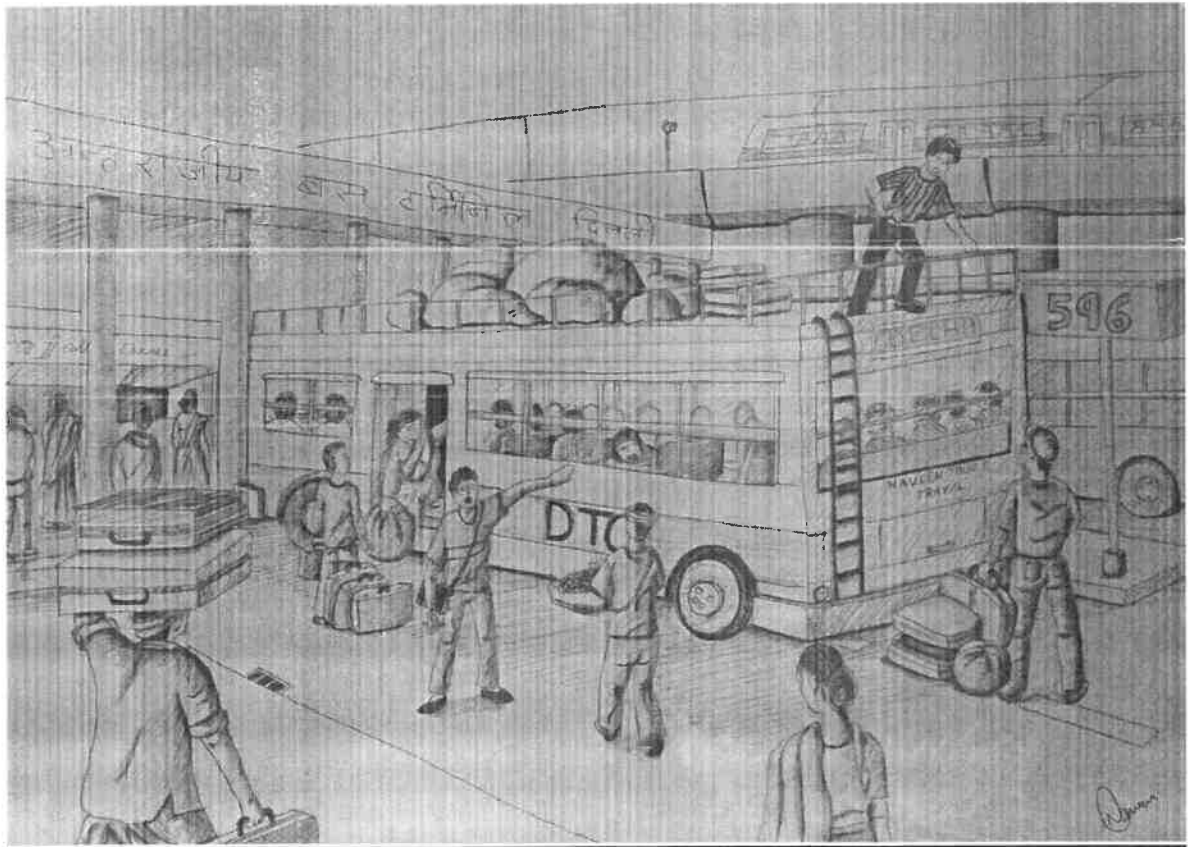
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### SYLLABUS FOR P.A.II

#### **SYLLABUS FOR PERIODIC ASSESSMENT 2**

<b>WRITING</b>	<b>GRAMMAR</b>	<b>LITERATURE</b>
Paragraph Writing	The Sentence Articles	Adventures of Tom Sawyer
Sequence Writing	Nouns	The Butterfly (poem)
Story Completion	Nouns – Number Gender	Out with the Goats
Picture Composition	Adjectives – Kinds Degrees, Formation	The Snare (poem)
Informal letter	Pronouns - Kinds	The Fir Tree
	Verbs	The Softest Bed in the World
	Subject Verb Agreement	Theseus and the Minotaur
	Tenses	Superior (poem)