

**PERIODIC TEST- IV (2019-2020)**  
**CLASS-6 SUB-ENGLISH WORKSHEET**

**SECTION A READING**

**1.(A)Read the passage carefully.**

Peer pressure is not always bad. It can help you reflect on yourself. It can be helpful in teaching you good things and encourage you to follow them. If you feel motivated by action of your friends you can bring a positive change in your way of thinking. If you pick friends selectively, peer pressure can push you towards a positive direction. For example, when a child knows some of his friends regularly do yoga or read story books, he also feels tempted to do so. Your peers, their attitude towards life, hobbies and how they perceive situations can actually expose you to the world around. Being part of a larger group of peers enhances our interpersonal skills. You feel capable of handling your emotions and interact with people from different walks of society. It's not the pressure every time; sometimes it's inspiration, which makes you change for good. For example, a good friend can bring you drastic changes in the way a child thinks or behaves. The main role of a parent in this direction is to help his/ her child choosing the right peer group. They should also be selective and value relationships once they form.

**1.1 Answer the following questions.**

- (i) How can peer pressure help a child?
- (ii) What change comes in the way you think and behave with other people when you are part of a large peer group?
- (iii) It's not pressure every time, sometimes it can be \_\_\_\_\_ which makes you change for \_\_\_\_\_.

**1.2. Find antonyms of the following words.**

- (i) discourage - \_\_\_\_\_
- (ii) pull - \_\_\_\_\_

**1.3 Find synonyms of the following words.**

- (i) extreme- \_\_\_\_\_
- (ii) pursue- \_\_\_\_\_

**(B) Read the passage given below and answer the questions by selecting the most appropriate options from the ones given below.**

I suppose I must not complain of my present a lot. What I would like you to do first of all is to think. Thinking is something which does come automatically to a person. Gossiping with a neighbour is not a thought. If you repeat something which somebody else has said, it is not a thought. I do not expect all of you to become mighty thinkers, though some of you may. But I would like all of you to think and develop the art of thinking. Nothing is more helpful to thinking than reading, that is, reading intelligently, because thereby you get other people's thought, and by weighing them you can think yourself. I have often said that it is very unfortunate that people think and read so little these days, especially in India.

I do not call newspaper- reading. But any reading which makes you think is a useful reading, even if it is a very good novel. Great novels always make bon think, because they are pictures of life painted by great minds.

**Choose the most appropriate option.**

- (i) What I would like to do first of all is to:  
(a)go (b) leave this place  
(c ) sleep (d) think
- (ii) Gossiping with a neighbour is not:  
(a)good (b)healthy  
(c ) speaking (d) reading
- (iii) One should develop the art of:  
(a)thinking (b) talking  
(c ) speaking (d)reading
- (iv) Great novels always make one:  
(a)intelligent (b) wise  
(c ) think (d) learned
- (v) The word 'mighty' means:  
(a)big (b)great  
(c) famous (d) powerful

### SECTION B WRITING

**2.** You are Rashi, Head Girl of your school. Your school is organising a poster making competition on 'Mothers' Day'. Draft a notice inviting students of your school to participate in the same. (50 words)

**3.** You are Ratan of your MCB lesson ' The New Tenant.' Write your feelings in the form of a Diary Entry how you felt when you saw police entering into your society to catch the smuggler . (80-100 words)

**4.** You are Eshaan/Eshita a resident of 168, Lane 2, Mayur Vihar Delhi. The empty plots of your locality have become breeding places of mosquitoes and flies. There is a fear of epidemic. Keeping this in mind write a letter to the President of Residents' Welfare Association showing your concern about the cleanliness of these plots and also suggest some ways to utilise these areas to the optimum. (100 - 120 words).

**5. Construct a story with the help of the following outlines. Also provide a suitable title and a moral to it.**

**Outlines:** an elephant- always passes by a tailor's shop- tailor gives banana- one day- tailor angry- pricks with needle- elephant – fills trunk with dirty water- throws on tailor's shop- spoils clothes- moral (100-120 words)

### SECTION C GRAMMAR

**6. Underline Finite Verb and Circle Non- Finite Verb.**

- (i) Ruhi loves making cards.  
(ii) He will be overjoyed to know about your arrival.

**7. Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions.**

- (i) She was found guilty \_\_\_\_\_ (therefore/still) she was punished.  
(ii) He is not \_\_\_\_\_ (too/so) intelligent as his brother.

**8. Complete the following proverbs.**

- (i) A wise man \_\_\_\_\_.  
(ii) Hope for the best \_\_\_\_\_.

**9. Match the following words to make meaningful idioms.**

- (i) on cloud nine (a) to reform  
(ii) to throw ice on (b) extremely happy  
(iii) to turn over a new leaf (c) to discourage

**10. . Pick out adverb and write its kind.**

- (i) He is very angry today.  
(ii) The boys did not work easily.

**11.Fill in the blanks with the tenses mentioned in brackets.**

- (i) You \_\_\_\_\_ an interesting show. ('watch' in Present Cont. tense)  
(ii)She \_\_\_\_\_ the lost key. ('find' in Present Perfect Tense)  
(iii) He \_\_\_\_\_ for India. ('play' in Future Continuous Tense)  
(iv)Do you think it \_\_\_\_\_ tomorrow? ('rain' in Simple Future Tense)  
(v)The children \_\_\_\_\_ all day. ('dance' in Simple Past)  
(vi)She \_\_\_\_\_ her hair every day. ('wash' in Simple Present Tense)

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**12. Change the following sentences into Indirect Speech.**

- (i) He said, " The lesson is too difficult to understand."  
(ii) She said, " Hurrah! My brother stands first."  
(iii) The said , The monkeys blocked our paths."  
(iv) They said, " What a pleasant surprise!"

**13.Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct homophone.**

- (i)Old wound takes time to \_\_\_\_\_. (heal/ heel)  
(ii)There was an accident on the construction \_\_\_\_\_. (sight/ site)

**14.Tick the correct meaning of the underlined words.**

- (i)As you sow, so shall you reap.  
a. to sow the seeds ( )  
b. a female pig ( )  
(ii)Many new animals were brought in old woman's pen.  
a. a writing instrument which uses ink. ( )  
b. an enclosed area ( )

**15. Use the correct phrasal verbs from the bracket.**

- (i) It's our duty to \_\_\_\_\_ our old grandparents. (look upon/ look after)  
(ii) Don't \_\_\_\_\_ till tomorrow, what you can do today. (put on/ put off)  
(iii) All my friends will \_\_\_\_\_ our old friend. (call at/ call on)

**16. Do as directed.**

- (i) They are walking along the beach. (pick out the phrase)  
(ii) You Can go wherever you like. (pick out the clause)  
(iii) I know where he lives.  
(iv) She gets up early in the morning.  
(v) Pick out a pair of rhyming words.

**SECTION D LITERATURE**

**17. (A) Read the following poetry extract and answer the questions that follow.**

*Above the hills, along the blue  
Round the bright air with footing true,  
To please the child, to paint the rose,  
The gardener of the world, he goes.*

- (i) Which all places does the sun visit?  
(ii) Who is called the gardener of the world? Why?  
(iii) Find a rhyming pair and write its rhyming scheme?  
(iv) Identify the Figure of Speech used in the above lines.

**(B) "You must be disappointed," he said. "I'm not nearly as attractive a travelling companion as the one who just left."**

- (i) Name the lesson.  
(ii) Who said the above lines and to whom?  
(iii) Whom are they talking about?

**18. Answer the following questions in about 25-30 words.**

- (i) Does the brook ever slow down? Quote two lines from the poem explaining your answer.  
(ii) What is the surprise revealed at the end of the story, 'The Girl on the Train'?  
(v) What magic spell is Prospero talking about?  
(IV) How can you converse with Socrates, Shakespeare and Dickens in these times when they are no more?  
(vi) What instructions did King Hiero give the goldsmith?

**19. Answer the following question in about 60-70 words.**

What is the need to have accessible book shelf?

