

DEEP PUBLIC SCHOOL

Holiday Home Work

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Subject-English

Class-9th

PART - A

READING

Q1. **Read the passage given below.**

- (1) Keep your watch accurate. For some people, moving up the time on their watch will help them get up earlier. For others, they will remember that the time on the watch is wrong and will disregard it altogether. It may be helpful to set your watch just two minutes ahead instead of five or ten.
- (2) Keep a clock, phone, computer or anything that displays time in each room of your house. One of the easiest ways to run late is simply by not realising that the time is passing as quickly as it is.
- (3) Set all your clocks and watches to the same time. Don't be an optimist. Things usually take longer than what you'd expect, even without major delays. If you have a dinner appointment at 7:30 p.m., don't think you can work till 7 p.m., then take a bath, dress and reach on time. Realistically, calculate the time you will take at each step and then add 10 minutes more to allow for unexpected delays, or you cannot get to your job done in time.
- (4) Wake up when you are supposed to wake up. Don't hit the snooze button, keep on lying in bed, and watch TV at the very start of your day. Maybe you can try even setting your clock 10 minutes earlier than you need. If you have difficulty with this, move your alarm clock to somewhere away from your bed; that way, you will have to get up to turn it off. Commit yourself to being 15 minutes early for everything. If you have to reach your place of work at 8:00, don't even tell yourself this. Just tell yourself (and everyone else who listens—but don't annoy them or make them think that they are late or early!) "I have to be at work at 7:45." If you do this, you will be on time even with little unforeseen delays. You will be on time even with a traffic jam.

On the basis of your understanding of the passage, answer ANY TEN questions from the twelve that follow.

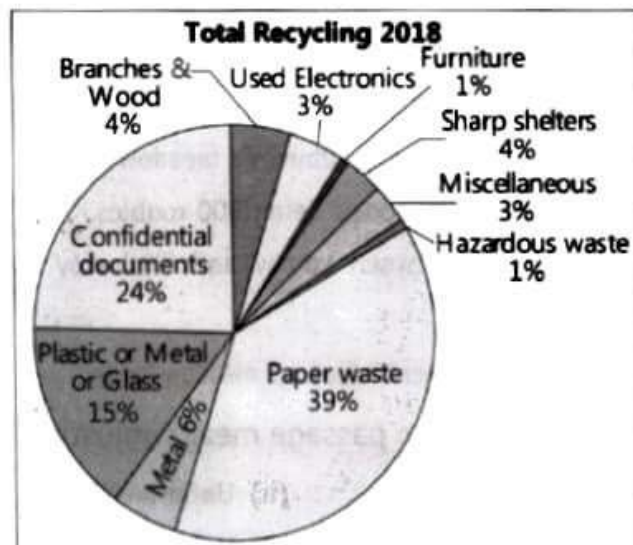
- (a) We should be in approach with time management.
 - (i) optimistic
 - (ii) pessimistic
 - (iii) realistic
 - (iv) utopian
- (b) It is good to commit yourself for everything.
 - (i) to be late
 - (ii) to delay

- (c) The passage highlights:
 (i) the value of time (ii) the importance of being ahead of time
 (iii) the value of being up to time (iv) the value of calculating time
- (d) To be punctual we should
 (i) hit the snooze button of the alarm clock
 (ii) get up at the right time
 (iii) start watching TV in the morning
 (iv) keep on lying in bed
- (e) The narrator does not deny which of the following activity just after waking up:
 (i) hitting snooze button (ii) keep on lying in bed
 (iii) watch TV (iv) wake up when you actually have to
- (f) What does the author mean when he uses the word "delay"?
 (i) Late (ii) Turn off
 (iii) Disregard (iv) Accurate
- (g) One of the major reasons for being delayed is
 (i) absence of clock, phone or computer
 (ii) being overindulged in work
 (iii) not realising that time passes quickly
 (iv) not keeping a margin in the expected time of work
- (h) Being ahead by minutes should be everyone's commitment.
 (i) 10 minutes (ii) 15 minutes
 (iii) 5 minutes (iv) 30 minutes
- (i) The author uses the word 'unexpected' in paragraph 4. He means to say:
 (i) commit (ii) unforeseen
 (iii) annoy (iv) snooze
- (j) Which word conveys the opposite of realistically?
 (i) Impracticable (ii) Rational
 (iii) Achievable (iv) Pragmatic
- (k) Which word means 'disregard'?
 (i) Attention (ii) Consider
 (iii) Ignore (iv) Regard
- (l) The narrator denies us to:
 (i) be realistic (ii) be optimistic
 (iii) keeping our watch accurate (iv) wake up when we are supposed to

Q2. Read the passage given below.

Conference series LLC Ltd organises a conference series of 1000+ global events inclusive of 300+ conferences, 900+ upcoming and previous symposiums and workshops in USA, Europe and Asia with support from 1000 more Scientific societies and publishes 700+ open access journals which contain over 30000 eminent personalities, reputed scientists as Editorial board members. Recycling and Waste Management Convention 2018 proudly invites contributors across the globe to 9th World Convention on Recycling and Waste Management during October 22-23, 2018 in Osaka, Japan, which includes prompt keynote presentations, oral talks, poster presentations and exhibitions. We are delighted to say that it is the 9th World Convention on Recycling and Waste Management which will be held in a beautiful city of Osaka, Japan and hence we invite you all to attend and register.

9th World Convention on Recycling and Waste Management is mainly based on the theme “Advocating Waste Disposal and Recycling Practices for Clean and Green Environment.” We warmly welcome all the participants— leading scientists, researchers and scholars of the world to attend the convention. We provide a platform for young researchers and students to present their research through oral presentations through which they can develop a foundation for collaboration among young researchers. The organising committee aims at setting a platform for all the budding scientists and researchers to present their real-time work and share their views and aspects related to the theme of the conference. The organising committee is gearing up for an exciting and informative conference programme including plenary lecture, symposia, workshops on a variety of topics, poster presentations and various programmes for participants from all over the world.



On the basis of your understanding of the passage, answer ANY TEN questions from the twelve that follow.

- What theme is being highlighted after reading the given passage?
 - Efficient means of reducing garbage
 - Efficient ways of waste disposal
 - Various techniques to be employed to recycle the goods
 - Both (ii) and (iii)
- Which notion in the conference has been emphasised to be deployed?
 - Waste management
 - Recycling of goods
 - Waste disposal management
 - Reshaping Earth’s future
- On observing the pie-chart, which two types of waste have been recycled at the rate of 4%?
 - Furniture and used electronics
 - Branches and wood and sharp shelters
 - Furniture and hazardous waste
 - All of the above
- On observing the chart, which type of waste is generated the most?
 - Confidential documents
 - Paper waste
 - Miscellaneous
 - Plastic or metal or glass
- Which of the following activities contribute collectively towards paper waste recycled percentage?
 - Plastic or metal or glass and metal
 - Confidential documents and plastic or metal or glass
 - Miscellaneous recycled waste and confidential documents
 - None of the above

- (f)** What does the given data represent?
- (i) The types of waste that haven't been generated
 - (ii) The amount and degree of recycled waste
 - (iii) The increasing trend of recycling and waste management
 - (iv) Both (ii) and (iii)
- (g)** What has been considered as an efficient means to reduce landfill area?
- (i) Sorting of waste
 - (ii) Recycling or composting waste
 - (iii) Both (i) and (ii)
 - (iv) None of the above
- (h)** What are the main reasons of waste management and recycling it?
- (i) To not over-exploit the resources
 - (ii) Reducing the dump of landfill area
 - (iii) Leaving behind the quality of environment free from pollution
 - (iv) All of the above
- (i)** Which other type of waste is recycled at the same rate as that of used electronics?
- (i) Miscellaneous goods
 - (ii) Hazardous waste and sharp shelters
 - (iii) Branches and wood
 - (iv) None of the above
- (j)** Which convention session was conducted on recycling at waste management in 2018?
- (i) 9th Convention
 - (ii) 8th Convention
 - (iii) 18th Convention
 - (iv) 29th Convention
- (k)** Which activity has been considered as the second nature to us?
- (i) Sorting of waste
 - (ii) Recycling of waste
 - (iii) Waste management
 - (iv) Implementing steps framed and deployed in convention
- (l)** How can the success of waste management be achieved?
- (i) Recycling goods
 - (ii) Choosing the correct type of goods in order to reduce waste
 - (iii) Making a small contribution towards protecting environment
 - (iv) All of the above

Q6. Complete the dialogue choosing the correct option.

Manu : I am really thrilled about our trip to South India.

I have heard it (a)

Arun : Yes, (b) to visit such places about which we have just heard.

Manu : I don't know (c) when I will find myself standing before the vast sea.

Arun : Yes, it will be a wonderful experience to see the vast waves rising and striking the beach.

- (a) (i) has many wonderful beaches (ii) I have some wonderful beaches
(iii) has some wonderful beaches (iv) has a wonderful beach
- (b) (i) I am feeling excited (ii) I have been feeling excited
(iii) I was excited (iv) I will be feeling excited
- (c) (i) what to do (ii) how I shall feel
(iii) what I will do (iv) what will I do

Q7. Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct options for any four of the six sentences given below:

(a) You get the car repaired. There is something wrong with the brakes.

- (i) might (ii) has to
(iii) need (iv) have to

(b) Nobody going to watch his performance.

- (i) are (ii) has
(iii) were (iv) is

(c) There isn't milk in the glass.

- (i) few (ii) little
(iii) much (iv) many

(d) She met European. He had come to see Taj.

- (i) an; the (ii) a; the
(iii) the; the (iv) an; a

(e) It since early morning.

- (i) is raining (ii) have been raining
(iii) has been raining (iv) was raining

(f) You be considerate towards your neighbours.

- (i) will (ii) dare
(iii) ought to (iv) need

In the following passages, one word has been omitted in each line. Write the missing word along with the word that comes before and the word that comes after it in the space provided against the correct line number. Ensure that the word that forms your answer is underlined. The first one has been done for you.

		Before	Word	After
Needless to say water will perhaps be the scarest	e.g.	say	<u>that</u>	water
commodity of 21st century. On the global	(a)	.....	.....	.....
scale it is assessed that the next two decades,	(b)	.....	.....	.....
water use by human beings be increased by 40%	(c)	.....	.....	.....
and 17% more water will be to grow more	(d)	.....	.....	.....
food for increasing population. Water is	(e)	.....	.....	.....
finite nature and the quantum of water	(f)	.....	.....	.....
cannot increased. The World Water Vision	(g)	.....	.....	.....
Committee our attention to the 'gloomy arithmetic of water'.	(h)	.....	.....	.....