



**INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT  
MIDDLE SECTION  
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH  
PERIODIC TEST 2 (2018-2019)  
ANSWER KEY - SET A**



**I. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow: (5X1=5 marks)**

**1. Answer the following questions based on the reading of the passage:**

A. --- annual fair    B. --yo ..yos    c. bike ride    d. bullock carts

**2. State whether the statement is True or False : 1 mark**

Grandma's absolute favourite were the hydrogen balloons. FALSE

**3. Complete the following sentence based on the above passage :2 marks**

i. ....rubber cord of the balloon

ii. ....on bullock carts

**II. Rearrange the group of words given below to form meaningful sentences : (3X1=3 marks)**

1. We participated in the inter house Debate competition.

2. The carpenter makes beautiful furniture.

3. The king is riding a horse and the prince is playing alone.

**III. Reference To Context :**

**(3X1=3 marks)**

A. What were the narrator and her family zipping?

....zipping the long stalks of the raw celery.

B. Why were they zipping it?

....as the stalks of the raw celery got caught in their teeth.

C. What did the Gleasons and their guests do while they busily pulled the strings off their celery?

....they were all staring at them as they were busy pulling the strings of the raw celery.

**IV. Answer the following questions in brief:**

**(2X2=4 marks)**

1.... because it doesn't leave us easily. It holds a victim so tightly that it is very difficult to get away/remove it.

2. Each one of us –different-different circumstances-Meg – mature-open minded- accepted-readily.

**V. Frame a meaningful sentence on your own with the word given below: (1 mark)**

realized:\_\_\_\_\_

**VI. Choose the appropriate meaning of the words from the options given below and circle the correct alphabet: (4x1/2=2 marks)**

1. disgraced -      b) humiliated

2. slender-        b) thin

3. strife-         b) struggle

4. retreat-        b) withdrawl

**VII. Underline the correctly spelt word from the options given:**

**(4x1/2=2 marks)**

1. Neighbour

2. ususal

3. reference

4. dining

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