INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION

SET C

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CLASS 1X

Marking Scheme – SUBJECT[ENGLISH][THEORY]

Q.NO.	Answers	Marks
		(with split up)
1		8
1.1	a) Wash hands with soap	1
	b) It is effective, remover germs	1
	c) Washing hands with soap	1
	d) Twice - before eating and after defecation	1
	ε) Acute respiratory infections like pneumonia	1
	f) By providing awareness and knowledge about hand	1
	washing childhood transmission	
	g) During childhood	1
	h) Transmission.	1
2		12
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2.1	a) Biosphere was one that promoted supported, nourished,	2
	sustained and enhanced life. Accommodate a pleasant	
	weather cycle and climate system to support the newer	
	species, keeping everything in dynamic equilibrium.	
	b) Biosphere is overburdened and ailing.	
	-ever increasing pollution coupled with over-exploitation	2
	of natural resources and greenhouse gas emission in	
	driving several species towards extinction.	
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	c) A techno sphere is and impaired biosphere that has no	2
	affinity with values of life nor with sustain ability and	
	evolution of life.	
	d) Science and technology by themselves are neutral. We	2
	should use science in a manner that increases	
	sustainability and happiness in our life.	
2.2	a) thinking	1
	b)) improve	1
	c) disappeared	
	d) bonding	1
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3	CONTENT-4 FORMAT-2 EXPRESSION-2	8
5	CONTENT-5 IMAGINATION-2 EXPRESSION-3 1. had gathered	10
3	2.opened	4
	3. felt	
	4. anticipated	
6	a)Combination of hard	4
	b) Training and a	
	c)Say that the	
	d) Laugh the most	
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7		4
	a). Obesity is the negative outcome of improving socio-	
	economic status and changing lifestyles.	
	h) We got unhealthy food lesson than even before	
	b) We eat unhealthy food lesser than ever before	
	c) Obese children suffer both physical and mental problems	
	problems	
	d) School must provide an environment that promotes	
	healthy eating habits.	
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8.	a)Evelyn was deaf and dumb	4
	b)Her mother	
	c) When her mother called she did not move.	
	d)This line means that when Evelyn was called, she didn't	
	respond	
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	OR a)Leaves turned yellow because of the autumn season	
	b) He felt like travelling both the roads as both of them looked equally fair and promising. Although they had been worn out equally, that morning both lay untrodden c) thinking to which road to be opted d) can choose only one road	
9	1. Einstein's mother was against his marriage to Mileva	8
	because she thought, Mileva who was three years older	
	than her, was too old for him. She was also worried	
	because Mileva was an intellectual, 'a book' like Einstein.	
	2. Tommy describes the old kind of school as a special	
	building where all kids studied together. There hundreds	
	of students were studying and playing together. They used	
	to shout and laugh together in an open yard. They had a	
	teacher who wasn't a mechanical teacher but was a 'man'.	
	3. 1The thing that the poet finds so attractive about Lake Isle of Innisfree is its promise of peace. The poet longs for this place which affords a sense of contentment and relaxation far from the busy modern life. The vivid impressionistic description of the colours and beauties of this place, and the soothing stir of nature offers a contrast to the strident noise of the city where the poet actually is.	
	4. Toto was not the sort of pet to be kept in the house for long. He was very mischievous. He'd scratched the plaster off the walls, torn the narrator's school blazer and poked holes in his aunt's dresses. Toto had thrown a plate at grandmother for screaming at him and one of the narrator's aunt had received a glass of water in the face, when she'd rushed forward to rescue the dish of pullao from him. Grandfather was not well-to-do and couldn't afford the frequent loss of dishes, clothes, curtains and	

wallpaper. So grandfather found the tonga-driver and sold Toto back to him for only three rupees.

- 5. Mahendra was a junior supervisor in a firm. It offered on hire supervisors at various places of construction sites. These were factories, bridges, dams etc. His job was to supervise these activities at the work sites. So he kept moving from place to place now and then.
- 6) Mr. McDonalds played with his children. The girls would hang on his coat, they would laugh together. Kezia's father had no time for such things. He really worked hard for his family.
- 7) The lost child loses interest in the things that he had wanted earlier because he was panic stricken on being separated from his parents. All he wanted was to be united with them. All the things that attracted him in the fair no longer appeal to him and now the only thing that matters is finding his parents

The story would lose its charm and reality without the mirror because it fascinates both the characters i.e., the doctor and the snake. The doctor makes two important decisions – shaving daily and growing thin moustaches to make himself more handsome and keeping a smile on the face all the time while looking at himself in the mirror. The snake also feels attracted to look at his face in the mirror and leaves the doctor's arm. It sits on the table in front of mirror and the doctor finds an opportunity to move away to save himself. Thus, the story does revolve around the mirror and therefore its importance.

OR

Film director Vijay Bhatt was so impressed after after hearing Bismillah play at a festival that he named a film after the instrument called 'Gunj Uthi Shehnai'. The film was a hit, and one of Bismillah's compositions turned out to be a nationwide chartbuster. He also became the first Indian to be invited to perform at the prestigious Lincoln Centre Hall in the U.S.A. He took part in the World Exposition in Montreal, in the Cannes Art Festival and in the Osaka Trade Fair. So well-known did he become internationally that an auditorium in Teheran was named after him —

Tahar Mosiquee Ustaad Bismillah Khan.

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	National awards like the Padmashri, the Padma Bhushan and the Padma Vibhushan were conferred on him. In 2001, he was awarded India's highest civilian award, the Bharat Ratna.	
11	a) The story The Lost Child' is based on child psychology. A child is curious by nature. He is attracted by beautiful things. He wishes to possess everything which looks attractive. However, he takes interest in these things only when he is in the company of his parents. But when he is lost, these things lose their charm for him. In this story, a child goes to a fair with his parents. He is attracted by different things. He wishes to buy balloons, sweets and garlands of gulmohur. He wishes to enjoy a ride in the roundabout. But suddenly he finds that his parents are missing. Now he starts weeping. A kind man tries to console him. He offers to buy him a number of things. But the child goes on weeping. He wants only his parents OR The disciple was brought on the stake for execution. Then he prayed to his guru in his heart. His guru arrived at once. He told something in a whisper to the disciple. Then the guru and his disciple got into a fight. The king got curious. He wanted to know why the guru wanted to die. The guru told the king that whoever died on the new stake first would be reborn as a king. The person who died next would be reborn as a minister. The king and the minister decided to go to the stake themselves. They wanted to be reborn as king and minister respectively. They were taken to the stake and promptly executed. The guru thus saved his disciple by befooling the king.	10