SET 1 **MODEL QUESTION PAPER** EN-7/1

SECOND TERM SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT 2026-27

ENGLISH

Class : 7 **Time : 2 Hrs 15 Minutes**

Instructions

- 15 minutes cool-off time is allotted for reading and understanding the activities.
- Attempt all the activities.
- Internal choice is provided for activities 5 and 6. Answer either A or B.

1 Reading Comprehension

Read the following passage and answer the questions given below.

Every Saturday, Meenu visited her grandmother in the village. Grandma had a strange habit. She laughed at everything. When the milkman's cycle bell did not ring, she laughed. When the cat stole a fish from the kitchen, she laughed louder. Meenu thought it was a little silly.

One evening, Meenu came home sad. She had lost the drawing competition at school. Grandma did not say anything. She simply told Meenu the story of the day she tried to climb a coconut tree as a girl and got stuck halfway. The whole village gathered below to help her down. Grandma acted out the scene, holding the door like a tree trunk. Soon Meenu was laughing so hard that tears rolled down her cheeks.

"You see," said Grandma, "a good laugh is like rain on a dry field. It makes everything grow again." That night Meenu took out her colours and started a new drawing. She called it 'The Girl on the Coconut Tree'.

1. **Every Saturday, Meenu visited .....**

   A. her school friends
   B. her grandmother
   C. the milkman
   D. the drawing teacher

2. **Why was Meenu sad that evening?**

   A. She lost her colour box.
   B. The cat stole her fish.
   C. She lost the drawing competition.
   D. Grandma scolded her.

3. **Some words and their meanings are given in pairs. Select the incorrect pair.**

   A. strange - unusual
   B. gathered - came together
   C. halfway - completely
   D. silly - foolish

4. **"A good laugh is like rain on a dry field." What does Grandma mean?**

   A. Laughter brings rain.
   B. Laughter gives fresh hope and energy.
   C. Fields need laughter.
   D. Rain makes people laugh.

5. **Read the following statements.**

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1. Grandma laughed at small things. 2. Meenu climbed a coconut tree.

3. Grandma told Meenu a funny story. 4. Meenu started a new drawing that night.

Choose the correct option.

A. All are correct

B. 1, 2 and 3 are correct

C. 1, 3 and 4 are correct

D. 2, 3 and 4 are correct

2 Conversation

Totto-Chan has just returned home after the school trip to the hot spring. She is very excited. Her mother asks her about the journey by train and ship, the bath in the hot spring, her friends and the teachers. Totto-Chan has a lot to say.

Write the conversation between Totto-Chan and her mother. Write a minimum of five exchanges.

Mother : .....

Totto-Chan : .....

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Totto-Chan : .....

3 Profile

Read the details given below about the writer of "Ranji's Magic Bat" and prepare a profile.

Item	**Details**
Name	Ruskin Bond
Born	19 May 1934, Kasauli, Himachal Pradesh
Lives at	Landour, Mussoorie
Famous works	The Room on the Roof, The Blue Umbrella, Rusty stories
Awards	Sahitya Akademi Award (1992), Padma Shri (1999), Padma Bhushan (2014)
Writes about	Children, hills, nature and small-town life

4 Editing

Read the following passage and edit it.

william blake **(a)** was an English poet and painter. He was born **in (b)** 28th November 1757 in London. As a boy, he **love (c)** to draw pictures. He wrote many poems for **childrens (d)**. "Laughing Song" **are (e)** one of his famous poems.

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5 Diary / Appreciation

5 (A) Ranji played his first big match with the bat he believed was magic. He scored many runs, and his team won. That night he could not sleep. He thought about the bat, the cheering crowd and his friends.

Write the possible diary entry of Ranji on that day.

OR

5 (B) Read the following lines from "Laughing Song" by William Blake.

When the green woods laugh with the voice of joy,
And the dimpling stream runs laughing by;
When the air does laugh with our merry wit,
And the green hill laughs with the noise of it.

Prepare an appreciation of the lines. Consider the theme, the images, the rhyme and the repeated word "laugh".

6 Notice / Poster

6 (A) Your school is starting a "Laughter Club" to help students enjoy reading jokes, funny stories and cartoons. Prepare a notice for the inauguration with the help of the hints given in the box.

Date, time and venue	Chief guest	Programmes	Who can join

OR

6 (B) The Sports Club of your school is organising a ten-day cricket coaching camp during the Christmas holidays. Prepare a poster with the help of the hints given in the box.

Dates and venue	Coach	Things to bring	Last date for registration

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