

Attempt all questions

**Question 1**

Choose the correct answers to the questions from the given options:

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- (i) In the poem, where does the speaker want the paper boats to sail?
  - (a) To the neighbour's house
  - (b) Across the ocean
  - (c) To distant lands
  - (d) Into the sky
- (ii) What is the speaker's main activity in the poem "Paper Boats"?
  - (a) Writing letters
  - (b) Sailing paper boats
  - (c) Drawing pictures
  - (d) Making toys
- (iii) What is the name of the Plough boy?
  - (a) Pet
  - (b) Dick
  - (c) Eric
  - (d) Duchess
- (iv) What was the snake called?
  - (a) Pet
  - (b) Red Eye
  - (c) BFG
  - (d) Colt
- (v) Name the author of 'Christmas Morning'.
  - (a) Louisa May Alcott
  - (b) Anna Sewell
  - (c) R L Stevenson
  - (d) Ralph Waldo Emerson
- (vi) Find out a word which means 'the sound of footsteps'.
  - (a) Tread
  - (b) Explodes
  - (c) Shrill
  - (d) Imprisons
- (vii) Find out the meaning of 'taking part'.
  - (a) Refusing
  - (b) Participating
  - (c) Ignoring
  - (d) Withdrawing
- (viii) Rabindranath Tagore composed the national anthem for which two countries?
  - (a) India and Pakistan
  - (b) India and Bangladesh
  - (c) India and Sri Lanka
  - (d) India and Nepal

**Question 2**

Copy and complete the lines of the poem:

[5]

Day by day ..... land in the night.

**Question 3**

Give meanings for the following:

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- (i) intent
- (ii) scurry
- (iii) wick
- (iv) lading
- (v) ragged
- (vi) snuggled
- (vii) launch
- (viii) stride

**Question 4**

Give one word for the following meanings:

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- (i) a group moving forward in an orderly manner for some purpose.
- (ii) a dish made by boiling any kind of grain with milk or water.
- (iii) a narrow bed that is fixed to a wall

(iv) moving in a slow and steady manner.

### Question 5

Make sentences of your own with the words given below:

[3]

- (i) fascinating      (ii) marvellous      (iii) examined

### Question 6

Answer the following in a sentence:

[4]

- (i) Name the four gifts Mrs March received?
- (ii) Who often brought a carrot for black beauty's mother?
- (iii) "If that snake means so much to you,I guess I can help".Who said this to whom?
- (iv) Who goes to houses where children are asleep?

### Question 7

Answer the following questions with reference to the context:

[6]

- (i) She remembered her mother's promise and, slipping her hand under her pillow,drew out a little crimson – covered book.
  - (a) Who remembered her mother's promise?
  - (b) When did she remember this promise?
- (ii) 'On second thoughts,' I said, 'she might learn a lot from Red Eye.'
  - (a) Who said these words in the story?
  - (b) Why did the speaker have second thoughts?
- (iii) In big black letters I write my name on it and name of his village where I live?
  - (a) Why does the persona write his name and name of his village?
  - (b) What does this tell you about the persona?

### Question 8

Answer the following briefly:

[6]

- (i) At night, what dreams does the persona have about his boat?
- (ii) How did the March family make the Hummel home happy and cheerful?
- (iii) Why does The BFG carry a suitcase and a blow pipe?

### Question 9

Write the summary of any one of the given lessons below:

[4]

- (i) 'Black Beauty'      **OR**      (ii) 'The Big Friendly Giant'

### Question 10

Think and answer:

[4]

What kind of pet do you have, and why is it your favourite? Do you think having a pet has taught you anything important? Explain a memorable experience you've had with your pet.

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