

**RAMAKRISHNA SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL
SUMMER HOLIDAY HOMEWORK
CLASS XII (2024-25)**

Dear Parents

Greetings from the RKS Fraternity!

The Academic Session 2024-25 has begun in full swing and students have settled well in their classes. Now is the time for Summer Break. The School will be closed for Summer Break from **May 25, 2024**. In order to keep our students well engaged, we are sending the **Summer Holiday Homework**.

General Instructions:-

1. Revise the syllabus covered so far in the class to prepare for Periodic Tests, which will be held in the month of July.
2. Do all the work as specified by the subject teacher.
3. Submit your Holiday Homework in the first week of July as per the teacher's instructions.
4. The students must do their work neatly in their own handwriting. Marks of Internal Assessment will be awarded only if the students do the work in their own handwriting.

Summer Vacations are the most awaited holidays by the students. It is also a time to enjoy those little pleasures of life that get overlooked during the busy school routine. They get a positive bounce back when they rejoin school after this much-needed break. There are a few things that students can keep in mind to utilize this break fruitfully.

- Go for educational trips and excursions.
- Spend quality time with family and friends
- Pursue your hobbies and interests
- Sharpen your skills and develop new ones
- Follow a fitness regime to stay agile both mentally and physically
- Learn and explore new things
- Relax your body and mind because, **‘A Healthy Mind Lives in a Healthy Body.’**

Have a delightful and productive Summer Break!

ENGLISH

1. Prepare a General Studies Project on the topic 'Science and Society' on A4 sized white ruled sheets.

Resources such as newspapers, books, magazines, TV Channels and the internet (relevant websites) can be used.

The project should include the following:

- Title of the topic
- Introduction to the topic/ Nature of Science
- How science and society are related / Science as a social enterprise
- Role of science in society
- Role of science in developing society

- What will be your contribution or an appeal to the people for the topic you have been allotted
- Conclusion (clearly mentioning if you want to strengthen a move or you want to condemn it- depending on the topic)
- Bibliography/ list of resources used.

2. Attempt the following Comprehension Passages in Evergreen Practice Papers:

- Evergreen Test Assignment-3
- Evergreen Test Assignment 4
- Evergreen Test Assignment 10

3. Attempt the following Notice Writing questions in C W. Notebook:

- Exercise for Practice (Evergreen Test Assignment) page no. 51

Q. 2, 3, 6, and 9.

4. Read the chapter - 'The RATTRAP' from Flamingo Book and write brief character sketches of the following:

- The Vagabond
- Edla- Ironmaster's Daughter

5. Taking ideas from the lesson "Lost Spring", write an article on "Child Labour should be eliminated" in about 120-150 words.

6. After reading the poem 'Keeping Quiet' from the Flamingo Book, do the following:

- write the synopsis of the poem in 80-100 words
- Enlist the poetic devices used in the poem, giving examples.

7. Revise the syllabus covered so far in the class for the PT-1 Examination.

BUSINESS STUDIES

1. Prepare project files as per topics given by teacher(anyone).
 - A. Principles of Management
 - B. Marketing

2. Prepare a project on Social responsibility by covering the following contents:
 - A. Types of Social responsibility
 - B. Role of students within a group
 - C. Principle of Socially responsible behaviour.

3. Answer the following questions in your homework notebook.

1. Mayra Ltd. received a new order of 30,000 toys. Mr. Abhilash, the production manager is expected to deliver goods in fifteen days otherwise the contract will be null and void. To retain the customers, Abhilash outsourced the production of 15,000 toys and delivered the order on time. The outsourcing of production resulted in increase in cost by 50%. Mayra Ltd. uses environment friendly methods of production and disposes off the waste material by either recycling it or using the same for

landfill in such a manner that the aquatic life is not disturbed."

Which concept of management is being adhered to here by Mr. Abhilash?

- (a) Effectiveness
- (b) Efficiency
- (c) Both a. and b.
- (d) None of these

Which concept of management is being overlooked by Mr. Abhilash?

- (a) Effectiveness
- (b) Efficiency
- (c) Both a. and b.
- (d) None of these

.Q.2 Mita has a successful ice cream business at Bikaner, namely 'Smartflavours'. Her ice creams are utterly delicious. She makes ice creams from fresh milk and the same are available in a wide range of flavours and packs. She sets viable business objectives and works with the same in mind in order to ensure that the customers will come back for purchasing. □ Having the first mover advantage, her business was doing well. To earn higher profits, she started cutting costs. This would sometimes lead to delay in delivery and the ice cream was not reaching the market in time. Over a period of time, the demand for her ice cream declined and because of it the competitors entered the market. She lost some of her market share to competitors. □ At the beginning of summer season, she got back to back orders for supply of 4,000 ice cream packs of different flavours for special occasions. To ensure that the task was completed and orders delivered in time she hired additional workers. She was, thus able to produce and deliver the ice cream packs but at a high production cost. While completing activities and finishing the given task for achieving goals, Mita realized that she was ignoring one of the important aspects of management. Identify the aspects of management that has been ignored by Mita in both para.

Q.3 Sujata works as a designer in an export house. As per the terms of an order received by the export house, she has to get 1000 units of denim jackets made in 15 days @ ₹ 2000 per jacket. She is able to complete her target production in 20 days because in order to complete the order in 15 days she would have made the workers work over time. As a result, the cost of production per jacket may have increased by ₹ 100. In the context of the above case: Is Sujata efficient in her work? Give reason

Q.4 Nutan Tiffin Box service was started in Mumbai by the Mumbai Dabbawalas. The Dabbawalas who are the soul of entire Mumbai aim to provide prompt and efficient services by providing tasty homemade tiffin to all office goers at the right time and place. The service is uninterrupted even on the days of bad weather, political unrest and social disturbances. Recently, they have started online booking system through their website 'mydabbawala.com'. Owing to their tremendous popularity amongst the happy and satisfied customers and members, the Dabbawalas were invited as guest lecturer by top business schools. The Dabbawalas operate in a group of 25-30 people alongwith a group leader. Each group teams up with other groups in order to deliver the tiffins on time. They are not transferred on frequent basis as they have to remember the addresses of their customers. They follow certain rules while doing trade—no alcohol during working hours; no leaves without permission; wearing white caps and carrying ID cards during business hours.

Recently, on the suggestion of a few self-motivated fellow men, the dabbawalas thought out and executed a plan of providing food left in tiffins by customers to slum children. They have instructed their customers to place red sticker if food is left in the tiffin, to be fed to poor children later.

1. State any one principle of management given by Fayol

Q.5 Naman and Govind after finishing their graduation under vocational stream decided to start their own travel agency which will book Rail Tickets and Air Tickets on commission basis. They also thought of providing tickets within ten minutes through the use of internet. They discussed the idea with their Professor Mr. Mehta who liked the idea and suggested them to first analyse the business environment which consists of investors', competitors and other forces like social, political etc. that may affect their business directly or indirectly. He further told them about the technological improvements and shifts in consumer preferences that were taking place and hence they should be aware of the environmental trends and changes which may hinder their business performance. He emphasised on making plans keeping in mind the threat posed by the competitors, so that they can deal with the situation effectively.

This alignment of business operations with the business environment will result in better performance. Identify and state the component of business environment highlighted in the above Para. State any two features of business environment as discussed by Professor Mehta with Naman and Govind.

Q.6 With changes in the consumption habits of people, Neelesh, who was running a sweet shop, shifted to the chocolate business. On the eve of Diwali, he offered chocolates in attractive packages at reasonable prices. He anticipated huge demand and created a website chocolove. com for taking orders online. He got a lot of orders online and earned huge profits by selling the chocolate. Identify and explain the dimensions of business environment discussed in the above case.

Q.7 'Accent Electronics Ltd.' was operating its business in Malaysia. The company started exporting its products to India when the Prime Minister announced relaxation in import duties on electronic items. The company appointed retailers in India who had direct online links with the suppliers to replenish stocks when needed. Identify and explain the dimensions of business environment discussed in the above case.

Q.8 After completing his MBA from the USA, Mr. Ajay came to India to start a new business under the banner Ecom Creations Ltd. He launched a new product in e-learning for senior secondary school students in the commerce stream which already had an established market in the UK and the USA but not in India. His business started flourishing in India. As a result, more Indian companies entered into the market with other subjects also. Identify and quote the lines from the above paragraph which highlight the significance of understanding business environment.

Q.9 With the presence of women in the workforce, there has been a shift towards formal wear, increased demand of electronic gadgets and increase in demand of cosmetics. The related dimension of business environment referred in the above lines is: a) Technological environment. b) Social environment c) Political environment. d) Economic environment

Q.10 Read the following statements: Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Choose the correct alternative from those given below: ASSERTION (A): Management is concerned with efficient use of resources. REASONING (R): For management both efficiency and effectiveness need to be balanced. Alternatives: a) Both Assertion (A) and Reason (R) are true and Reason (R) is the correct explanation of Assertion (A). b) Both Assertion (A) and Reason (R) are true and Reason (R) is not the correct explanation of Assertion (A) c) Assertion (A) is true but Reason (R) is False d) Assertion (A) is False but Reason (R) is True

Q.11 Mr. Vivek is working as the General Manager of Oshin Hotels Ltd. Mr. Vivek observed that Government was taking a special interest in the Tourism industry as this sector is an important source of foreign exchange and employment promotion. On the basis of this news, the company decided to set up hotels at several tourist places. Oshin Hotels Ltd. established 50 hotels before other companies considered this issue. Very soon, this brand Oshin Hotels Ltd. became well known in the market. Identify the importance of business environment described here. a) It enables the firm to identify opportunities and getting the first mover advantage. b) It helps the firm to identify threats and early warning signals. c) It helps in tapping useful resources. d) It helps in improving performance.

INFORMATICS PRACTICES

1. Prepare MySQL Practical File as discussed in the class.
2. Do Solved and Unsolved Exercise of Chapter – MySQL Functions and Chapter -- Querying using MySQL in your register.
3. Revise the syllabus for PT1 Examination.
4. General Studies -- Prepare Project on Human Rights covering the given topics :-
 - The Universal Declaration of Human Rights and its significance.

- The responsibility of individual , communities and business in promoting Human rights.
 - The relationship between Human rights and sustainable development.
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ENTREPRENEURSHIP

1. PROJECT WORK Students have to do Two projects

TOPICS FOR THE PROJECT: **1. Business Plan 2. Market Survey**

Steps involved in the conduct of the project:

Students may work upon the following lines as a suggested flow chart:

Choose a title/topic Collection of the research material/data

Organization of material/data Present material/data Analysing the material/data for conclusion Draw the relevant conclusion Presentation of the Project Work

. Expected Checklist for the Project Work: • Introduction of topic/title • Identifying the product/service • Various stakeholders and effect on each of them • Use of different tools for market assessment and it's analysis • Implication of 4P's in the process of marketing • Calculation of various costs involved in the business planning process • Validity, reliability, appropriateness and relevance of data used for research work and for presentation in the project file • Presentation and writing that is succinct and coherent in project file • Citation of the materials referred to, in the file in footnotes, resources section, bibliography etc.

2. Prepare a folder of case study questions and answers given by the teacher. Get it spiral and submit.
 3. Learn chapter 1 and 2 case based questions from cbse book for pt1.
 4. prepare a general studies project of 10 pages on :
 - *meaning and importance of national integration
 - *historical context of nation building
 - *the role of education and the media in nation building
 - *challenges and limitation to nation building.
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PAINTING

1. Make two compositions with three human figures and complete with water colors or pencil colors.

2. Make two beautiful Landscapes with pastel colors or water colors.

Size : Half Ivory sheet or cartridge sheet

SOCIOLOGY

Q.1) Write answers of the following questions in your notebook-

- i) What do you mean by social exclusion?
- ii) What are some of the features of social stratification?
- iii) How would you distinguish prejudice from other kinds of opinion or belief?

- iv) Examine the role of state initiatives to address caste and tribe discrimination.
- v) How far did the status of women improve in the contemporary India? Give examples to support your answer.
- vi) Elaborate on the state and non-state initiatives addressing caste and tribal discrimination.
- vii) What are the major issues of concern to Adivasis today?
- viii) What are the major issues taken up by the women's movements over its history?

Q.2) Make a project file of 'General Studies' on the topic- "Contemporary Problems of Indian Society". (10-15 pages)

The order to be followed-

1. Name sheet
 2. Acknowledgement
 3. Certificate
 4. Index
 5. Introduction
 6. Content
 - Issues related to women
 - Health Care System
 - Contemporary Phase
 7. Conclusion
 8. Bibliography
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PHYSICAL EDUCATION

File Work

1. Yoga as Preventive Measure for Lifestyle Diseases

- 1) Obesity
- 2) Diabetes
- 3) Asthma
- 4) Hypertension

*Meaning

*List of Preventive Asanas

*Asnas and Pranayamas are helpful to cure Asthma.

(explain any two from list)

2. Write detailed explanation of any one GAME of your choice in Physical Education file out of the list below:

*Basketball, Volleyball, Kho-Kho, Football, Kabaddi, Hockey, Cricket and Handball.

Including:

1. History of the game
2. Labelled diagram of field/court paste/draw.
3. Equipment used
4. Fundamentals Skills
5. Terminologies
6. Basic Rules

- Make the project on general studies on the topic
 - ° The Universal Declaration of Human Rights and its significance.

- ° The responsibility of individual communities and business in promoting Human rights.
- ° The relationship between Human rights and sustainable development.

●Prepare a project for H.P.E. Sewa on the topic " being safe and responsible" as discussed in the class

WORK EXPERIENCE

Prepare a Project on Old Age Home and organise the activities for the aged people.

Title of Project file:Visit to an Old Age Home.

Need to be included :

Title Page, Acknowledgement , Introduction ,Aim, Objective , Report, Activities and Bibliography.