

ANSWER KEY

CLASS-IX

SET-2

ENGLISH

READING SECTION

(8X1=8)

1. It is dependence for food, shelter and clothing that has led him to explore all possible ways to preserve plants from being lost to the ravages of natural and man made calamities.
2. A technique where plants can not only be restored from being lost but also developed into a complete plant from a small plant.
3. Tissue culture
4. 1878-when a German botanist Vochting
5. Postulated
6. ravage
7. Sterile
8. Boon
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Q.2 article writing- content-2 marks, expression, fluency & accuracy-3 marks

Q.3 Diary Entry- Format-2 marks, content, Accuracy & Fluency- 2 marks

Q.4 omission. (1/2x8=4 marks)

1. increase-with hard

2. not do it

3. judge by the

4. win and the

5. success is examined

6. reader and critics

7. by the speed

8. accuracy of his

Q.5 Rearrange the following words to make meaningful sentences...

1. enen in the times of natural disaster the farmer had to pay their share of taxes.

2. the poor Indian farmers had to pay very high taxes.

3. 15 lakh die of starvation between 1822 and 1836.

Q.6. what did god make father for? Sobbing

Answer-

1. The little girl
2. Kezia was hit on the palm with a rule.
3. Cruel man-short tempered and strict disciplinarian
4. Scared of her father, desire for/ wishes for her father would be like playful and cheerful like macdonalds.

Q.7 answer the following questions in 30-40 words 2x4=8

1. Ron Forbes, helped Evelyn to pursue music-identified her potential –advised her to feel music through the different parts of her body.

2. old kind of teachers to be people who did not live in a house-but in a special building- students would go that building and learn-were taught according to their ages-teacher gave homework – teacher taught students at one time.

3 the two roads symbolize the diverse and confusing situations-we have to confront during our journey of life- the narrator choose the path that was 'grassy and wanted wear-wanted to do something unique in life.

4. the boy suddenly noticed by a man in the crowd who lifted him in his arm –tried to console him- he offers him everything the child had been wanting his parents to buy him-the ride on roundabout to the bridge he was very fond of –he was to reply I want my parents- the little child loses interest in everything around him because he yearns him to be with the family.

Q.8 ANSWER ANY 1 OUT OF TWO... WORDS LIMIT 150-200 4 marks

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1. Bismillah Khan spent his life in Dumraon-took to music in early life-when he was three-in the company of his maternal uncle-his life is a source of simplicity-gave memorable performances in India and abroad-honoured with many awards-fond of mother land India-banaras and holy Ganga-refused an offer to be head of Shehnai school in USA-Perfect cultural heritage of India.