

CLASS IX
ASSIGNMENT II

SUBJECT : ENGLISH
TOPIC : GRAMMAR

Q1. Choose the best word from the options given to complete the following passage.

Pampore, a small town (a)..... the banks of the river Jhelum, near Srinagar, is the main centre (b).....saffron cultivation in India. The best saffron (c)..... from Spain, which is the world's largest producer. Saffron, the (d)..... spice in the world, is known as 'kesar' in (e)..... part of India. It adds a golden colour to food and gives it (f)..... unique flavour. Moreover, (g)..... saffron goes a long way – for example (h)..... half a teaspoon is sufficient to flavour a litre of kheer.

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| a) i) in | ii) on |
| iii) from | iv) between |
| b) i) for | ii) from |
| iii) in | iv) to |
| c) i) is coming | ii) will come |
| iii) comes | iv) came |
| d) i) much expensive | ii) more expensive |
| iii) most expensive | iv) expensive |
| e) i) other | ii) another |
| iii) every | iv) each |
| f) i) the | ii) a |
| iii) an | iv) any |
| g) i) a few | ii) the few |
| iii) a little | iv) the little |
| h) i) lesser than | ii) less than |
| iii) least than | iv) lesser |

Q2. Look at the words and the phrases given below and rearrange them to form meaningful sentences.

- a) the/Indian/English/ exploited/the/farmers

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- b) pay/the/had to/poor farmers/high taxes/very

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- c) natural disasters/farmers/share of taxes/even/pay/their/in times of/the/had to

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- d) also/cultivate/they/asked them to/ had to/those/which/crops/the English

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Q3. The following passage has not been edited. There is one error in each line. Underline the incorrect word and write the correct word in the space provided.

Mohan Das Karamchand Gandhi went to England to
 higher studies at the age of 19.his mother was apprehensive
 about young men go astray in western
 society. But her fears were allayed that
 Mohan Das Karamchand Gandhi swore not for
 touch meat, wine and women. He faces a
 lot of difficulties due to their vegetarianism,
 but fulfil his vow resolutely.

Q4. In the following passage one word has been omitted in each line. Write the missing word in the space provided along with the words which come before and after it.

Man's practice increases hardwork.
 If he does not it, his practice
 suffers. The lawer is judged the
 cases he wins. The writer's
 success examined by the opinion
 of the readers critics; whereas
 the typist's efficiency is tested by speed
 and the accuracy his work.

Q5. Given below is a conversation. Complete the dialogue by filling in the gaps.

A: Sir, (a).....

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B: Five hundred rupees as advance? Why?

A: I need (b)

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B: What's wrong with your eyes?

A: Sometimes (c)

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B: Hmm, so your eyes water and you have difficulty in reading. How will you proof read the newly composed book?

A: Sir, proof reading is not a problem for I use glasses. Moreover it's an occasional problem Only.

B: OK, go (d)
 the Accountant. Remember, it will be deducted from your next month's salary.

A: Thank you, Sir.