

HAPPY DIWALI

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DIWALI BREAK**



GRADE: VIII
DIWALI BREAK HOLIDAYS HOMEWORK
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DEAR PARENTS,

The Diwali break is a wonderful time for children to celebrate the Festival of Lights with their families, explore their cultural heritage, and relax before the final part of the academic year. We've designed the holiday work to be simple, enjoyable, and a valuable opportunity for family bonding.

Here are a few tips for parents to act as a facilitator to help your child enjoy this festive break while maintaining a balance between celebration and learning.

- Make sure you are spending quality time with your wards as a family to share the joy of the festival.
- Share stories about the significance of Diwali and its moral values, like the triumph of good over evil.
- Motivate them to read good books when they have quiet time amidst the festivities.
- Encourage and help your child in shouldering responsibilities in household chores related to the festival preparations (like simple cleaning, decorating, or helping with sweets). This will aid them to be independent.
- Keeping in view the festive mood, indulge yourself in various traditional games or new indoor games with them.
- Encourage the child to wish everyone a 'Happy Diwali' and talk respectfully with all family members and elders.
- Motivate the child to use polite words such as 'Please', 'Thank You', 'Sorry', 'May I' in all their interactions.
- Revise the work done in the classes to keep them in touch with their academics.

Please note: Use resources (rough notebook) only which are available at home to complete all holiday work including project work. Prepare a systematic timetable and follow it religiously from the very first day. Allow them to complete homework on their own under your guidance.

Make these holidays memorable for the young learners by providing a nurtured and stimulated environment at home which is full of celebration, learning, and family warmth. Wish you all a very safe, prosperous, and joyous Diwali!



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S. No	Subject	Homework	Teacher Name
1.	English	1.Read chapters-11, 12, and 13 carefully from the grammar book the answers are attached. Please fill them in the book. 2.We will read all the chapters again when you come back after the Diwali vacations.	Ms. Heena Pant (+917409004889)
2.	Hindi	हिंदी पाठमाला - 1.पाठ - 9 'बहादुर' के शब्द-अर्थ हिंदी की पाठ्यपुस्तिका में लिखकर याद करें। व्याकरण - 1.आप अपने नाना जी को दिवाली के उत्सव की बधाई देते हुए लगभग 150 शब्दों में एक पत्र हिंदी व्याकरण की पुस्तिका में लिखें।	Ms. Lucky (+919984030022) Mr. Sankalp
3.	Maths	1.Do the given worksheets.	Mr. Mohit (+919540173893) Mr. Shubham (+916307211325)
4.	Science	1.Draw a Concept Map of chapter 4 in your biology notebook	Ms. Sakshi (+919870937753)
5.	Social Science	History 1.Learn all very short and short question answers of Lesson 4 (Colonialism and Tribal Societies) and write them neatly in your notebook. Civics 1.Learn all very short and short question answers of Lesson 4 (Understanding Laws) and write them neatly in your notebook.	Mr. Shyam (+917428944459) Ms. Shivani (+919756262003)
6.	Computer	1.Write a note on Robotics and Artificial Intelligence. (You can take hint from Ch-8 :- Introduction to Robotics) 2.Write a program to find the Modulus of two numbers in python. Also take the inputs from the user at run time by using input() function. 3.Write the python program to find the greater number by using Conditional Statements.	Ms. Meenakshi (+919050362548)

GRAMMAR

11. Conditionals

A. 1. Type 4 2. Type 4 3. Type 1 4. Type 3 5. Type 5 6. Type 1 7. Type 3 8. Type 5 9. Type 5 10. Type 3

- B. 1. If these shoes fit my feet, I will buy them.
2. If he were a tutor, he would earn lot of money.
3. I would earn a lot of money, if I get that job.
4. If she doesn't hurry up, we will miss the bus.
5. If he tries harder, he will reach his goals.
6. If you switch on the lights, you will not fall.
7. If we had seen you, we would have waited.
8. If you drop the vase, it will break.
9. If I hadn't studied, I wouldn't have passed the exam.
10. We will lose the match if we don't play well.

- C. 1. you would have succeeded
2. I will be surprised
3. the shops would have been open
4. he will lead a fulfilling life
5. you put in more effort
6. he had the necessary qualifications
7. I would have achieved better results
8. customers will be more likely to make purchases
9. people would trust him more

12. Active and Passive Voice

- A. 1. The bell is rung by the teacher.
2. I am vexed by your behaviour.
3. All the flowers are plucked by someone in the evening.
4. A good joke is loved by everyone.
5. The door must be shut.
6. They are usually helped with the difficult questions by the teacher.
7. A book is bought by Neena's aunt every month.
8. By whom is English spoken here?
- B. 1. The lion was chasing the deer.
2. Has the police caught the thief?
3. The forecast is for heavy rains tomorrow.
4. Has someone extinguished the fire?
5. She has written a novel.
6. Has he seen a bird?
7. Will you sign the letters?
8. Admission was refused to him.
- C. are broken, are added, is heated, is poured, are spooned, is decorated
- D. 1. A beggar is being helped to cross the road by a boy.
2. A new song is being sung at the competition by the choir.
3. The leak in the pipe is being repaired by the plumber.
4. Vegetables are being bought by my mother.
5. A new car has been bought by me.
6. The table has been pushed into a corner by the boys.

7. The staff has been praised for their efforts by the headmaster.
8. The wall will have been built by the mason.
9. By the end of the month, the shop will have been demolished by the bulldozer.
10. The car will have been repaired by the owners by the next day.

E. 1. has been insulted 2. is fascinated 3. had been invited 4. was dispersed 5. be explained 6. was declared 7. has been selected 8. were displayed 9. were opened 10. was checked [The verb in brackets, (check), is missing in this sentence.]

- F. 1. Send an email to the committee members.
2. Let the doors and windows be shut.
 3. The notice should be put up.
 4. The teachers should be informed by the principal.
 5. Respect the aged.
 6. You are requested to speak softly.
 7. Let the lights be switched off.
 8. The instructions should be read carefully.
 9. Your duty should be done by you.
 10. Let the post be advertised.
 11. He will write the application.
 12. Don't blow the whistle.

13. Direct and Indirect Speech

- A. 1. My mother told me that she had finished watching the serial.
2. The teacher said that all the students would bring their pencils the next day.
 3. Rajesh said that he had written that letter the previous day.
 4. The principal announced that there would be many scholarships offered the following year.
 5. Kirti said that she had kept her keys in the drawer the previous week.
 6. He told me that he could help me.
 7. My father told me that I should study for six hours every day,
 8. The policeman said that the knife had been lying in that corner.
 9. Karan told his mother that she could keep the money.
 10. Sunita told me that she was not enjoying her work very much.
- B. 1. She said that all that glitters is not gold.
2. The clerk told me that I should buy the form that day as that was the last form available.
 3. The doctor advised me that I was quite fat so I needed to exercise every day.
 4. The teacher said that the moon revolves around the earth.
 5. Suman told Anita that it was very hot in Delhi in summers. Therefore, she should visit Delhi in December.
 6. The officer said that they had worked the whole day the previous day but they had not been able to finish the work that day.
 7. Mustafa told his brother that the train would leave in ten minutes and that he should get down the train.
 8. The science teacher explained that there are many stars in the cosmos.
 9. My father advised me that I must work hard, if I wanted to get more than 90% marks.
 10. She complained that that dog had been barking for the last two hours.
- C. 1. Milan warned me not to cross the railway track.
2. She asked me to bring her my English book.
 3. He asked me not to sleep on that bed.
 4. The officer ordered the soldiers to open the fire.

5. The officer commanded the soldiers to leave their post.
6. Nilisha requested her to give her cellphone for a day.
7. Kranti asked you not to keep your shoes there.
8. The police warned the students not to enter the gate.

D. 1. He asked me when I had come to Lucknow.

2. He asked me where I stayed in Mumbai.
3. He asked me if I was happy in Mumbai.
4. He asked me if I travelled by bus to office.
5. He asked me if I was happy with my job.
6. He asked me who cooked my food.
7. He asked me if I could have dinner with him that day.
8. He asked me what time I went to office.

E. 1. She asked me if I had counted the chairs.

2. Rita asked Saushi whether she had met Sohan the previous day.
3. Roshan asked me if it was raining outside.
4. The teacher asked Mukesh if he could bring the books to his/ her room.
5. I asked Asha if she would attend the party the next day.
6. He enquired why she couldn't speak to the principal.
7. They asked Manohar how he could have met the minister the previous day.
8. The Director enquired how many people had been sitting in the hall.
9. My mother asked me what I would have at breakfast the following day.
10. He enquired when the next flight would arrive.

F. 1. She requested for some coffee.

2. The teacher cautioned them to be careful and not to make so many mistakes in future.
3. The patient requested the doctor for some medicine.
4. The stranger pleaded with Rattan for help in God's name as he didn't have any friends there.
5. The principal ordered the students not to stand there.
6. The servant begged his master to pardon him.

G. 1. My aunt exclaimed with excitement that I looked so young.

2. The teacher lamented to the student that it was a pity he/she had missed his/her first division by only one mark.
3. The shopkeeper exclaimed with joy that they had won the lottery.
4. The mother expressed disbelief to her son he was there.
5. The passenger exclaimed with relief that he/she was saved after the train accident.

H. 1. The son asked if we/I had seen a balloon rising high up in the sky.

2. The boy inquired from his mother where they were going.
3. She asked me whether I would like to go with them.
4. The teacher informed the students that she/he would give them a test in English the next day.
5. Rahul told his friend that he had visited his parents at the weekend.
6. He mentioned that he could read when he was three.
7. The security guard warned to beware of dogs.
8. The mother advised her dear son not to tell a lie.
9. George told his Indian friend that he had never tasted dosa before.
10. The stranger asked me if I could tell him/her where Rahul lived.

- I. 1. My brother suggested, "Why don't you apply for a bank loan?"
2. Father said, "We should always help the poor."
3. Apurva said, "I went skiing a year ago."
4. Harpreet said to me, "I was cooking when the phone rang."
5. Mr Mukesh said, "Be regular about your classes."
6. Manoj said, "I saw a science fiction movie last week."
7. My sister said, "Please lend me your blue shirt."
8. Janaki said, "I am feeling very sad today."
9. Parveen said, "I will return the library books tomorrow."
10. Sudhir said, "I waited three hours for you today."

Maths

Diwali Homework Worksheets

Day 1 – Understanding Percentages

1. Convert to percentage:

- a) $\frac{1}{4}$ b) $\frac{3}{8}$ c) $\frac{7}{10}$ d) $\frac{2}{5}$

2. Express as fractions:

- a) 25% b) 60% c) 12.5% d) 80%

3. Find the percentage of the quantity:

- a) 25% of 240
b) 12.5% of 960
c) 6% of 500

4. Out of 400 students, 320 passed. Find the pass percentage.

5. A test has 50 questions. A student answers 42 correctly. Find the percentage of correct answers. Convert 0.85 into a percentage.

6. Convert 150% into a fraction and decimal form.

7. A student scored 180 out of 240 marks. Find their percentage. Out of 800 voters, 60% voted. How many people voted?

8. Increase 240 by 25% and then decrease it by 20%. Find the final value.

Day 2 – Applications of Percentage

1. A shirt costs ₹800 and is sold at a 10% discount. Find the selling price.
2. The population of a town increased from 20,000 to 25,000. Find the percentage increase. A student scored 360 marks out of 500. Find the percentage.
3. Find 35% of ₹2,400.
4. The price of a fan is ₹3,000. It is increased by 10%. Find the new price.
5. A man spent 75% of his salary. If his salary is ₹12,000, find how much he saved.
6. A bottle is labeled as “25% extra.” If the original quantity is 2 liters, find the new volume. A book’s price is reduced from ₹480 to ₹420. Find the percentage decrease.
7. Out of 500 students, 300 are boys. Find the percentage of girls.
8. If a pen costs ₹40 after a 20% discount, find its marked price.

Day 3 – Simple Interest Concepts

1. Write the formula for simple interest and amount.
2. Find simple interest: $P = ₹5,000$, $R = 8\%$, $T = 3$ years. Find simple interest: $P = ₹3,600$, $R = 10\%$, $T = 2.5$ years.
3. In how many years will ₹2,400 produce ₹240 as interest at 5% p.a.? At what rate per annum will ₹3,000 earn ₹450 in 3 years?
4. Find the amount: $P = ₹1,800$, $R = 12\%$, $T = 2$ years. Find the simple interest on ₹2,500 at 9% p.a. for 4 years.
5. A person borrowed ₹6,000 for 2 years at 10% p.a. Find the total amount. If ₹750 becomes ₹900 in 2 years, find the rate of interest.
6. Rohit invested ₹1,200 at 5% p.a. How much interest will he get after 3 years?

Day 4 – Word Problems on Interest

1. A sum of ₹5,000 is lent at 8% p.a. for 3 years. Find the interest and amount.
2. A man borrowed ₹7,500 for 4 years at 12% p.a. Find the total amount he has to pay. For how much time will ₹2,000 earn ₹400 at 10% p.a.?
3. Find the simple interest on ₹4,200 at 7.5% for 2 years.
4. The interest on ₹2,500 for a certain time at 4% is ₹200. Find the time.
5. Riya borrowed ₹8,000 for 3 years. If she paid ₹9,920, what was the rate of interest? What is the amount on ₹10,000 at 6% p.a. for 5 years?
6. Find the principal if the interest is ₹1,080 for 3 years at 6%. A loan of ₹1,200 becomes ₹1,320 in 2 years. Find the rate.
7. Find the total amount and interest if $P = ₹2,000$, $R = 8\%$, $T = 5$ years.

Day 5 – Mixed Practice (Percentage + Interest)

1. A shopkeeper gives 15% discount on a chair marked ₹2,000. Find the selling price. A sum of ₹5,000 is lent at 9% p.a. for 3 years. Find the simple interest.
2. A bicycle costs ₹4,500 and is sold for ₹5,175. Find the profit percentage.
3. A product's price increased by 20% and then decreased by 10%. Find the net percent change. Find amount if $P = ₹2,000$, $R = 10\%$, $T = 2$ years.
4. The population of a town increased by 10% to 27,500. Find its previous population. ₹ 8,000 becomes ₹9,200 in 2 years. Find the rate of interest.
6. A trader marked an item ₹4,800 and offered 20% discount. Find selling price. Find simple interest for ₹6,000 at 12% for $1\frac{1}{2}$ years.
7. A student's mark improved from 60% to 75%. Find percentage increase in marks.