



## CLASS NOTES-ANSWERS

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### Vocabulary

Choose the correct meaning for each proverb

1. Curiosity Killed the cat.

- ✓ It is dangerous to carry out necessary investigation.
- Those who talk a lot do not do more work.

2. An idle mind is the devil's workshop.

- One who has nothing to do is very intelligent.
- ✓ One who has nothing to do will be tempted to do some mischief or the other.

3. Empty vessels make the most noise.

- ✓ People who have little knowledge usually talk the most.
- A person who does not get what he/she wants can be easily provoked to rage.

4. Fools rush in where angels fear to tread.

- A person who never settles in one place will not succeed in life.
- ✓ Foolish people often do or say things without thinking about the consequences.

5. A stitch in time saves nine.



- It is easier to find fault with other people's actions than to do something properly.
- ✓ It is better to act upon or deal with problems immediately to save extra work later on.

6. The darkest hour is just before dawn.

- ✓ The most difficult period is just before a solution is found.
- The most trying time of the day is just before the sun rises.

A. Identify these sentences and write **D** for declarative, **I** for Interrogative, **Im** for Imperative and **E** for Exclamatory sentences.

1. What a great example P V Sindhu is to the youngsters? **E**
2. Mary Kom was interested in boxing. **D**
3. Dhyani Chand joined the Indian Army at the age of sixteen. **D**
4. Don't go out to play without having your dinner. **Im**
5. When did Sindhu receive the Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award? **I**
6. How wonderfully has Mary Kom performed in the Commonwealth Games! **E**
7. Where will the Olympics Games be held next? **I**
8. Are all players ready for the tournament? **I**

B. Arrange the words in the right order to form sentences. Remember to use the correct punctuation. Write **D** for declarative, **I** for Interrogative,



Im for Imperative and E for Exclamatory sentences. Punctuate as necessary.

1. a performance was it wonderful D

**Answer:** It was a wonderful performance.

2. tomorrow have shall we the meeting. I

**Answer:** Shall we have the meeting tomorrow?

3. hurt not playing while do yourself D

**Answer:** Do not hurt yourself while playing.

4. is song how melodious this E

**Answer:** How melodious this song is!

5. They did postpone match the why I

**Answer:** Why did they postpone the match?

6. Wonderful played saina Nehwal what shot a by was E

**Answer:** What a wonderful shot was played by Saina Nehwal!

7. directions the follow carefully Im

**Answer:** Follow the directions carefully.

8. players the fans into ran meet the field to the D

**Answer:** The fans ran into the field to meet the players.

**C. Do as directed.**

1. Priya is learning to play the guitar. (Change to interrogative sentence.)



**Answer:** Is Priya learning to play the guitar?

2. Was Jurassic Park directed by Steven Spielberg? (Change to declarative sentence.)

**Answer:** Jurassic Park was directed by Steven Spielberg.

3. This is a lovely dress. (Change to exclamatory sentence.)

**Answer:** What a lovely dress this is!

4. Are there twelve months in a year? (Change to declarative sentence.)

**Answer:** There are twelve months in a year.

5. It was a wonderful sight. (Change to exclamatory sentence.)

**Answer:** What a wonderful sight it was!

6. Isn't wisdom better than riches? (Change to declarative sentence.)

**Answer:** Wisdom is better than riches.

7. Will you shut the door? (Change to imperative sentence.)

**Answer:** Please shut the door (or) Shut the door.

8. The door is open. (Change to interrogative sentence.)

**Answer:** Is the door open?

## Listening

Tick the correct statements.

- Badminton originated as the game of shuttlecock and battledoer.
- It was played in the United States.



- Badminton House in Gloucestershire is the ancestral home of the Duke of Beaufort.
- The membership of the IBF increased after the Olympics Games in Beijing.
- The first major IBF tournament was the Thomas Cup.
- Since 1948, the number of world events has increased to seven.
- The Uber Cup is for ladies only.

### Speaking

Think about a time when you went on an adventure trip with your friends. Narrate your experience. You can also talk about any other interesting experiences that you might have had in this trip.

Answer:

#### Salty Tea – Refreshing or Different

I vividly remember the trek I went with the members of the Adventure Club of our school during the summer holidays. I was initially very excited about the trip as it was the first time I was permitted to go on the trek. It was a three-day trip. The trek up the mountains was exhausting but quite exhilarating. Our Club coordinator who was very strict insisted that we should keep picking up any paper or toffee wrappers that we found on the way and put them in a bag that each of us was provided with for the purpose. We camped in the evening in an open space where we enjoyed hot tea and sandwiches under the star-studded sky. All the students of



Class 6 were in charge of preparing the tea and we thought that we had prepared it really well when we were in for a shock. Imagine our dismay when the tea that we had so lovingly served was discarded. We were told that we had added salt instead of sugar to the tea and needless to say, our teacher was quite angry with our carelessness. I think she thought we had made the mistake deliberately. We made amends by preparing the tea again without a murmur and once it won the approval of the teachers, we were forgiven but the incident has never been forgotten by any of our seniors. Every now and then, we are teased mercilessly for daring to add salt to make tea more palatable and refreshing.

## Spelling

Fill in the blanks with -sion or -tion to complete the words.

1. abbreviation
2. concession
3. depression
4. denomination
5. dimension
6. absorption
7. abduction
8. suspension

## Punctuation

Punctuate this passage appropriately. Correct any other error that you may spot.

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clay-court player in history Nadal's expertise in the game has established him as one of the greatest tennis players of all time recognising that Nadal had a natural talent for tennis his uncle Toni Nadal a former professional tennis player introduced him to tennis when he was three years old

### Answer:

Rafael Nadal Parera, born on 3 June 1986, is a Spanish professional tennis player. He is known as the king of clay and he is widely regarded as the greatest clay-court player in history. Nadal's expertise in the game has established him as one of the best tennis players of all time. Recognising that Nadal had a natural talent for tennis, his uncle Toni Nadal, a former professional tennis player, introduced him to tennis when he was three years old.

### Writing

Imagine that you have won the inter-school table tennis tournament. Write a diary entry of that memorable day, bringing out your initial feelings of nervousness, the gradual gaining of confidence and finally the joy at the incredible victory. You can refer to the format given in the poem, 'If I Were an Astronaut'.

### Answer:

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When I woke up this morning, I never realised that the day was going to be one of happiness and excitement. I reached school early in the morning in



my sports uniform, nervous and at the same time thrilled. I was going to represent my school in the inter-school table tennis tournament for the first time. I shyly walked up to my sports teachers, greeted them, and joined the other players. I listened attentively to what our teachers had to say and when I stepped into my place, I could feel the butterflies in my stomach. The game began, and we started playing enthusiastically. My opponent was very aggressive and well trained. When it was half time, she had scored two points and I had scored none. I wondered whether I had a chance at all, but then I remembered what our teachers had always told us. 'If you try, you can do it'. I now started playing with renewed zeal and before my rival could realise what had hit her, I had scored three points in quick succession. When the match finally ended, I had scored five points and she had three. As the chief guest handed over the trophy to me, I was cheered by my friends, school mates and our teachers. The impossible had been achieved. I had beaten my archrival hollow and now there was no looking back. I was the champion!

### My Word Bank

The word 'blocking' related to boxing. Find four more words related to this sport. Write them in the space provided.

1. count out
2. bout
3. cross
4. guard