

BRAIN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

English Revision Sheet

Class: IX

2024-2025

Literature

Q.1. Answer the following in 60-70 words.

- a. How does Evelyn Glennie's passion for music inspire others to overcome challenges?
- b. Why does Kezia's father seem strict initially, and what incidents reveal his softer side?
- c. How did Einstein's theory of relativity impact our understanding of the universe?
- d. What challenges did Santosh Yadav face during her mountaineering expeditions, and how did she overcome them?
- e. How does Gerrard's presence of mind reflect his intelligence and composure?
- f. What role does Iswaran's vivid imagination play in making his stories engaging?
- g. How does the behaviour of the king and his ministers show the consequences of blind foolishness?
- h. In what ways does the narrator's experience of rebuilding his home teach him resilience in 'A House is not a Home'.
- i. How does Sergei's confrontation with Lushkoff lead to a life-changing transformation for the latter?

Q.2. Answer the following in 100-120 words.

- a. Describe how the poet uses the sound of rain to evoke feelings of nostalgia and comfort in the poem 'Rain on the Roof'
- b. Analyze the poet's longing for simplicity and solitude as expressed in 'The Lake Isle of Innisfree.'
- c. Discuss how the greedy woman's actions in 'A Legend of the Northland' lead to her downfall, and what this tells us about human nature.
- d. How does the poet stress the need for unity and harmony among people in 'No Men Are Foreign'?
- e. Examine the metaphorical significance of the tree's destruction in 'On Killing a Tree.'
- f. How does the poet convey a sense of eternity in nature through 'A Slumber Did My Spirit Seal'?

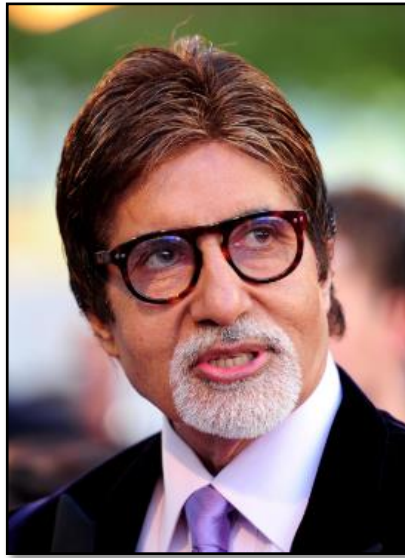
Writing Skills

Q.1. Complete the story in 100-120 words.

The small village had always been peaceful, until one stormy night when a mysterious letter appeared at everyone's doorstep, signed by....

Q.2. Due to office renovations, you worked from home and found time to address pending chores. Write a diary entry in 100-120 words sharing how you made the most of this situation and made the day productive. You are Anuj/Aashi.

Q.3. Write a descriptive paragraph in 100-120 words on this famous celebrity.



Hints:

- Born: October 11, 1942, in Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh.
- Father: Harivansh Rai Bachchan, a renowned poet.
- Degree: Kirori Mal College, University of Delhi.
- Began career in Kolkata as a freight broker before entering the film industry.
- Debuted film: *Saat Hindustani* (1969).
- Rose to fame with *Zanjeer* (1973), earning the title "Angry Young Man."
- Starred in iconic films like *Sholay*, *Deewar*, *Don*, and *Kabhi Kabhie*.
- Faced a career slump but made a successful comeback with *Kaun Banega Crorepati* (2000).
- Married Jaya Bhaduri, a celebrated actress, in 1973.
- Awarded the Padma Shri, Padma Bhushan, and Padma Vibhushan for contributions to Indian cinema.

Q.4. Describe a place that holds special significance to you. What makes it unique, and how does it make you feel when you visit?

Hints:

- Focus on the key features that make the place memorable.
- Mention the atmosphere and any personal feelings or experiences tied to it.