

**SADHU VASWANI INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS**  
**SHANTI NIKETAN, NEW DELHI**  
**CLASS V- SUMMER HOLIDAY HOMEWORK (2025-26)**  
**HOLIDAYS WITH CREATIVE FUN AND FROLIC**

Summertime is always the best of what might be. It brings with it the ever-smiling sun, ice-creams, shakes and lots of fun. Summer Vacation is a time for fun and frolic and an opportunity to bring you some constructive activities to enhance your learning process. The most awaited time of the year is here!

In 2025, the United Nations has declared two important international observances to address pressing global concerns: the International Year of Glaciers' Preservation and the International Year of Cooperatives. These declarations aim to raise awareness, foster international cooperation, and promote action on critical environmental and socio-economic issues.

The UN General Assembly proclaimed 2025 as the **International Year of Glaciers' Preservation** in recognition of the vital role glaciers play in regulating the Earth's climate, supporting biodiversity, and providing freshwater for millions of people. This declaration highlights the urgent need to address the alarming rate at which glaciers are melting due to global warming.

In a separate declaration, the UN has named 2025 the **International Year of Cooperatives**, under the theme **"Cooperatives Build a Better World."** This observance underscores the crucial role cooperatives play in advancing sustainable development, social equity, and economic resilience.

Bearing these themes in mind, the school has designed special tasks to ignite your thought process and make you aware of the global concerns and national events. Unleash your creativity and take pride as we embark on this journey of celebrating this theme. Together, let us strive for more equitable, prosperous, and sustainable world for present and future generations.

Do remember to complete the given tasks after reading them carefully. Ensure that your work is neat, presentable, and innovative and conforms to the guidelines.

Here are some more suggestions that we feel will make your vacation more enjoyable:

1. Try to take up a summer activity, spend some time doing yoga, exercise, meditation etc. for mental health and physical fitness.
2. Perform weekend cleanliness tasks as given in the school Calendar.
3. Read to discover new things. Here is a list of suggested reading:
  - i. Chipko takes root <https://storyweaver.org.in/en/stories/8905-chipko-takes-root>
  - ii. A Trick Trike <https://monkeypen.com/blogs/news/a-trick-trike-free-children-book>
  - iii. Read the newspaper daily.
  - iv. स्वामी विवेकानंद की प्रेरक कहानियाँ :-  
[https://www.hindisoch.com/swami-vivekananda-life-story-in-hindi/#google\\_vignette](https://www.hindisoch.com/swami-vivekananda-life-story-in-hindi/#google_vignette)
  - v. पंचतंत्र की कहानियाँ:-<https://thesimplehelp.com/panchatantra-stories-in-hindi/>
4. Try to converse in English with your parents, siblings, friends and relatives, as it will improve your proficiency in this language.
5. Improve your handwriting by practicing daily.

**ENGLISH**

**Task 1**

**a. Frozen Legacy- Acrostic Fun! (For Roll No. 1-20)**

On an A3 size sheet of any colour, compose a fun acrostic poem using the letters of the word -GLACIER. Make it attractive with colourful pictures.

You can begin like this-

G- Glistening white in the mountain high,

L-

A-

C-

I-

E-

R-

**b. Cooperative Word Wall (For Roll No. 21 onwards)**

**Cooperatives show us how working together can help everyone achieve more. Lets build our vocabulary about cooperatives.**

On a chart paper, create a 'Word Wall' with 10 words related to cooperatives.

Example: *teamwork, share etc.*

**Add:** Meanings and one sentence using each word.

**Task 2**

**Mastering the Parts of Speech: Flip, Learn and Create!**

Create a flipbook with each tab labelled with one of the 8 Parts of Speech:

- Noun
- Pronoun
- Verb
- Adjective
- Adverb
- Preposition
- Conjunction
- Interjection

**GUIDELINES:**

- Include the following inside each tab:
  - Definition
  - 3-5 examples
  - A simple sentence using the part of speech
  - A mini drawing or illustration
- Use an old desk calendar.
- Design an attractive border.
- Draw relevant pictures.
- Use attention-grabbing colours.

**SAMPLE OF A FLIPBOOK:**



**Task 3 -**

Read the Extensive Reading Book- 'The Merchant of Venice' by William Shakespeare.

## हिंदी

कार्य (1).विश्व के प्रमुख ग्लेशियरों पर पोस्टर के रूप में एक सचित्र प्रस्तुति तैयार कीजिए।  
(संकेत बिंदु:- ए-4 आकार का रंगीन कागज़, चित्र, जानकारी आदि।)

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कार्य (2).ग्लेशियरों के संरक्षण हेतु किए गए उपायों का उल्लेख करते हुए  
एक चित्रात्मक अलबम का निर्माण कीजिए। (संकेत बिंदु:- रंगीन कागज़, चित्र, अलबम का  
नाप - 6 x 6 इंच आदि।)

### THE WORLD AROUND US

#### Task-1

'Mould it to change a bit' Rising global temperatures are causing glaciers to melt and retreat at an alarming rate. This poses a threat to water resources, sea levels, and ecosystems. You are a member of Environment club in your school, keeping in mind the above impact of climatic change, do the following tasks as per your Roll No. –  
1. Roll No. 1-20 - create a 3D Logo on existing water co-operative society or for a startup society.

OR

3D working Model on glaciers.

2. Roll No. 21 onwards- design a 3D logo for SVISG Eco club fostering climate change.

OR

3D working Model on glaciers.

Material which can be used are beads, stones, cotton, wool, old cloth, cardboard, hardboards for the base of logo or model, clay, POP etc. (thermocool is strictly prohibited)

Samples



#### Task-2 Snowga: Yoga for glaciers

Yoga fosters a deeper connection with the body and the surrounding environment. This can lead to a greater appreciation for the natural world and a stronger desire to protect it, including glaciers. Yoga was performed on Siachen Glacier on International Yoga Day, 2024

Imagine that you undertook a journey to the Himalayas and you have unforgettable memories of the place. Encourage your friend to take a trip to the Himalayas to experience the yoga retreats on International Yoga Day and understand the impact of climate change on glaciers by designing a pamphlet on an A-3 size sheet highlighting the importance of yoga by depicting 4 "snowga" poses given below and write your suggestions for mitigating the melting of glaciers to generate awareness and good health. Design a pamphlet and practice any 4 of the given yoga poses under supervision of your parents and as instructed by the yoga teacher in the class.

1. Ardhashandra asana (Half-moon pose)
2. Adhomukhasvan asana (Down dog)
3. Tadasana (Mountain pose)
4. Utkatasana( Chair pose)
5. Virbhadrasana II (Warrior II)
6. Parivratasuryayantr asana (Compass pose)

## **MATHS**

The International Year of Glaciers Preservation is a global campaign started by the United Nations to spread awareness about saving glaciers.

Glaciers give us fresh water and help cool the Earth. But because of global warming, glaciers are melting at an alarming rate.

Let's protect glaciers, save water, and take care of our planet for future generations.

### **TASK-1:** Build a Glacier Scene with Shapes!

Create a glacier scene drawing on an A3 size sheet and paste it on cardboard to give it a firm base and a 3D effect.

Use different 2D and 3D shapes to design a beautiful glacier landscape.

Be creative! You can include:

- Triangles for mountains or glacier peaks.
- Rectangles/Squares for ice blocks and glaciers.
- Circles for the sun.
- Spheres grouped together (like cotton balls) for clouds.
- Cylinders/Cubes for 3D ice blocks or igloos.
- Spheres for snowballs.

Label each shape on the drawing with its name (e.g., Triangle–Mountain).

Create a Shape table shown below on an A4 size sheet related to your Glacier Scene.

Name of Glacier Element	Shape	Number of Shapes Used	Number of Sides/Faces	Number of Vertices	2D or 3D

### **TASK-2:** 'My Fitness Estimation Challenge'

Go to an open area or playground and perform these five sports activities: throwing a ball, jumping rope, running (steps/laps), sit-ups, and jumping jacks.

- Estimate how many times you can do each activity in 1 minute.
- Perform each activity for 1 minute and count the actual number.
- Record your observations in the table below on an A4 size sheet.

Activity Performed	Date on which Activity was performed	Estimated Count (in 1 minute)	Actual Count (in 1 minute)	Difference (Actual – Estimated)

### **Key Points to keep in mind during outdoor Sports Activities in Summer:**

**\*Stay Hydrated**

**\*Avoid Peak Heat Hours**

**\*Take Breaks**

**\*Dress Appropriately**

**\*Eat Light**

**\*Use Proper Footwear**

**Stay Safe! Stay Strong! Stay Active!**

## **COMPUTER EDUCATION**

Explore the unique perspectives and create interactive ‘**audio/video podcast**’ or ‘**Mini Documentary**’ using Canva / Power point / Paint 3 D / any other open-source software on any one of the topics of your choice.

- Climate Change – Mountain Glaciers
- Showcasing role of ‘cooperatives’ in sustainable development to build a better future
- How to stay safe online?

**Note:**Share the podcast/documentary in mp4 format on the email ID given below: **computerassignments@svisgdelhi.com** with your name, class and section in the subject line.