



DELHI INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL EDGE
Holiday Homework 2024-25
Class - VIII

Dear Children,

Summer vacation is here, bringing with it a mix of relaxation and learning opportunities.

Your teachers have prepared engaging projects and assignments to keep your mind active and deepen your understanding of different subjects. Take your time to explore these tasks, as they are designed to enhance your academic skills while you enjoy your break. Happy Holidays!



Guidelines for students:

1. Remember to hand in your assignments promptly once school resumes. Your effort in completing them well will be recognized and appreciated.
2. Review the subjects covered by your teachers in the new session to reinforce your understanding.
3. Dive into the world of literature by exploring novels, short stories, travelogues, and other enriching reads.
4. Engage in a fulfilling activity at home, such as sketching, painting, learning a musical instrument, gardening, or anything else that brings you joy and excitement.
5. "Life devoid of reflection is akin to squandered opportunity; to enrich it, we must cultivate the art of introspection. To refine our skill in reflection, engage in the following exercise."

EXERCISE FOR SELF REFLECTIONS- MANDATE

1. To maintain a positive attitude and create energy, what are the "Three things you do" before you step out for a task?
2. What are the "Ten positive words" you have spoken in the last 24 hours?
3. What are the "Three qualities" you appreciate in people (Your family members and school community)?
4. What makes you think that you love yourself?
5. Read the newspaper daily to empower yourself with knowledge and general awareness.
6. Maintain a Daily Journal of the points 1-4, including new words. Also, read the newspaper for upgrading your current affairs.
 - Let your parents acknowledge your journal each day with their signatures. Your journal should be like handwriting practice to inculcate the benefits of handwritten notes because it improves attention, comprehension, and results.

HAPPY AND HAPPENING SUMMER BREAK!

Enjoy and take care of yourself!

With Love
Class Teacher

Some useful tips for summer vacation

- Make sure to maintain a balanced diet with ample water intake. Incorporate citrus fruits such as oranges, lemons, grapes, and vitamin C-rich vegetables. Don't forget to include sources of vitamin D like cheese and egg yolks, along with zinc-rich foods like legumes, lentils, beans, and nuts in your meals. Your body will benefit from these nourishing choices!
- Practice some yoga and breathing exercises.
(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ho9uttOZdOQ>)
(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PmBYdfv5RSk>)
- Take the lead in promoting health within yourself, your school, your family, and your community. Adopt healthy habits such as coughing and sneezing into a tissue or your elbow, and refrain from touching your nose, face, eyes, and mouth. Share your knowledge of disease prevention with your family and friends, particularly with younger children, to contribute to a healthier environment for all.
- Make Sunday a "family Funday" and indulge in cleaning your home with the help of parents.
- Water the plants and rejoice in the beauty of nature.
- Contribute to the well-being of wildlife by keeping a water bowl in your garden or balcony for thirsty birds. Observing and caring for our feathered friends can be a rewarding experience, fostering empathy and environmental stewardship.



SUMMER HOLIDAY HOMEWORK

"Let knowledge be your passport to adventure during this holiday break."



Prelude:

Welcome to the enchanting Andaman and Nicobar Islands, where turquoise waters gently kiss shimmering white beaches, all framed by lush mangrove forests and untouched jungles. Embark on a journey to paradise, where every corner whispers tales of natural splendor and tranquility. Discover the allure of these pristine islands, beckoning travelers from across the globe to immerse themselves in the breathtaking beauty of Incredible India.

Roll No. 1 to 5

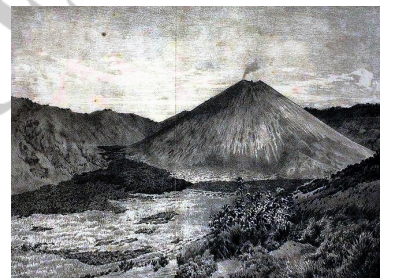
Stepping into the **Cellular Jail** feels like stepping onto the sets of vintage Hindi patriotic films, evoking memories of classics like "Kala Paani." Despite its historical context, one anticipates a somber atmosphere within the prison walls, only to be greeted by the unexpected sight of a luminous, sunlit courtyard.



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Roll No. 6-10

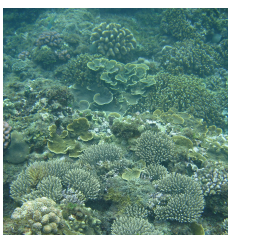
Barren Island, situated approximately 135 km south of Port Blair, the capital of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, hosts India's sole confirmed active volcano. This island, nestled amidst the seismically active tectonic plates of the Andaman Sea, remains a distant spectacle visible only from ships. Strict regulations prohibit any disembarkation onto its shores.



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Roll No. 11-15

In the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, lies a haven for **coral enthusiasts**: a sanctuary boasting over 560 coral species, each a kaleidoscope of vibrant hues and shapes. These tiny organisms, with their remarkable ability to secrete massive calcareous skeletons, collaboratively create awe-inspiring colonies. Covering approximately 2,000 sq km, about six percent of the islands' total area, the coral reefs enchant with their diversity. Fringing reefs adorn the eastern shores, while barrier reefs grace the western, collectively painting a picturesque panorama.



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Roll No. 16-20

Chattam Saw Mill stands proudly as one of Asia's oldest and largest sawmills, tracing its roots back to 1883 when it was established to cater to the local demand for sawn timber. Over the years, it has borne witness to a rich tapestry of history, surviving even a Japanese bombing during attempted invasion. Today, under the stewardship of the State Government, the mill continues to operate, its surroundings adorned with vast piles of timber logs. Within its premises lies a museum, showcasing the exquisite wooden crafts crafted by skilled artisans, alongside displays of flora and fauna. Visitors are treated to an immersive experience, witnessing firsthand the intricate manufacturing processes that transform hefty logs into delicate, intricate pieces of wood.



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Roll No. 21-25

Nestled at the southernmost tip of the South Andaman Island, **Chidiya Tapu**, also known as Bird Island, is a verdant haven adorned with lush mangrove forests, offering sanctuary to a myriad of avian species. Located just 28 km away from the capital, Port Blair, this eco-park beckons visitors with its diverse attractions. Regular bus services connect Port Blair to Chidiya Tapu, ensuring easy access for enthusiasts. Beyond its reputation as a birdwatcher's paradise, the island boasts picturesque picnic spots, meandering trekking trails, and breathtaking sunset vistas. The biological park within Chidiya Tapu showcases a rich tapestry of flora and fauna, captivating nature enthusiasts. Sunset Point emerges as a highlight, offering unparalleled views of the sun gracefully descending into the expansive Bay of Bengal. Additionally, Chidiya Tapu boasts a mini zoo, adding yet another layer of intrigue to this enchanting destination.



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Roll No. 26-30

Nestled between South and Middle Andaman, **Baratang Tapu** is a hidden gem adorned with pristine beaches, winding mangrove creeks, intriguing mud-volcanoes, and mesmerizing limestone caves. Exploration of these caves, granted with permission from the Forest Department at Baratang, is facilitated under expert local guidance. Embarking from Baratang Island's Nilambur Jetty, a scenic half-hour boat ride through a sprawling creek leads to Nayadera Jetty. From there, a picturesque one-and-a-half-kilometer trek through tropical forests unveils the captivating limestone caves, offering adventurers a journey through nature's wonders.



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Roll No. 31-40

Situated approximately 29 km west of Port Blair, the **Mahatma Gandhi Marine National Park** sprawls over 281.5 sq km, encompassing a diverse landscape of open sea, winding creeks, and 15 picturesque islands. This marine sanctuary offers visitors a glimpse into the captivating world beneath the waves, showcasing rare corals and vibrant marine life. Adventurers can embark on thrilling experiences like scuba diving and snorkeling, or opt for leisurely glass-bottom boat rides to explore the underwater wonders. Guided tours, facilitated by private ferry operators from Wandoor, provide insights into the park's ecological significance. As part of these tours, tourists are

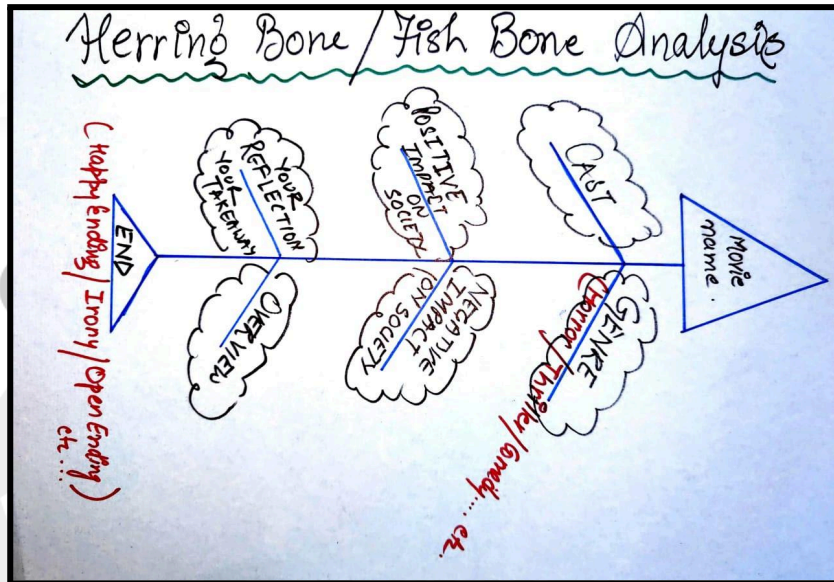


treated to a memorable visit to Jolly Buoy Island or Red Skin Island, where they can immerse themselves in the pristine beauty of nature for two and a half hours. It's recommended to carry a packed lunch and ample water to fully enjoy the experience. The establishment of the Mahatma Gandhi Marine National Park serves as a testament to the commitment to preserve marine life, particularly sea turtles and coral reefs, for generations to come.

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For All Students

Watch any one movie from the given set of movies (Dashavatar, The Legend of Gautam Buddha, The Legend of Bhagat Singh, 2012 end of the world, The Ghazi Attack) and after watching it, make a FISH BONE/ HERRING BONE diagram for reflection.



- Here's the mental math worksheet to help you maintain regularity of maths practice during the vacation period.

[8, Mental Math](#)

- Do maintain regular touch with the syllabus covered to date in all subjects.

NOTE

- **School reopens on 24th June 2024.**

- **Ensure holiday homework is submitted by 27th June 2024.**

- **Join us for the Holiday Homework Exhibition on 13th July 2024 to celebrate the students' hard work and creativity.**

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“Creating Global Heads with Hearts”