

**NORTH - EX PUBLIC SCHOOL, JAIN NAGAR**

**Periodic Test – I, 2019**

**Subject : English**

**Class : XI**

**Time: 90 minutes**

**M.M: 40 marks**

**Section A**

**(Writing and Grammar)**

1. You are Isha/ Ishaan. As the Secretary, Science Club of your school, write a notice informing students about an Inter- School Science Exhibition and encouraging them to participate in it. (6)

2. As the President, Environment Club, DAV Sr. Sec. School, Ashok Vihar, Delhi, you want to educate people about the harm done by plastics. You have organised a campaign against plastics. Prepare a suitable poster highlighting the issue. (6)

3. As the managing tutors for home coaching write out an advertisement to be published in the classified columns of a newspaper. (6)

4. There is an error in each line of the following passage. Find the error and write the correct word in your answer sheet. (4)

An elder sister come from the town to visit (a) \_\_\_\_\_

a younger one. The elder one was marry to a (b) \_\_\_\_\_

tradesman. The younger have a peasant as her husband. (c) \_\_\_\_\_

As the two drink tea and talked, the (d) \_\_\_\_\_

elder sister begin to boast and make much (e) \_\_\_\_\_

of her life in town.

5. look at the sentences given below are in a disorderly form. Reorder them to form meaningful sentences. (3)

a. forward/ man/ in/ came/ to/ great/ a/ help/ difficulties/ me.

b. watered/ not/ so far/ has/ the plants/ the gardener.

c. some/ history/ ancient/ I would/books/ look at/ like to/ Indian/ on.

## Section B

### (Textbook and Literature)

6. Read the stanza given below and then answer the questions. (3)

The cardboard shows me how it was  
When the two girl cousins were paddling  
Each one holding one of my mother's hands,  
As she the big girl ---- some twelve years or so.

#### Questions:

1. What can be seen on the cardboard?
  2. Who were the other two girls?
  3. Who is the 'big girl'?
7. Answer the following questions in 30 – 40 words. (3 x 4 = 12)
1. Why was grandmother unhappy with the city education?
  2. How did the sparrows mourn the death of the grandmother?
  3. Which tribe did Aram belong to? What was the image of his tribe?
  4. Did the boys return the horse because they were conscience stricken or because they were afraid?