

ST. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY, DEHRADUN

2ND UNIT TEST DECEMBER, 2023-24

SUBJECT: ENGLISH LANGUAGE

CLASS: VIII

M.M.: 20 TIME: 45 MINUTES

NAME OF THE STUDENT.....

CLASS/SECTION.....ROLL NO.....

ATTEMPT ALL QUESTIONS

- Q1.** Every year your school organizes The E.T. Dunne English Debate Competition. As the Activity Incharge of your school, draft a notice (in not more than 50 words) for the students of classes VI-VIII inviting them to take part in the competition. Share all the necessary details for the same. [4]
- Q2.** Write an email to the Principal of Mount Carmel Academy informing him/her about the E.T. Dunne English Debate Competition and requesting him/her to send a team of students to participate. Provide all the relevant details. [4]
- Q3.** Fill in the blanks with a suitable preposition: [½X8=4]
- (a) The lion was caught _____ a trap.
 - (b) All the boys laughed _____ him.
 - (c) Smoking is injurious _____ health.
 - (d) The king felt pity _____ the poor.
 - (e) America imports wool _____ Australia.
 - (f) Miss Helen has no control _____ her class.
 - (g) The frog jumped _____ the pond.
 - (h) Why don't you lodge a complaint _____ your noisy neighbours?
- in
at
to
for towards
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over/on
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Q3. Transform the following sentences according to the instructions given in the brackets:

[1X8=8]

- (a) This is the tallest tree in our village. (change to positive degree)
 - (b) Do these shoes match with this dress? (change to assertive sentence)
 - (c) She decorated the room very beautifully. (change to exclamatory sentence)
 - (d) Very few companies in the world are as reputed as Google. (change to superlative degree)
 - (e) I will always love my country. (change to negative sentence)
 - (f) Bees are the most industrious of all creatures. (change to comparative degree)
 - (g) What an amazing car Max has! (change to assertive sentence)
 - (h) These vegetables are not fresh. (change to affirmative sentence)
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