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Answer all the questions given in the paper.

1. Match "A" with "B" and write the correct number in the brackets.

	A	В		
I.	Newspaper	cleans the garden	()
II.	Breakfast	treats animals	()
III.	Veterinary Surgeon	decreases the dog's life expectancy	()
IV.	gardener	gives information	()
V.	Obesity	improves mental & physical performance	()
	((a) n	(10 marks)		

2. Look at the information in the charts and write meaningful sentences. follow the example.

Always	××××
Usually	××××
Often	×××
Sometimes	XX
Rarely	×
never	

Go to school	××××
Watch television	××
Play with animals	
Go to consult a doctor	×
Try to hard work	×××××
Visit my grandmother	×××

E.g: I usually go to school.

1)	
2)	
3)	
4)	
5)	(10 marks)

3.	Write tl	ne relevant adverbs in the blanks.		
E	o.	Adjective nice	Adverb nicely	
L	š.	nice	meery	
1.	rapid			
2.	angry			
3.	Norma	1		
4.	easy			
5.	real			
				(10 marks)
4. 1	Fill in th	ne blanks with one of the words from t	he box.	
•••			A	
		my, her, them, they, she, you		
	Roy:	Hello sam! Where are 1).you going?		
	Sam:	I'm going to visit 2) gran	ndmother.	
		Today's 3)birthday.		
	Roy:	oh! It's nice. Is 4)keeping	g well.	
		Don't they come to visit your grandmot	her	
	Sam:	5) are on the way. I asked	6) to	
		come before 10.30a.m		
				(10 marks)
	5. Wri	te 5 instructions to be exhibited in you	r school.	
	Eg: Do	not waste water.		
	1			
	2			
	3			
	4			
	5			(10 marks)

"Asking" write "A" in the given box. If it is a "sympathizing" write "s"		
Eg: What's	s your problem A	
Oh ! I'ı	m sorry S	
1)	I'm extremely sorry	
	What's the matter	
2)	What are you going to do	
3)	Accept my heartfelt condolences	
4)	What a pity!	pal Education
Select the	correct question word for the blanks to get the gi	(10 marks) ven statement as the answer.
Н	ow, Which, Why, When, What	
1)	do you prefer to have for lunch?	"rice and curry"
	are you crying?	"My purse was stolen"
	is your mother's birthday?	"It's on 23 rd May"
	do you come to school?one are you in your family?	"by school bus" "I am the second"
		(10 marks)

6. Check whether the following statements are "asking" or "sympathizing" If it is an

8. These are the things done by Raju last Friday. Re-order the things done by him

at home and school.
1. After that the ball rang.
2.I came back home at 2.00 p.m
3.I reached the school and run into the class.
4. After observing pansil, the periods were running until 1.30 p.m and we studied.
5.I got up at 6.00 a.m
6. After having dinner I went to bed.
7. The final bell rang and we
8. I washed my face and got ready and took breakfast
9. Finishing lunch, I did homework and took dinner at 7.30 p.m
10. I left home at 6.45 a.m
11. I took lunch and helped mother.
12. with the bell, we started observing pansil.
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4.	4.
5.	5.
6.	
7.	

9. Read the poem given below and answer the questions.

A house a home

What is a house?	
It's brick and stone	
And wood that's hard	
Some window glass	
And perhaps a yard	
It's eaves and chimneys	
And tile floors	
And stucco and roof	
And lots of doors	
What is a home?	
It's loving and family	
And doing for others.	
It's brothers and sisters	
And fathers and mothers	
It's selfish acts	
And kindly sharing	
And showing your loved ones	
You're always caring	
1) Write two parts of a house mentioned in the poem.	
2) Write the family members mentioned in the poem.	
3) Are house and home the same?	
4) Write 2 adverbs mentioned in the poem.	
5) Find the rhyming words for the words given below.	
a) hard	
b) floors -	
(10	marks)

- 10. Write on one of the topics given below. Use 100 words
 - 1. Importance of breakfast
 - 2. My hobby
 - 3. A day in the garden

(10 marks)

