

BCM SCHOOL, BASANT AVENUE, DUGRI, LUDHIANA

ENGLISH ASSIGNMENT

CLASS-X

M.M-15

LITERATURE

1. Why did the post office employees find Lencho's letter funny? (2)
2. What did being free mean to Mandela as a boy and as a student? How does he contrast these 'transitory freedoms' with 'the basic and honourable freedoms'? (2)
3. What are the raindrops compared to and why? (2)
4. Read the extract and answer the questions: (4)

*"The way a crow
Shook down on me
The dust of snow
From a Hemlock tree"*

- a. Select whether the following statement is True/False
The snow fell from the Hemlock tree.
- b. What fell on the poet?
- c. What is the rhyme scheme of the extract above?
- d. Which tree did the crow shake?

WRITING

You are Rohit/Rohini of A-15, Pritampura, Delhi. You observed that the subways in Delhi are seldom used by pedestrians who are always trying to cut across traffic. You have decided to write a letter to the Editor of "Hindustan Times" highlighting the dire need of creating awareness about it. (5)