

	BCM SCHOOL, BASANT AVENUE, LUDHIANA. ASSIGNMENT CLASS VII SUBJECT- ENGLISH	
Q.1	Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions:	
	<p style="text-align: center;">Warli Paintings</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Warli is the name of the largest tribe on the northern outskirts of Mumbai. Despite being in close proximity to the largest metropolis in India, Warli tribesmen shun all influences of modern urbanisation and remain traditional. 2. Warli Art was first discovered in the early seventies. While there are no records of the exact origin, this art may be traced to the 10th century when the practice of embellishing the walls of the house was the only means of transmitting folklore to a general populace, not well versed in the written words. 3. In many respects, this art form is highly ritualistic and strangely ascetic. The first impression of sobriety is countered by the energy of the themes which look outward, capturing the life around with all its humanness. Men, animals and trees a loose, rhythmic pattern across. The light swinging and swirling movement apparent in the painting describes the tribes' day-to-day activities. These paintings are also believed to invoke powers of the Gods. 4. Warli paintings have now transcended medium and time and are reproduced on paper and cloth. 	
	<p>Q.1 Answer the followings:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is the main theme of Warli paintings? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Modern life b) Nature and daily activities c) Science and technology d) Historical wars. 2. Which material is used to paint Warli designs? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Oil colours b) Water colours c) Bamboo twigs dipped in rice paste d) Chalk powder 3. Why were Warli paintings made in earlier times? 4. What do Warli paintings describe? 5. Assertion–Reason: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Assertion (A): Warli paintings are connected with nature. Reason (R): The daily lives of the Warli tribes depend on nature. is true. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A. 	

	<p>b) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A. c) A is true but R is false. d) A is false but R is true.</p> <p>ii. Assertion (A): Warli paintings are now reproduced on paper and cloth. Reason (R): Warli paintings have transcended medium and time.</p> <p>a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A. b) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A. c) A is true but R is false. d) A is false but R is true</p> <p>6. Why do you think Warli art is still popular today despite being very old? 7. If you got a chance to make a Warli painting, what theme would you choose and why? 8. Find the word from the passage which means same: a. decorates (para-2) b. close relationship (para-1) 9. Fill in the Blank: Warli is the name of the largest tribe on the northern outskirts of _____. 10. Warli paintings are believed to invoke powers of the ____ (God/ activities) (Choose the correct option).</p>	
	<p>Q.2 On the occasion of the World Water Day, your teacher has asked you to make a short speech on the topic 'Save Water, Save planet' taking an idea from the hints given below and draft a speech in about 120 words: Hints: • Don't leave taps running. • Be concerned, stop or report all leakage. • Avoid showers, take bath with bucket and mug. • Take a rainwater harvesting.</p>	
	<p>Q.3 Do as directed:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Physics... (is / are) my favourite subject. (Fill in the blank with correct word) 2. You should respect your elders. (Re-write the sentence correctly) 3. Shalini is a.....(sense) girl. (Fill in the blank with a suitable adjective formed from with the words given in bracket) 4. "... (you/read) my new book?" "No, I... (not see) it in the stores." (Fill in the blanks by using the present perfect form of verbs in the bracket.) 5. He replied to my letter...(quick) (Fill in the blank with suitable adverb.) 6. The children seem to be hungry <u>at all times</u>. (Rewrite the sentence by converting the underlined phrases into one word adverb) 7. Change the voice: She reads a book. 8. Take this pencil and give...(them/it) to Sheeba. (Fill in the blank with the correct personal pronoun) 9. Junk food is very harmless. (Correct the sentence) . 10. He thinks you are good than us. (Correct an error and rewrite the sentence) 	

