

BCM SCHOOL, DUGRI
CLASS-IX
ENGLISH ASSIGNMENT-2 (ANSWER KEY)

Friday, 03 August, 2023

9:00 p.m.

Dear Diary

I am very excited tonight. I am going on a picnic tomorrow with my classmates. Some of our teachers will also accompany us. We have been planning for this trip ever since our Principal gave us permission a month ago.

We are going to Lodhi Park. It has a large ground where children can run and play freely. My mother has made a dozen sandwiches and a cake for me. My friends will also be bringing some food, and we shall all share, eat and play. For me, it's like a dream come true as I had been longing to visit the park for a long. I am so much looking forward to it.

I feel I just cannot go to sleep tonight. I keep imagining all the fun that we are going to have tomorrow. But my mother warned me that if I do not go to sleep now, I might fall asleep at the picnic.

So, good night!

Ramesh

Q2. Read the extract and answer the questions given:

- a. the curious story is a legend of an old greedy lady who angered St. Peter and he cursed the lady for her greed
- b. the poet does not believe the story to be true.
- c. the poet narrates the story because it has a moral lesson.
- d. the tale teaches us a lesson that greed is a vice. One should not be greedy like the old lady who was cursed by Saint Peter.

Q3. Answer the questions given below in not more than 30-40 words

- a. The doctor made two important decisions while looking at himself in the mirror. The first decision was an important one which said that he would shave daily and grow a thin moustache to look more handsome. The second decision that the doctor made was an 'earth shaking' one. It was that he had an attractive smile and that he should keep that attractive smile on his face to look more handsome
- b. Abdul Kalam's father gave him his permission gladly. But his mother was a little worried. At this, his father told her that a child is like a seagull. One day, he must learn to fly alone like the seagull. This cleared the doubts of his mother.