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PAPER PATTERN ASSIGNMENT

CLASS – VI

SUBJECT – ENGLISH

Section A : Reading

1. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions:

- I. Anant Pai, popularly known as Uncle Pai, was the "Father of Indian Comics". Uncle Pai was the founder of Amar Chitra Katha and Double Digest Tinkle, much loved by children. An interesting incident marked the birth of Amar Chitra Katha in 1967. Pai was present at a quiz contest in which the participants could answer questions on Greek mythology but couldn't answer simple questions on Indian mythology. This was the turning point and Amar Chitra Katha was launched based on stories from Indian epics, mythology and history.
- II. Tinkle was launched in 1980 under Rang Rekha Features, India's first comic and cartoon syndicate, with Pai as the Managing Director. Tinkle's popularity was destined as 40,000 copies of the first issue were sold off. It was an instant success. Tinkle was a trendsetter. It had witty stories based on a simple thoughtful theme, adorned with brilliantly coloured illustrations of characters children loved. Supandi, Anwar, Shikari, Shambhu and Kalia the crow, Pai's characters have always touched the hearts of children in a special way.
- III. Pai also wrote books on Personality Development for students, teachers and parents. If Pai touched the lives of children and enriched them through his writings, then the children all over India showered him with their love. Pai himself said, "When zealous kids greet me by adorning the path with flowers and waving copies of the Tinkle, there is nothing more that I can ask for. Such instances may have been few, but they are forever etched in my memory."
- IV. A hero that he was, Pai was presented with a lifetime achievement award at India's first comic convention held in Delhi. Uncle Pai passed away on 24 Feb 2011 in Mumbai after suffering a heart attack and left behind him a rich legacy of wholesome and natural characters.

Answer the followings:

Choose (✓) the correct option for each of the following statements.

i. What is Anant Pai popularly known as?

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| a) Father of Indian Animation | c) Father of Indian Comics |
| b) Founder of Indian Mythology | d) Managing Director of Tinkle |

ii. What led to the creation of Amar Chitra Katha?

- a) A quiz on Indian history
- b) Lack of knowledge about Indian mythology among quiz participants
- c) Interest in comic illustration
- d) Popularity of Greek mythology in India

iii. When was Tinkle launched?

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| a) 1967 | b) 1980 | c) 1975 | d) 1990 |
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iv. What was the name of India's first comic and cartoon syndicate?

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| a) Amar Chitra Katha Syndicate | c) Double Digest Syndicate |
| b) Rang Rekha Features | d) Supandi and Friends |

v. Which incident led to the birth of Amar Chitra Katha?

	<p>vi. What legacy did Anant Pai leave behind? vii. How did children across India express their love and admiration for Uncle Pai? viii. Find words from the passage 1 which mean the same as of the following: (i) Beneficial (para 4) (ii) Founder (para 1) ix. Find the antonym of the word 'unplanned' from the para 3.</p>	
	<p style="text-align: center;">Section B : Writing</p> <p>1) Write a short description of your wrist watch in 80 words. Use following points to develop content :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Colour and appearance: Stylish, metallic, digital or analog ● Features: Time, date, stopwatch, alarm, waterproof ● Uses: Time management, workouts, daily activities ● Benefits: Functional, stylish, convenient <p>2) Write a short story based on the following hints. Remember to give a suitable title to story.</p> <p>Two greedy brothers _____ find _____ treasure chest in an _____. The chest _____ they start blaming _____ realize the chest contains _____ teamwork Unity and cooperation _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Imagine you are Pranav/Bani, residing at #142, Subhash Nagar, Jalandhar. Write a letter for thanking uncle for a surprise present mini keyboard that you didn't expect. Include the following details</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Mention the gift ● How it made you feel ● Why it is special ● Thank them. 	<p style="text-align: right;">4</p> <p style="text-align: right;">6</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Section C : Grammar</p> <p>1) Do as directed:</p> <p>a) The students _____ (complete) the project on time. (Fill in the blank with Future Continuous Tense)</p> <p>b) I was feeling tired. I went to bed early. (Join the following sentences using a suitable conjunction. Make necessary changes if required)</p> <p>c) oh no we forgot to lock the door exclaimed Sarah (Rewrite the sentence with the correct punctuation marks.)</p> <p>d) She saw a flight _____ stairs that led _____ a room above. (Fill in the blank with suitable preposition)</p> <p>e) Shanaya wrote an inspiring book last year. (Choose the correct form of the Passive Voice)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. An inspiring book is written by Shanaya last year. ii. An inspiring book was written by Shanaya last year. iii. An inspiring book has been written by Shanaya last year. 	<p style="text-align: right;">1x10=10</p>

b. Which proverb means 'people of same sort'?

- a. A new broom sweeps clean. c. Too many cooks spoil the broth
b. Birds of a feather flock together.

2x5=10

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