**SAINIK SCHOOL GOPALGANJ**

**SUMMER VACATION HOMEWORK**

**CLASS-IX; SUB-ENGLISH**

1. Write a book review in 200-250 words each on any three of the five e-books uploaded for your class (Class-IX) on the School Website.

**How to do**- The review is to be written in 250-300 words keeping in mind the given aspects:

(a) About the Book

(b) About the Writer

(c) Summary

(d) Favourite character (s)

(e) Analysis

2. Depict any two of the following poems from your Book- Beehive in a creative manner as an artistic representation.

(a) The Road Not Taken

(b) Rain on the Roof

(c ) Wind

**How to do**- Use your imagination to convert the poem in an artistic representation i.e collage making with pictures from magazine or newspapers. The presentation should be self- explanatory.

**Where to do** –A4 Size sheets

**Parameters for Assessment** -Relevance to content, creativity and presentation

3. Convert the prose of NCERT Book ‘The Sound of music’ – Evelyn Glennie into a creative poem

**How to do**-The poem should include all the aspects of Evelyn’s journey from being a non- entity to an epitome of inspiration for all other children like her. The poem should be of 4 stanzas.

**Parameters for Assessment**-Originality, creativity and imagery

4. Design your own newspaper to be presented on the Activity Board of your Class.

**How to do**- The newspaper should have five sections

(a) Facts and figures of English language

(b) Creative Corner- Your classroom poetry or story

(c ) Quotes- By famous poets with their names

(d) Entertainment

(e) Games & Puzzle- based on tenses, verbs, prepositions or conjunctions. (Any one) For example Snakes & Ladder on prepositions.

**Where to do**- A4 Size sheets (5 pages)

**Parameters for Assessment**- Quality of content, originality and presentation

5. Write an article and a self composed poem for your school magazine on any topics of your choice.

6. **Things to do:** Read the following chapters of your book(s) again and update your fair note book with exercise questions.

Lesson 1: The Road Not Taken (Poem)

\* Lesson 2: The Fun They Had (Prose)

\* Lesson 3: Wind (Poem)

Lesson 4: The Sound of Music (Prose)

**Format**: Difficult Word Meanings, Summary of the Chapter, About Important Characters, Exercise Questions

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