

## A - IMAGINATIVE COMPOSITION

1. *Either*
  - a) Write a composition ending with the words: The events of the previous day left me challenged to begin a new life

*Or*

  - b) Write a composition entitled "Love conquers all"
2. *Either*
  - (a) Write a composition to illustrate the saying "Do not count your chicks before they are hatched"

*Or*

  - (b) Write a story ending; "Since then my brother and I have been good friends"
3. IMAGINATIVE COMPOSITION (Compulsory)

*Either*

  - a) Write a composition beginning "Everybody was very excited, little did we know that at that moment....."

*Or*

  - b) Write a composition to illustrate the saying "A bird in hand is worth two in the bush."
4. *Either*
  - a) Write a story ending with the following sentence: ".....thank you it was only a nightmare."

*Or*

  - b) Write a composition to illustrate the saying: "A journey of one thousand miles begins with one step."
5. *Either*
  - (a) Write a composition ending:  
.....from that day, when ever I see him my heart is filled with bitterness.

*or*

  - (b) Write a story to illustrate the proverb: ' Once bitten twice shy.'
6. *Either*
  - a) Write a story beginning:  
He steadily walked towards me with a broad, warm smile, but as we shook hands, I realized he was avoiding eye contact.....

*Or*

  - b) Write a composition to illustrate the saying:  
"Those who live in glass houses should not throw stones."
7. Imaginative Composition (compulsory)

*Either;*

  - (a) Write a story to end with the following sentence:-  
.....If I had known, I would have thought twice before making that statement.

*Or;*

  - (b) Write a story to illustrate the following saying:-  
You reap what you sow.
8. *Either*
  - (a) Write an essay to illustrate the saying: "The early bird catches the worm".

*Or*

- (b) Write a story beginning: There was an air of celebration...
9. *Either*  
 (a) Write a composition ending:  
 .....from that day, when ever I see him my heart is filled with bitterness.  
*or*  
 (b) Write a story to illustrate the proverb: ‘ Once bitten twice shy.’
10. *Either*  
 a) *Write a story ending*  
 I realized that I would never have a second chance in life  
*Or*  
 b) Write a story to illustrate the following saying  
 “A tortoise may be slow but he seldom falls”
11. *Either*  
 a) Write a story beginning with  
 “It looked quite easy at first.....”  
*Or*  
 b) Write a story to illustrate the proverb; Too many cooks spoil the broth
12. *Either*  
 a) Write a story that illustrate the saying:-a bird in hand is worth two in the bush  
*Or*  
 b) Write a composition beginning with the sentence:-from the outset one could see that a lot was waiting for us.
13. *Either*  
 (a) Write a composition beginning with the following sentence: ‘John could not stand up by himself that particular morning’  
*Or*  
 (b) Write a composition on the measures that have been taken in your country to preserve forests
14. *Either,*  
 i) Write a composition with the following ending;  
 .....that experience taught me never to wish to be somebody else. (20mks)  
*Or:*  
 ii) Write a story to illustrate the saying “You cannot climb the ladder of success with your hands in the pocket.” (20mks)
15. *Either*  
 (a) Write a composition ending “The events of that day will remain printed in my mind for ever.”  
*Or*  
 (b) Write a composition supporting the statement “Charity begins at home.”
16. *Either*  
 (a) Write a composition showing that the strong do not always succeed.  
*Or*  
 (b) Write a story ending with: I wish I had known earlier.
17. *Either*  
 a) Write a story illustrating the saying, ‘Better to have tried and failed than never to have tried at all’

*Or*

b) Write a story with the following beginning:

This was no ordinary day for a child orphaned by HIV and AIDS. Never before had the future looked.....