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Suggestion for Class Ten
Subject: English 1st paper

Seen Comprehension:

- a. Meherjan lives..... Every year. [Unit-2;Lesson-1]
- b. Hi,I'm Shyam.....favourite pastime.[Unit-3; Lesson-1]
- c. Known as the Land.....Everest. [Unit-6;Lesson-1]
- d. Human can neither.....forest.[Unit-2;Lesson-3]

(1.M.C.Q - $1 \times 7 = 7$, 2.Answering questions- $2 \times 5 = 10$, 3.gap filling- $1 \times 5 = 5$)

4.Re-arrange the following sentences according to sequence and rewrite them in a paragraph.

$1 \times 8 = 8$

- (i)a. Therefore, we must be aware of the dangers of using pesticides as they may pollute our rivers, canals and lakes.
- b. Water pollution can occur in oceans, rivers, lakes, ponds and underground reservoirs.
- c. As different water sources flow together, the pollution can spread easily and quickly.
- d. Throwing away a toxic substance of the ground near a water space means it eventually reaches a body of water.
- e. In fact, polluting the land means polluting the water.
- f. We need to be more careful about disposing household wastes to.
- g. As a result, the water is polluted.
- h. Industrial wastes must not be disposed in rivers or lakes.

Ans: b-c-e-d-g-h-f-a

- (ii) a. It is also known as the only Hindu Kingdom in the world.
- b. Nepal lies between India and the Tibetan part of China.
- c. This small country has an area of 147, 181 square kilometers.
- d. It is a country that is rich in scenic luxury and cultural treasures.
- e. It has some of the world's best and very important temples.
- f. The Kingdom of Nepal is a small land of sublime beauty.
- g. Southern Nepal is tropical low land known as the Tarai Plain.
- h. Known as the Land of Everest, Nepal is one of the most charming countries in Asia.

Ans: h-a-f-e-d-b-c-g

5. Poems writing : Answer the following questions:

$2 \times 5 = 10$

- a. Why does the room 'melt away'?

Ans: When the poet says 'melts away, she means that our physical surroundings like the, room we are sitting in seem to disappear or fade away, when we are reading. We become so absorbed in the book that we forget our present environment and feel like we are in the story itself.

- b. What is the feeling conveyed when the speaker uses the word 'sail'?

Ans. The word 'sail' is a feeling of ease and smoothness. It is a soft and gentle movement. When we read a book we get transported into the age and land of the story as easily as sailing on water.

- c. Why does the speaker refer to a book as a 'magic box'?

Ans. The speaker says a book as a magic box as a book takes the reader into the wondrous world of surprises and exciting.

- d. What happens when one opens a book?

Ans: When one opens a book, our minds start to create pictures. So, as soon as we start reading, we can quickly find ourselves in those wonderful worlds, meeting interesting characters and learning new things.

- e. Which friend is the poet referring to?

Ans: The poet is referring to a character or person from the book. When we read we get so connected to a character that they feel like our friend. By the end of the book, this character might become our "chosen friend" because we have shared their journey and feel close to them.

- f. Why does the poet call books 'worlds of wonder'?

Ans: The poet calls books "worlds of wonder" because they let readers explore new places, meet different people, and learn new things just by reading.

6. Completing story:

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- a. Honesty of a wood cutter.
- b. Robert Bruce

1. Gap filling with clues.

0.5×10=5

chance	stung	close	missed	stream
arrow	off	bank	try	die

An ant lived on the bank of (a)_. By chance she fell into the water and was about to (b)_. A pigeon sat on a tree. He dropped a leaf(c)_ to the ant. She got on the leaf and come to the (d)_. Then she said to the pigeon, "I thank you for your kind help. I will (e)_ to return the good if I can. She had not to wait long for her (f)_. One day a man come and aimed his (g)_ at the pigeon. That ant saw this and (h)_ the man in the foot. At this time the man (i)_ his aim. The bird flew (j) safe.

when	the	the	a	of
for	life	in	sow	reap

Youth is (a)- best time of (b)-this is the time(c)-it is most important(d)-one to remember the maxim. As you(e)-so shall you reap. one must sow(f)-seeds of industry, truthfulness, honesty and other virtues (g)-this season to(h)-the harvest of prosperity and happiness. Whatever takes root in(i)-man at this time lasts throughout the rest(j)-his life and moulds his future.

great	which	a	wisely	for
precious	off	the	have	a

Time is a very (a)—thing. Time (b)—is lost once is lost forever. There is (c)— proverb, ‘Time and tide wait for none.’ It is time which does not (d)— the relative feelings. It does not wait (e)— anyone if it is not used (f)—. It is really essential to realise (g)— importance of time in our life. Those who have become (h)— would make proper use of time. They never put (i)— their work for tomorrow. That’s why, they have contributed (j)— lot to the society.

*SOLUTION:

1. Answer: (a)stream (b)die (c)close (d)bank (e)try (f)chance (g)arrow (h)stung (i)missed (j)off

2. Answer: (a)the (b)life (c)when (d)for (e)sow (f)the (g)in (h)reap (i)a (j)of

3. Answer: (a) precious (b)which (c)a (d)have (e)for (f)wisely (g)the (h)great (i)off (j)a

2. Complete the following text with right form of verbs given in the box.

1×10=10

sit	respect	go	shine	hate
love	be	speak	remain	believe

i. Truthfulness (a)— a great virtue. It is the quality of (b)— the truth. A truthful person can't (c)— in the wrong way. He(d)— in a large position in the society. He (e)— by all. Everybody (f)— him. On the other hand, people (g)— a liar. Nobody(h)— him. If we (i)— truthful, we (j)— in life.

feel	wash	do	want	get
notice	take	give	pick	climb

ii. One day Mina and her parrot, Mithu (a) — a tall tree to pick a mango. She (b) — the mango and (c) — it to her mother. Although Mina had picked the mango, her mother (d) — the largest share of the fruit to Raju. Mina (e) — very disappointed. At dinner Mina (f) — that Raju as usual (g) — an egg but she (h) — not. Mithu was not pleased to see that. Mother (i) — to see if the children (j) — their hands before they started eating.

promise	contain	be	return	finish
agree	want	ask	refuse	compose

iii. One day the great poet Ferdousi (a) — by Sultan Mahmood to (b) — Shahanama in honour of the Sultan. He (c) — to pay Ferdousi a gold coin each verse. Ferdousi (d) — the writing and it (e) — found (f) — sixty thousand verses. Now Sultan (g) — to pay sixty thousand gold coins. He (h) — to pay silver coins instead of gold coins. The poet (i) — to take silver coins and (j) — to his village.

Answer:

i. (a) is (b) speaking (c) go (d) sits (e) is loved (f) respects (g) hate (h) believes (i) remain (j) will shine

ii. (a) climbed (b) picked (c) gave (d) gave (e) felt (f) noticed (g) got (h) did not (i) noticed (j) washed

iii. (a) was asked (b) compose (c) promised (d) finished (e) was (f) to contain (g) didn't agree (h) wanted (i) refused (j) returned

3. Make tag questions of these statements.**1×5=5**

- 1) a. The boys are playing football, aren't they?
- b. Don't run in the sun, will you?
- c. Let's take rest, shall we?
- d. There is a play-ground in our madrasah, isn't there?
- e. Everybody is present there, aren't they?
- f. Nobody loves me, do they?
- g. Barking dog seldom bites, does it?
- h. He cannot walk because he is ill, can he?

- i. The mother rose in her, didn't it?
 - j. Most of us are students, aren't we?
2. Make tag questions of these statements.
- (a) Economics is my favourite subject, isn't it?
 - (b) He put the book on the table, didn't he?
 - (c) You will buy a shirt, won't you?
 - (d) The girl can please us all, can't she?
 - (e) Nobody believes a liar, do they?

04. Exercises on suffixes, prefixes .**0.5×10=5**

i. Bangladesh is an (a) — (dependent) country, but she is still burdened with poverty, (b) — (population), (c) — (employ), corruption, food (d) — (deficient), natural calamities, power crisis, etc. Considering all these, the present (e) — (govern) has aimed at making a digital Bangladesh to (f) — (come) most of these problems. The actual aim of (g) — (digit) Bangladesh is to establish technology-based government which will emphasize the overall (h) — (develop) of the country and the nation. The country has (i) — (ready) fixed its target for the (j) — (achieve) of Digital Bangladesh by 2021.

Answer: (a) Independent (b) Overpopulation (c) Unemployment (d) Shortage (e) Government (f) Overcome (g) Digital (h) Development (i) Already (j) Achievement

ii. Education is essential for any kind of (a) — (develop). The poor socio-economic condition of our country can be (b) — (large) attributed to many people's (c) — (accessibility) to education. Many (d) — (literate) people do not have any knowledge of health, sanitation and (e) — (populate) control. It (f) — (able) us to perform our duties (g) — (proper). Education helps us to adopt a (h) — (ration) attitude. It provides us with an (i) — (lightened) awareness about things and this awareness is a (j) — (requisite) for social development.

Answer: (a) Development (b) Largely (c) Inaccessibility (d) Illiterate (e) Population (f) Enables (g) Properly (h) Rational (i) Enlightened (j) Prerequisite

iii. (a) — (persevere) is needed to be (b) — (success) in life. Those who do not persevere in life become (c) — (success) in their mission and only blame their lot for their (d) — (fortune). (e) — (Persevere) people always become successful. (f) — (sincere) is another important virtue which (g) — (able) a person to accomplish a job (h) — (fruit). Student life is the (i) — (form) period of a man's life. One should not (j) — (use) this period of life.

Answer: (a) Perseverance (b) Successful (c) Unsuccessful (d) Misfortune (e) Persevering (f) Sincerity (g) Enables (h) Fruitfully (i) Formative (j) Waste

05. Change the sentences according to directions.**1×5=5**

(a) We should read books to acquire knowledge. (Complex) (b) By reading good books, we can enrich our mind. (Compound) (c) When we read good books, we discover new worlds. (Simple) (d) We use it so that we can keep pace with the modern world. (simple) (e) Though cricket is a costly game, people of all classes enjoy playing it. (Compound) (f) Bangladesh is a test-playing country but its standard is not high. (Complex) (g) If the players practice hard, they can improve their standard. (Simple) (h). Bangladesh is our homeland. (Complex) (i). Though it is a small country, it is a blessed with natural resources. (Compound) (J). It is the people of Bangladesh who are peace loving. (Simple)

06. Writing E-mail.**8**

- a. Write an e-mail to your younger brother not to use time over internet.
- b. Write an e-mail to the DC of your district for relief for the flood effected people.

07. Writing short composition.**12**

- a. Your Aim in Life.
- b. Duties to Parents.