

Sub: English

Paper-I

Assignment work

⇒ Answer Both the Questions:-

Q.1. What is the theme of the essay 'Of Studies' written by Francis Bacon?

Q.2. Who is the fellow traveller in the essay, of the writer? How was the journey for the author A. A. Gardiner?

Paper-II

⇒ Attempt only one Questions -

Q.1. Who is the Central character in the Novel Macbeth?

Q.2. Describe the theme of the Novel Twelfth Night?

* Submit Your Assignment till 30/05/2020.

Word limit - 1000 words (each-min)

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* Write down the Summary of the Chapter written below.

Of Studies by Francis Bacon

Ans:- The essay is a beautiful depiction of studies, its importance, value and usefulness. The author defines the utility of books, how they build and develop our mind and body. Studies plays important role in the establishment of our overall personality. It develops our judgement power and it also gives us joy and happiness. Studies are not ornament to be worn as decoration but it helps us to reach a kind of self-realisation and view experience in perspective. There should be a clear discrimination in choice of books as they should not given equal kind of importance. It also depends on our requirement. Studies affects our personality in so many positive ways which ultimately develops our judgement power, discrimination, and wisdom as well. Different subjects develops different qualities in our personality like history makes us wise, Science makes us reasonable, etc. Spending time in studies is a good practice for us. The author, with the help of the topic throws light on the ^{importance of} books, studies and their impact.

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Q. Write down the Summary of the Poem The Punishment in Kindergarden by Kamla Das.

Ans. - It is a beautiful beautiful by Kamla Das which recalls a childhood memory of the poetess. The story describes a picnic incident of her school. She was scolded by her teacher for being alone, as she was all alone near hedge, while the other students were playing. The poem also defines the Capacity of the poet to smell the fragrance of the flowers as well as the pain of being slighted. The poem is also considered as a ^{little} piece of autobiography. The subject matter of the poem is divided into two parts, the first half defines a painful experience of kindergarden days, and the second one describes the adult's attitude to the incident at present, as she is no more a child. Thus the major theme of the poem is considered as nostalgia. The incident affects the mind of a children so far. It is also a modernist poem, celebrates the innocence of a child along with the mourning of the loss of innocence yet with a positivity of the desire of letting go the things.

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