



CAMBRIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

KANKE ROAD, RANCHI

Revision Assignment -2

Subject: English

Class: VIII

A. Writing & Grammar

- 1) Write a well-organised **paragraph** in 120–150 words on:

"The Power of Making the Right Choice"

Use ideas from The Lady, or the Tiger? and relate them to situations faced by students in real life.

- 2) You are Aarav/Aarushi, a student of Class VIII, Cambrian Public School, Kanke, Ranchi. The roads around your school become congested during the morning and afternoon school hours, causing inconvenience and safety concerns for students. Write a **letter** to the Municipal Commissioner of Ranchi Municipal Corporation requesting appropriate measures to manage traffic near the school. Mention at least three practical suggestions to improve the situation.

- 3) **Choose the correct option.**

- a) By the time the teacher entered the classroom, the students _____ their seats.
i) take ii) had taken iii) have taken iv) were taking
- b) Neither the principal nor the teachers _____ willing to postpone the examination.
i) was ii) is iii) were iv) has

- 4) **Fill in the blanks with the appropriate non-finite form of the verbs given in brackets.**

- a) _____ the instructions carefully, Ananya completed the task correctly. (read)
- b) The children were eager _____ the newly opened science laboratory. (visit)

- 5) **Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions or prepositions.**

- a) The match was cancelled _____ it started raining heavily.
- b) The students walked _____ the bridge to reach the museum.

- 6) **Choose the most appropriate modal.**

- a) You _____ wear your identity card inside the school premises.
i) might ii) must iii) could iv) would
- b) _____ you please explain this question once again?
i) Could ii) Must iii) Shall iv) Need

- 7) **Underline the verb and identify whether it is Transitive or Intransitive.**

- a) The gardener planted several flowering plants in the school garden.
- b) The little puppy slept peacefully under the table.

- 8) **Adjectives – Choose the correct option.**

- a) The students showed _____ determination while completing the difficult project.
i) remarkable ii) remarkably iii) remark iv) remarked
- b) We admired the _____ craftsmanship of the local artisans.
i) skill ii) skilfully iii) skilful iv) skills

- 9) **Choose the correct option.**

- a) When we reached the station, the train _____.
i) leaves ii) has left iii) had left iv) was leaving

- b) My brother _____ for the competition since morning.
i) practises ii) practised iii) has been practising iv) had practised

10) Subject–Verb Agreement – Choose the correct option.

- a) The quality of these handmade products _____ excellent.
i) are ii) were iii) have iv) is
- b) Neither the students nor the class teacher _____ aware of the sudden change.
i) were ii) are iii) was iv) have

11) Answer the following Questions.

- a) Possessed by more power, influence and force of character, what had the lady done that no other person had ever done?
- b) The greatest fortune a man can have is to be born lucky. Explain in the context of the lesson. What was the narrator's initial impression of Scoresby?

12) Answer the following with reference to context.

But there is something that I must say to my people.....

- a) Where are the people standing?
- b) What is it that the speaker must say to his people? Write any one point.
- c) The speaker asks us to rise again and again to what?
- d) Name the poet and poem.
- e) Name the nation being referred to.
