

BUDHA DAL PUBLIC SCHOOL PATIALA
FINAL EXAMINATION (13 March 2026)
ENGLISH
Class – VI (Set – B)

Time Allowed: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Section – A (Reading)

Q1. Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions. (10×1=10)

THE TROUBLE WITH JUNK FOOD

1. Junk food is very harmful. It is slowly eating away the health of the present generation. The term itself denotes how dangerous it is for our bodies. Most importantly, it tastes so good that people consume it on a daily basis. However, not much awareness is spread about the harmful effects of junk food.
2. Various studies show that junk food impacts our health negatively. They contain higher levels of calorie fats, and sugar. On the contrary, they have very low amounts of healthy nutrients and lack dietary fibre. Parents must discourage their children from consuming junk food because of the ill effects it has on one's health.
3. Junk food is the easiest way to gain unhealthy weight. The amount of fats and sugar in the food makes you gain weight rapidly. This food only looks and tastes good, other than that, it has no positive points. The amount of calories your body requires to stay fit is not fulfilled by this food. For instance, foods like French fries, burgers, candy, and cookies all have high amounts of sugar and fats. Therefore, this results in long-term illnesses like diabetes and high blood pressure. This may also result in kidney failure. Thus, it is better to stop now.
4. Parents can avoid junk food by encouraging their children from an early age to eat green vegetables. Their taste buds must be developed as such that they find healthy food tasty. Moreover, try to mix things up. Do not serve the same green vegetable daily in the same style. Incorporate different types of healthy food in their diet following different recipes. This will help them to try foods at home rather than being attracted to junk food.

Answer the following questions-

1. Why is junk food considered dangerous for health?
 - a) It is very costly to make
 - b) It is low in sugar
 - c) It lacks nutrients and causes health issues
 - d) It is rarely eaten
2. Which of the following is a false statement based on the passage?
 - a) It helps to fulfil daily nutrient requirements
 - b) Junk food causes rapid weight gain
 - c) It may lead to chronic illnesses like diabetes
 - d) It is high in sugar and fat content
3. What makes junk food appealing to people despite its harmful effects?
 - a) It looks good b) It is good in taste c) It contains vitamins d) Both (a) and (b)
4. What long term illnesses can junk food lead to?
5. What advice is given to parents develop children's taste for healthy food instead of junk food?

6. Much awareness is spread about the harmful effects of junk food (True/ False)
7. How junk food is the easiest way to gain weight?
8. Parents must encourage their children to develop healthy eating habits from _____.
9. Write synonym of the word 'quickly' from para 3.
10. Write antonym of the word 'discourage' from para 4.

Q2. Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions.

(10)

- Many years ago, the members of the jungle did not have any King. The animals said, 'The lion must be the King of this jungle.' While the birds said, 'The Hawk must be the King.' There were many discussions and debates, but no final decision could be taken.
- The bats were cunning. They approached the animals and said, 'Since we too are animals, we would like our dear lion to be the King. He is surely the most powerful among us.' And the animals thought that the bats were on their side.
- The bats then went to the birds. 'Since we are birds, our dear Hawk must be the King of this forest. He is so royal and dignified,' they said. And the birds thought that the bats were on their side.
- A few days went by. One day the birds came to know that the cunning bats were not honest. They informed the animals about this. So' the bats think they are clever, let us teach them a good lesson,' said the animals.
- So, the next day, the birds and the animals made peace with each other. The lion was made the King. They newly crowned King addressed the bats, 'You must choose the group to which you belong.' The bats thought. 'We must join the animals because the lion is the King.'
- 'We are animals!' the bats announced. 'But you have wings. No animal has wings. You must join the birds,' said all the animals. 'Bats have babies. They do not lay eggs. And birds lay eggs. Since the bats give birth to young babies without eggs, they cannot be birds,' said the birds. The bats felt helpless. They just stood there, not knowing what to do. Since then, the cunning bats have been hiding during the daytime in deserted places. They come out for food only at night when others are asleep.

Answer the following questions-

- What was being decided in the forest?
 - The King of the jungle
 - Animals should be the King
 - Bird should be the King
 - All of the above
- Whom did the bats want to be the King?
 - Lion as he is the most powerful
 - They supported bats to be the King
 - Hawk as he is royal and dignified
 - Both (a) and (c)
- Why did bats support both the animal and bird by hiding from others?
 - They were
 - They were cunning
 - They wanted both to the King
 - They wanted King to be of their choice
- What reason did the animals give for not including the bats in their group?

5. What reason did the birds give for not including the bats in their group?
6. Why do the bats hide during the daytime in deserted places?
7. Bats come out at night time _____.
8. Birds and animals made place with each other to teach lesson to the bats. (True/False)
9. Write antonym of the word 'innocent' from para 2.
10. Write synonym of the word 'uninhabited' from para 6.

SECTION B (WRITING)

- Q3.** You are Sumant Arora. Write an e-mail to your parents asking for their permission to go on a school tour. (Place, duration, tip cost) (4)
- Q4.** Your cousin is a brilliant student but he is not keeping good health because he avoids homemade food and is very fond of eating outside. Write a letter telling him/ her about the harmful effects of junk food and advising him/ her to maintain good health. You are Arpit/ Arpita of C – 8, Lawrence Road, New Delhi. (6)

OR

You have recently shifted to Doon Public School, Dehradun. Write a letter to your mother describing experience of your boarding school, teachers, new friends and facilities. You are Saurav/ Riya.

- Q5.** Write an application to the class teacher requesting her to grant you an exemption from a class test as you have to practice for an Interschool Debate Competition You are Diya/ Dinesh from Nainital Public School, Nainital. (6)

OR

Write an application to the class teacher to leave school early due to family function. You are Rajan/ Seerat from Angel Valley School, Panchkula.

SECTION C (GRAMMAR)

- Q6.** The following passage has not been edited. There is one error in each line. Write the incorrect word and the correction in your answer sheet against the correct blank number. (4)

How you ever tried a dark
chocolate? It taste bitter
when you take a first bite
but slowly it started feeling
sweet on the tongue. They is
a healthy option than
other chocolates but they
are also recommend for a
good sleep.

Incorrect	Correct
(a) _____	_____
(b) _____	_____
(c) _____	_____
(d) _____	_____
(e) _____	_____
(f) _____	_____
(g) _____	_____
(h) _____	_____

Q7. Do as directed: (do any 10)

(1×10=10)

- (a) Team India _____ (defeat) Australia in the final test match. (Suitable verb form)
- (b) Samarth jumped _____ onto the floor and ran away. (Adverb of manner)
- (c) Chetna runs _____ (Fast) in the class. (Superlative Form)
- (d) The train _____ (leave) the station just now. (Present Perfect)
- (e) Sachin Tendulkar _____ (play) two hundred test matches before he retired. (Past Perfect)
- (f) The boys _____ (play) in the park. (Negative future continuous)
- (g) Kishan said to me, "I am happy to invite you to my wedding."
- (h) The first part of this word rhymes with fight and the second part rhymes with colour.
- (i) She said, "I will help you."
- (j) as _____ (tall) as a pancake.
- (k) He _____ (go) for a walk every morning. (Simple Present)

SECTION – D (LITERATURE)

Q8. Answer the following questions with reference to the context.

(4)

Go not to the temple to bow down
your head in prayer,
first, learn to bow in humility
before your fellowmen.
And apologise to those you have wronged.

- (a) Name the poem and the poet.
- (b) Whom does the poet ask to apologise in the poem?
- (c) Which poetic device is used in the above lines? Give example.
- (d) What does the poet mean by "bow in humility" in the above lines?

Q9. Answer the following questions with reference to the context.

(4)

Oh, Good Lord! I cannot see anything on the loom! Does this mean that I am stupid? I must be unfit for my job. Great Heavens! I should never let anyone know about this or else my enemies will take the throne away from me.

- (a) What did the Emperor see?
- (b) Why did he go to see the loom?
- (c) What was Emperor afraid of?
- (d) Do you think Emperor was fit for his throne?

Q10. Answer the following question briefly in 30-40 words. (Do any four) (4×3=12)

- (a) How did Sinbad get stranded on island?
- (b) How did the villagers pay tribute to Akash?
- (c) Describe the speaker's dream in the poem 'Song of a Dream'.
- (d) Who are the children in the poem 'Laughing Song' and what are they doing?
- (e) Name the animals mentioned in the chapter 'How the Camel got his Hump' and what tasks were assigned to them?

Q11. Long Answer type question:

(5)

Akash was a true patriot. He was an intelligent, courageous and deeply grateful to his country. He rejected his comfortable life in USA for selflessly serving in his own country. Write more lines about Akash from the chapter 'Patriotism'.

OR

Sinbad is an adventurous person. He is courageous, resilient and witty. He faces dangers but still cannot resist the temptation to travel. He uses his quick thinking to escape. Write few more lines about 'Sinbad' from the chapter 'The Second Voyage'.

Q12. Long Answer type question:

(5)

Do you think it is good to give our share of work to others? It can make others angry like the dog, the horse and the ox were angry with camel for his non-cooperation and arrogance. Write your view points in 120 words.

OR

In the poem 'Laughing Song' poet promotes a cheerful, optimistic outlook on life and the importance of celebrating togetherness. Write your view points about laughing and spreading joy.