

Niscort Fr.Agnel School
Self –Learning worksheet
English-VIII
Chapter-Informal letters

1. Write a letter to your friend describing the wedding ceremony of your cousin sister.
2. You have gained admission to a famous school .Write a letter to your wealthy uncle to convince him to help you in paying your fee.
3. You have spent six weeks in your new school .Write a letter to your father telling him about your experience so far.
4. A friend of yours intends to drop out of school due to financial problems .Write a letter to convince him to stay in the school.
5. You have just returned from your foreign trip, Write a letter to your friend describing your experiences there.
6. Write a letter to your elder brother describing of your winning of gold medal in Inter Debate Competition.

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Chapter-Preposition

1. Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions:
 - a) His life depends.....a heart transplant.
 - b) The police ran.....the thieves but didn't catch them.
 - c) Could you turn left.....the next junction.
 - d) He is the fastest man.....in the world.
 - e) How often do you borrowthe library?

2. Find the error in the sentences given below and rewrite the sentences Correctly:
 - a) He told to me that he liked me.
 - b) At the end we decide to go.
 - c) Jane was in the wedding.
 - d) They arrived to Paris without problems.
 - e) I went to Barcelona for visit a client.

3. Complete the passage by filling in the blanks with appropriate prepositions .There may be more than one possible answer.

My parents met (a).....the war (b).....August 1943 to be precise. My father was Home (c).....leave(d).....the front ,and he decided to spend the first week with his aunt in Liverpool. He hadn't seen her (e).....several years, even though she had brought him Up(f).....his mother's death.Liverpool is not the most beautiful city of the world, but very pleasant (g).....summer time,especially early(h)....the morning.(i).....this Particular morning,however ,my father was in no mood to enjoy the sunrise over the Mersey.

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Chapter-The escape

1. Answer these questions with reference to the context:

“For God’s sake fire! Your leader is near! He is betrayed!”

- a)Who says these words?
- b)Who does the speaker want to warn?
- c)Who is the leader referred to?

2. Answer these questions with reference to the context:

“I heard the men creep out of the hut, not many minutes after we took cover.”

- a)Who says this and to whom?
- b)Why did the speaker allow the men to leave?
- c)What was the listener’s response to this statement?

3. Answer these questions with reference to the context:

“Bring the light in here!”he commanded eagerly as he entered the hut.

- a)Who asks for the light?
- b)What does he discover in the hut?
- c)How does this discovery affect the future course of event?

4. Answer these questions:

- a)How did Marguerite Blakeley try to stop Chauvin?
- b)How did Armand escaped?
- c)Why was the Jaw beaten?
- d)You have received an anonymous call from a person who says he/she has been kidnapped. What do you do?
- e)Write a story about an escape.

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Chapter-Letter to the editor

Q1. Write a letter to the editor of the 'Indian Express', New Delhi, complaining about the frequent breakdown in the supply of electricity in your locality. You are Shyam Ghosh

Q2 . Write a letter to the editor of, The National Herald' Allahabad complaining against the poor water supply to your locality. You are Rahul Bisht.

Q3. Write a letter to the editor of TheHindu, highlighting the fear that is spreading among people due to widespread terrorism in the world. Give suggestions to curb such anti-social activities. You are Vikram Patel.

Q4. Write a letter to the editor of a Daily to draw the attention towards the bad condition of roads of the city, which result in accidents and delay in reaching to the work place .You are Sunil from Kanpur.