

Worksheet-8

Subject: - English

Class: - VIII

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Topic: GAP FILLING

Q: Complete the following passage by choosing the most appropriate options from the ones given below:

Q1: The jungle was thick (a) _____ dense. We had to hold on to the (b) _____ to avoid slipping (c) _____ the muddy paths. We had walked (d) _____ and everyone was tired. The sun was shining brightly generating heat and vapour which would soon turn into rain.

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| (a) (i) for | (ii) and | (iii) with | (iv) but |
| (b) (i) wines | (ii) wine | (iii) vines | (iv) vine |
| (c) (i) in | (ii) on | (iii) off | (iv) from |
| (d) (i) for four hours | (ii) since four hours | (iii) from four hours | (iv) till four |

Q2: Many people make use of their free time to help others. They are called Volunteers. Maggie goes to a zoo (a) _____ Saturday where she is a Volunteer. She has to get up very early and drive to the zoo. During the winter it is still dark and cold when she arrives (b) _____ her destination. Her favourite animals are the pandas (c) _____ were gifted by the Chinese government. She is always delighted (d) _____ she offers help to their keeper.

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| (a) (i) one | (ii) last | (iii) every | (iv) either |
| (b) (i) at | (ii) in | (iii) to | (iv) for |
| (c) (i) they | (ii) what | (iii) those | (iv) which |
| (d) (i) when | (ii) unless | (iii) so that | (iv) and then |

Q3: Muhammad Ali (a) _____ in 1942 in Louisville, Kentucky. His parents named him Cassius Marcellus Clay, Jr. (b) _____ a Kentucky statesman who (c) _____ against slavery in (d) _____ 1800s.

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| (a) (i) born | (ii) was born | (iii) is born | (iv) were born |
| (b) (i) behind | (ii) on | (iii) after | (iv) with |
| (c) (i) fought | (ii) has fought | (iii) is fighting | (iv) had fought |
| (d) (i) the | (ii) some | (iii) an | (iv) a |

Q4: A picnic is being organized (a) _____ students (b) _____ class VI (c) _____ September 15th, 2012. The bus will leave the school (d) _____ 8:45 a.m. sharp. The picnic hours are (e) _____ 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Students must be dressed (f) _____ their school uniform. Those interested to go should give their names along (g) _____ a sum of Rs. 100/- to the undersigned latest (h) _____ September 10th, 2012. Varun

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| (a) (i) to | (ii) for | (iii) of | (iv) with |
| (b) (i) of | (ii) by | (iii) for | (iv) with |
| (c) (i) on | (ii) in | (iii) from | (iv) by |
| (d) (i) at | (ii) by | (iii) till | (iv) on |
| (e) (i) between | (ii) from | (iii) by | (iv) till |
| (f) (i) of | (ii) in | (iii) with | (iv) over |
| (g) (i) of | (ii) with | (iii) | |

Q5: We should have an optimistic attitude to life. The combination of initiative confidence and determination is the most essential for scaling great heights in life. Life is not a bed of roses. So (a) ____ difficulties are always there. We needn't have (b) _____ fear of them. On the other hand, they may be stepping stones to (c) _____ success. The more we work the netter it will be. Remember an old saying, "Work is (d) _____ own rewards." If (e) _____ things are considered, (f) _____ one's life will be a bliss. In fact, (g) _____ one should have (h) _____ understanding of life's realities. To make life interesting is within our control.

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| (a) (i) a few | (ii) a little | (iii) little | (iv) few |
| (b) (i) a | (ii) any | (iii) some | (iv) a little |
| (c) (i) their | (ii) our | (iii) his | (iv) her |
| (d) (i) its | (ii) his | (iii) their | (iv) us |
| (e) (i) this | (ii) these | (iii) those | (iv) their |
| (f) (i) every | (ii) all | (iii) many | (iv) his |
| (g) (i) each | (ii) every | (iii) some | (iv) little |
| (h) (i) some | (ii) little | (iii) any | (iv) more |