



GOLDEN DAYS UNIVERSAL SCHOOL

ASSIGNMENT-1 (2020-21)

Class X Div _____

SUBJECT- English

Date / /2020

SECTION 'A' : READING

1. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow :

Heavy rain in Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan and Uttarakhand since Friday claimed 27 lives, even as rivers continued to be in spate in Bihar. Fifteen deaths were reported in Madhya Pradesh since Friday evening as the Met department predicted more showers and sounded heavy downpour alert for some districts on Sunday. Three Indian Air Force aircraft dropped food packets and medicines and flooded areas of Rewa district, Collector Rahul Jain said. Seven people, including a woman and four minors, were killed and three others were injured when a house collapsed in Rahatgarh area of Sagar district on Saturday. Two people, including an old woman, were also killed and seven others were injured when a newly constructed building collapsed due to incessant rains at Maihar in Satna district. A jeep carrying two persons was swept away in the swollen Betwa river as it attempted to cross a bridge in Raisen district. Three bodies were recovered from a nullah on Saturday in Chhattarpur district. The victims were travelling in a car that was washed away off a bridge on the flooded nullah on Friday. In Rajasthan, five people were killed when their house collapsed in Phool Baroda village in Baran district due to incessant rains since Saturday morning that created a flood like situation in several parts of the state. Several people are feared stranded in Chabra, Chipabarode, Kawai, Harnavadashahaji

areas as the Parvan, Parwati, Ujjad and other rivers are overflowing after the rains. Seven members of a family were killed when their house was razed to the ground by huge boulders that rolled down the hill following a cloudburst in Pauri district of Uttarakhand on Saturday. The Army was called in to the flood affected areas of Saran district as senior officials also rushed to the spot. At least 24 people were airlifted in Baran district and nearby areas. Several villages remained inundated after water entered buildings, houses and a private power plant in Baran.

- (a) How many lives have been lost in heavy rain?
- (b) What happened in Satna district?
- (c) Who was the collector of Rewa district?
- (d) Why was a jeep swept away?
- (e) In which district does Phool Baroda village lie?

(SECTION 'B' : Writing and Grammar)

Q.3 You visited an 'Old Home' with your friends . Using the hints given below together with your own ideas, make a diary entry of what you saw and experienced there.

Hints: Old Home — People mostly above Sixty years- a residence- Peaceful surroundings-Spacious- good sanitation- regular medical check up- feeling of co-operation- means of creation-A home away from home

OR

"A man's manners are a mirror in which he shows his portrait". The quote highlights the importance of good manners in life. Write an article for school Magazine on 'Good Manners'. You may use the following hints with your own ideas.

Hints: First step to success — need for good manners — makes life easy with politeness — creates goodwill — use words like thank you, please, sorry — important words — well mannered people liked by all.