DAV PUBLIC SCHOOLS, ODISHA HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION : 2023-24 STD -VI SUB - ENGLISH, FULL MARKS - 80 MARKING SCHEME

	MARKING SCHEME						
Q. I	NO	Value Points	Marks Allotted	Full Mark	Page no. of text book		
1	а	Cleverness and great adaptation skills.	1	-			
	b	More than two-thirds of the Earth is covered by the ocean.	1				
	с	We haven't explored much of the ocean because it is deep, tough and it is really hard to explore it.	1				
	d	The angler fish and the colossal squid .	1	10	N.A		
	e	There are big streams of water in the ocean that move heat around, which makes the weather change on earth.	1				
	f	They house many different kind of creatures. They stop the shores from being washed away.	1				
	g	The ocean is getting polluted, too many fish are being caught, and the Earth is getting warmer.(any one)	1				
	h	by not littering, not catching too many fish.	1	-			
	i	Deep	1				
	j	Littering	1				
	а	ii.value of patient efforts	1	5	NA		
	b	iii.stronger	1				
2	с	iv.oak tree	1				
	d	i.defeat	1				
	e	i.wind	1				
	a	ii) the Dal Lake in Srinagar	1	5	NA		
	b	i) the chief postmaster John Samuel renamed it	1				
	с	ii) at no time of the year you need a fan in this post- office	1				
3	d	iv) receded	1				
	e	i.bothAssertion (A) and Reason (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)	1				

4		Name of the School The word 'NOTICE' Date Heading /Topic Content (Date, Time, Organising Authority and Other Necessary Details) Name Designation * Put in a box OR Format-(From, To, Date, Subject, Salutation, Content, Subscription, Signature) Content- *Flag was hoisted by the Chief Guest. *Speech was delivered by the Chief Guest and the Principal. *Many students also recited patriotic poems. *Dance and songs were performed by the students. *prizes of different competitions were given to the students. *Sweets and chocolates were distributed .	Format-1 Content-2 Expression-1 (Accuracy + Fluency)	4	N.A My Eng Reader pgs 28-55
5		Story Writing Format – 1(Title, Content, Moral) Content – Beginning, Middle and End The Hidden Treasure A peasant had four sons. They were all lazy and did not help him in the farm. One day the peasant became ill. He knew he was dying. So he called all his sons together and said to them: "A secret treasure lies hidden in my fields. But to find it you shall have to dig hard for it." The peasant died. At once his sons went to the fields, and dug every bit of the land, but they found no treasure. They were very sad. Soon the rains came and, as the earth had been well dug ;they sowed the corn .There was a very fine crop that year. The sons now learnt what their father meant by treasure. The treasure could be got only by hard work. Moral -Hard work never goes unrewarded. OR Article Writing Format: Heading By Line Content: School life is a time of joy and fun. We learn important values of co operation and healthy competition. We learn to care and share. We learn values like patriotism and sincerity . School life teaches us to take responsibility for our actions.We celebrate functions and learn values from each of these celebrations.We learn to stand by our friends in their hour of need.	Format-1 Content-4 Expression-3 (Accuracy + Fluency)	8	N.A My Eng Reader Pg 56-80
	а	The inhabitants were proud of him.	1		
6	b	The branches of his business were spread everywhere.	1	3	N.A
	c	He was honest and helped his neighbours.	1		
	a	should	1		
7	b	could	1	4	Eng P Book Pgs101-116
	с	can	1		
	d	should	1		
		Incorrect correct			
	a	at in	1		
8	b	would should	1	4	Eng P Book
	c	has have	1		
	d	uses use	1		

			1		
9	a	a	1	4	Eng P Book Pgs 43-52
	b	the	1		
	c d	each	1		
10	a	hurriedly	1	3	Eng P Book
	b	more	1		
	c	isn't he	1		
	а	i)leisure	1	-	Eng. Lit Pg -16
	b	iii)personification	1		
	с	i)Beauty of Nature	1		
	d	iv)glance	1		
11		OR		4	
	a.	i)Today and Tomorrow	1		Eng. Lit Pg -26
	b.	ii)metaphor	1		
	с	iv)complete all work on time	1		
	d.	ii)phantom	1		
	а	(iv).White elephant to himself.	1		Eng. Lit Pg - 9
	b	iii.not to help human beings	1		
	c.	iii.repentance	1		
	d.	ii.the forester.	1		
12	OR				
	а	ii.My Experiments With Truth	1	-	Eng. Lit Pg -20
	b.	iii.M.K Gandhi	1		
	c.	ii.Keen	1		
	d.	iii.He wanted to serve his father.	1		
	a	life is busy and full of responsibilities.We don't have time to enjoy the beauty of nature.	2	12	Eng L Pg -16
	b	He should be a good human being first.He was too young to decide the profession he wanted to choose.He could not change his mind everyday.	2		Eng L Pg 4
	с	He felt ashamed of his bad handwriting after seeing the beautiful handwriting of the lawyers.Bad handwriting was the sign of imperfect education.	2		Eng L Pg-22
13	d	One must complete his/her work on time.Never waste time or keep the work pending.We should not let our repentance destroy our present.Wise people never waste time.	2		Eng L Pg-26
	e	generous,polite,helpful,compassionate,sympathetic	2		Eng L Pg -11
	f	Night Watchman, Ice-cream Seller, Turner, Shunter, Actor, Pilot, Shepherd, Sailor.	2		Eng L Pg-1-4
	g	by working hard ,using time wisely to achieve our goals	2		Eng L Pg-26

14	 *physical training makes us physically fit , sound and healthy. *a sound mind resides in a sound body . *Without physical training ,mind becomes dull and lazy . any other relevant points may be awarded marks. 	4	4	Eng Lit Pgs 20-25
15	should not have disobeyed mother feel upset and angry with myself have been punished for my disobedience feel worried and anxious for my mother OR MAHATMA GANDHI honesty and truthfulness importance of games and sports in student's life handwriting is an important aspect of personality growth and should not be neglected	Format-1 Content-3 Expression-2 (Accuracy + Fluency)	6	Eng Lit Pgs 7-14 Eng Lit Pgs20- 25