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CLASS: V

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SUBTOPIC: Revision Work – 1 Reading

Comprehension and Paragraph writing

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LEARNING OBJECTIVE

The students will be able to

- □practice answering unseen passage.
- □ practice paragraph writing.



Read the following passage.

The cinema is the cheapest source of entertainment today.

Millions of people see movies and enjoy them. It is a good pastime in all the places – big or small. The cinema industry has made rapid progress after independence. In the beginning there were silent, and black and white movies. Now we are dazzled by the colours in every movie. Big posters are seen on the walls of cities and towns for advertisements. They also announce the coming movies in the city. There is always a rush before the booking windows. So the tickets are often sold in the black market or at a premium.

On the one hand the cinema is a source of entertainment. On the other it is also a source of knowledge and information. Films satisfy all the sections of people and their different tastes. There are religious movies and historical movies. They recreate the past, the old culture and lifestyle. Social films spread awareness about social evils of dowry, casteism and communal feelings. Some films expose the corruption in high places among the policemen and the citizens.



Answer the following questions briefly:

(a) Why is cinema so much popular?

Ans) Cinema is so much popular because it is the cheapest means of recreation.

(b) How can you say that the cinema industry has made rapid progress after independence?

Ans) Earlier there were silent, and black and white movies. Now we are dazzled by the colours in the movies. One can see big posters on the wall of cities and towns.



(c) Why are tickets often sold in the black market?

Ans) Tickets are often sold in the black market because there is always a huge rush before the booking windows.

(d) Mention two advantages of cinema.

Ans) Cinema is a source of entertainment.

- It is also a source of knowledge and information.
- (e) Spot the antonyms of the given words from the passage (i) Dissatisfy, (ii) Ignorance
- Ans) Dissatisfy Satisfy Ignorance Knowledge



Write a paragraph on "Seasons".

The world is very vast and every part of it has a different climate. However, the most prominent seasons are summer, winter and rainy seasons. Different parts of the world experience different seasons at different times of the year. Seasons change according to the earth's revolution around the sun. During the year. as the earth revolves around the sun some parts of the earth face the sun and receive more heat energy from the sun. Hence, these parts of the earth experience summer. At the same time, the parts of the earth which are not facing the sun receive less heat energy, hence, experience winter. Between winter and summer seasons, there is a short period called 'spring'. When springs set in, flowers burst into bloom and the earth seems to be smiling. During the rainy season, raincoats and umbrellas are constant companions. As the showers fade away, once again winter sets in. Thus, goes on the season's cycle. We enjoy each season with its fruits, festivals, and weather.

LEARNING OUTCOME

- **▶** Perfection in answering passage.
- >Idea of writing a paragraph.



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