

ST. XAVIER'S SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL, DELHI-54

Class : 7

SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT 1

Marks: 20

Date: 17.09.14

ENGLISH

Time: 30 minutes

Name: _____ Class & Sec. _____ R. No. _____

Note: All the answers should be done on the question paper itself.

I. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions below.

The newest con Game played on the Internet by hackers is called 'phishing'. The term is derived from 'fishing' trying to obtain personal information from web users via spam email.

You receive an e-mail message that seems to come from your bank or credit card company, with the correct logo and look. The message contains a link to a website, which resembles the company's website closely. The message usually informs you that someone has tried to hack into your account, or that there is an error in the balance or that you have no money in your account. The message then asks you to confirm your credit card number, your password, your account number and other vital information, so that things can be 'set right'.

Once you part with the information, it takes the scamster no time at all to steal your identity. Phishing is now a wide spread phenomenon and earn its perpetrators millions of dollars. The only way to avoid it is to be very careful when parting with personal information online and checking to make sure that the message is from an authentic source.

1. By the expression 'con game' the author means

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| (a) Tricks online cheats play on people. | (b) An internet game |
| (c) A game of exchanging personal information | (d) A hacking game |

2. 'phishing' is a term that is used for

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| (a) A new game | (b) A way of cheating people online |
| (c) A type of computer software | (d) Online fishing |

3. Once the personal information is given

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| (a) Things are set right | (b) Everything goes wrong |
| (c) Your identity is stolen | (d) Money is sent to your account |

4. The logo used by the hackers

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| (a) Is genuine | (b) Is a copy |
| (c) Closely resembles the original | (d) Is different from the original |

5. The word 'authentic' means

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| (a) Close | (b) Genuine | (c) Common | (d) Known |
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6. Phishing is done to

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| (a) Earn fame | (b) Win game | (c) Earn money | (d) Get big fish |
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II. Choose the correct option.

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ENGLISH

Time: 1½ hours

Note: All the answers should be done on the Answer Sheet.

I. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions below.

'Christmas won't be Christmas without any presents', grumbled Jo, lying on the rug.

'It's so dreadful to be poor!' sighed Meg, looking down at her old dress.

'I don't think it's fair for some girls to have plenty of pretty things, and other girls nothing at all,' added little Amy, with an injured sniff.

'We've got father and mother, and each other,' said Beth contentedly from her corner.

The four young faces on which the firelight shone brightened at the cheerful words, but darkened again as Jo said sadly, 'We haven't got father, and shall not have him for a long time.' She didn't say, "perhaps never", but each silently added it, thinking of father far away, where the fighting was.

Nobody spoke for a minute; then Meg said in an altered tone, 'You know the reason Mother proposed not having any presents this Christmas was because it is going to be a hard winter for everyone; and she thinks we ought not to spend money for pleasure, when our men are suffering in the army. We can't do much, but we can make our little sacrifices, and ought to do it gladly. But I am afraid, "I don't" and Meg shook her head, as she thought regretfully of all the pretty things she wanted.

'But I don't think the little we should spend would do any good. We've each got a dollar, and the army wouldn't be much helped by our giving that. I agree not to expect anything from mother or you, but I do want to buy UNDINE AND SINTRAM for myself. I've wanted it so long,' said Jo, who was a bookworm.

'I planned to spend mine in new music,' said Beth, with a little sigh, which no one heard but the hearth brush and kettle holder.

'I shall get a nice box of Faber's drawing pencils. I really need them,' said Amy decidedly.

(from Little Women by Louisa May Alcott)

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1. Why did the girls not have any presents for Christmas? (1)
2. Who is the one who doesn't complain? What does she say? (1)
3. What are the hobbies of Jo, Beth and Amy? How can you say? (2)
4. How do you think the girls are related? What makes you think so? (1)
5. Pick out the synonyms of the following words form the passage.
a. Complained b. Happily c. Disappointedly (3)

B1. Each sentence contains an error related to comparisons. Rewrite them in the correct form: (4)

- (a) She chose the best of the two options available.
- (b) Pallavi is the cleverest of the two sisters.
- (c) Robert was in the USA for five years but he did not have much friends.
- (d) Switzerland is more beautiful country in the world.

B2. Fill in the blanks with the suitable adjective from the bracket. (2)

- (a) My mother brought _____ rice while coming from the bazaar.(little, a little, the little)

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- (b) He did not have _____ hope when he contested in the Election. (some/any/few)
(c) Kolkata is _____ from the equator than Colombo. (farther, further)
(d) How is your _____ brother? (older, elder)

B3. Fill in the blanks with the correct tense of the verb given in the brackets for each blank. (4)

A bus driver was (a) _____ (crush) to death by a speeding truck near Rampur Depot on Saturday night. The police (b) _____ (say) that the incident (c) _____ (take) place around 8 p.m., when the victim (d) _____ (stand) near his bus. A speeding truck (e) _____ (pass) that way. The driver (f) _____ (lose) control over the vehicle. He (g) _____ (be) drunk, but somehow he (g) _____ (manage) to run away from the spot.

B4. Rewrite these sentences using the tenses indicated in the brackets: (4)

- (a) It was very hot here in summer. (simple future)
(b) Sapna was the favourite of her teachers. (simple present)
(c) Hari has taken his lunch. (past perfect)
(d) They will be waiting for the guests. (present continuous)

B5. Punctuate the following passage appropriately. (2)

at last the cart stopped at a house near rome where the hamper was taken out carried in and set down the cook gave the carrier sixpence

C1 . Answer the following questions. (2x6= 12)

1. Why did the dewan agree to take the shepherd to the king?
2. Where is the poet stopping? Why does the poet decide to stop there?
3. What impression do you get about Anne's relation with her mother after reading the first entry?
4. Which proverb does Anne mention? What do you think it means?
5. Who do you think is the most intelligent in the story 'The Mind Reader' and why?
6. Give one example of imagery and alliteration each from the poem.

"Stopping by the woods on a snowy evening."

C2. Answer the following questions with reference to the context:

1. 'but I have promises to keep.....'
 - (a) What is the idea expressed by the poet in these lines? (2)
 - (b) Why do you think the poet repeats the last line? (1)
2. Hours later, on the way home, the dewan stopped by at the shepherd's hut....
 - (a) Why did the dewan stop by at the house of the Shepherd? (1)
 - (b) How did the shepherd interpret his meeting with the king? (2)
3. 'I don't care what you say. Why don't you just wash your hands of me- I'm a hopeless case'
 - (a) Who said these words to whom? (1)
 - (b) Why does the speaker think so? (1)
 - (c) Is the speaker correct in making this statement. (1)

D1. Write a letter to the Principal, requesting him to allow you to arrange a party on the occasion of Christmas. (10)

D2. Write a paragraph beginning with, " I wish I could explain myself....." (100 words) (5)
