

CLASS : IX CLASS TEST SUB: ENGLISH F.M. 10

A) Read the following extracts and answer the questions given below: (3×2=6)

1. “And a thousand recollections

Weave their air-threads into woof,

As I listen to the patter

Of the rain upon the roof.”

a. What happens in the poet’s mind when he listens to the rain?

- i. He feels sleepy
- ii. He remembers old memories
- iii. He gets angry
- iv. He feels scared

b. What does the sound of rain make the poet do?

c. What are the ‘air-threads’ in the poem?

- i. Raindrops
- ii. Clouds
- iii. Memories
- iv. Dream

2. “That night there was a hue and cry in the house.”

a. Why was there a noise and shouting in the house?

b. What does Kezia’s action show about her?

- i. She was naughty
- ii. She didn’t know what she was doing
- iii. She was very clever
- iv. She wanted to hurt her father

c. What is the meaning of the phrase ‘hue and cry’?

- i. A loud noise and confusion
- ii. A kind of festival
- iii. A silent argument
- iv. A peaceful moment

B) Do as Directed (1×4=4)

- 1. The teacher explains the poem to the students. (Change into passive)
 - 2. Did he write the letter? (Change into passive)
 - 3. Please complete your homework before lunch. (Change into passive)
 - 4. The wall _____ with colourful charts during the exhibition.
- i. has decorated ii. was decorated iii. is decorating iv. decorated

