

**DEVAMATHA CMI PUBLIC SCHOOL**  
**PERIODIC TEST I 2017 - 2018**

Std.III

**ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES**

Time : 1½ h.

Marks : 30

- I Fill in the blanks with the suitable words : (½ x 5=2½)
1. Leaves are green in colour due to the presence of \_\_\_\_\_.
  2. \_\_\_\_\_ is the largest herb on earth.
  3. Our parents belong to the \_\_\_\_\_ generation of a family.
  4. People who cannot speak are called \_\_\_\_\_ .
  5. \_\_\_\_\_ plants can survive only in water.
- II Say whether the following statements are True or False : (½ x 5=2½ )
1. Our parents and their siblings form the same generation.
  2. The World Old Age Day is observed on October 15<sup>th</sup> .
  3. Compost is useful for the growth of plants.
  4. Teachers are social workers.
  5. Shrubs live only for a season.
- III Match the following : (½ x 6=3)
- | (A)            | (B)              |
|----------------|------------------|
| 1. family      | Louis Braille    |
| 2. mint        | jagged edges     |
| 3. old people  | sickle           |
| 4. farmer      | herb             |
| 5. rose leaves | love and respect |
| 6. blind       | first school.    |
- IV Name the following : (½ x 5=2½ )
1. Features that are passed on from one generation to another.
  2. Children who do not have parents.
  3. An Indian Social worker.
  4. A leaf that adds flavour to food items.
  5. Any one plant generally found on mountains.
- V Give the scientific reasons for the following statements : (2x3=6)
1. Trees in cold places lose their leaves in autumn.
  2. It is good to have elderly people at home.
  3. We should not sleep under trees at night.

- VI Explain the parts of a leaf with a diagram. (3)
- VII Explain the following questions in 3 to 4 sentences each : (2x 4=8)
1. Explain two ways by which we can help the physically challenged people.
  2. Differentiate between community helpers and social workers.
  3. List four values we get from a family.
  4. Define the following terms:  
a) Photosynthesis      b) Herbs.
- VIII Classify the following plants based on their characteristics : ( $\frac{1}{2} \times 5 = 2\frac{1}{2}$ )
- a) Grapes
  - b) Watermelon
  - c) Mango
  - d) Coriander
  - e) Jasmine

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