Date:18-1-2023
 SUT-2023
 Time: 1 Hr.

 Std. IX
 English (H.L.)
 Marks: 20

## **Language Study**

- Q.1) Do as directed.
- i) Write four lettered 4 words using letters of the given word. Commercialization.
- ii) Word register

Write the words related to 'Geometry

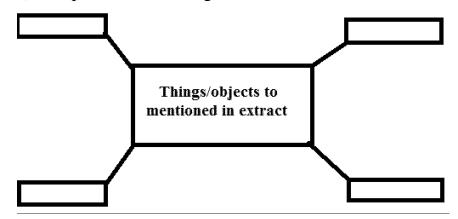
- iii) Use the following word phrase in your own sentence. extra-ordinary
- iv) Underline verb and state its tense in the following sentence The other neolithic ladies had knocked him down."
- v) Pick out the subordinate clause in the following sentence "What he didn't know-was the name of the person talking to Simmy.
- Q.2) Read the passage and the activities.
- 1) Name the following.
- a) The core of Raza's painting \_\_\_\_\_
- b) Raza's effective medium of communication \_\_\_\_\_

Q.2) He was honoured with all the three Padma awards-Padma Shri. Padma Bhushan and Padma Vibhushan. With all the awards and honours his paintings were exploring a spiritual, metaphysical path. Gradually, the 'bindu' or point came to be the core of his paintings. He described his work in these words My work is my own inner experience and involvement with the mysteries of nature and form which is expressed in colour. line, space and light."

Sometimes, an artist's thoughts appear to be too complex or even complicated when they are expressed through words. For him, the effective medium of communication is his work- his paintings. Raza had great creativity. His paintings are very expressive. This great artist passed away on 23 July 2016 at the age of 94, leaving behind a legacy of sensitive paintings (achieved through extra-ordinary compositions of lines and colours) that depict extra-ordinary compositions

- 2) How did the artist describe his own work?
- 3) Spot the error and spell the given words correctly
- (i) dicided (ii) innar
- 5) My work is my own experience and involvement with the mysteries of nature and form"

  Explain the statement in your own words.
- Q.3 A) Read the extract and do the activities.
- 1) Complete the following web.



Slowly, silently, now the moon

Walks the night in her silver shoon:

This way, and that, she peers, and sees

Silver fruit upon silver trees;

One by one the casements catch

Her beams beneath the silvery thatch.

Couched in his kennel, like a log.

With paws of silver sleeps the dog.

Questions-

- 2) How has the dog been described?
- 3) Write an example of simile from the poem.

Q.3 B) Read the poetic extract and write an appreciation with the help of given points in paragraph format.

(Title, poet, rhyme scheme, figure of speech and theme central idea.)

## Q.3 B)

The Road Not Taken Two roads diverged in a yellow wood. And sorry could not travel both And be one traveller, long I stood And looked down one as far as I could To where it bent in the undergrowth; Then took the other, as just as fair. And having perhaps the better claim. Because it was grassy and wanted wear Though as for that the passing there Had worn them really about the same And both that morning equally lay In leaves no step had trodden black Oh, I kept the first for another day! Yet knowing how way leads on to way. I doubted if I should ever come back.

- Robert Frost

Q.4) Write a letter to your younger brother, giving him a few study tips to prepare for the forthcoming examination.

OR

Narrate an experience with the help of the following beginning.

I was afraid to go to home after school, as I had just received my report card.....