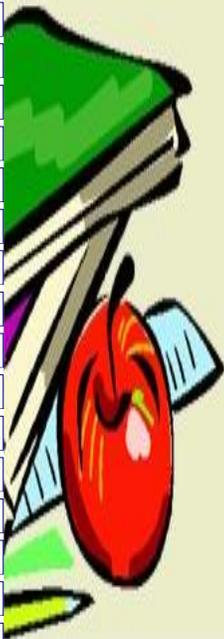


GILLCO INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

CLASS – 8

HOLIDAY HOMEWORK

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Dear Parent,

Greetings from Gillco International School! The much awaited summer vacation is knocking at the door!

The very thoughts of summer vacation include images of time for relaxation to escape the heat, pursuing of leisure activities and indulging in good quality time with friends and family. There are plenty of productive ways in which your ward can spend the vacation. This can be fun, relaxing and helpful for his/her education or career.

We wish to imbibe in our students the willingness to spend their summer vacation well; making optimum utilisation of time, following their heart's passion and also at the same time enhancing their academic knowledge

Some suggestions in this regard- →

- Let your ward EXPLORE and participate in the Wonder that is Nature. A walk on the Mall of a hill station does no harm, but let your child explore the wilderness and discover fauna and flora of the place you visit during the vacation. Let him/her fill with wonder for God's bounties bestowed on us.
- Let your ward DISCOVER different cultures, traditions, cuisines, local crafts, etc. of places that you visit during the vacation. Make your ward note down fine details. It will become a cherished document a few years down the line.
- Let your ward Expand Knowledge. Take advantage of your down time to open your mind to new knowledge and experiences. Encourage your ward to pursue new hobbies, play games, learn to play an instrument, try his/her hands at writing poetry or a blog, pick up some culinary skills, read newspapers and magazines to keep abreast with current happenings.
- Reading Makes a Full Man: Make a list of books for your ward and give him/her plenty of reading for the summer.
- Get your ward to spend some quality time with the extended family. Tell him/her the importance of relationships in life.
- Let your ward chalk out a timetable for his/her daily routine. Assist him/her and teach him/her to prioritise. Counsel him/her to devote some time to studies as well.
- The School has also devised Holiday Homework that is linked to the curriculum and is also creative. Do monitor the progress of your ward in completing the tasks given in various disciplines.
- We aim to directly involve parents in the emotional and psychological growth of their children so that they emerge as better human beings who are socially conscious towards their family, society and the planet.

We wish your ward a very rejuvenating vacation and seek your cooperation in all our endeavours as always.

Thank you

ENGLISH

Your holiday homework this year is a fun mix of all the aspects of the language. It has been designed to ensure that you enjoy and learn at the same time.

1. Read the famous book 'THE HOUND OF BASKERVILLE' by SIR ARTHUR CONAN DOYLE
2. Read the famous book "TREASURE ISLAND" by R. L. Stevenson
3. Collect information about the authors and write a short biography.
 - Write a short summary of the story (200 words) and name the main characters.
 - Choose 10 interesting adjectives and 10 adverbs from the book and find their dictionary meanings.
 - Find one synonym and one antonym for all the 20 words.
 - Make interesting sentences using any 10 words.
 - Present your work creatively. Remember, you will have Subject Enrichment based on the story and the incidents, so ensure that you read the entire text.
2. Make a poster on any two of the following topics:
 - a) Donate blood
 - b) Keep the earth green
 - c) Save water
 - d) Save girl child
 - e) Stop violence against women

Use a thick A4 size sheet and be as creative as you can.

3. Make a beautiful bookmark for your Literature reader. Decorate it and write a famous quotation by a well known poet or author
4. Read the newspaper regularly during your holidays. You may utilize the noon time for this activity when you are at home. Cut five pictures from old newspapers. Paste them in your language notebook and give a caption to each picture.

HINDI

- बचपन के 'बकरी लोटा' पाठ को गद्य के रूप में लिखिए।
- दो बहादुर 'पुरुष' के विषय में 80 से 100 शब्दों में अनुच्छेद लिखिए।
- कवि कबीरके द्वारा लिखा यह दोहा लिखिए जिसमें समय पर काम करने की शिक्षा दी गई है।
- 'मेरे जीवन का सबसे बड़ा विषय पर एक भाषण तैयार कीजिए।

PUNJABI

- ਲੇਖਨ:
ਗੁਰਮੀਆਂ ਦੀਆਂ ਛੁੱਟੀਆਂ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਕਿਸ ਤਰ੍ਹਾਂ ਬੀਤਾਈਆਂ, ਬਾਰੇ ਆਪਣੇ ਮਿੱਤਰ ਜਾਂ ਸਹੇਲੀ ਨੂੰ ਪੱਤਰ ਲਿਖੋ।
- ਰਚਨਾਤਮਕ ਕਾਰਜ:
 1. ਕਿਸੇ ਇਮਾਨਦਾਰ ਅਤੇ ਸੱਚੇ ਇਨਸਾਨ ਬਾਰੇ 10 ਵਾਕ ਲਿਖੋ
 2. ਮੰਨ ਲਓ ਕਿਸੇ ਵੀ ਕਾਰਨ ਤੁਹਾਡੀ ਭੈਣ -ਭਰਾਵਾਂ ਦੀ ਆਪਸ ਵਿਚ ਲੜਾਈ ਹੋ ਗਈ ਹੈ। ਤੁਸੀਂ ਆਪਣੇ ਭੈਣ ਜਾਂ ਭਰਾ ਨੂੰ ਕਿਵੇਂ ਮਨਾਓਗੇ? ਇਸ ਬਾਰੇ ਇੱਕ ਪੈਰਾ ਸਕ੍ਰਿਪ ਬੁੱਕ ਵਿਚ ਲਿਖੋ।
- ਮੌਖਿਕ ਕੌਸਲ : ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਵਿੱਚ ਕੋਈ ਇੱਕ ਸੁੀ ਗੁਰੂ ਨਾਨਕ ਦੇਵ ਜੀ ਦੀ ਸਾਖੀ ਬੋਲਣ ਲਈ ਤਿਆਰ ਕਰੋ।

MATH

❖ SOLVE THE GIVEN WORKSHEET.

- a) Write the following activities in Math Lab Manual
- b) Verifying the sum of interior angles of a quadrilateral is 360° .
- c) Verifying the sum of exterior angles of a polygon is 360° .
- d) Studying the properties of diagonals of some special quadrilaterals.

SCIENCE

Students are required to make a working model on any one of the following topics:-

1. Agricultural Practices
 2. Uses of Microbes in daily life
 3. How to control Air Pollution
 4. Greenhouse effect
 5. Applications of Pressure in Daily life
 6. Electroplating
 7. Periscope
 8. Water treatment Plant
 9. Waste water treatment plant
 10. Biological magnification
 11. Uses of artificial satellites
- Make science Newsletter showing current news in the field of science and also mention the date and source of news.

Note: Suggested materials for the model should be recycled and inexpensive materials. Make best out of waste

SOCIAL STUDIES

- Make a Power point presentation on how the land resources around your city are being utilized. Suggest measures for the conservation and improvement of these resources.
- Search the internet and find information on the soil and water conservation methods adopted in advanced countries like the USA and UK.