

**DELHIPUBLICSCHOOLJAMMU**  
**SESSION 2025-26**

**ASSIGNMENT -III**

**SUBJECT: ENGLISH**

**Class: VII**

**Instructions:**

***Read the questions carefully.***

***Attempt all questions.***

***Section A(Reading)***

***Section B(Grammar & Creative Writing)***

***Section C(Literature)***

**SECTION A (READING)**

**Q1. Read the passage and answer the questions that follow:**

In a quiet corner of eastern Asia, a vast forest of bamboo stretches across the hills like a green ocean. This isn't an ordinary forest. Unlike other trees that grow slowly over many years, bamboo can grow up to 91 centimeters (about 3 feet) in just one day! This incredible growth makes bamboo one of the fastest-growing plants in the world. Bamboo plays a vital role in the lives of the people and animals in the region. Farmers use it to build houses, make furniture, and even cook food. The strong yet flexible bamboo stems are also used to craft musical instruments, tools, and paper.

For animals like the giant panda, bamboo is more than just a building material—it's food. Pandas eat almost nothing but bamboo. In fact, an adult panda can consume up to 40 pounds of bamboo a day!

Unfortunately, bamboo forests are shrinking due to human activities such as farming, construction, and logging. As the forests disappear, so do the habitats of animals like the panda. Conservationists are now working hard to protect these forests and grow more bamboo to restore balance to nature.

**A. Where is the bamboo forest mainly located?**

- i. South America
- ii. Eastern Asia
- iii. Northern Europe
- iv. Central Africa

**B. How much can bamboo grow in a day?**

- i. 10 centimeters
- ii. 30 centimeters
- iii. 91 centimeters
- iv. 1 meter



**C.** Which of the following is a reason for the shrinking bamboo forests?

- i. Too much rainfall
- ii. Panda overpopulation
- iii. Human activities like farming and construction
- iv. Lack of sunlight

**D.** What does the phrase "green ocean" suggest about the bamboo forest?

- i. It is underwater
- ii. It moves like waves and covers a vast area
- iii. It is full of fish
- iv. It is very deep

**E. State whether True/False:**

An adult panda can eat 40 pounds bamboo in a day\_\_\_\_\_

**F.** Why is bamboo important for giant pandas?

### SECTION B (GRAMMAR & CREATIVE WRITING)

**Q2. Identify and correct the errors in the use of prepositions.**

- i. She is good in painting.
- ii. He was sitting on the chair since two hours.
- iii. I prefer coffee than tea.
- iv. They arrived to the airport late.

**Q 3 .** You are Kritika /Kartik, a student of Grade -VII at Delhi Public School. Your school recently organized a Cleanliness Drive under the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. Write a report about the event in about 100–120 words.

### SECTION C (LITERATURE)

**Q4. Answer the following questions in 30-40 words**

i) Gopal faced ridicule and rejection on his way to the palace. What does his reaction tell us about his character?

ii) What trait of Gopal do you think helped him succeed in the story?

iii) Do you think it's right to judge people based on their appearance, like the guards judged Gopal? Why or why not?

