

बारावी बोर्ड परीक्षा

ENGLISH
असा असेल

उद्याचा पेपर!



SECTION – I (Prose)

(Reading for Comprehension, Language Study, Summary, Mind Mapping)

Q.1 (A) 6 Activities based on a Textual (Seen) extract from Section 1 of the textbook – 12 marks

Q.1 (B) Language Study (Non-textual Grammar)

B1. Do as directed / Transformation of Sentences – 3 marks

B2. Spot the error/s – 1 mark

Total: 16 Marks

SECTION – I (Prose)

(Reading for Comprehension, Language Study, Summary, Mind Mapping)

Q.2 (A) 6 Activities based on a Non-textual (Unseen) extract of 275–300 words – 12 marks

Q.2 (B) Summary – 3 marks

Q.2 (C) Mind Mapping – 3 marks

Total: 18 Marks

SECTION – II (Poetry)

Q.3 (A) Seen Poem extract (10–15 lines) (5 Activities)– 10 marks

Q.3 (B) Appreciation of poem – 4 marks

Total: 14 Marks

SECTION – III (Writing Skills)

Q4 (A) Drafting Virtual Messages / Statement of Purpose / Group Discussion – 4 marks

Q4 (B) E-mail / Report / Interview – 4 marks

Q4 (C) Speech / Compering / Expansion – 4 marks

Q4 (D) Review / Blog / Appeal – 4 marks

Total: 16 Marks

SECTION – IV (Literary Genre – Novel)

Q.5 (A) History of English Novel – 4 marks **(4.1)**

Activities on History of English Novel – 2 marks

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Q.5 (B) Elements of Novel – 4 marks **(4.2)**

Describe / Explain / Compare / Contrast / Name / Discuss – 2 marks

Illustrate / Interpret / Narrate / Justify / Find / Identify – 2 marks

SECTION – IV (Literary Genre – Novel)

Q.5 (C) Elements of Novel – 4 marks **(4.3)**

Describe / Explain / Compare / Contrast / Name / Discuss – 2 marks

Illustrate / Interpret / Narrate / Justify / Find / Identify – 2 marks

Q.5 (D) Elements of Novel – 4 marks **(4.4)**

Describe / Explain / Compare / Contrast / Name / Discuss – 2 marks

Illustrate / Interpret / Narrate / Justify / Find / Identify – 2 marks

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ENGLISH
WRITING SKILL

ONE SHOT

Complete
Revision



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ENGLISH MIND MAPPING

HSC BOARD
EXAM 2026

03/03



- (1) Read the instructions clearly.
- (2) The main idea is crystallised in the centre and radiates from there as branches.
- (3) Each branch contains a key idea. Derived ideas of lesser importance form 'twigs'.
- (4) The branches form a connected nodal structure.
- (5) You will have to develop a 'Mind-Mapping' frame/design using your ideas/thoughts/concepts to illustrate/develop on the given idea.

Prepare a mind map on the topic 'Developing English Language Skills' using your ideas, design and structure.

Mirror-talk practice.

Learning new words

Talk to others

Speaking
Skills

Writing short
paragraphs daily

Watch English News

Listening to
English podcasts

Listening
Skills

Developing
English Language
Skills

Writing
Skills

Writing messages
in English

Listen to Interviews

Reading
Skills

Writing essays on
simple topics

Reading English
newspapers

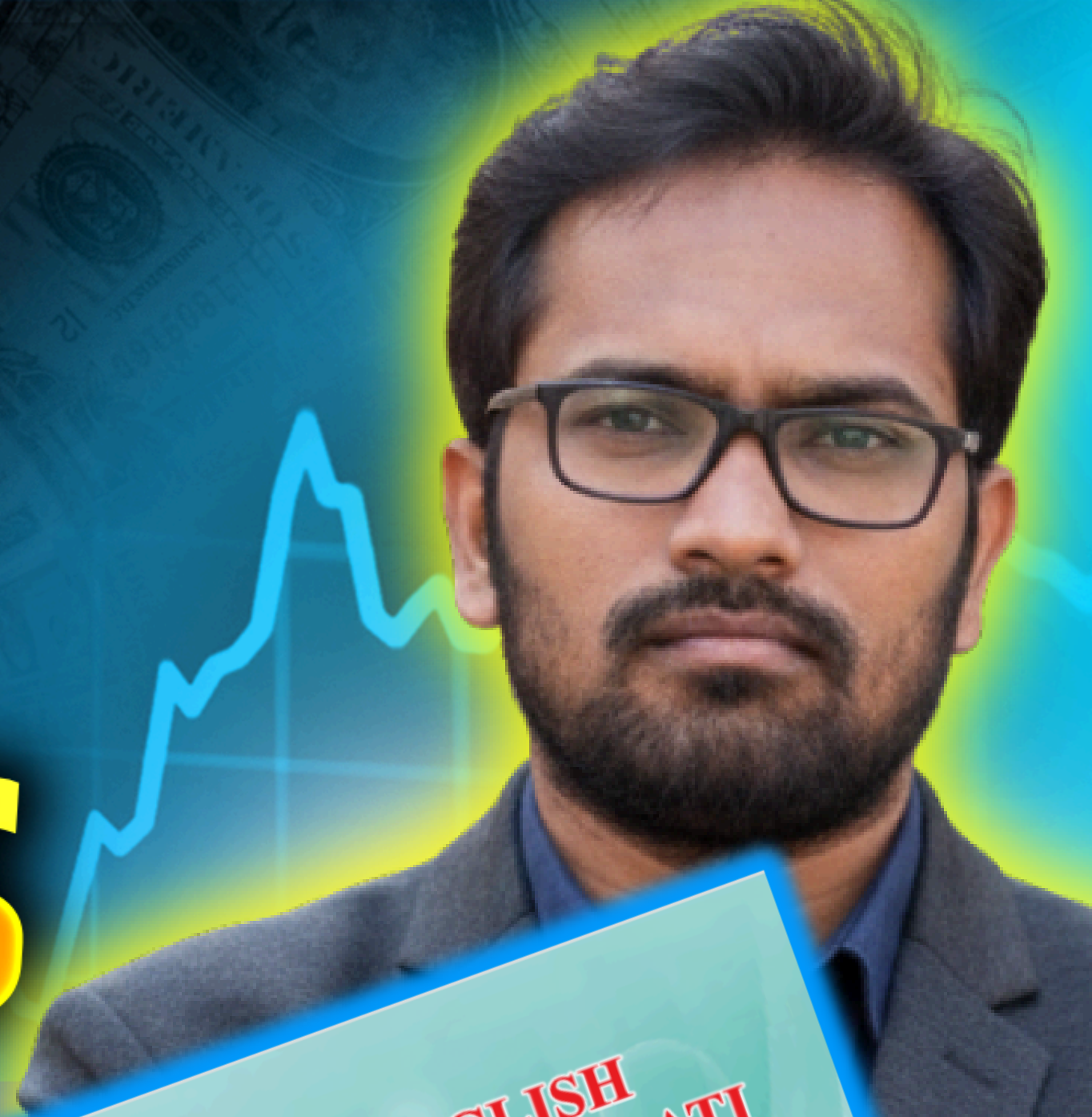
Reading short
stories in English

Reading English
textbooks daily

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ENGLISH WRITING SKILLS

DRAFTING VIRTUAL
MESSAGES



Question No. 4 (A)

Q.4 (A) Drafting Virtual Messages / Statement of Purpose / Group Discussion

Drafting a Virtual Message (4 Marks)

- Convert a virtual telephone conversation or audio chat into a short written message.
- The message should be written for *a third person*.
- Mention the *date* of the message.
- Mention the *time* of the message.
- Write the *name* of the person for whom the message is meant.
- Write the main message *clearly*.
- Write the *name of the sender*.
- Include only the *important points*.
- Use *simple and correct English*.
- Write the message using *indirect / reported speech*.

Question No. 4 (A)

Q.4 (A) Drafting Virtual Messages / Statement of Purpose / Group Discussion

Drafting a Virtual Message (4 Marks)

Imagine Sunny has been selected to appear in the final round of the singing competition. Sunny's father has moved out of the city for some official work. Sunny tried to call his father several times, but due to connectivity issues, he is unable to contact him. Draft a virtual message in about 50 words to convey this information to his father.

Drafting a Virtual Message

22 Aug., 8 pm

Dear Papa,

I hope you are fine. I am very happy to tell you that I have been selected for the final round of the singing competition. I tried to call you many times today, but due to network problems, I could not contact you.

When you return home, I would like to share more details and take your guidance.

Take care. Love,

Sunny

Question No. 4 (A)

Q.4 (A) Drafting Virtual Messages / Statement of Purpose / Group Discussion

Drafting a Virtual Message (4 Marks)

Imagine, Shubham has to leave for his native place due to emergency work. He and his friend Mahesh had planned to watch a movie at 8.30 pm. Shubham tried to call Mahesh several times but due to connectivity issues he is unable to contact him. Draft a virtual message in about 50/100 words to Mahesh to convey this information. Support your message by giving appropriate reasons.

Drafting a Virtual Message

16 Sept., 7.30 pm

Dear Mahesh,

I hope you are fine. I have to leave for my native place urgently due to some emergency work. We had planned to watch a movie at 8.30 pm today. I tried to call you many times, but due to network problems, I could not contact you.

We will plan to watch the movie some other day. Sorry for the inconvenience.

Take care.

Shubham

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ENGLISH WRITING SKILLS

EMAIL WRITING



Question 4: B

E- Mail ID - eg : abcd@gmail.com

Subject (If necessary add CC/BCC)

Main Letter :

- i) Salutation :- Sir/Dear Sir/Madam
- ii) First Paragraph
- iii) Second Paragraph

Thanking You

Yours faithfully

Name

Address

Contact Number

Draft saved



To

Cc Bcc

Subject

Thanks and regards

Have a wonderful day ahead

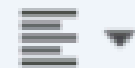
Mr Mahendra Dasharath Ghare,

Founder - Creative Math Marathi

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Send



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(B) Attempt 'Any One' of the following activities : (4)

(I) E-mail :

Imagine your housing colony wishes to organise a programme in view of 'World Ozone Day.' As the secretary of the colony, draft an email to a distinguished personality to invite him as a chief guest for the same.

To, samer123@email.com

Subject: Invitation as Chief Guest for World Ozone Day Programme

Dear Sir,

I hope this email finds you in good health.

Our housing colony is organising a programme on the occasion of World Ozone Day on 16th September 2026 to create awareness about the importance of protecting the ozone layer. The programme will be held at Shanti Nagar Housing Colony Hall at 10.00 a.m.

As a distinguished personality and an environmental expert, we would be honoured if you could grace the occasion as the Chief Guest and guide us with your valuable thoughts.

We sincerely hope you will accept our invitation and encourage our residents with your presence.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

Mahesh Patil

Secretary

Shanti Nagar Housing Colony

Contact No.: 9XXXXXXXXXX

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ENGLISH
WRITING SKILL

REPORT WRITING



Report Writing

- (१) तुमच्या महाविद्यालयात किंवा इतर कोठेही घडलेल्या एखाद्या Activity किंवा घटनेबद्दल तुम्हाला अहवाल (रिपोर्ट) तयार करण्यास किंवा लिहिण्यास सांगितले जाऊ शकते.
- (२) तुमचा अहवाल अंदाजे १००-१५० शब्दांत लिहा.
- (३) अहवाल लिहिण्यासाठीची परिस्थिती (विषय) तुम्हाला कृती पत्रिकेत (Activity Sheet) दिली जाईल.
- (४) अहवालात शीर्षक (Headline), ठिकाण (Place), तारीख (Date) आणि बातमी देणाऱ्याचे नाव (Byline) यांचा उल्लेख असावा.
- (५) अहवालाचा पहिला परिच्छेद हा मुख्य परिच्छेद (Lead paragraph) असावा, ज्यामध्ये महत्त्वाच्या तथ्यांची माहिती दिलेली असावी.
- (६) पुढील परिच्छेदामध्ये बातमीचा सविस्तर तपशील द्यावा.
- (७) तुमच्या वैयक्तिक मतांचा समावेश करू नये; मात्र, इतरांची मते किंवा विचार उद्धृत केले जाऊ शकतात.
- (८) अहवाल लिहिताना कर्मणी प्रयोगाचा (Passive voice) वापर केला जावा.

Imagine, your college recently organised a programme on 'Personality Development'. As a student incharge, write a report of the same in about 150 words for your college magazine.

July 2024

Two days' programme on 'Personality Development'

- By Aryan Patil, Student Representative

Pune, January 20: Our college recently organized a two-day programme on 'Personality Development'. The main goal was to help students improve their communication skills, time management, and confidence.

During these two days, many workshops were held. Students actively participated in group discussions, projects, and role-plays. These activities made the learning process fun and easy to understand.

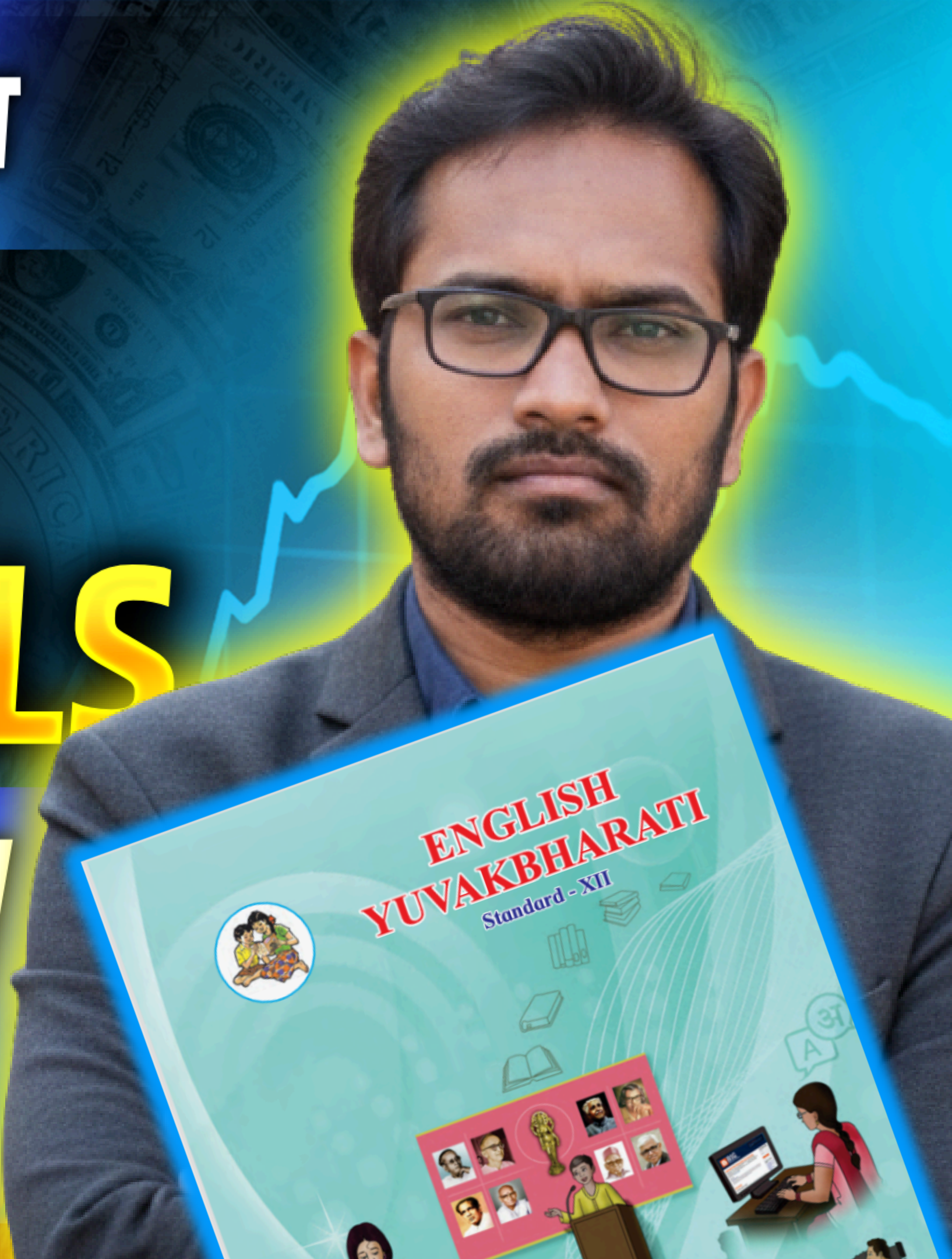
The highlight of the event was a special speech by the famous motivational speaker Mr. Sameer Deshmukh. He shared great tips on building a strong personality using simple examples and light humor. His speech was very interesting and all students appreciated it.

The programme was a huge success. After the sessions, students showed better confidence and a positive attitude. It was truly a helpful and memorable event for all.

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ENGLISH
WRITING SKILLS

INTERVIEW



(B) Attempt 'Any One' from the following activities :

(iii) Interview :

Imagine, you have to conduct an interview of a 'sports personality' with the help of the format given below, draft questions on the given fields.

(Do not change the sequence of the questions)

Name of the interviewee :

Field / Reputation :

Date / Venue / Time :

Duration of Interview :

Questions based on

- (1) Love for sports
- (2) Challenges
- (3) Preparation
- (4) Teachers / Guide
- (5) Hardwork
- (6) Achievements
- (7) Goals
- (8) Vision

Name of the interviewee : Sachin Patil

Field / Reputation : Sports Personality

Date / Venue / Time : 26 January 2026 / School Auditorium / 11.00 a.m.

Duration of Interview : 20 Minutes

(1) Love for sports - How did you develop love for sports?

(2) Challenges - What challenges did you face in your sports career?

(3) Preparation - How do you prepare yourself for sports competitions?

(4) Teachers / Guide - Who guided you in your sports journey?

(5) Hardwork - How important is hard work in sports life?

(6) Achievements - What are your major achievements in sports?

(7) Goals - What are your future goals in sports?

(8) Vision - What is your vision for the future of sports?

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ENGLISH
WRITING SKILL

SPEECH WRITING



Speech Writing

(१) तुमचे भाषण अंदाजे १०० ते १५० शब्दांचे असावे.

(२) भाषणाची सुरुवात योग्य प्रकारे करावी, उदा. प्राचार्य, शिक्षक आणि तुमच्या मित्रांना संबोधित करून.

"Honourable Principal, respected teachers, and my dear friends. A very good morning to all of you!"

(३) तुमच्या भाषणाचा शेवट "Thank you" (धन्यवाद) ने करावा.

"That is all from my side. Thank you all for listening to me so patiently!"

(४) तुमचे विचार योग्य रीतीने स्पष्ट करा. भाषणाचा प्रभाव वाढवण्यासाठी तुम्ही काही अलंकारिक प्रश्न (Rhetorical Questions) विचारू शकता.

(५) भाषणात तुम्ही तेच लिहा, जे तुम्हाला प्रत्यक्ष संधी मिळाल्यास तुम्ही प्रत्यक्षपणे बोलणार आहात.

Imagine, you have been selected to represent your Junior College for an Intercollegiate Elocution Competition on the topic 'Soldiers and Farmers: the Real Heroes'. Draft a speech in about 100-150 words on the given topic.

March 2025

Our Soldiers and Farmers – The Real Heroes

Respected, judges Principal, teachers, and my dear friends,

Good morning to all. Today, I am going to speak on the topic: "Our Soldiers and Farmers: The Real Heroes." I will start with the famous slogan—"Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan!"

The real heroes of India are not movie stars or cricketers. They are our soldiers and farmers.

Our soldiers stay away from their families to protect our borders. They fight in extreme cold and heat so that we can sleep peacefully at home. They are the shields of our nation.

On the other hand, our farmers work very hard from morning to night in the fields. Because of their hard work, we get food on our tables every day. They are the backbone of our country.

Soldiers keep us safe, and farmers keep us healthy. They are the two strong pillars of India. We must always respect their sacrifice and hard work.

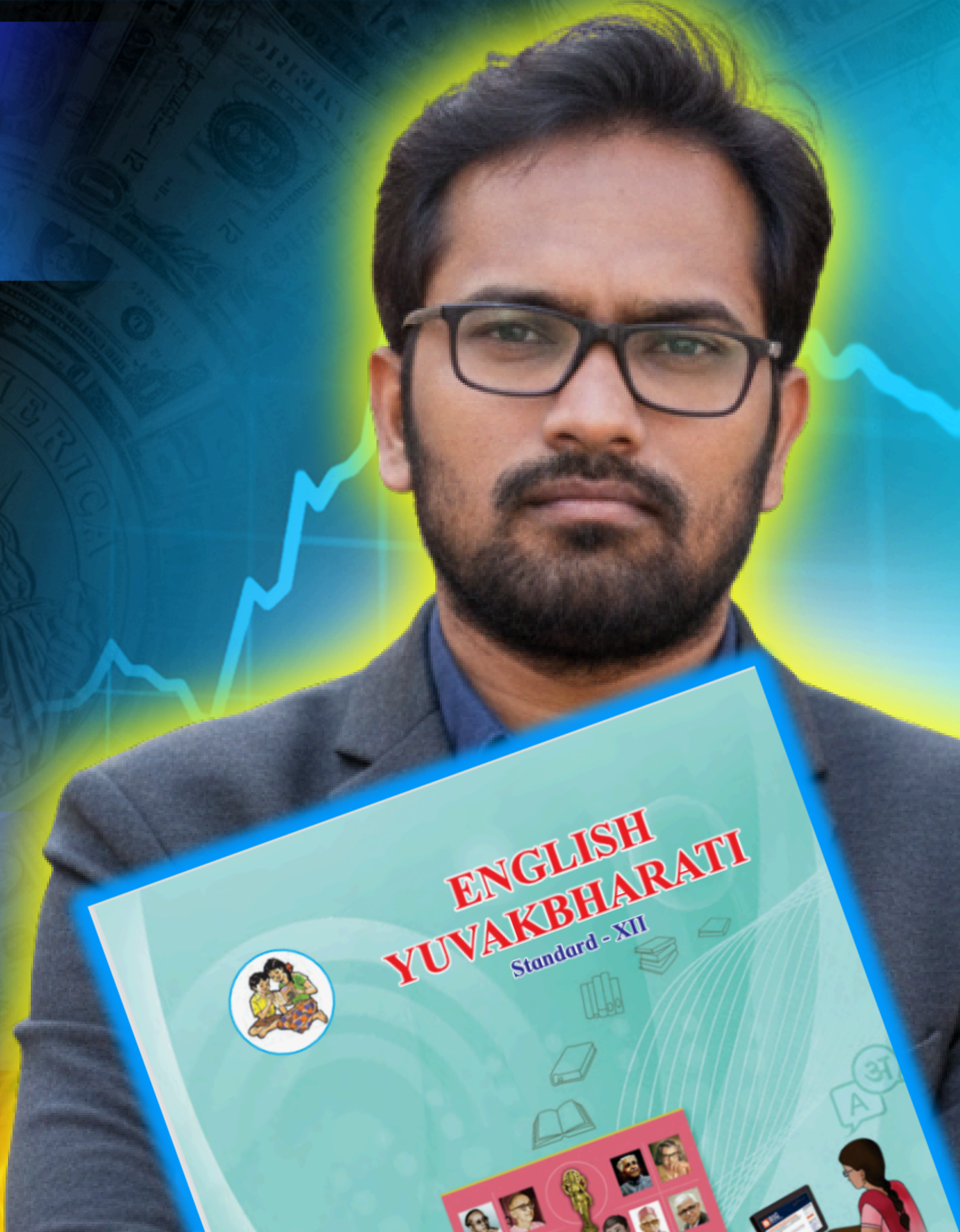
"That is all from my side. Thank you all for listening to me so patiently!"

Once again, Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan! Jai Hind!

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ENGLISH
WRITING SKILL

COMPERING



COMPERING (सूत्रसंचालन)

हा प्रश्न कसा सोडवावा? परीक्षेत तुम्हाला एखाद्या कार्यक्रमासाठी 'स्क्रिप्ट' (मसुदा) लिहिण्यास सांगितले जाऊ शकते. ही स्क्रिप्ट तयार करताना खालील मुद्दे लक्षात ठेवणे आवश्यक आहे:

- (१) औपचारिक यजमान (Formal Host): सूत्रसंचालक हा कार्यक्रमाचा मुख्य यजमान असतो. तो कार्यक्रम सादर करणारा, घोषणा करणारा आणि संपूर्ण कार्यक्रमाचा समन्वय (Coordinator) साधणारा दुवा असतो.
- (२) प्रेक्षकांमध्ये उत्साह निर्माण करणे: सूत्रसंचालकाने प्रेक्षकांमध्ये कार्यक्रमाबद्दल आवड निर्माण केली पाहिजे आणि पुढील कार्यक्रमाबद्दल थोडक्यात कल्पना दिली पाहिजे.
- (३) कलाकारांचे कौतुक (Glorify Performances): प्रत्येक सादरीकरणानंतर कलाकारांचे योग्य शब्दांत, सकारात्मक टिप्पण्या देऊन आणि मनापासून कौतुक करून त्यांचा उत्साह वाढवला पाहिजे.
- (४) प्रेक्षकांचा प्रतिसाद मिळवणे: प्रेक्षकांमध्ये उत्साह टिकवून ठेवण्यासाठी त्यांना टाळ्या वाजवण्यास प्रवृत्त करणे किंवा त्यांच्याशी अधूनमधून संवाद साधणे आवश्यक आहे.

COMPERING (सूत्रसंचालन)

(५) सुसूत्रता (Smooth Transitions): कार्यक्रमाचा एक भाग संपून दुसरा भाग सुरू होताना त्यामध्ये नैसर्गिक सुसूत्रता असावी. कार्यक्रम मध्येच थांबल्यासारखा वाटू नये.

(६) कार्यक्रमाला एका सूत्रात गुंफणे: संपूर्ण कार्यक्रमाला एका कलात्मक धाग्यात गुंफण्याचे कौशल्य सूत्रसंचालकाकडे असावे, जेणेकरून कार्यक्रमात सलगता (Continuity) टिकून राहिल.

(७) प्रेक्षकांना गुंतवून ठेवणे (Engagement): शेवटी, सर्वात महत्त्वाची गोष्ट म्हणजे प्रेक्षकांचे लक्ष विचलित होऊ न देणे आणि त्यांना संपूर्ण वेळ कार्यक्रमात गुंतवून ठेवणे हे सूत्रसंचालकाचे मुख्य कर्तव्य आहे.

The points will be given in the Activity Sheet.

The script should be written in the proper flow.

COMPERING (सूत्रसंचालन)

Imagine, your Junior College has organised a programme to felicitate the 'HSC Examination toppers' of your college. As a compere of a programme, draft a script for the programme. You may use the following points: (March '25)

- *Welcome song*
- *Introduction*
- *Lighting of the lamp*
- *Inviting Chief Guest for felicitation*
- *Vote of thanks*

COMPERING (सूत्रसंचालन)

(1) Introduction & Welcome Song: Good evening and a warm welcome to everyone present here. I am Mahendra, Cultural Secretary of our Junior College. To begin this programme, I invite our college band Harmony to present the welcome song and prayer.

(2) Introduction: Thank you, Harmony. That was a beautiful performance. Now, I take this opportunity to introduce our respected Chief Guest, Ms. Sanjana Raut, Principal, School of Social Work. We warmly welcome you, Ma'am. Let us greet her with a big round of applause.

(3) Lighting the Lamp: To formally start today's programme, I request our honourable Chief Guest to light the lamp and inaugurate the function.

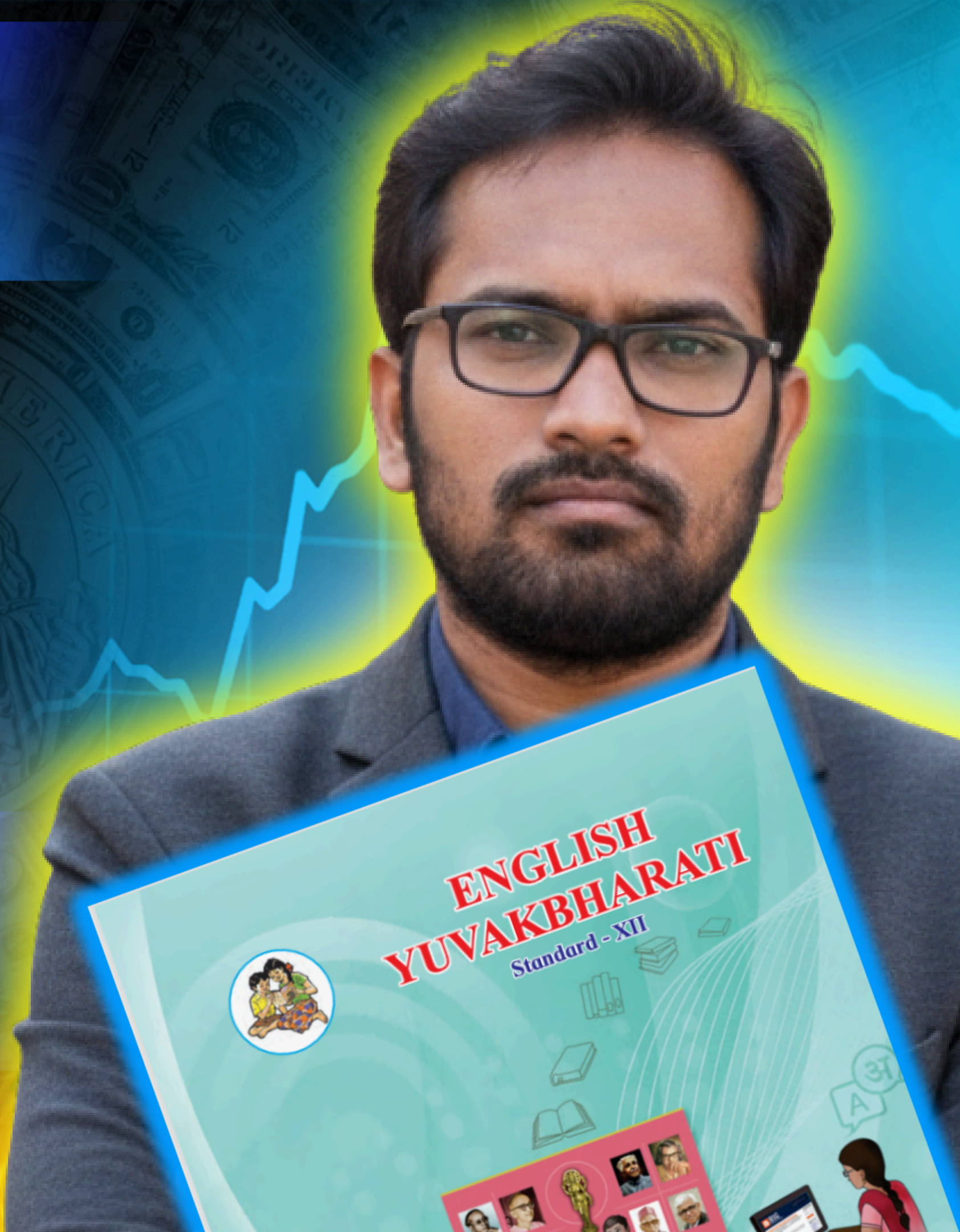
COMPERING (सूत्रसंचालन)

- (4) Main Event: Felicitation:* The HSC Examination is an important stage in every student's life. Our students have worked very hard and achieved excellent results. I now request our honourable Chief Guest to announce the Junior College results and felicitate our HSC toppers who have made us proud.
- (5) Principal's Address:* Thank you, Ma'am, for the felicitation. Now, I invite our respected Principal to address the gathering and guide our students..
- (6) Vote of Thanks:* Thank you, Sir, for your inspiring words. Now, I request Mr. Milind Shah, Joint Secretary of our Cultural Society, to propose the vote of thanks

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ENGLISH
WRITING SKILL

BLOG WRITING



Blog Writing

- (१) या प्रश्नामध्ये तुम्हाला ब्लॉगचा एक विषय आणि त्याबद्दल काही महत्त्वाचे मुद्दे (Points) दिले जातील.
- (२) ब्लॉग योग्य फॉर्मॅटमध्ये आणि सुमारे १०० ते १५० शब्दांत लिहिलेला असावा.
- (३) ब्लॉगमध्ये एक प्रस्तावना (Introduction), मुख्य मजकूर (Body) आणि शेवटचा परिच्छेद (Concluding Paragraph) असावा जो संपूर्ण विषयाचा सारांश सांगेल. शक्य असल्यास त्यात तुमचा स्वतःचा अनुभव (Personal Experience) जोडा.
- (४) लिहिताना छोटे परिच्छेद, साधी आणि छोटी वाक्ये व सोपे शब्द वापरा. एकाच गोष्टीची पुनरावृत्ती (Repetition) टाळा. तुमच्या पोस्टचा शेवट एखाद्या चर्चेच्या प्रश्नाने (Discussion Question) करा.
- (५) ब्लॉगला एक आकर्षक शीर्षक (Attractive Title) द्या. वाचकांचे लक्ष वेधून घेईल असे ते शीर्षक असावे.

Write a blog in proper format for the topics given below with help of the given points (100 - 150 words)

(2) Solar energy. (March '25)

Renewable source of energy

Reduces pollution

Reduces electricity bills

Subsidy by government

Solar Energy: A Bright Future for India!

India is a lucky country because we get plenty of sunlight throughout the year. Solar energy is a renewable source of energy, which means it will never finish. It is a gift from nature that is available right at our doorstep. So, why should we not use it more?

Solar energy is a clean and green source of power. Unlike coal or petrol, it reduces pollution and does not harm our nature. The best part is that it reduces our electricity bills significantly. Once you install solar panels, they last for many years. It is a very smart and economical choice for every home.

Solar Energy: A Bright Future for India!

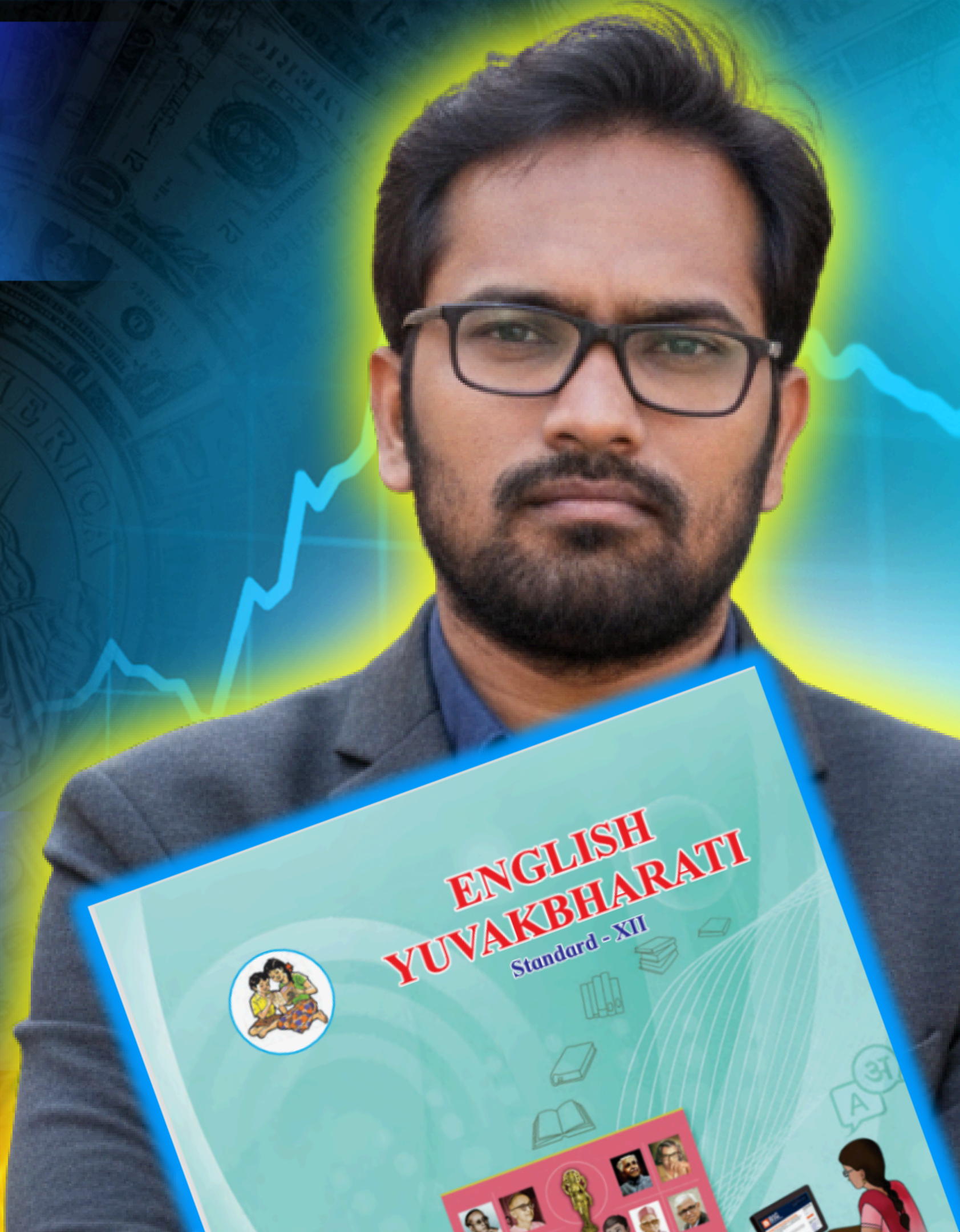
Today, even the government is giving subsidies and help to install solar systems. This makes it very affordable for everyone. It is time to use this 'free energy' from the sun. The Sun God is smiling at us, so let's grab this opportunity!

What do you think? Is your home ready for solar energy?

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ENGLISH
WRITING SKILL

REVIEW



Review

तुम्हाला अलीकडेच पाहिलेल्या एखाद्या चित्रपटाचा/व्हिडिओचा किंवा वाचलेल्या एखाद्या पुस्तकाचा/मासिकाचा 'रिव्ह्यू' (समीक्षा) लिहिण्यास सांगितले जाईल.

(अ) चित्रपट/व्हिडिओ रिव्ह्यू (समीक्षा):

- पात्रांची नावे (मुख्य आणि सहाय्यक भूमिका)
- चित्रपटाची कथा किंवा विषयाबद्दल थोडक्यात माहिती
- चित्रपटाची वैशिष्ट्ये/काहीतरी नवीन किंवा आगळीवेगळी कल्पना
- संगीत/नृत्य/गाणी/ॲक्शन/दिग्दर्शन
- तुम्हाला हा चित्रपट का आवडला किंवा का आवडला नाही?
- इतरांनी हा चित्रपट पहावा का? / तुम्ही तुमच्या मित्रांना हा चित्रपट पाहण्याचा सल्ला द्याल का? आणि का?

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(ब) पुस्तक/मासिक रिव्ह्यू (समीक्षा):

- पुस्तकाचे नाव / लेखकाचे नाव
- विषय/कथा/माहिती
- भाषा/शैली/सादरीकरण
- फायदे किंवा मिळणारा संदेश

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💡 बोर्ड परीक्षेसाठी काही महत्त्वाच्या टिप्स:

- भाषा सोपी ठेवा: रिव्ह्यू लिहित असताना खूप क्लिष्ट शब्द वापरण्याऐवजी साधी आणि ओघवती इंग्रजी वापरा.
- परिच्छेद (Paragraphs): दिलेले मुद्दे वेगवेगळ्या परिच्छेदात लिहा. उदा. कथेसाठी एक पॅराग्राफ, तांत्रिक बाजू (संगीत/दिग्दर्शन) साठी दुसरा पॅराग्राफ.
- तुमचे मत: हा प्रश्न तुमच्या वैयक्तिक मतावर आधारित असतो, त्यामुळे "I liked this film because..." किंवा "The book is inspiring because..." अशा वाक्यांचा वापर करा.

Review

(1) Write a review of a movie you have recently watched using the points given below (100-150 words):

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- *Title*
- *Theme/Storyline*
- *Director/Music director*
- *Characters/Actors*
- *Add your own points*

Review of the film 'Pawankhind'

'Pawankhind' is a very inspiring Marathi movie. The director of this film is Digpal Lanjekar. The main actors are Chinmay Mandlekar and Ajay Purkar. They have done a great job. This movie is based on a true story from Maratha history. It shows the bravery of Baji Prabhu Deshpande and his 300 soldiers.

The story of this film is very interesting and emotional. It shows how Baji Prabhu sacrificed his life to save Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj. The action scenes and the music of this film are excellent. The director has shown the history in a very simple and powerful way. Even children can understand the story easily.

Review of the film 'Pawankhind'

Overall, this is a must-watch movie for everyone. The message of this film is very positive. I liked this film very much because it makes me feel proud of our history. I would like to recommend this film to all my friends. You should not miss this masterpiece.