



**BAL BHARATI PUBLIC SCHOOL, PITAMPURA, DELHI – 110034**  
**Weekend Activities**

**Class VIII**

**Subject: Art**

**Topic :- Floor Paintings**

This week let us continue to work on the various art forms prevalent in India. Along with the drawings we will also learn something more about these forms.

Floor paintings are drawn mainly in festivals and ceremonies. These forms are known by different names in different states like Chowk Purna in Uttar Pradesh Aipan in Uttarakhand, Alpana in Bengal, and many more.

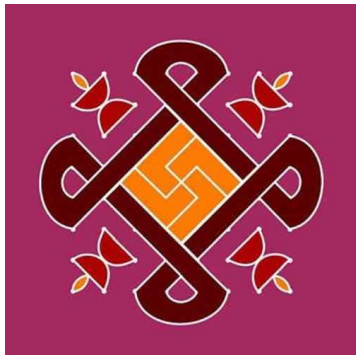
**Task:- Create a beautiful wall hanging using any one of the given art forms**

**Material required**

- Pencil, Eraser and Scale
- Colours /Crayons and Sketch Pens
- Cardboard pieces that can be taken from old notebook covers
- Ribbons of any colour
- You can use any type of decorative material available at home to decorate your wall hanging

**Write a few lines on both the folk art forms given above.**

*You may take reference from the internet also.*



*Chowk Purna*



*Aipan*



*Alpana (Sample images for your reference)*

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### Subject: Critical Thinking

#### PUZZLE 1:

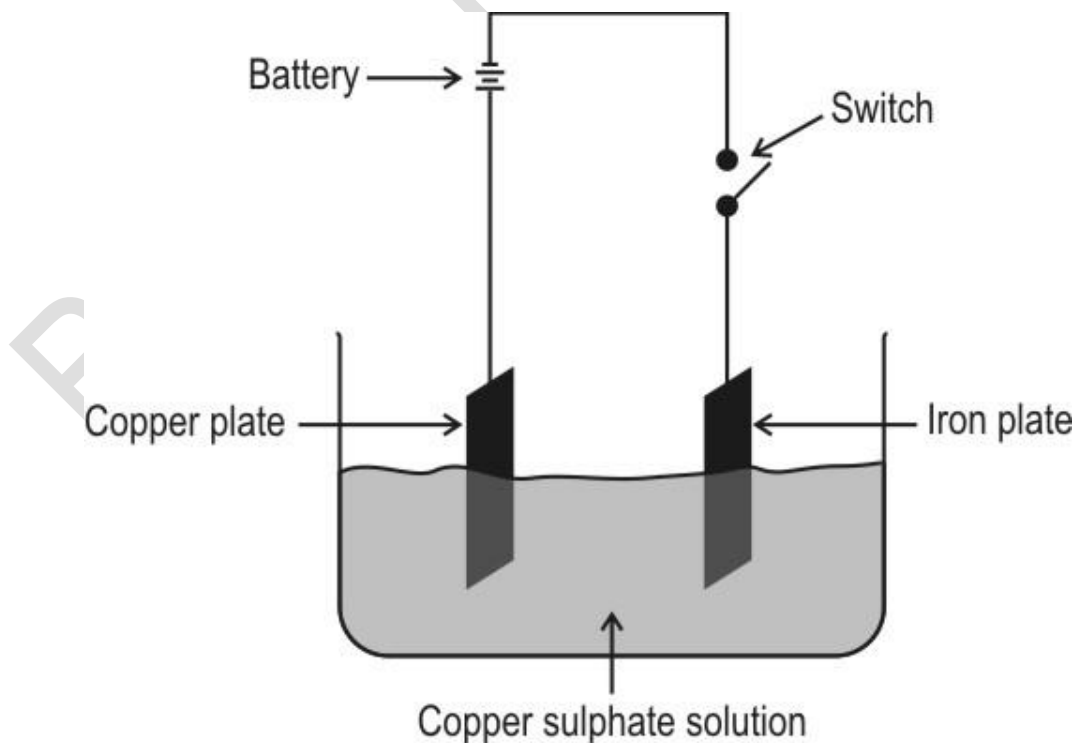
Following are some funny and crazy riddles: -

1. In a single-storey house, there is a red chair, red bed, red computer, red flowers, red table, red carpet- everything around is red colour.

What is the colour of the staircase?

2. What starts and ends with the letter 'E', but has only one letter?
3. Which tree can be carried in your hand?
4. What is as big as an elephant, but weighs nothing?
5. What has its shoes on even while sleeping?
6. You can serve it but cannot eat it?
7. It has four eyes, but still cannot see anything. What is it?
8. It starts with 'P', ends with 'E' and has thousands of letters in it. What is it?
9. What comes once in a minute, twice in a moment, but never in a thousand years?
10. I am an English word. If you pronounce me correctly, then you are wrong, and if you pronounce me wrong, then you are right. What word am I?

#### PUZZLE 2:



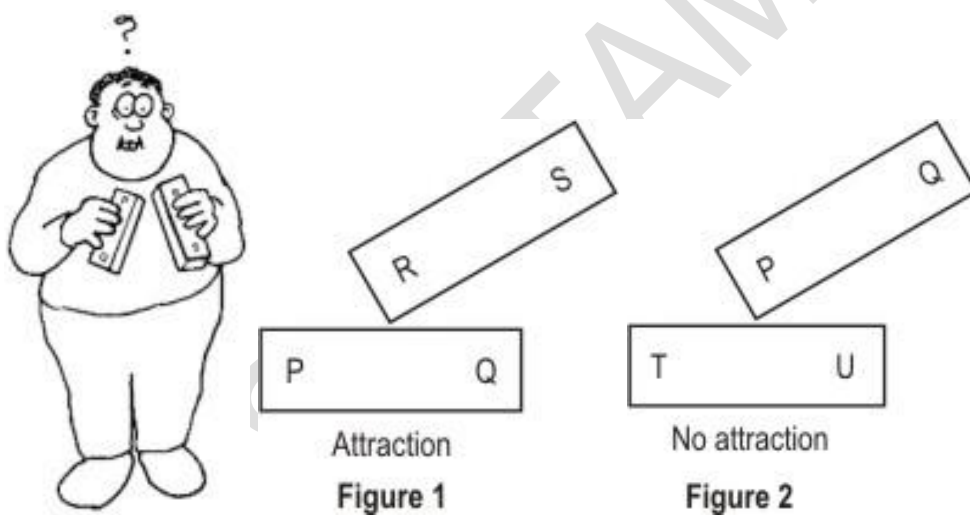
Mohan connected a copper plate and an iron plate to the positive and negative terminals of a battery respectively along with a switch. He immersed the plates into a beaker containing copper sulphate solution. After a few minutes, even before he turned the switch on, he noticed copper deposited on the iron plate. This could have been due to\_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Combustion
- (b) Displacement
- (c) Decomposition
- (d) Oxidation and Reduction

### PUZZLE 3

Prateek has three iron bars (PQ, RS and TU) that look alike. He knows that one or more of them may be magnet but does not know which. He conducts the following experiments.

In Figure 1, there is attraction between RS and PQ and in Figure 2, there is no attraction between PQ and TU. What can he conclude from these experiments?



- A RS and PQ are magnets and TU is an iron bar
- B RS is a magnet and PQ and TU are iron bars
- C RS and PQ are magnets - he cannot be sure about TU
- D RS is a magnet; PQ is an iron bar - he cannot be sure about TU

#### **PUZZLE 4:**

Match the items given in the Column A correctly with those given in Column B

Column A	Column B
(i) Resources	(a) A renewable source of energy
(ii) Windmill	(b) Human-made resource
(iii) Plants and trees	(c) Abiotic resources
(iv) A vehicle	(d) Utility
(v) Rocks and minerals	(e) Biotic resources

#### **PUZZLE 5:**

**प्रश्न 1** 'क्षितिज' किसे कहते हैं ?

- (A) जहाँ धरती और आकाश पास-पास होते हैं
- (B) जहाँ तक धरती दिखाई पड़ती है
- (C) जहाँ से धरती और आकाश दिखाई पड़ते
- (D) जहाँ धरती और आसमान मिले हुए दिखाई देते हैं

**प्रश्न 2.** यदि किसी का ओर-छोर नहीं है, तो

- (A) उसका सिरा नहीं मिलता
- (B) उसकी सीमा नहीं है
- (C) उसका विस्तार अधिक है
- (D) उसके बहुत से सिरें हैं

**प्रश्न 3.** किस शब्द में 'इक' प्रत्यय का प्रयोग नहीं किया जा सकता?

- (A) जीव
- (B) स्वभाव
- (C) प्रकृति
- (D) भय

## Subject: Meal Planning

### Summer Cool Salad

Here is a simple recipe of a quick and refreshing summer salad.



#### Ingredients

- Apple.....1
- Cucumber.....1
- Mint Leaves..... a few
- Salt.....to taste
- Pepper Powder....1/2 tsp
- Honey.....1 tsp
- Lemon Juice.....1tsp

#### Method

Step1: To begin making the Apple Cucumber Salad, slice or cube the apple and the cucumber.

Step 2: In a large mixing bowl, combine these with honey, lemon juice, crushed black pepper and salt to taste.

Step 3: Add a few chopped mint leaves and toss well. Keep the Apple Cucumber Salad chilled until ready to serve.

## **One Minute Choco lava Cake**

An all-time favourite delicacy.

### **Ingredients**

- Flour.....2 tbsp
- Cocoa Powder.....1 tbsp
- Castor Sugar.....2 tbsp
- Melted Butter/Oil.....2 tbsp
- Baking Powder.....a pinch
- Milk.....3-4 tbsp
- Dark Chocolate Cubes...2-3

### **Method**

**Step 1:** Take a microwave safe mug or a bowl and add all the given ingredients in it except the dark chocolate cubes.

**Step 2:** Mix it well using a fork until it reaches a smooth dropping consistency. You may adjust the amount of milk used.

**Step 3:** Place the dark chocolate cubes in the centre and cover with the batter.

**Step 4:** Microwave for a minute and serve hot.



**PUT ON YOUR THINKING CAP**

**Subject: Mental Ability**

**LEVEL I**

**(Answer Key to the Mental Ability Worksheet shared on 15 May 2020)**

1. C
2. B
3. B
4. C
5. A
6. A
7. A
8. C
9. A
10. D
11. C
12. B
13. A
14. B
15. B