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English Critical Thinking Worksheet 3

Class 7

1. Based on the reading of the given speech given below ,answer the questions that follow.

Bill Gates recently gave a speech at a High School about 11 things they did not and will not learn in school. He talks about how feel good, politically correct teachings created a generation of kids with no concept of reality and how this concept them up for failure in the real world.

Rule 1: Life is not fair, get used to it

- Rule 2: The world doesn't care about your self-esteem. The world will expect you to accomplish Something BEFORE you feel good about yourself.
- Rule 3: You will NOT make \$60,000 a year right out of high school. You won't be a Vice-President with a car and phone until you earn both.
- Rule 4: If you think your teacher is tough wait till you get a boss.
- Rule 5. Flipping burgers is not beneath your dignity. Your grandparents had a different word for burger flipping they called it opportunity.
- Rule 6: If you mess up, it's not your parents' fault, so don't whine about your mistakes, learn from them.
- Rule 7: Before you were born, your parents weren't as boring as they are now. They got that way from paying your bills, cleaning your clothes and listening to you talk about how cool you thought you were. So, before you save the rain forest from the parasites of your parent's generation, try delousing the closet in your own room.
- Rule 8: Your school may have done away with winners and losers, but life HAS NOT. In some schools, they have abolished failing grades and they'll give you as MANY TIMES as you want the right answer. This doesn't bear the slightest resemblance to ANYTHING in real life.
- Rule 9: Life is not divided into semesters. You don't get summers off and very few employers are interested in helping you FIND YOURSELF. Do that on your own time.
- Rule 10: Television is NOT real life. In real life people actually have to leave the coffee shop and go to jobs.

Rule 11: Be nice to nerds. Chances are you'll end up working for one.

- 1. Who gave the speech given above?
- 2. Where was the speech given?
- 3. Elaborate on "...don't whine about your mistakes, learn from them."
- 4. Explain 'If you think your teacher is tough, wait till you get a boss'.

5. Which two rules from the passage given above do you agree / identify with? Share your opinion/experience.

6. Suggest a suitable title to the passage.

II. Carefully observe the picture given below. What ideas come to your mind? (HINT: Think of some abstract nouns.)

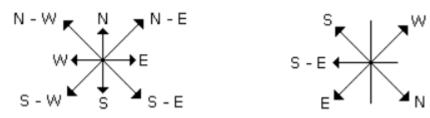
Write your impressions about the picture in about 150 words.



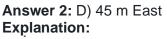


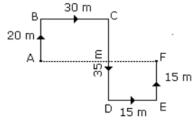
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Answer 1: C) South-East Explanation:



It is clear from the diagrams that new name of West will become South-East.

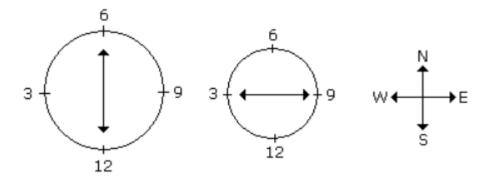




Required distance = AF = 30 + 15= 45 m. From the diagram, F is in the East direction from A.

Hence the required answer is '45 m East'

Answer 3: D) West Explanation:



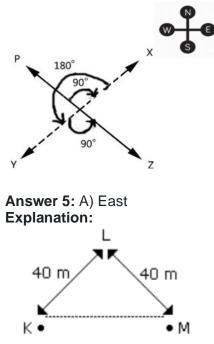


Answer 4: C) South-east

Explanation:

As shown in fig. the man initially faces in the direction OP. On moving

90 clockwise, he faces in the direction OX. On further moving 180 anticlockwise, he faces in the direction OY. Finally, on moving 90 anticlockwise, he faces in the direction OZ, which is South-east.



Hence M is in the East of K

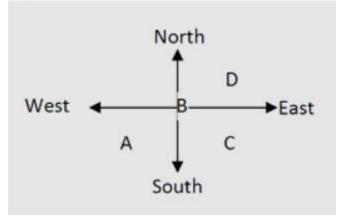
Answer 6: C) South Explanation: Sun rises in the east in the morning. Since the shadow of Suresh falls to his right. So he is facing South.

Answer 7: B) North-West **Explanation:** From the given directions, now he is 1km in the North-West direction.

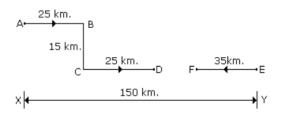
Answer 8: Option A Explanation:

In the evening as sun is in the west, so the shadows fall towards east. Now, since Manju's shadow fell towards right, therefore, Manju is facing south. So, Sanju standing face to face with Manju was facing north.

Answer 9: Option D Explanation:



Answer 10: A) 65 km Explanation:



Required distance = DF

= 150 - (25 + 25 + 35)

= 150 - 85

= 65 km.