**HOME ASSIGNMENT FOR WINTER BREAK – 2019**

**SUBJECT :- ENGLISH CLASS – XI HORNBILL**

CHAPTER 1 : - THE BROWNING VERSION

1. Why did Crocker-Harris not disclose Taplow’s result ? ( 30-40 words )
2. Where did Millie send Taplow ? What was her purpose ? ( 30-40 words )
3. Give a character sketch of Crocker-Harris. ( 120-150 words )

CHAPTER 2 : - CHILDHOOD

1. What does the child think about the adults in the poem ? ( 30-40 words )
2. Why does the poet feel that heaven and hell are not real places ? ( 30-40 words )
3. What is the poet’s feeling towards childhood ? ( 120-150 words )

CHAPTER 3 :- THE ADVENTURE

1. Who was Professor Gaitonde ? Why was he surprised to see the name of East India Company on an imposing building in Bombay ? ( 30-40 words )
2. What important discovery did Prof. Gaitonde make on reading history books ? ( 30-40 words)
3. Why was the consequence of the battle of Panipath important for the Peshwar ? ( 120-150 words )

CHAPTER 4 :- FATHER TO SON

1. Why is the father unhappy with his son ? ( 30-40 words )
2. Why is the father unable to understand his son ? ( 30-4 words )
3. How is the father’s helplessness brought out in the poem ? ( 120-150 words )

**SNAPSHOTS**

CHAPTER 1 : - THE GHAT OF THE ONLY WORLD

1. Why did Agha Shahid Ali want Ghose to write about him ? ( 30-40 words )
2. What is the “ghat” described in this essay ? ( 30-40 words )
3. What were Shahid’s views on religion ? ( 120-150 words )

CHAPTER 2 :- BIRTH

1. Why was Joe Morgan waiting for Anrdew even though it was nearly midnight ? ( 30-40 words )
2. What did the child look like when Andrew pulled it out ? ( 30-40 words )
3. What impression of Andrew Manson do you form on the basis of the story ? ( 120-150 words)