

Extra notes and homework – Week 6

INSTRUCTION: Make sure to copy the given notes and attempt the following question in your respective copybooks.

Magazine Articles

The themes of a magazine article

- An article to be published in a school magazine, such as on a sports day organized by the school.
- A report on the problem of dumping in village
- Technology, free education, air pollution
- A lost child

The requirements of a press article

- a) **Readers:** schoolchildren, parents, or the general public
- b) **Presentation and Style:** brief, to the point and informative
- c) **Language:** plain, factual and functional. An article is not a story that should be dramatized
- d) If required, you should include your address along with the editor’s address
- e) Titles and heading make the article visually attractive
- f) The subscription and word limit are the **same** as in a formal letter or report

To: The News Editor

Sunday News

Quatre Bornes

20.04.2020

“Title”

Para 1

Para 2

Para 3

Report prepared by:

(Name)

Task:

Recently a small child, who was lost, was found wandering near a dangerous road and was rescued and taken back home safely by a stranger, who walked away without giving a name. As a newspaper reporter, write your article (addressed to the editor) of this incident which must include all the following:

- A suitable heading
- When and where the incident happened
- A brief description of the child
- How the stranger was able to help
- A request for the helpful stranger to contact the child's parents by telephone

You may add further details but remember that newspapers do not have space for long, exciting stories. Your article should be a statement of facts, in clear and correct English.