

# INDIAN SCHOOL AL WADI AL KABIR

Class: 7	Department: ENGLISH	Date of Submission: December - 2020
Worksheet No: 11	<b>Topic: Notice Writing</b>	Note: To be done in English Notebook



## What is a Notice?

- ✓ A notice is a short composition meant to convey a piece of information to some people who could be interested in it.
  - The information could be about an event that has already taken place or is about to take place in the near future.
- ✓ Notices are a means of formal communication targeted at a particular person or a group of persons. It is like a news item informing about some important event.

This can be an invitation to a meeting, an announcement of any event, to issue certain instructions, make appeals etc.

## Readers must know about 5 W's:

- ✓ What will happen? (that is, the event)
- ✓ Where it is going to be?
- ✓ When it will happen? (i.e., date and time)
- ✓ Who can or is eligible for the application?
- ✓ Whom to contact (i.e. the issuing authority)



## **Tips to Remember regarding Notice Writing:**

- ✓ Be precise and to the point. The ideal length of notice is 50 words, so precise language is appreciated.
- ✓ It is a formal form of communication so the language used should be formal as well. No flowery text.
- ✓ Keep the sentences short and use simple words. Since notices are fairly brief it is best to keep it simple.
- ✓ Use passive voice as far as possible.
- ✓ Present your notices in a proper format in a box. The presentation should be neat and thus be appealing to the eye.

#### **FORMAT**

Name of Institution / Organization, Place

## **NOTICE**

Date: Date / month / year E.g. 1st October, 2020

Heading

Body / Content

Signature

Name

Designation (means post of person)

## A notice must have:

- ✓ Issuing Authority and place
- ✓ The word 'NOTICE' (to be written in Capital letters and underline)
- ✓ Date on which the notice was issued (in British Format)
- ✓ Catchy Headline
- ✓ Body of notice with details
- ✓ Purpose
- ✓ Event
- ✓ Date/ Time
- ✓ Venue
- ✓ Signature, Name and designation (to be written in parenthesis) of person issuing the notice.

## **Home Assignment:**

- 1. You are the Secretary of Cultural Club of your school. The school is celebrating its Annual Cultural Day on 24 December, 2020. Write a notice informing the badge holders and house captains of a meeting you are conducting to take decisions on important matters regarding the conduct of the programme.
- 2. Your school is organizing a cultural programme to raise funds for a school meant for visually challenged children. Famous singer Arijit Singh has agreed to perform. Write a notice for the school notice board informing the students about the venue, date, time and the rates of the tickets.
- 3. The Environment Protection Club of your school is organizing an on-the-spot painting competition on the theme 'Grow More Trees'. The competition is open to the students of Classes VI to VIII. As the Cultural Secretary of your school, write a notice for the school notice board.

#### **WEB RESOURCES:**

https://youtu.be/xBdRIX33TJ8

https://youtu.be/03zSgpkwJeM

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