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**ENGLISH COMPULSORY
PRACTICE SHEET**



Memories of Childhood

Chapter 6

1. Who are the authors of the essay "Memories of Childhood"?

- a) Abdul Kalam and Bama
- b) Kamala Das and R.K. Narayan
- c) Ruskin Bond and Jhumpa Lahiri
- d) Vikram Seth and Arundhati Roy

2. What is the primary focus of Abdul Kalam's portion of "Memories of Childhood"?

- a) His experiences growing up in a small village
- b) His education in a metropolitan city
- c) His adventures during his college years
- d) His experiences as a scientist

3. What does Abdul Kalam recall about his childhood home?

- a) It was a large, modern house with many rooms
- b) It was a small, simple house near the sea
- c) It was a modest house with a large, open courtyard
- d) It was an apartment in a bustling city

4. How does Abdul Kalam describe his parents' influence on his early life?

- a) They encouraged him to pursue wealth and fame
- b) They instilled in him values of hard work and simplicity
- c) They were indifferent to his education
- d) They pressured him to follow a specific career path

5. What was Abdul Kalam's reaction to his teachers and their expectations?

- a) He felt overwhelmed and disheartened
- b) He was motivated and inspired
- c) He felt neglected and ignored
- d) He was indifferent and uninterested

6. What was Bama's primary focus in her portion of "Memories of Childhood"?

- a) Her experiences in a Dalit community
- b) Her education in a convent school
- c) Her experiences as a young woman in a city
- d) Her adventures in a rural setting

7. How does Bama describe the social conditions of her childhood community?

- a) As progressive and inclusive
- b) As strict and hierarchical
- c) As egalitarian and open-minded
- d) As prosperous and equal

8. What challenge does Bama face in her childhood due to her social status?

- a) She is discriminated against based on her caste
- b) She is ignored because of her gender
- c) She is marginalized due to her economic status
- d) She is neglected because of her educational background

9. How does Bama's education influence her perspective on social issues?

- a) It reinforces her belief in social hierarchy
- b) It makes her more aware of social injustices
- c) It causes her to abandon her social concerns
- d) It leads her to seek material success

10. What role do community events play in Bama's childhood narrative?

- a) They highlight the social divide and inequalities
- b) They offer opportunities for social integration
- c) They provide a platform for cultural exchange
- d) They are irrelevant to her personal experiences

11. How does Abdul Kalam's recollection of his childhood reflect his values later in life?

- a) It shows his dedication to innovation and technology

- b) It reflects his commitment to preserving cultural heritage
- c) It demonstrates his respect for education and discipline
- d) It highlights his focus on personal success and ambition

12. What is Bama's attitude towards the education system described in her narrative?

- a) She views it as a tool for empowerment
- b) She criticizes it for perpetuating social inequalities
- c) She praises it for its inclusivity and fairness
- d) She finds it irrelevant to her experiences

13. How does Abdul Kalam describe his relationship with his peers during childhood?

- a) It was marked by competition and rivalry
- b) It was characterized by support and camaraderie
- c) It was one of isolation and solitude
- d) It was dominated by conflict and discord

14. What does Bama recall about her experiences with traditional practices in her community?

- a) They were empowering and progressive
- b) They were oppressive and restrictive
- c) They were celebratory and inclusive
- d) They were neutral and unremarkable

15. How does Abdul Kalam's childhood experience with his teachers shape his later career?

- a) It motivates him to become an educator
- b) It influences his approach to leadership and mentoring
- c) It drives him to avoid working with young students
- d) It causes him to question the value of education

16. What does Bama's story suggest about the impact of social reform on individual lives?

- a) Social reform can provide opportunities for advancement

- b) Social reform has little impact on personal experiences
- c) Social reform often exacerbates social divisions
- d) Social reform is irrelevant to community traditions

17. How does Abdul Kalam's reflection on his early education contribute to the essay's themes?

- a) It underscores the importance of perseverance and dedication
- b) It highlights the need for systemic change in education
- c) It suggests the value of formal schooling over traditional methods
- d) It demonstrates the impact of family background on educational success

18. What emotional tone does Bama use to describe her experiences with caste-based discrimination?

- a) Indignant and passionate
- b) Resigned and accepting
- c) Joyful and celebratory
- d) Indifferent and detached

19. How does Abdul Kalam's family background influence his later achievements?

- a) It provides him with a strong moral foundation and sense of purpose
- b) It restricts his opportunities and choices
- c) It leads him to seek recognition and fame
- d) It has little impact on his professional life

20. How does Bama use her personal experiences to address broader social issues?

- a) By highlighting the need for systemic change
- b) By focusing on individual success stories
- c) By downplaying the significance of social inequalities
- d) By celebrating the achievements of her community

21. What message does Abdul Kalam convey about overcoming obstacles in his childhood memories?

- a) Persistence and hard work can lead to success

- b) Obstacles should be avoided whenever possible
- c) Success is determined by external factors
- d) Obstacles are a sign of failure

22. What role does community support play in Bama's narrative?

- a) It is crucial in helping her overcome social barriers
- b) It is minimal and ineffective in her personal growth
- c) It is obstructive and limiting
- d) It is irrelevant to her experiences

23. How does Abdul Kalam's depiction of his childhood home reflect his later values?

- a) It emphasizes simplicity and humility
- b) It underscores the importance of wealth and status
- c) It highlights the need for modernity and progress
- d) It contrasts with his later achievements and success

24. What does Bama's educational journey reveal about her determination to challenge social norms?

- a) It demonstrates her commitment to social justice and equality
- b) It highlights her desire for personal gain
- c) It shows her lack of interest in social issues
- d) It reveals her acceptance of traditional practices

25. How does the combined narrative of Abdul Kalam and Bama contribute to the overall message of the essay?

- a) It illustrates the diverse experiences of overcoming adversity and social challenges
- b) It focuses on the similarities in their backgrounds and achievements
- c) It contrasts their educational journeys and career outcomes
- d) It emphasizes the impact of political and economic factors on their lives

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1. a
2. a
3. c
4. b
5. b
6. a
7. b
8. a
9. b
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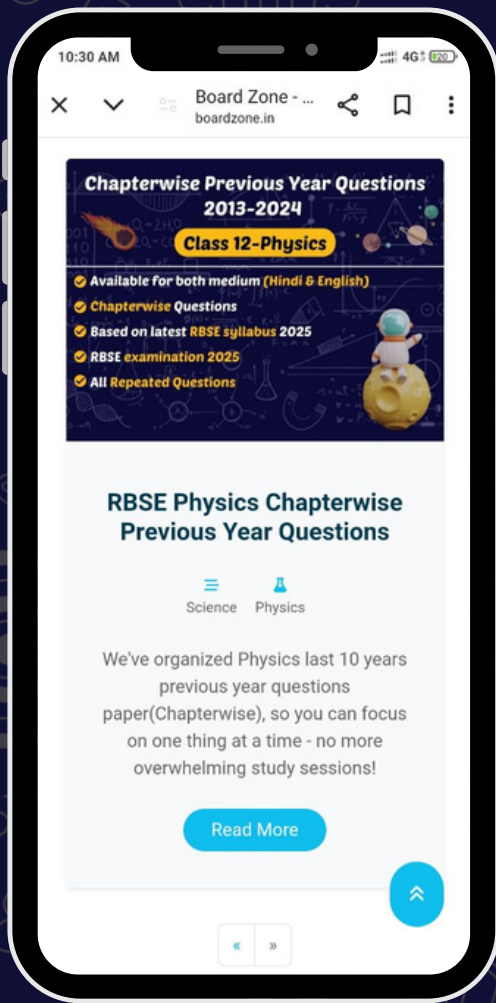
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