

1008 Dreketi Sangam School

English

Marking Scheme

Year 8

A. Write the Synonyms for the Following words.

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| 1. Seat - bench, pew, chair, sofa, settee, couch  | 11. Watch- survey, gaze at, witness, notice                 |
| 2. Spin - twirl, birl, circumvolve, rotate, whirl | 12. Build- construct, make, manufacture, create, assemble   |
| 3. Retrieve- get back, recover, regain, rescue    | 13. Drown- submerge, immerse, inundate, deluge              |
| 4. High- tall, lofty, towering, soaring, elevated | 14. Meet- suitable, reach, cross, unite converge            |
| 5. Leap- jump, bound, bounce, spring, vault, hop  | 15. Blink- flicker, sparkle, twinkle                        |
| 6. Ordain- appoint, induct, command, dictate      | 16. Feel- believe, conceive, consider, deem,                |
| 7. Row- broil, propel, line, succession           | 17. Steal- thief, take, looting                             |
| 8. Stain- discolour, blemish                      | 18. Little- short, small, slight                            |
| 9. Merge- amalgamate, blend, fuse, mingle, mix    | 19. Poor- needy, indigent, barren, unfruitful, unproductive |
| 10. Apply- employ, exercise, operate, utilize     | 20. Crown- coronet, circlet, honor, pinnacle, summit        |

B. Beginning with Past Participles.

1. The rider whipped the horse. The horse galloped out of the town.

Whipped by the rider, the horse galloped out of the town.

2. The wind blew the leaves. They piled up along the wall.

Blown by the wind, the leaves piled up along the wall.

3. The captain steered the ship. The ship entered a narrow harbour.

Steered by the captain, the ship entered a narrow harbour.

4. The bullet hit the thief. He collapsed in a heap.

Hit by a bullet, the thief collapsed in a heap.

5. A snake bit the dog. The dog nearly died.

Bitten by a snake, the dog nearly died.

6. A stone hit the car. It veered off the road. Hit by a stone, the car veered off the road.