

Internal Assessment

STD VIII

English Language

M.M. 20

Time: 45 mts

I. Underline the clauses in the following sentences and write whether it is a Noun Clause, an Adjective Clause or an Adverb Clause: (1x5=5)

1. He walked slowly to avoid slipping.
2. I heard of his arrival.
3. The girl with long hair is my cousin.
4. He speaks like a born orator.
5. I remember the house where I was born.

II. In each of the following sentences replace each phrase by a clause and re-write these sentences: (1x8=8)

1. Do it to the best of your ability.
2. In spite of poverty, he became distinguished.
3. The weather is too bright to last.
4. He ran with all his might.
5. He told us the time of his arrival.
6. We all admire a man of courage.
7. He met a girl with blue eyes.
8. I heard of her failure.

III. In each of the following sentences replace each clause by a phrase and re-write these sentences: (1x7=7)

1. Tell me why you did this.
2. He showed how the problem was done.
3. They do not know where he is concealed.
4. That was the reason he came late.
5. Which is the road that leads most quickly to the station?
6. The boy who sits near me is my cousin.
7. We ran so that we might arrive in time.