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SECTION A

Choose **one** of the following topics and write a composition of **500** to **700** words.

1. Write a story entitled. **"The return of the champion"**.
2. Describe a time when you were forced to tell a lie to save yourself.
3. What are the superstitions surrounding the birth of children in your community?
4. Describe a time when you were the cause of a serious problem to your family.
5. **"Poverty is the cause of domestic violence"**. Do you agree or disagree? Give reasons for your answer.
6. Imagine that you are a shopkeeper. What would you do to attract more customers?
7. Write a story ending, **" ... I will never forget that strange old woman."**

SECTION B

Answer **Question 1** and **one** other question. Each of your compositions should be **250** to **300** words.

1. You are the Head Prefect at your school. Recently there have been many violent strikes in various schools in the country. Write a speech you would deliver at a conference organized for Head Prefects in your district on the dangers of such strikes. You may include some or all of the points below and any other:
 - Destruction of property.
 - Increased financial burden to parents.
 - Loss of valuable time.
 - Poor performance in public exams.
 - Bodily harm.

2. You have just changed to a new school. Write a letter to your mother explaining how you are adjusting to the new school.
3. Write short notes on the roles of any **two** of the following in your school
 - (a) Head prefect,
 - (b) Class monitor,
 - (c) Time-Keeper.
4. Suggest ways of stopping the problem of alcohol consumption in school.
5. Write a short based on the saying, “**God helps those who help themselves**”.
6. Discuss what can be done to control noise pollution in our environment.
7. Describe the most difficult decision you were forced to make. What were its consequences?