

BRIDGE COURSE: 2023-24

Day: 14 Sub: English Std.: 9th

14. Express Thoughts effectively



**Day 14 Std.9th Bridge Course 2023-24 Paragraph
Writing Express Thoughts effectively**

Learning Outcomes:

- _ Writes a coherent and meaningful paragraph through the process of drafting, revising, editing and finalizing.
- _ Express one's own thoughts and ideas coherently and effectively.

Learning Activity/Experience:

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Rainy season



Winter season



Summer season

Solved/Demo Activity:

□ Write a paragraph about your favourite season. You may use the following points.

Summer, rainy, spring, winter, autumn, longer days, weather, warm, trees bear new leaves, bees and butterflies appear as chirping birds, beautiful nature, etc.

Spring

Main topic sentences:

There are five seasons: summer, winter, monsoon, spring and autumn. But the spring season is my favourite season.

Other sentences:

During the spring season the days are longer but warmer too. Trees start blooming with buds and buds start blooming as well as lavishing the beautiful sweet smell. Bees and butterflies start to hum to inform us that the summer season is approaching. Birds chirp merrily as they migrate toward the warmer habitat.

Concluding sentences:

Thus, the spring season offers so many great pleasures. Nature is the wonder. That's why I like the spring season very much.

Practice:

□ Write a paragraph about your **favourite dish or food**.

□ The teacher encourages students to write about the above topic.

Main topic sentences Other sentences Concluding sentences

Ans:

“Palak Paneer.”

Main topic sentences:

My favorite veg dish is a popular Indian meal called “Palak Paneer.”

Other sentences:

This tasty dish has a creamy spinach sauce with flavorful spices like cumin, coriander, and garam masala, giving it a delicious taste. The main ingredient, paneer (cottage cheese), adds a smooth texture that goes well with the spinach. Palak Paneer looks beautiful too, with its bright green color. Each bite of this dish is a delightful experience that leaves you feeling warm and satisfied. It goes great with rice or naan, making it a complete and yummy meal.

Concluding sentences:

In short, Palak Paneer is a special dish for me because it combines healthy spinach with tasty paneer and a mix of spices, making it an unforgettable vegetarian option. Its wonderful flavors and textures make it a timeless classic that I crave and enjoy every time I eat it.

Extension/Parallel Activity/Reinforcement:

□ Write a paragraph about your favourite **‘BOOK’**.

(Points: Name of the book, its author, its theme, characters in it, what you like, what didn't like)

Ans:

“The God of Small Things”

One of my favorite Indian books is “The God of Small Things” by Arundhati Roy. It’s a captivating story set in Kerala, India, about a family and their struggles with love and society. The main characters are twins, Estha and Rahel, whose lives are deeply affected by a tragic event. I love how beautifully the author describes the landscapes and culture of Kerala. The way she tells the story by jumping between the past and present adds a nostalgic feeling. However, sometimes it’s a bit hard to follow the non-linear storytelling, especially at the beginning. Still, the touching and unforgettable tale makes “The God of Small Things” a truly exceptional literary masterpiece.

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