

PM Shri Kendriya Vidyalaya Tirumalagiri
Holiday Homework for Summer Vacation 2026-27
Class XII

1. Prepare a project on Language Chauvinism as discussed in the class. Refer page no 11 (Things to Do 1 & 2) of Flamingo for details. (8-10 pages per topic) (Roll no 1-13)

Things to do

- Find out about the following (You may go to the internet, interview people, consult reference books or visit a library.)
 - Linguistic human rights
 - Constitutional guarantees for linguistic minorities in India.
- Given below is a survey form. Talk to at least five of your classmates and fill in the information you get in the form.

S.No.	Languages you know	Home language	Neighbourhood language	City/Town language	School language
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					

Note: the Project has to be prepared in hard cover file, pages fastened with lace/tag. Cover has to be decorated with relevant theme (Pics of authors/poets/idioms/sayings/quotes etc). Page 1 of your file has to carry your Bio-Data with PP photo in uniform on the top. It has to be well written and well presented, should include every relevant detail such as source of information, undertaking etc. You can add pictures, graphs and charts to make your project presentable. The same file shall be used for further projects and Practicals/Internal Assessment.

2. “Voices of the Marginalized”.(Based on Lost Spring/The Rattrap) (Roll 14-26)

Focus: Social Injustice/poverty/human dignity

What to do:- Compare characters like Saheb/ Mukesh/Rattrap seller

Conduct survey/interview of street vendors/housemaids/gig workers/labourers etc.

Use of graph/Newspaper Reports/Survey/ Real-life photos can be added

Skill Developed:- Critical Thinking, Empathy, Analytical Writing

A short Oral Presentation also to be prepared.

3. Language Project –“ Evolution of English in India” (Roll 27-38)

Focus: Regional languages & dialects, colonial history, and modern Usage

What to do:- Comparing use of English v/s Sanskrit/Hindi & other Indian Languages

Comparing use of English v/s Persian/Urdu as court language

Explore Indian English (Hinglish/ Regional variations)

Compare Formal vs Informal English

Role and Impact of social Media

Skills Developed:- Linguistic Awareness, Importance of English as a global lang, research skill, creativity.

4. Text based Long Answer Questions-

- a. Explain the theme of aging and separation in the poem My Mother at Sixty Six.
 - b. How does the poet balance personal emotions with external observations.
 - c. Describe the transformation of Franz,s attitude towards learning.
 - d. What message does the story convey about language and identity.
 - e. Why should we respect and preserve our mother tongue?
 - f. Discuss the theme of escapism vs reality in the story (The Third Level)
 - g. Do you think the third level really existed? Justify your answer.
5. Write a **travelogue** describing your journey during the summer vacation at any place you travelled.

In your travelogue, include:

- The place you visited and how you travelled (train/bus/car, etc.)
- Description of the surroundings (village/town/city, fields, rivers, hills, etc.)
- The lifestyle of people there
- Languages spoken in that region
- Any geographical features you observed (river, plateau, plain, etc.)
- Your personal experiences, feelings, and memorable moments
 - **Word Limit:** 150–200 words

