

Christ king Hr. Sec school Kohima
Syllabus and notes for final exam 2020
Class 5
Subject: Alternative English

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Lesson 9
Naga Indigenous Games

1. Answer the given Questions:

- A. Why are indigenous games important to the Nagas?
— **Naga Indigenous games are played more with their focus on enjoyment, computation, showcase of talent, strengthen social bonds and preservation of cultural practices.**
- B. Why is Shongshat wonpu a different game from the rest given in the lesson?
— **The player walks on stilt and complete with each other. Thus, Shongshat wonpu game is different from the rest.**
- C. Why is khiamniungan high Jump a daring game?
— **Khiamniungan high jump a daring game because the young men have to jump over a single spear placed on the ground or over the fencing surrounding the village.**
- D. What is kiti _ do? Why is the winner?
— **Kiti _ do is indigenous game of the Sumi tribe. The game was initially started to avoid bloodshed in the villages whenever dispute arose.**
- E. In Kebui Dok who is the winner?
Ans: The winner is the person who holds the tail of the Mithun for the longest period without a break
.
- F. How do the Tenyimia wrestle?
Ans: Players tie a cloth around their waist and wrestle holding on to the back waistband of each other. If one player falls, then the game will continue. The player have to play a total of two rounds. In case of a tie, a third deciding round is played
- 2. Refer to the text and complete the given sentence:**
- A. The Tenyimia wrestle with a cloth **tie around Their waist.**
- B. **In Tenyimia wrestling, when a tie occurs a third deciding round is played.**
- C. In kabui Dok only the male members of the clan **are allowed to feast on the prize meat.**
- D. Through Kebui Dok men proved **Their physical and mental agility.**
- E. Kiti _ Do is a martial art form in which one cannot **use fist but only leg.**
- F. The kiti _ Do game was modified to **allow even the first to be used.**
- G. The objective of khiamniungan High Jump was to teach young men to **be smart, agile and most of all brave.**
- H. In khiamniungan high jump the players had to jump above **a single spear placed on the ground**
- I. Konyaks played Shongshat Wonpu using **bamboo poles for stilt walking.**
- J. In Shongshat Wonpu, two games are played and they are **running race, cock fight.**

3. Find the antonyms (opposite) of the words given:

- A. Opponent - **partner**
- B. Agile - **clumsy**
- C. Holler - **whisper**
- D. Dispute - **agreement**
- E. Ordinary - **abnormal**

Lesson 10 Our Green wealth

1. Answer these questions:

A. What is the botanical name of Naga Tanga/ Chinese Gal. Mention two of its uses?

Ans. Rhus Semialata.

It's two uses are: 1) The powdered fruits is taken in colic, fever, headache, indigestion, allergy, dysentery, jaundice, malaria, rheumatism, and diarrhoea.

2) In case of snake bite, the crystal coating of the fruits is applied over the bitten area as an antidote to poisoning.

B. Describe the herb Ocimum Sanctum. Mention two of its uses.

Ans. Ocimum Sanctum is a strong scented herb. It is much branched, soft hairy annual plant. The leaves yield a yellow volatile oil which possesses anti-bacterial and insecticidal properties.

It's two uses are: 1) The plant is used as mosquito repellent, as well as to relieve insect bites from leeches, scorpions and snakes.

2) It is also used as an herb and the leaves and flowers are used to flavour salads and other foods.

C. Mention two uses of the shrub _ Turkey berry or wild eggplant.

Ans. 1) The fruits are cooked and eaten as vegetable and can be dried and preserved.

2) soft, moist mass is used for cracks in the feet.

D. Under which variety of plants do passion fruit fall under? Mention two uses of passion fruit.

Ans. The plants are multiplied either by seed or by semi _ hard wood_ cuttings.

It's two uses are:

1) The juice is acidic and used for the preparation of squashes, syrups and jellies.

2) The seeds yield a semi _ drying oil used in paints and varnishes.

E. What is the botanical name of chayote / Iskus. Mention two of its uses.

Ans. Sechium edule

It's two uses are:

1) It aids in weight loss. The high water content and fiber help keep you fuller of longer without taking in a lot of calories

2) Chayote which is rich in fibre helps treat constipation and normalize bowel movements.

2. Fill in the blanks:

A. Solanum Torvum is a **spring shrub** with herbaceous branches.

B. The botanical name of passion fruit is **passiflora Edulis**

C. Ocimum Sanctum is a strong scented **herb**.

D. Rhus Semialata is **brownish _ grey** in colour.

E. Chayote is an abundant source of **folate** and **vitamin C**.

Lesson 11

The Morung

1. Answer the questions.

A. What is Morung?

Ans. The Morung is a traditional bachelor dormitory system which was once an essential part of Naga life.

B. What were the customs and culture of Nagas which were taught in the Morung?

Ans. Folk music and dance, Folk tales and Orel tradition, wood carving, weaving, etc. We're taught to the young while they lived in the Morung.

C. What was the purpose of log drum in the Morung?

Ans. Log drum was beaten with wooden drum bells by men lined up on either side for the announcement of meetings, victory, the death of a village, warning of impending dangers etc.

D. For how long did Naga boys live in the Morung?

Ans. Young boys would enter a Morung and leave only when they were ready to begin a family.

2. Used the new words which you have learnt to fill in the blanks.

A. The girl's **dormitory** has sixteen beds.

B. The log drum is beaten with **dumb - bells**.

C. The land on which our house is built is **ancestral** property.

D. Nyimang is her sweets in the **hollowed trunk** of the tree.

E. The beautiful church on the hilltop was the **pride** of the village.
