



## INDIAN SCHOOL AL WADI AL KABIR

<b>Class: VI</b>	<b>Department: ENGLISH</b>	<b>Date of Submission: APRIL 2024</b>
<b>WORKSHEET NO: 1</b>	<b>Topic: DIARY ENTRY</b>	<b>Note: NOTEBOOK</b>

A diary expresses our personal thoughts, feelings and opinions in our own ways. It is an everyday record of the events that happen in our lives.

Points to remember:

- ❖ Mention the date and day in the beginning.
- ❖ Written in the first person.
- ❖ Written mainly in past tense.
- ❖ Use adjectives to describe feelings and emotions.
- ❖ Describes the important events in a person's life.
- ❖ Written in chronological order.
- ❖ Use informal language and phrases.



### FORMAT OF DIARY ENTRY

**Date, Day (British Format)**

**Time:(PM)**

**Dear Diary,**

**(Incidents, experiences, emotions, feelings etc. of the day)**

**Your Name**

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1. Top left- Date & day
2. Top right - time
3. First person narrative.
4. Tense most frequently used- Simple past, Present perfect and Future.
5. Write the diary in a box

### **SAMPLE DIARY ENTRY:**

**Imagine you are Mary/ Mark and you have recently visited an old age home. You met old people who were lonely and sick. When you talked to them, you felt bad about the fact that they were not living with their children. Write a diary entry about your experience in your diary.**

7<sup>th</sup> April, 2024, Sunday

9:00pm

Dear Diary,

Today, I visited an old age home. I was surprised to see the condition of the old people there. Even though the medical facilities and food were good, it was disheartening to see that most of them were under depression. Their children had abandoned them. So now, they have nowhere to go. When I talked to them, my heart was filled with sympathy for them. What could I do to make them happy? I told them some jokes and riddles, but they seemed to be unmoved by the humour. I spent some time with them and promised myself one thing. I will look after my parents when I grow up and will never leave them. I wonder why people misbehave with their parents like this. Parents should be respected and loved because parents are the most important people in our life.

Mary/Mark

### **EXERCISE: 1**

Imagine that for this Eid al-Fitr, your family had gone on a trip. Write a diary entry about your experience. Remember these points while writing.

- Where did you go?
- How did you get there?
- How long was the trip?
- What did you enjoy the most?

**EXERCISE: 2**

Write a diary entry on how you confronted and overcame your fears in learning and reciting a poem in class. Remember these points while writing.

- How you prepared yourself?
- What you feared the most?
- Who encouraged you?
- How you felt after you recited the poem?

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