

**I. Read the Extract A and Extract B and then answer the questions from 1 to 8:**

*Extract A: The Time Traveler's Dilemma*

*Extract B: My Time-Traveling Grandma*

**1. What was Dr. Emilia Carter's original mission?**

**Answer: B. To prevent a disaster from occurring.**

**Explanation:** Emilia and Jonas were trying to stop Project Helios, a dangerous solar weapon.

**2. What happens when Emilia steps into the Chrono Gate?**

**Answer: C. She ends up in an unknown place.**

**Explanation:** The last line reveals that something went wrong, and she isn't on Earth.

**3. What makes Grandma different from most grandmothers?**

**Answer: A. She prefers futuristic technology over old-fashioned hobbies.**

**Explanation:** Instead of knitting or baking, Grandma builds time machines and travels for fun.

**4. What is humorous about Grandma's reason for time travel?**

**Answer: A. She only wants to use it for dancing instead of something serious.**

**Explanation:** While others might use time travel for saving the world, she just wants to watch a dance competition.

**5. What is a key difference between Extract A and Extract B?**

**Answer: A. Extract A is about a serious mission, while Extract B is more light-hearted and fun.**

**Explanation:** Emilia's story is *high-stakes and dramatic*, while Grandma's adventure is *humorous and playful*.

**6. Why does Grandma say, "This just got interesting"?**

- A. She realizes they have travelled to the wrong time period.
- B. She hears that a crime has occurred and is excited.
- C. She is worried the time machine might break down.
- D. She is about to participate in the dance competition.

**Answer: B. She hears that a crime has occurred and is excited.**

**Explanation:** Instead of panicking about the **stolen prize money**, she sees it as an **adventure**.

**7. What is the biggest challenge faced by Dr. Emilia Carter?**

**Answer: B. She has landed in an unknown place.**

**Explanation:** Emilia realizes she is **not on Earth**, meaning something went terribly wrong.

**8. What theme do both extracts explore?**

**Answer: A. The power and unpredictability of time travel.**

**Explanation:** In **Extract A**, Emilia's mission goes wrong, sending her somewhere unexpected. In **Extract B**, Grandma's casual use of time travel leads to an unexpected mystery.

**Summary of Answer Explanations:**

**Extract A** is a **serious time-travel adventure**, where **Dr. Emilia Carter's mission to prevent disaster goes wrong**.

**Extract B** is a **funny, light-hearted time-travel story** about a grandma who **travels for fun but stumbles into a mystery**.

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**II. Read the following Poem and answer the questions from 9 to 14:**

*Unwritten Pages*

**Multiple-Choice Questions:**

**9. What is the speaker's heart compared to in the poem?**

**Correct Answer: B) A book with blank pages**

**Explanation:** The speaker compares their heart to a blank book, symbolizing the untold potential and experiences yet to unfold.

**10. What do the "blank pages" represent?**

**Correct Answer: C) The speaker's unformed thoughts and untold story**

**Explanation:** The blank pages represent the unexplored possibilities in the speaker's life, waiting to be written with new experiences.

**11. What is meant by "The words are out there, but they're yet to be known"?**

**Correct Answer: C) The speaker's future is uncertain, and the story is still to be written**

**Explanation:** The phrase suggests that the speaker's future is open and unwritten, with many possibilities waiting to be explored.

**12. How does the speaker describe each chapter of their life?**

**Correct Answer: B)** A choice and a new beginning

**Explanation:** Each chapter in the poem represents a decision and a fresh start, emphasizing that life is shaped by the choices we make.

**13. What do "The pages may tear, but they'll never be gone" suggest?**

**Correct Answer: B)** The speaker's story is fragile but enduring

**Explanation:** This suggests that even though the speaker may face struggles or setbacks, their story continues, and their experiences remain a part of them.

**14. What is the main theme of the poem?**

**Correct Answer: C)** The power of choices and self-authorship

**Explanation:** The poem emphasizes that the speaker has control over their own story and life, with each choice shaping their future.

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**III. Read the text below, which consists of few paragraphs (questions 15 – 20). For questions 15 – 20, choose the option (A – G) which best summarises each paragraph. There is one extra option which you do not need to use.**

### *Sustainable Agriculture*

**Answer Key:** 15. G 16. B 17. D  
18. A 19. C 20. E

**IV. Read the four extracts below and answer the questions 21 – 30, choose the option (A, B, C or D) which you think best answers the question.**

**Extract 1: Cultural Identity and Bravery**

**Extract 2: Social Inclusion and Bravery**

**Extract 3: Personal Experiences and Bravery**

**Extract 4: Psychological Studies on Bravery and Support**

**Answers and brief explanations.**

**21. Answer: A) Extract 1**

**Explanation:** Extract 1 focuses on bridging cultural divides and supporting different cultural identities.

**22. Answer: A) Extract 2**

**Explanation:** Extract 2 highlights the act of including a new student, demonstrating bravery through kindness and inclusion.

**23. Answer: C) Extract 3**

**Explanation:** Extract 3 focuses on Sarah's chronic illness and how Emily's support helps her through her struggle.

**24. Answer: A) Extract 4**

**Explanation:** Extract 4 discusses psychological studies on how supporting others can enhance one's own well-being.

**25. Answer: A) Extract 1**

**Explanation:** Maria learns that bravery involves uniting both her cultural identity and new traditions, showing her bravery is about integration.

**26. Answer: B) Extract 2**

**Explanation:** Tyler experiences bravery and support through the kindness of new classmates on his first day at a new school.

**27. Answer: C) Extract 3**

**Explanation:** Extract 3 emphasizes standing by someone in times of need, showing how bravery involves supporting others.

**28. Answer: B) Extract 2**

**Explanation:** Extract 2 shows that bravery involves offering support, not just facing danger or challenges on your own.

**29. Answer: A) Extract 1**

**Explanation:** Maria volunteers to support her community, bridging cultural divides and offering her help to others.

**30. Answer: A) Extract 4**

**Explanation:** Extract 4 discusses the emotional rewards and mental health benefits of supporting others through brave acts.