

WORK SHEET18

Sub: ENGLISH 'B'

Class: XII

F. M :15

Topic : ON KILLING A TREE GRAMMAR

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DO AS DIRECTED :

1x15=15

- 1.It takes much time to kill a tree.(change the voice)
2. The bleeding bark will heal.(change to interrogative)
3. The roots are pulled out entirely. The tree is killed only then.(join to form a complex sentence)
4. It takes much time to kill a tree. Not a simple jab of the knife will do it.(join to form a complex sentence)
5. It takes much time___ kill ___ tree,
Not ___ simple jab ___ the knife
Will do it . It has grown
Slowly consuming___ earth,
Rising___ of it, feeding...
6. And Then it is did.(correction of error)
7. Miniature boughs if unchecked will expand again.(change to negative)
8. The roots are pulled out entirely. The tree is killed only then.(join the sentences using adverbial clause)
9. The bark bleeds. It will heal.(join into a simple sentence)
10. Trees consume the earth. They rise out of it. They feed upon its crust.(join into a compound sentence)
11. Killing a tree is almost ceremonial. Irony lies here.(join by using a noun clause)
- 12.A tree absorbs years of sunlight, air and water. It grows.(use present participle to form a simple sentence)
13. The poet says to the readers, "It takes much time to kill a tree".(change the narration)
14. The trees said to the people, "Why do you kill us"?
15. The trees grow slow consume the earth.(rewrite after identification and rectification of the errors)

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