

**1 MARK & 2 MARK GRAMMAR MATERIAL: 8122294404**

**PROSE 1 QUESTION ANSWERS**

1. What were the various jobs undertaken by the little boys? \*\*\*
2. How did the narrator help the boys on Sunday? \*\*\*
3. Describe the appearance of Nicola and Jacopo? \*\*\*
4. What made the boys work so hard? \*\*\*
5. What was Lucia suffering from?
6. Whom did the narrator meet at the outskirts of Verona?
7. Describe the girl with whom the boys were talking to in the cubicle?
8. The boys did not spend much on clothes. Why?
9. Who took the author to the cubicle?
10. What made the boys join the resistance movement against the Germans?

**PROSE 2 QUESTION ANSWERS**

11. Does the author like drinking tea with sugar? Give reasons. \*\*\*
12. Whom does the author call 'Misguided people'? What is his advice to them? \*\*\*
13. How does adding sugar affect the taste of tea? \*\*\*
14. What is the second golden rule in the preparation of tea? \*\*\*
15. Mention the countries in which tea is a part of civilization?
16. How does army tea taste?
17. Why does the author advise removing cream from the milk?
18. Which tea does the author prefer: Indian tea or China tea?
19. What are the author's views on China tea?
20. Why does the author refer to himself as being in 'a minority'?

**PROSE 3 QUESTION ANSWERS**

21. How did the boy who played the mechanic lose his eyesight? \*\*\*
22. What injuries did the Barnard couple sustain in the accident?
23. How does Dr. Barnard know the boy who played the trolley's driver?
24. What was the profound lesson that DR. Barnard learnt from the boys? \*\*\*\*\*
25. What roles did the duo take up?
26. How was the unattended trolley put to use? \*\*\*
27. What were the problems the trolley's driver suffered from?
28. Who encouraged the boys in the hospital and how?
29. What happened to the doctor couple when they were crossing the street?
30. Why does Dr. Barnard describe the blind boy as a 'walking horror'?

**PROSE 4 QUESTION ANSWERS**

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31. Why did Hillary become clumsy-fingered and slow-moving?
32. When did Hillary feel a sense of freedom and well being?
33. How did mountaineers belay?
34. What did Hillary do with his wet boots?
35. Why was the original zest fading away?
36. What did the photograph portray?
37. The soft snow was difficult and dangerous. Why?

### PROSE 5 QUESTION ANSWERS

38. Why did Maamanaar hand over the chair to the villagers to retain it?
39. What was offered to Maamanar by Amma?
40. How did Maamanar handle the chair at home?
41. What happened to the visitor when he sat on the stool?
42. How was the chair made and how did the villagers react to it?
43. When did the children get over the fear of sitting on the chair?
44. Why were the two chairs compared to Rama-Lakshmana?
45. Describe the stool that the narrator's family had.

### PROSE 6 QUESTION ANSWERS

46. How would liberty cause universal chaos? \*\*\*
47. What is the foundation of social conduct?
48. What does 'the rule of the road' mean?
49. Define liberty as perceived by AG Gardiner.
50. Why should individual liberty be curtailed?
51. Where was the stout lady walking?
52. What does the traffic policeman at Piccadilly Circus symbolize?
53. What is liberty according to the old lady?