

## English (New Book) - FA Part 1 English Chapter 20 Short Questions Preparation

Q1. What qualities of the Night-Mail have been described in the poem.

**Ans 1:** The Night Mail is dutiful train that follows a time schedule. It a careful person that brings cheque, postal order and letters. Carefully No matter what are the circumstances, she's on time.

Q2. Write a brief note on the Night Mail.

**Ans 1:** Night Mail is train that carries letters, Parcels, postal orders, Cheques etc. Night Mail works whoel heartedly deveotedly and never comes late.

Q3. Which places does the night mail pass?

**Ans 1:** The night mail, passes by the meadows , pastures, grassy lawns, cotton fields, towns, steep hills, farms and over the lakes, streams and rivers flowing white steam behindit.

Q4. What kind of train is " Night Mail"?

**Ans 1:** Night mail is a goods delivering train that carries letters, parcels, postal orders, cheques etc. Night Mail works whole heartedly and devotedly and never comes late.

Q5. For whom does the " Night Mial' bring mail.

**Ans 1:** The night mail brings mail for the rich, for the poor, the shop at ther corner and the girl next door.

Q6. What happens to the " Night Mail" when the gradient is against it.

**Ans 1:** When there are gradients against the Night mail. she does not stop. She reaches at time at its destination.

Q7. How do the birds react as the Night Mail approaches them.

**Ans 1:** The birds are used to the noice of the train, hence, they do not react as the night mail approaches. They simply turn their heads sitting in the buses and stare at the coaches of the train.

Q8. What is Beattock.

**Ans 1:** Beattock is a small village in Scotland. the village was once of fuel station for the locomotive engines later, the railway statin was closed.

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Q9. What does the train bring.

**Ans 1:** the train brings a variety of letters to the people. It is always on time despite the "Steady climb". It performs its duty.

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Q10. The poet calls the coaches of the mail "blank faced". why?

**Ans 1:** Blank-faced means that the coaches of night mail do not possess any kind of feelings. These are passionless. It also reflects the dull and drab colour of the coaches.

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