

## Worksheet: Mother's Day (J.B. Priestley)

IB · Class 11 · English · 3 questions · 9 marks

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**Q1.** Why was the supernatural body-swap device necessary for the play's purpose? Could Mrs. Pearson have simply decided to become assertive on her own? [2 marks]

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**Q2.** What does the play reveal about invisible domestic labour and its undervaluation? Use specific incidents from the three confrontations. [3 marks]

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**Q3.** How does Priestley distinguish between ASSERTIVENESS and AGGRESSION in 'Mother's Day'? Is Mrs. Fitzgerald (as Mrs. Pearson) assertive or aggressive? [4 marks]

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