

# **St. Andrews Scots Sr. Sec. School**

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**Class – VIII. Subject – English Literature Topic- ‘Music Maestros’**

## **RTS:**

### **B. Answer these questions with reference to the context:**

**1. I went.....my father.**

- a. Pandit(Pt) Hariprasad Chaurasia**
- b. Wrestling ring**
- c. His father expected his son to follow his profession.**

**2. His sons.....the legacy.**

- a. Amjad Ali Khan’s sons are being talked about here.**
- b. Exceptional Sarod Player**
- c. Their ancestral home in Gwalior has been converted into a musical centre.**

### **C. Answer the following questions briefly.**

- 1. He had a flair for music encouraged by his neighbour Rajaram, who taught him classical vocal music discreetly.**
- 2. He collaborated with santoor player Shivkumar Sharma and several western musicians like the Beatles.**
- 3. Zakir Hussain was awarded Padma Shri in 1988.**

- 4. He has received the Grammy Award for the Best World Music Album in 1992.**
- 5. He gave his first sarod performance at the age of six making him a child prodigy in the Indian music scene. Creativity came easily to him allowing him to experiment with his instrument which kept him ahead of stalwarts and peers.**