

Book - 1

Chapter-1 Be Bold To Admit Your Mistake

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (b) school 2. (c) window 3. (c) books

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Rakshit and Aryan were playing in front of the school. 2. Aryan dashed against Miss. Sharma.
3. Rakshit collected Miss. Sharma's books.

C. Who said the following :

1. Rakshit 2. Miss. Sharma

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

See the pictures and write the names of the things :

TABLE, CLOCK, BOOK, FOOTBALL, WINDOW

Grammar Fun

A. Read these sentences put in full stops where they are needed :

1. This is my family. We're going on a picnic. 2. Abhi is six year old. Today is his birthday. 3. It's raining today. I'm not going to school. Are you? 4. I'm reading a book on birds. It is very interesting. 5. Malini wants to go out to play. She's bored at home.

B. Match these words with the words of opposite meaning :

front - back, near - far, come - go, careful - careless, more - less

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Solve this riddle :

Needle

Chapter-2 Good Habit

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (a) butter 2. (b) mother 3. (c) Good-morning

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Abhinav wakes up at six o' clock in the morning. 2. Abhinav wishes his parents 'Good Morning' first. 3. Abhinav had toasts, boiled eggs and milk for breakfast.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. teeth 2. drinks 3. washes 4. boiled

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Look at the pictures and write what they are :

1. brush 2. comb

B. Look at the pictures and complete these sentences :

1. aeroplane 2. kite 3. doll 4. bicycle

Grammar Fun

Do it yourself.

Writing Fun

Write any five good habits :

1. Get up early in the morning. 2. Brush your teeth regularly. 3. Wash your hands before meals. 4. Wear neat and clean clothes. 5. Eat healthy food.

Fun Time

Solve the riddle :

coconut

Chapter-3 Have Fun In The Park

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) on the bench 2. (d) Grandma, Grandpa and children 3. (a) big 4. (d) skipping

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Some men are walking. 2. Some women are talking. 3. Arjun is sitting. 4. Alisha is skipping.

C. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Encircle the Odd words out :

park, big, beautiful, jumping

B. Write six action words ending with -ing :

1. skipping 2. jumping 3. running 4. reading 5. laughing 6. crying

Grammar Fun

Fill in the blanks with he, she or they :

1. He 2. He 3. They 4. They 5. She 6. They 7. She 8. They

Writing Fun

A. Draw the picture of your favourite flower and write five sentences about it.

Do it yourself.

B. Write the names of five things that you can see in a park.

1. Trees 2. Flowers 3. Birds 4. Children 5. Butterflies

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-4 The Tail Of Rat

Comprehension

A. Who said to whom :

1. The rat said to the cat. 2. The cow said to the rat. 3. The farmer said to the rat.

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The cat bit off the tail of the rat. 2. The cat asked for some cow's milk from the rat. 3. Yes, the farmer helped the rat. 4. Yes, the rat got back his tail.

Play With Words

Look at the pictures and complete the words :

RAT, BREAD, CAT, GRASS, BAKER, FARMER

Grammar Fun

Ask the questions to get these answers :

1. What is this? 2. Is it a rose? 3. What is this? 4. What is this?

Writing Fun

Look at the pictures. Now read the jumbled events and write a story in the correct order :

1. A cat once bit off a rat's tail. 2. The cat asked for cow's milk. 3. The cow asked for dry grass. 4. The farmer asked for the bread. 5. The baker put a condition. 6. The rat got back his tail.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-5 School For Animals

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) animals babies 2. (c) Teacher 3. (c) benches

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Mrs. Crane is the teacher. 2. She is writing "Good Morning." 3. The animal babies are going to school. 4. The lamb says, "Baa-Baa."

C. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

D. Match the following voices with the animals and birds who say these :

1. Crow 2. Lamb 3. Kitten 4. Puppy 5. Cow 6. Chick 7. Duck

Play With Words

A. Write five words ending with -ck.

Chick, Frock, Clock, Neck, Duck

Grammar Fun

A. Now add -s to these words to make them many.

kittens, chicks, crows, lambs, ducklings, cranes

B. Fill in the blanks using a/an.

An elephant loves to eat sugarcane. A rabbit likes carrots but it can eat an apple also. If you give a banana to a monkey, he peels it and then eats it. An ant is very small. People often give flour to ants.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-6 Fun With Colour

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (b) Red 2. (c) Black 3. (b) White

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The mango is yellow. 2. The hat is red. 3. The colour is Vishal's ice cream is Pink.

C. Make sentences :

1. I am flying a kite. 2. This is a white car. 3. A leaf grows on tree. 4. She has a pink scarf. 5. He is wearing a blue shirt.

D. Discuss in the class :

The orange colour indicates strength and courage. The white colour indicates peace and truth and the green colour indicates fertility and growth.

Play With Words

A. Complete this puzzle using the names of colours :

GREEN, BROWN, YELLOW, WHITE, PINK, RED, BLACK

B. Arrange the jumbled words :

green, blue, red, pink, yellow, orange

Grammar Fun

Use 'can' or 'cannot' in the blanks :

1. Can, can 2. cannot 3. cannot 4. can

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Creative Minds

Do it yourself.

Chapter-7 Always Obey Our Parents

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (c) honey 2. (b) guava 3. (a) market

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Baby bear went to the jungle. 2. The squirrel gave him a nut. 3. The rabbit gave him a carrot.

C. Read the sentences and write 'yes' or 'no' :

1. No 2. Yes 3. Yes 4. No 5. Yes

D. Discuss in the class :

We get honey from honey bees.

Play With Words

A. Look at the pictures and write their names :

Raddish, Walnut, Honey, Tree, Tiger, Parrot

B. Action words show us what nouns do :

1. The dogs are barking., The dogs barked. 2. The girl is dancing., The girl danced.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-8 A White Conch

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (b) huts 2. (c) Fish 3. (b) Women

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The fishermen rowed their boats for two hours. 2. They caught big fish and small fish, fat fish and thin fish. 3. The fishermen came back in the morning. 4. The women took the fish out of the boats and put them in big baskets. 5. A fisherman gave a big white conch to his son.

C. State 'True' or 'False' :

1. False 2. True 3. True 4. True 5. False

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Match the following. Write the name picture also.

Do it yourself.

B. Words with 'sh' :

1. Rush 2. Bush 3. Flesh 4. Mesh 5. Flush 6. Lash 7. Brush 8. Rash 9. Blush

Grammar Fun

Some nouns are used for men (males). Some nouns are used for women (females) :

Now complete these :

brother - **sister**, hero - heroine, **grandfather** - grandmother, nephew - **niece**, actor - **actress**, **tiger** - tigress

Writing Fun

Write the names of any five water animals and paste their pictures also :

Do it yourself.

Chapter-9 Never Neglect Anybody

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (c) Lion 2. (b) Lion 3. (a) We should always help others

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The Lion was the king the forest. 2. A mouse woke up the lion. 3. The lion was angry because the rat woke him up by tickling on his body. 4. The lion thanked the mouse because he saved him from the hunter's net.

C. Who said these words?

“Great king ----- me free.”

The rat said to the lion.

“Now -----big ones.”

The lion said to the rat.

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Match the words that go together :

hot - day, little - mouse, big - joke, great - king, thank - you, hunter's - net

B. Look at the pictures and complete the ladder :

LION, NET, TABLE, EGG, GUM, MOUSE, EAGLE

Grammar Fun

Tick the correct options :

1. have 2. have 3. have 4. has

Writing Fun

A. Describe a lion :

animal, king, has, he, run

B. Describe a mouse :

small, four, has, eats

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-10 Identify This

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) Tub 2. (a) Tiger 3. (c) five

B. Ask questions to get these answers :

1. What's this? 2. What's this? 3. It is a dog? 4. Is it a rabbit?

C. Use e and write these words :

cage, tiger, pencil, house, key, horse

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

Look at the pictures and the letters. Then write the words :

puppy, lion, cage, tub, pencil, cub

Grammar Fun

Write 'This' and 'That' :

This is a ball., This is a doll., This is a tree., That is a bird.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Chapter-11 The Sun, The Moon and The Stars

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (c) East 2. (b) fire 3. (c) light of the Sun

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The Sun rises in the East. 2. The Sun gives us light. 3. The Sky looks beautiful at night.

C. Fill in the blanks using the words given in picture :

1. Sun 2. fire 3. moon 4. beautiful

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Make sentence with the following word :

1. The Sun rises in the East. 2. We see the moon at night. 3. Stars twinkle at night. 4. The Sun is a ball of fire. 5. There are many stars in the sky.

B. Write some rhyming words in the given space :

Moon - soon, spoon **Sun** - bun, fun **Hen** - den, pen **Hook** - book, look, **Cake** - bake, lake

Grammar Fun

A. Use 'a' or 'an' before the following pictures :

An apple, A pen, An aeroplane, A box, A teacher, A boat

B. Write the opposites of following words :

1. night 2. sets 3. small 4. end 5. empty

Writing Fun

Write a paragraph on the topic, 'The Sky' :

The Sky is blue in colour. The Sun shines bright in the sky during day time. During night, the sky gets dark. The moon shines at night in the sky. We can also see many stars at night in the sky. The sky looks very beautiful.

Fun Time

A. Fill in the puzzle with the names of the heavenly bodies :

STAR, SUN, MOON

Book - 2

Chapter-1 Always Be Cautious

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (b) wheat 2. (c) six 3. (b) Babita

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Khushi had gone to the field with her parents. It was very hot. Hence, she was tired. 2. Khushi was lost in the wheat field because she fell asleep at the place where wheat had not been cut. 3. Khushi said that my mother is the most beautiful woman in the world.

C. Khushi's story is given below. But the sentences are given in the wrong order number them correctly. The first one is done for you :

1. 6 2. 1 3. 4 4. 3 5. 2 6. 5

D. Discuss in the class :

It is very important to grow more and more trees because trees give us oxygen which is needed for us to live.

Play With Words

Match the opposite :

busy -idle, early - late, hot - cold, answer - question, dark - light

Grammar Fun

Fill in the blanks with 'was' or 'were' :

was, were, were, was

Writing Fun

Suppose you go to the market with your parents. You stop watching some toys in a shop. Then you don't find your parents. What will you do?

I will wait at the shop so that my parents could find me.

Fun Time

Fill in the blanks with words that rhyme with the underlined words :

fuss, meadow

Solve this riddle :

Your name

Chapter-2 Birthday Party

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (b) eight 2. (a) Shweta 3. (b) cake

B. Answer the following questions :

1. It is Shweta's birthday. 2. Shweta is eight years old. 3. Seema, Kajal, Vikas, and Ravi came to the party. 4. No, Shweta's friend are singing the birthday song.

C. Match the following words :

cake - candles, children - clapping, Shweta's - birthday, wonderful - party

Play With Words

A. Write the words in the tree in the correct basket :

Nouns : Alisha, children, Rinki, cake, gift, birthday

Verbs : open , blink, blow, cut, come

Writing Fun

Work in small groups of three or four. Make a list of things which you will require to celebrate your birthday party :

Cake, candles, birthday caps, balloons, ribbons, toffees, chocolates, snacks, cold drink

Now write down how you will give a party to your friends on your birthday :

I will invite all my friends to my birthday party. I will help my parents to decorate the house with balloons and ribbons. I will wear a birthday cap and will cut the birthday cake. I will distribute toffees and chocolates to my friends. My friends and I will have snacks and cold-drink.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-3 Obedient Radhika

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (b) winter vacation 2. (c) painting 3. (c) take bath

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Radhika was painting a picture in the garden. 2. We should take bath because bath cleans the body and refreshes the mind. 3. The water of all the oceans, seas, rivers, ponds, lakes and wells is needed by the sun to take bath. 4. Yes, Radhika finally took bath.

C. State True or False :

1. False 2. False 3. True 4. True

D. Discuss in the class.

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Write 'a' and 'e' in the blanks and read the words :

bare, mere, here, rare, dare, fare

Grammar Fun

A. Add 'ly' to the following words :

bright - brightly, near - nearly, happy - happily, quick - quickly, quiet - quietly, silent - silently, easy - easily, faithful - faithfully, heavy - heavily, careful - carefully

Writing Fun

A. Make sentences with these words :

clouds - There are clouds in the sky. **fairy** - I like fairy tails. **pretty** - She is a very pretty girl. **painting** - I am painting a picture. **sun** - The sun rises in the east.

Fun Time

A. Look at the pictures and complete the ladder :

SUN, NEST, TABLE, EGG, GOAT

Chapter-4 Intelligent Tuffy

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (a) Sunday 2. (c) Tuffy 3. (b) Teacher

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Gaurav was in the Garden on Sunday morning. 2. Tuffy was Gaurav's dog. He was in the garden with Gaurav. 3. Gaurav was drawing a picture of Tuffy in the afternoon. 4. Gaurav gave a biscuit to Tuffy. 5. Tuffy brought the teacher's walking stick.

C. Complete the following sentences :

1. Sunday 2. Monday 3. get the ball 4. Tuffy did not move at all. 5. Gaurav and Tuffy were in the playground.

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

Do it yourself.

Grammar Fun

Use was or were in the blanks :

1. was 2. were 3. were 4. was 5. was

Writing Fun

Read this :

Yesterday was Monday. Gaurav and his friends were in the school. Gaurav's mother was in her office. His father was at the hospital Gaurav's dog. Tuffy was sitting under the table.

Fun Time

Re-arrange the names of the days of the week :

SUNDAY, FRIDAY, WEDNESDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, SATURDAY, THURSDAY

Chapter-5 Games Of Different Types

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (c) both a & b 2. musical chair 3. Tanya

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The boys are playing hide and seek. 2. Rahul is hiding behind the bench. 3. The girls are playing musical chair. 4. Rakhi is playing the whistle.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. bench 2. walking 3. whistle

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

Match the opposites by drawing lines :

near - far, laugh - cry, left - right, come - go, sit - stand, won - lost

Grammar Fun

Write 'a' or 'an' before :

1. a 2. an 3. a 4. a 5. an 6. a 7. an 8. an 9. a

Writing Fun

A. Read this :

Now rewrite the story like this :

We are playing the musical chair. Rakhi is blowing her whistle. We are moving around the chairs. Now Rakhi has stopped the whistle Garima is out.

B. Write four sentences on what you like to do at school. Take help from the words in the box :

1. I like to play musical chair. 2. I like to sing song. 3. I like to write letters. 4. I like to read story books.

Fun Time

What am I?

1. Vegetable 2. Pencil

Chapter-6 Always Check Vegetables While Buying

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (c) ginger 2. (c) to change the cabbage with another one 3. (b) nice and good

B. Answer the followings :

1. Dolly bought the cabbage and the coriander. 2. She forgot to buy ginger. 3. There was a worm in the cabbage. 4. The man in the shop gave another cabbage to Dolly. 5. He gave her some ginger also.

C. Write 'True' or 'False' :

1. False 2. False 3. True 4. False 5. True

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Say aloud :

Do it yourself.

B. Write the names of the picture ;

CABBAGE, GINGER, CORIANDER, WORM, MONEY, BAG

Grammar Fun

Use of in, on, under, behind :

1. under 2. in 3. on 4. behind

Writing Fun

Write the names of any five vegetables and fruits which are a rich source of vitamin A and C.

1. Carrot 2. Orange 3. Lemon 4. Green Leafy Vegetables 5. Apple

Fun Time

Think that if you had to face the same situation i.e., get worm in the cabbage. What would have you done?

I would take it back to the shopkeeper to get another one.

Chapter-7 World Of Feathers

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (c) peacock 2. (b) plume 3. (a) ostrich

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Birds build their nests in the trees. 2. Some of the common birds are crows, pigeons, cocks, parrots, hens, sparrows and peacocks. 3. Some birds eat small insects. Some birds eat up crops. 4. The peacock is our national bird. 5. Ostrich is the biggest bird.

C. Fill in the blanks using the words from the lesson :

1. Ostrich 2. cuckoo 3. parrot 4. pigeons 5. plume 6. weaver bird

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

Match the opposite words :

big - small, high - low, beautiful - ugly, light - heavy, long - short

Grammar Fun

Write the other two forms of the following verbs :

1. Saw, Seen 2. Flew, Flown 3. Sang, Sung 4. Told, Told 5. Built, Built 6. Ate, Eaten

Writing Fun

Write five lines on any one of the birds :

Parrot	Peacock	Cuckoo
A parrot is green in colour. It has a red beak. It can talk like us. It is kept by the people as a pet. It is very beautiful and colourful bird.	The peacock is our national bird. It is very colourful. It looks really beautiful when it dances. It spreads out its feather like fans. It has a plume on its head.	Cuckoo is a singing bird. It does not make its own nest. It place its eggs in the nest of the crow. The crow feeds the baby cuckoo. It is a clever bird.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-8 At The Zoo

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (a) zoo 2. (a) soft & brown 3. (c) unhappy

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Preeti and her father saw the monkeys first. **2.** The lion looked unhappy in the cage. **3.** They saw monkeys, elephant, deer, ducks, crocodiles, birds and chimpanzees. **4.** Yes, Preeti liked the zoo and the animals over there.

C. State True or False :

1. False **2.** True **3.** True **4.** False

D. Discuss in the class :

No, It is not good to keep the animals in the cage as they want to be free under natural habitat.

Play With Words

A. Write the words in the boxes :

head, back, eyes, ears, tail, leg

B. Say aloud :

Do it yourself.

Grammar Fun

Make sentences about the parts of these animals :

1. The crow's wings are black. **2.** The lion's fur is soft and yellow. **3.** The elephant's tusks are sharp and white.

Writing Skill

Look at the pictures and write about these animals-how they move, what they eat and where they live :

- The monkeys move on legs. They eat bananas and peanuts. They live on trees.
- Snakes don't have legs. They crawl in a wave-like manner. They eat insects and small animals. They live on land.
- A tiger moves on legs. It eats the flesh of other animals. It lives in the forest.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-9 Our Helpers

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (b) Vikas **2.** (c) to stitch clothes **3.** (a) actor

B. Answer the following questions :

1. A sweet-seller sells different sweets. **2.** A tailor stitches clothes for people. **3.** A policeman maintains the law and order in the town. **4.** A florist sells beautiful flowers. **5.** A film-star does acting.

C. Write true, not true or may be in each box :

	Anita	Rakshit	Mohammad Ali
sells sweets	not true	not true	true
does acting	not true	true	not true
sells flowers	true	not true	not true
likes the job	true	true	true
doesn't like the job	not true	not true	not true

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

- A. Match the people with the things they use. Also write the names of the things :**
 Mechanic - wrench, Teacher - chalk, Doctor - thermometer, Nurse - injection
- B. Say loudly :**
 Do it yourself.

Grammar Fun

Use of was/were :

1. was 2. were 3. was 4. were

Fun Time

The children helped their guru in the gurukul. Draw a ☺ if you think doing the following things will make your teacher happy.

1. ☺ 2. ☹ 3. ☹ 4. ☺ 5. ☹ 6. ☹ 7. ☺

Chapter-10 Who Will Tie The Bell Around Cat's Neck

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

- 1.(a) mice 2. (c) sing, dance and clapped 3. (b) tie a bell around the cat's neck

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Ramu had a big problem- mice! Every morning he would find holes in his bags. The mice bit into anything they liked. 2. Ramu got a big black cat to stop the mice from troubling him. She was a smart cat. She chased the mice wherever they went. 3. The cat chased the mice wherever they went and hence they had to hide in their holes all the time. This helped Ramu for saving his eatables from the mice. 4. The young mouse gave an idea that they can tie a bell around the cat's neck. When she walks in, they will know that she is coming. And they will run away. 5. The old mouse said that there are many things which are easier said than done. There is no way in which they can save themselves from the cat and so it is better to find some other shop to live in.

C. Complete the sentences :

1. was the biggest in the village. 2. hunting mice the whole day. 3. came up with an idea. 4. there was a complete silence.

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Write the opposites of the following word :

1. small 2. sad 3. new 4. easy 5. old 6. worse

B. Match the words with their meanings :

problem - difficulty, quietly - without making any noise, smart - intelligent and wise, silence - no noise

Grammar Fun

Write the plurals of the following words :

1. Mice 2. Shops 3. Villages 4. Bags 5. Cats

Writing Skill

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

1. Pulses 2. Sugar 3. Bread 4. Biscuits 5. Jaggery 6. Sweets 7. Wheat flour 8. Gram flour 9. Rice 10. Peanuts

Chapter-11 Unity Is Strength

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct options :

1. (a) grains 2. (b) Chippy 3. (a) rat

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Chippy was a crow that lived in a tree. 2. The pigeons were caught in the net near the banyan tree. 3. All the pigeons on getting the signal from the leader bird, flapped their wings together strongly and hence were able to fly together with the net. 4. When Micky fieldmouse heard the story, he gnawed at the net with his sharp teeth and set the pigeons free. 5. Chippy learnt that one

should not get tempted easily. The second lesson he learnt was to remain united. And finally, he learnt the value of friendship.

C. Write 'Yes' or 'No' :

1. No 2. Yes 3. Yes 4. No

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Find out the names of seven birds in the word grid :

1. PARROT 2. PEACOCK 3. CUCKOO 4. SPARROW 5. OWL 6. CROW 7. PIGEONS

Grammar Fun

Circle the correct words within the brackets to complete these sentences :

1. in the morning 2. story books 3. crayons 4. hop

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Book - 3

Chapter-1 Naughty Children

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (c) Vicky, Vinita & Rekha 2. (c) eleven 3. (a) Sam

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The three children lived in Sangam Apartments. 2. Vinita did not like the staircase because it was dark and dirty. 3. The children rang the doorbell of different flats and ran down the stairs. 4. Sam uncle told the kids that they can form a kid's club in his spare room to have fun.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. staircase 2. doorbells 3. bandaged 4. twinkle

D. Write true or false :

1. True 2. False 3. False 4. True

E. Discuss in the class :

Read story book.

Swim in swimming pool.

Play With Words

A. Write the meanings of the following words :

1. speak very softly 2. a loud noise or disturbance 3. to lose balance 4. disobedient

B. Match column I and II to make new words :

sunflower, notebook, butterfly, rainfall, washbasin

C. Write the opposites of these words :

1. old 2. happy 3. enemy 4. low 5. empty 6. going

D. Match the pictures to the correct words :

Do it yourself.

Grammar Fun

Look at the pictures. Say what the people are going to do :

1. She is going to buy mangoes. 2. He is going to climb the bus. 3. He is going to eat the food.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-2 Caring Mother

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) thermometer 2. (b) nurse 3. (c) three days

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Vaibhav didn't want to go to the doctor because he will give him injection and many bitter medicines to eat. Vaibhav was afraid of all this. 2. The doctor examined Vaibhav and told him to have the injection and the medicines to eat. 3. The nurse gave Vaibhav the injection. 4. Vaibhav and his mother went to the chemist to get the prescribed medicines. 5. Vaibhav is a brave boy.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. watery, headache 2. fever 3. injections 4. prescription 5. brave

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. What are these people? Fill in the blanks below each picture with the correct answer in the box :

pilot, doctor, librarian, farmer, fireman, teacher

B. Join the objects to the words :

Do it yourself.

Grammar Fun

Read the following sentences :

Now match the following sentences with the correct pictures :

1. bee 2. wolf 3. swan 4. dog

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Decode this message :

HEALTH IS WEALTH

Chapter-3 School For Elephant Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (c) Southern 2. (b) baby elephants 3. (c) river

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Karagudi is in Tamil Nadu. 2. Karagudi is special because it is not a school for children. It is a school for baby elephants. 3. The teachers in this school are called trainers as they train the elephants. 4. The elephants are also taught to do pooja in a temple. They learn to ring the bells. They offer flowers to the statues of the Gods. When they do well they get sweets and bananas. 5. The children who win bravery awards get to ride on elephants in the Republic Day Parade.

C. Write true or false :

1. False 2. True 3. False 4. True 5. True

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Match the opposites :

like - dislike, trained - untrained, obey - disobey, reward - punishment, win - lose brave - coward

B. Understand the difference in the meaning of the words in each pair. Fill in the blanks :

1. know, No 2. ate, eight 3. plane, plain 4. new, knew

C. Make sentences using the following words :

1. An elephant is a big animal. 2. The mountain is covered with snow. 3. I go to school by bus. 4. It was a special moment for me. 5. Aditya is a very famous singer.

Grammar Fun

Use do or does in the sentences given below :

1. Do 2. does 3. do 4. Do

Writing Fun

is, animal, water, their, eats, sugarcane, weights, elephant, tall, live in, They, is a, animal

Fun Time

Fill the 'CH' puzzle :

1. Church 2. Bench 3. Watch 4. Switch

Chapter-4 Mahatma Gandhi (The Father Of Nation)

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) Mahatma Gandhi 2. (c) 1869 3. (a) Mohan Das Karam Chand

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Mahatma Gandhi was a great man. He fought the long war of Independence with his only weapon of Non-violence. His full name was Mohan Das Karamchand Gandhi. 2. Gandhiji was born at Porbandar in Gujarat on 2nd October, 1869. 3. Mahatma Gandhiji was very honest. He believed in truth and non-violence. He believed in simple living and high thinking. 'Love all and hate none' was his motto. 4. He taught countrymen to fight against Britishers only with 'non-violence.' He also taught everybody to use 'Swadeshi' things. 5. Gandhiji fought the long war of Independence. Due to his constant struggles, India at last got freedom from the British Empire. He was indeed a great man with moral courage. People followed his principles with love and regard. Hence, we still remember and respect him.

C. Write 'true' or 'false' :

1. True 2. False 3. True 4. False 5. True

D. Fill in the blanks :

1. babu 2. the truth 3. motherland 4. Swadeshi

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Use the following words in sentences of your own :

1. weapon - Gun is a dangerous weapon. 2. honest - Ravi is a honest boy. 3. non-violence - Gandhiji believed in non-violence. 4. worthy - Gandhiji was a worthy son of Bharat mata.

B. Correct the spellings of the following words :

government, people, violence, struggle, violence, struggle, porbandar, travelled

Grammar Fun

A. Write the questions to these answer :

2. What did Mahatma Gandhi join? 3. Why did Mahatma Gandhi go to England? 4. Who was the worthy son of Bharat Mata. 5. What was the only weapon of Mahatma Gandhi. 6. When was Mahatma Gandhi born?

B. Here are some nouns with articles. Some are correct and some are wrong. Tick the right ones and cross the wrong ones :

1. × 2. ✓ 4. ✓ 5. ✓

Writing Fun

Write an essay on the topic "To serve humanity is to serve God" in about 100 words :

"TO SERVE HUMANITY IS TO SERVE GOD"

Social service is a duty. From birth to death, we go on receiving things from society. We are indebt to society. It is clearly our duty to try to pay up this debt. Of course, the debt is so heavy that it can never be fully paid up. Social service is a way of giving back to society a tiny portion of what we have taken from it. The world is full of poverty, disease and suffering. If you extend a helping hand to the one who is in need of it, not with a sense of pride, but with love and compassion, it elevates our mind, hearts and spirit. It gives us spiritual satisfaction and makes us truly happy. When peace and harmony becomes the main cause of every kind of service, it becomes the service to God. When a deprived lives blissfully and a helping hand lights his life, it becomes a Godly gesture.

Fun Time

Read this words :

racecar, civic, madam, radar, rotator, stats, level, refer

Chapter-5 Never Tell A Lie

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) twice 2. (a) open fields 3. (a) sticks

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The shepherd boy was feeling very bored. He wanted to have some fun. So he played a mischief. He thought of playing a joke on villagers and hence shouted, "Wolf! Wolf!?" 2. The villagers were very angry. "How dare you play such a joke on us?" saying this they went away. 3. When the wolf really came, the villagers did not come as nobody believed the shepherd boy. the wolf attacked several sheep and killed them.

C. Who said the following :

1. The shepherd boy shouted to the villagers. 2. The villagers said to the shepherd boy.

D. Write 'true' or 'false' for the following statements :

1. False 2. True 3. False 4. True 5. False

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. When a group of sheep moves together, we call it a flock of sheep. Similarly, a group of students is called a class.

1. bunch 2. fleet 3. flock 4. crowd 5. herd 6. litter

B. The names of birds and animals are jumbled up. Write them properly under the correct heading :

Birds : 1. Animal 2. Bird 3. Bird 4. Animal

Animals : 1. Wolf 2. Peacock 3. Parrot 4. Horse

Grammar Fun

Look at the following sentences :

1. Pooja is not sleeping. 2. They are not studying.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Solve this 'H' puzzle :

1. He 2. Hot 3. Help 4. Horse 5. Hockey 6. History

Chapter-6 The Country Mouse And The Town Mouse

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) in a hole 2. (c) red satin 3. (a) dogs

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The country mouse lived in a hole under the stones of a wall. He used to live like a prince. He sorted up all sorts of food there for himself and his family. 2. The town mouse met the country mouse just outside the big city. 3. The two mice couldn't eat food because as soon as they were about to start, the door opened and a group of people came into the room and they had to run into the hole to save themselves. The next time when they ran up to the table, the door opened again and a man with two dogs came. Thus, they had to run for their life again. 4. When the party was finished, the people went away. The two mice started to nibble the remains of food but a man came in the with two dogs. The two mice had to ran to the hole again. For a long time, the dogs scratched at the hole but in vain. At last, the servants cleared the table and took the dogs away. 5. The country mouse started to reach home to preach a lesson of satisfaction to his wife and family.

C. Write 'true' or 'false' :

1. True 2. True 3. True 4. False 5. True

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

Drop 'r' from these words and write the new words :

brook - book, **break** - beak, bake, **free** - fee, **crook** - cook, **heart** - heat, **hurt** - hut

Grammar Fun

A. Complete the table with three forms of adjectives :

good	better	best
bad	worse	worst
stale	staler	stalest
ugly	uglier	ugliest
beautiful	more beautiful	most beautiful
precious	more precious	most precious
less	little	least
much	more	most
large	larger	largest
happy	happier	happiest
safe	safer	safest

B. Join these sentences using conjunctions :

1. He worked hard but he failed. 2. Mohit is writing but Preeti is playing. 3. She looks merry as it is her birthday today. 4. Everybody respects him as he is an honest man. 5. Walk slowly or you may fall.

C. Fill in the blanks with suitable adjectives :

1. best 2. big 3. tallest 4. injurious 5. some 6. This

Writing Fun

Write your points here :

Discuss in the class.

The country mouse is better because he was the master of his own house. The barley corn and safety is better than the eggs and meat and a continuous run for life. He lived in satisfaction in his own house rather than a town away is somebody else's.

Fun Time

Complete the animal ladder :

MOUSE, ELEPHANT, TIGER, RABBIT, TOAD, DEER, RHINOCEROS

Chapter-7 Ashoka, The Great King

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) middle 2. (a) Mauryan Empire 3. (c) Subhadraangi

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The Ashoka Chakra was included in our national flag to honour the great king, Ashoka, and to help the Indians to remember his teachings. 2. The name of king Ashoka's empire was Mauryan empire. 3. Ashoka made the Mauryan empire richer. He also made his army larger and stronger. In

Ashoka's rule, anybody who broke the king's law was punished severely. The neighbouring kings were jealous as well as afraid of Ashoka's powers. **4.** After winning the Kalinga war, Ashoka saw thousands of dead bodies of brave soldiers lying in the battlefield. He heard the moaning of wounded soldiers. He could not hear the of wounded soldiers. He could not hear the crying of women and children. He was filled with sorrow. He decided that his sword will kill no more, and there will be no wars in his empire. From that day onwards, king Ashoka was a different person.

C. Complete these sentences in your own words :

1. in a rich kingdom which was called the Mauryan Empire. **2.** Ashoka used to play in the royal garden with his pet baby tiger. **3.** taught him to aim an arrow so well that it could shoot a flying bird. **4.** were jealous as well as afraid of Ashoka's powers. **5.** In the centre of our National flag.

D. Discuss in the class :

The orange colour indicates strength and courage. The white colour indicates peace and truth and the green colour indicates fertility and growth.

Play With Words

A. Read these words aloud :

HAPPY WORDS : bliss, cheer, delight, thrill, joy, glad, glee, gloss, happiness

SAD WORDS : unhappy, despair, woe

B. Write the meanings of the following words and make sentences with the words :

1. battlefield : the ground where battle is fought — Thousand of dead bodies of brave soldiers were lying in the battlefield. **2.** capture : take into possession. — The island was captured by the Australian forces. **3.** jealous : feeling envious. — Rohit was always jealous of Ashish. **4.** conquer : defeat, take control of. — Ashoka decided to conquer Kalinga. **5.** honour : great respect — The chakra was included in national flag to honour the great king, Ashoka.

C. Match the opposites :

honour - dishonour, beautiful - ugly, young - old, strong - weak, war - peace

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-8 Tit For Tat

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) Baghdad **2.** (a) cunning **3.** (a) Mustapha

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Hussain was called a good barber as he used to cut hair beautifully and trim beards neatly. **2.** Hussian wanted to make money by fair means or foul. **3.** The woodcutter needed the money badly. Hence, he agreed to give the pack-saddle also, though he knew that the barber was cheating on him. **4.** Mustapha, the caliph gave the woodcutter a gold coin and also told him how to teach the barber a lesson. **5.** Everybody was laughing at Hussain. Seeing this Hussain got very upset and hence was not willing to shave the donkey.

C. Fill in the blanks after reading the lesson :

1. money **2.** pack-saddle **3.** barber **4.** bargain

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Name any two things made up of :

1. chair, table **2.** necklace, bangles **3.** ring, anklets

B. Write the names of these people :

barber, tailor, wood-cutter, cook

C. Match the groups of words of opposite meaning :

a rich man - a poor man., a beautiful girl - an ugly girl., a big pile - a small pile., a clever boy - a foolish boy

Grammar Fun

A. Use these words in the blanks below :

1. neatly 2. carefully 3. beautifully 4. readily 5. surprisingly

B. Write the synonyms of the following words :

1. cheerful 2. alert 3. incorrect 4. faint 5. rigid 6. carry

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-9 Greedy Midas

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) King Midas 2. (c) grass 3. (b) greedy

B. Answer the following questions :

1. King Midas was a great king of Greece. He was the richest man on the earth. He was foolish as well as greedy. He had many rooms full of gold and silver yet he wanted more gold and more silver. 2. The Angel granted Midas his wish and told him that whatever he touches, will change into gold. 3. Midas went and touched a leaf on a tree. Immediately the tree and all its leaves turned into gold. He ran back to his palace. He touched the pillars, doorways and everything turned to gold. 4. Midas' daughter came running to Midas. Midas tried to stop her but it was too late. She touched him and turned into gold. 5. Midas learnt that there are many things in the world which are more precious than gold. Love is more precious than all the gold in the world. He understood that his daughter, trees and the sky were more dear to him than gold.

C. Who said the following and to whom?

1. Midas wished 2. Angel said to Midas 3. Midas daughter said to Midas

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

Find the words in the lesson which mean :

foolish, greedy, precious,

Grammar Fun

A. Read these sentences :

1. No, Suraj is taller. No, Suraj is more tall. 2. No, Manu is father. No, Manu is more fat. 3. No, Kapil is shorter. No, Kapil is more short. 4. No, Pooja is thinner. No, Pooja is more thin. 5. No, Monika is wiser. No, Monika is more wise.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-10 Trees Are Our Friends

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (c) trees 2. (b) oxygen 3. (b) Storm

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The storm knocked down a tree in the garden. The gardener got away with a few bruises. On seeing this, Reema called the trees our enemies as the gardener would have lost his life because of the tree. 2. Mr. Sharma called trees our real friends as we get many things from these trees. 3. All the trees are useful to us. Many of them give us fruits and flowers. Some of them also give us medicines. They give us wood. They give us shade. They purify the air. They bring us the rain. They give shelter to birds and animals and moreover, they give us the most useful gas - oxygen which all of us need to stay alive. 4. We get the most useful gas oxygen which all of us need to stay alive from the trees. 5. Some common trees are : neem, peepal, banyan and coconut trees.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. Trees 2. fruits 3. purify 4. shelter 5. flowers

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Join the words that go together using 'and' :

big - small, fruit - flowers, birds - trees, plants - animals, mango - orange, clean - purify, oxygen - carbon-dioxide

B. Rearrange the jumbled letters and write out words correctly against the correct picture :

tree, flower, bird, orange, mango, leaf

Grammar Fun

Underline the special names in these sentences :

1. Ali, Hari 2. Nepal, June 3. Mary, Lucy 4. Patna, Bihar 5. Ana, Cuttack 6. Sunday

Writing Skill

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-11 Clever Birbal

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (c) nine 2. (b) three 3. (a) rice

B. Answer the following questions :

1. King Akbar was a wise Mughal Emperor who ruled India many years ago. 2. Birbal was the most clever man in Akbar's court. There are many tales about Birbal's wit and intelligence. 3. There were nine clever men in Akbar's court. Akbar liked his nine clever men very much. These nine clever men were called the 'navratnas' of the court of Akbar. Birbal was one of those 'navratnas'. 4. Birbal wanted to make Akbar realise that as the pot of rice would not be cooked by the fire so far away, similarly, the light on the roof of the palace cannot give warmth to the man standing in the cold water lake before the palace.

C. Who said the following :

Birbal said to Akbar.

The poor man said to Akbar.

One of the courtiers said to Akbar.

Akbar said to Birbal.

D. Write 'true' or 'false' :

1. True 2. False 3. True 4. True

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Match the opposites :

wise - foolish, rich - poor, laugh - cry, reward - punishment, cold - hot

B. Make sentences with these words :

1. Rohan is a wise boy. 2. Ankit did a foolish act. 3. She left her animals to starve. 4. There are many tales about Birbal's wit and intelligence. 5. They felt warmth from the heater.

C. Complete the table :

wise	wiser, wisest
clever	cleverer, cleverest
intelligent	more intelligent, most intelligent
warm	warmer, warmest
poor	poorer, poorest
rich	richer, richest

Grammar Fun

A. An adjective is a describing word :

Underline the adjective in the sentences given below :

1. wise 2. clever 3. different 4. poor, royal

B. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs given in brackets :

1. wrote 2. died 3. left 4. was standing

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Decode this sentences if A = 1, B = 2 and so on.

Nothing is impossible for a wise man

Chapter-12 Importance Of Zero

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) ten 2. (c) zero 3. (a) nine

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Sanya saw only a zero in her maths test. She was unhappy as she had done the test well. She again closely looked at it. There was a one before the zero which makes it ten. She was happy then.

2. Zero was unhappy because all the numbers looked at him pitilessly. He though he had no worth and his head hung in shame. 3. Sanya said that zero was the greatest of all. 4. 35 will have the greatest value if zero comes after 35 as it will become three hundred fifty.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. pitilessly 2. greater 3. battle 4. zero 5. one, twenty

D. Discuss in the class :

The proverb 'one and one makes eleven' means that there is power in collaboration.

Play With Words

A. In the battleground, some angry words are used. Some are actions and some are sounds. List them below in the correct columns :

Angry action : shoot, battle, cry, scrap, fight

Angry sounds : roar, clash, yell, shout, scream

B. Match the opposite words :

happy - unhappy, now - then, stop - start, greater - smaller, shame - pride, laugh - cry

Grammar Fun

Read these words :

1. itself 2. herself 3. ourselves 4. themselves 5. themselves

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Complete the number puzzle :

$$\begin{array}{r} \boxed{2} + \boxed{10} + \boxed{3} \\ \quad \quad \quad \begin{array}{r} \boxed{4} \\ \quad \quad \quad \begin{array}{r} \boxed{2} \\ \quad \quad \quad \begin{array}{r} \boxed{2} \times \boxed{20} = \boxed{40} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array}$$

Chapter-13 Bird's Eye

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) 100 2. (c) 5 3. (a) Dronacharya

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Sahadev was thinking that Guru Drona must have kept the target very difficult and strange. 2. Arjun said that they were lucky to have Drona as their teacher as Guru Drona taught them the Vedas and how to be brave and good soldiers. To think and brave and good soldiers. To think and act rightly, as well as to fight bravely. 3. There was a small wooden bird with the glass eye on a distant tree. The target was to shoot at its eye. 4. Duryodhana could see the bird, the tree and his brother standing near it. 5. Yuddhisthir could see the bird and the tree.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. Kauravas 2. Drona 3. target 4. eye

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Change the gender :

1. Princess 2. Daughter 3. Queen 4. Authoress 5. Teacher 6. Grandmother

B. Look at the picture given below name these items :

Bow, Arrow, Bird

C. Read these words :

Now find out the homonyms of the following words :

dear - deer, right, write, too - two, see - sea, hale - hail, hare - hair

Grammar Fun

A. Words which tell you more about nouns are called describing words. They are also called adjectives. Find out all the adjectives in this lesson and list them below :

good, long, brave, lucky, good, difficult, strange, small

B. Unscramble each group of words to make sentence. Write the sentences using capital letters and full-stops :

1. You mail the letter to me. 2. Amit sharpened his pencil. 3. The sky was beautiful at sunset. 4. Monkeys and gorillas like ripe bananas.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Book - 4

Chapter-1 Concentration Is Important

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) harmonium 2. (a) basket-ball 3. (b) guruji

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Rashmi took Jyoti for running with her to help her relax and feel fresh before the concert. 2. Rashmi's basketball coach advised that if you make a mistake, you must concentrate harder and continue. You must not think of the past. 3. When Jyoti began to play, she made a mistake and stopped. For a moment Jyoti closed her eyes and started again. This time, there were no mistakes. 4. Guruji was proud of Jyoti as she continued even after making a mistake on stage and then there were no mistakes further. She played the music that was full of beauty.

C. Complete this table about Jyoti and Rashmi :

How are Jyoti and Rashmi alike?	How are Jyoti and Rashmi different?
Both girls were they beautiful, thin, had, long plaits and bright eyes.	Jyoti and Rashmi were different as Jyoti loved music and she was learning to play the harmonium while Rashmi loved sports and was one of the best players of the girl's basket ball team in school.

D. Write 'T' for true and 'F' for false :

1. False 2. False 3. True 4. False

E. Discuss in the class : Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Find out words from the story which mean the same as the following :

1. afraid 2. concert 3. coach 4. auditorium 5. whisper

B. Find out the opposites of the following words :

best - worst, friend - enemy, together - apart, long - short, bright - dull, alike - different, love - hate, quietly - loudly, proud - ashamed older - younger, full - empty

C. Make sentences with the following words :

1. concert - Neha and I are going to the concert today. 2. coach - Ankit' coach is very strict. 3. auditorium - There were around 100 people in the auditorium. 4. nervous - Rohit was very nervous before his performance. 5. practice - Practice makes a man perfect.

Grammar Fun

A. Fill in the blanks with the correct past tense form of the verbs in the box :

1. were 2. loved 3. liked 4. smiled 5. clapped

B. Read this sentence :

Now make adverb of the following words :

quick - quickly, lazy - lazily, neat - neatly, happy - happily, soft - softly, hard - hardly

Use the above adverbs to fill in the blanks :

1. quickly 2. lazily 3. neatly 4. happily 5. softly 6. hardly

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-2 The Lost Camel

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) Ujjain 2. (c) ten 3. (c) camel

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The four men wanted jobs. They were going to Ujjain in search of jobs. 2. Rishabh noticed that the camel was lame in one leg. Abhishek found that it was blind in the right eye. Akshay found that

it had a short tail and Gaurav found the right that it was suffering from a pain in the stomach. **3.** The merchant called the four friends thieves as they knew everything about his camel and yet they said that they haven't seen it. **4.** Rishabh noticed that the prints which he made on the road were that of only three of its feet and hence found that the camel was lame. **5.** Abhishek saw that the camel had eaten the leaves of the trees only on the left side of the road and so he knew that it was blind in the right eye. **6.** Gaurav saw that the prints of the camel's forefeet were very deep and clear and the prints of the hind foot were very light. So he could guess that the camel drew up its hind leg because it had pain in the stomach. **7.** The king was pleased with the four men and called them clever. He was impressed with their reasoning powers and made them his advisers.

C. Fill in the blanks using the words from the lesson :

1. prints 2. suffering 3. veterinary 4. advisers

D. Discuss in the class : Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Match the words of similar meaning :

right - correct, marvellous - excellent, not ordinary - special, clever - wise

B. Now match the words in column I to words with opposite meanings in column II.

clever - stupid, young - old, long - small, down - up, special - ordinary

C. Look at these words. These have different, spellings and meanings but similar pronunciation. Here are some more such words. Work in pairs and use them in your own sentences :

piece - Reema ate the last piece of cake. **peace** - Radha was at peace. **site** - My dad has gone to a building site. **sight** - Neha's eye-sight is weak. **weak** - Riya is feeling weak due to fever. **week** - We are going to Manali next week. **there** - Your books are kept there. **their** - Their pencils are lying on the table. **write** - I will write the essay today. **right** - Neha took the right decision. **tale** - 'Alice in wonderland' is a delightful tale. **tail** - The camel had a short tail. **waste** - Do not waste paper. **waist** - Shreya has a slim waist. **way** - Riya is on her way to school. **weigh** - weigh yourself on the day you begin the diet.

Grammar Fun

A. Fill in the table :

tall - taller, tallest **old** - older, oldest **strong** - stronger, strongest **beautiful** - more beautiful, most beautiful **much** - more, most

B. Make as many words as you can from the letters shown in this box :

Far, Car, Cap, For, Cop, Rap, Bore, Rope, Pair, Fair, Bare, Ripe, Fear, Bear, Reap, Pear

C. Change these statements into questions by adding a question tag :

1. He was really mean. Wasn't he? 2. The crocodile was furious. Wasn't it? 3. The people need to cook their food. Don't they? 4. Your sister is not in town. Is she? 5. They can't eat it raw. Can they? 6. Mohit goes to Delhi tomorrow. Doesn't he?

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-3 Onam

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) Kerala 2. (c) Mahabali 3. (c) Onam

B. Answer the following questions :

1. According to Lunar calendar, the festival of Onam falls in Shravana Bhadrapada that is around August-September. 2. During Onam, nature is at its best. The rains are over in Kerala, the trees look clean and there is greenery all around. 3. There are many social functions which take place during Onam. Performances of the classical dance of Kerala, Kathakali are held. The Kathakali dancers enact mythological stories with the help of traditional musical instruments. Sporting events like the boat race are also held. Thousands of spectators come to watch this race. 4. Vamana asked for a piece of land, as much as he can cover in three steps from Mahabali. Mahabali

granted him that wish and soon he started growing in size. He grew until he was as big as the universe. In two steps he covered the entire earth and the heaven and asked Mahabali that where can he put his third step. Mahabali realised that it was Vishnu but he could not go back on his words. He told Vamana to take the third step and place the foot on his head. In this way Vamana tricked Mahabali.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. Southern most 2. Shravana Bhadrapada 3. ten-day 4. Mahabali 5. kingdom, Onam

D. Tick (✓) the statements which are true for Onam :

1. True 2. False 3. False 4. True 5. True

E. Discuss in the class : Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Write the opposites of the following words :

1. same 2. old 3. bad 4. short 5. few 6. worst 7. sad 8. tall

B. Find out the meanings of the following words and make sentences with them in your own words :

1. holyman : saint — Gautam Buddha was a Holyman. 2. enact : to put something into action — We enacted a play at our school annual function. 3. mythological : based on mythology — We played the role of many mythological characters. 4. traditional : customary — My mother is wearing a traditional saree.

Grammar Fun

A. Use the correct form of the verb given in brackets :

1. were playing 2. were, talking, was talking 3. were going 4. was riding 5. was talking

B. Use some or any in the blanks :

1. some, any 2. some 3. any 4. some, any 5. some, any

C. Frame questions based on these answers :

1. Which is the Southern most state of India? 2. When does the festival of Onam fall in? 3. Who was jealous about Mahabali's popularity. 4. Who pushed Mahabali down?

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-4 Alice And The Caterpillar

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) Alice 2. (d) mushroom 3. (a) grass

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Alice was confused about her own identify as she couldn't remember things as she used to and she didn't keep the same size for ten minutes together. 2. According to Alice, the caterpillar will understand her situation when he will have to turn into a butterfly. 3. The caterpillar kept asking the same question and this brought them back again to the beginning of the conversation. 4. Alice comes across a caterpillar that is resting on top of a giant mushroom and smoking a hookah pipe. The two stare at each other in silence for a while before the caterpillar asks Alice. "Who are you?" Alice has trouble explaining who she is to the antagonistic and contemptuous caterpillars. Dejected, she turns to leave, but the caterpillar calls her back to recite a poem. 5. No, she was wrong from beginning to end. 6. Caterpillar got angry when Alice said that three inches is not a good height as the caterpillar was exactly three inches high.

C. Who said it?

1. Alice said to the caterpillar. 2. Alice said to the caterpillar. 3. Alice said to the caterpillar. 4. The caterpillar said to Alice. 5. Alice said to the caterpillar. 6. Caterpillar said to Alice.

D. Write 'Yes' or 'No' :

1. True 2. False 3. True 4. True 5. False 6. False

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. How many words can you make from the word CATERPILLAR?

tap, pet, liar, reap, pear, rate, race, pill, lap, late, petal, pillar, tell, pale, pair, tip, tape, tale, tail

B. What do these animals become?

1. butterfly 2. horse 3. tiger 4. cow 5. cat 6. dog 7. man 8. sheep

C. Match the words with similar meanings :

reply - answer, queer - unusual, little - small, remark - comment, melancholy - sad, alter - change, plead - request

Grammar Fun

A. Fill in the blanks with the correct forms of the describing forms of the describing words given in italics :

1. heavier 2. more beautiful 3. sweeter 4. richer

B. Underline the adverbs in the following sentences :

1. shyly 2. clearly 3. angrily 4. silently 5. happily

C. Complete the table :

look - looked, looked **get** - got, gotten **think** - thought, thought **say** - said, said **feel** - felt, felt
keep - kept, kept **try** - tried, tried **ask** - asked, asked

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-5 Hotchpotch On The Road

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) young man 2. (d) three 3. (c) papers

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Shalini had to turn in her paper at the school first thing in the morning. 2. The strong wind lifted the papers out of the notebook and carried them into the city streets. 3. The policeman stopped all traffic at the busy corner till Shalini gather them up. 4. The taxi driver chased the papers too. Then other people started running after the papers to help the girls. 5. When the drivers knew what was happening up at the corner, the loud, angry honking and shouting stopped.

C. Who said the following and to whom?

Shalini said to her friends.

Valentina said to her friends.

The policeman said to Shalini and her friends.

The driver asked the policeman and girls.

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Happiness is a happy feeling. There can be many feelings. Use the feelings given in the box to write under the faces :

angry, confused, surprised, sad

B. Try and find other words to add to spider webs :

sad : unhappy, sorrowful, dejected

big : large, giant, enormous

stop : cease, finish, end

**C. Look at the following words. They sound similar but they differ in meaning :
Now pick out six more short words from the text and think of words which sound similar to them :**

1. write, right 2. blew, blue 3. wide, white 4. flew, flu 5. four, for 6. feet, fit

D. Find the opposites of the following words :

first - last, open - close, near - far, top - bottom, busy - free, quick - slow, stop - start, out - in, few - many, long - short, friend - enemy, give - take, big - small, cry - laugh, straight - curve, loud - quiet, easy - hard, back - front

Grammar Fun

A. Look at the following sentences :

1. I could not come because I was ill. 2. I missed the bus since I came walking. 3. He spoke in English because he did not know Tamil. 4. He wanted to help the people since they were poor and helpless.

B. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions from the box :

1. near 2. at, into 3. in, to, after 4. on 5. at 6. under

C. Make adverbs of the following words :

1. carefully 2. beautifully 3. kindly 4. hopefully 5. happily 6. sadly 7. angrily 8. cunningly

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time Do it yourself.

Chapter-6 Sacrifice Of The Blue Jay

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (c) Jay 2. (b) lotus

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Prince Arjun was blind and hence couldn't see the beauty of Princess Ramya. 2. Princess Ramya wanted that she could also sing like the little Jay. Perhaps then Prince Arjun might marry her. 3. The little Jay told Ramya to go to the lotus pool at midnight of Purnima. Take the lotus in hand and say "Lotus, lotus, lovely flower. In this quiet midnight hour, Make my voice sing through the days, As sweetly as the little Jay's." 4. Princess Ramya's second wish was that the little Jay could always be beautiful with shining colours. 5. Jay was happy as Princess Ramya was married to Prince Arjun and he was no more a brown Jay, but a beautiful blue Jay.

C. Who said it and to whom?

Princess Ramya said to herself.

Little Jay said to Princess Ramya.

D. Write 'T' for true and 'F' for false :

1. T 2. F 3. F 4. T 5. F

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Unscramble the letters of the words given on the right. Then match the words with the descriptions given on the left.

one who looks good	beautiful
one who is sad	unhappy
the full moon night	purnima
12 o' clock at night	midnight
Shaking	trembling
one who can not see	blind

B. Match the words from its opposite meaning :

unhappy - happy, beautiful - ugly, laugh - cry, deep - shallow, poor - rich, bottom - top, bright - dull, cold - hot

C. Read these words aloud. The underlined letter or letters of one of the words in each lines has a different sound. Pick it out :

bead, spare, fear, boat, maps

Grammar Fun

A. Look at these pictures and write a sentences about each what happening :

The woman is buying fruits.

The boy is playing with a ball.

The traffic police man is talking to a man.

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-7 Cartoon World

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) Walt Disney 2. (c) 1937 3. (a) Adriana

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Cartoons are a series of drawings, which are photographed and then played as a film. When they are played as a film, the drawings seem to be moving. 2. The first talking cartoon was created by Walt Disney. 3. Micky Mouse first appeared in the first talking cartoon called Steamboat Willie created by Walt Disney. 4. Walt Disney chose 'Snow white and the Seven Dwarfs' because he thought that it was a perfect story as it had the prince, the princess, their love, the dwarfs for fun and the wicked queen as a villain. 5. Snow white and the Seven Dwarfs was released as a film in 1937. 6. The name of the seven dwarfs were Doc, Grumpy, Happy, Sneezy, Bashful, Sleepy and Dopey.

C. Write the names of the seven dwarfs and explain how their names give personality of each of them :

Seven Dwarfs : 1. Doc 2. Grumpy 3. Happy 4. Sneezy 5. Bashful 6. Sleepy 7. Dopey

Personality : 1. He is very clever. 2. He is always angry. 3. He is always happy. 4. He sneezes a lot. 5. He is very bashful. 6. He is always sleepy. 7. He is very silly.

D. Write true or false :

1. True 2. False 3. True 4. True

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

Find out the meanings of the following words :

1. comic picture 2. active 3. to originate 4. evil 5. a short human

Grammar Fun

A. Punctuate the sentences below. Also put capital letter where necessary :

1. "How are you feeling today?" asked the doctor. 2. It was called steamboat Willie and its hero was a little mouse named Mickey Mouse. 3. Immediately she said, "How about me?" 4. "Go and tidy your room at once." ordered his mother. 5. Walt Disney and his company won many award for the film.

B. Complete the following sentences using 'some' or 'any' :

1. any 2. some, any 3. some 4. Some 5. Any

C. Choose the correct word to complete these sentences :

1. enough 2. rather 3. a lot of 4. very 5. A lot of

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-8 Unsatisfied Preeti

Comprehension

A. Tick (✓) the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) cat 2. (b) Bushy 3. (c) white

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Preeti wanted a cat as a pet. 2. A parrot was the first pet that her mother got for her. 3. The squirrel was shy. It remained in a corner of the cage and refused to take the nuts. 4. Preeti's mother finally gave her a white kitten.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. parrot 2. glass tank 3. kitty 4. Mithoo

D. Who said it and to whom?

“I’ll -----car.”

Preeti's mother said to Preeti.

“Mom -----pet.”

Preeti said to her mother.

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. A kitten purrs. Complete the following :

1. A dog 2. A frog 3. A monkey 4. A parrot 5. An elephant 6. A horse

B. Find out the opposites of the following words :

good - bad, old - new, enough - less, thick - thin, outside - inside, happy - sad

C. Join the words in column I with those in column II to make compound words :

bedroom, homework, playground, chairman, someday

Grammar Fun

Make adjectives of the following words :

Bush - Bushy, Fish - Fishy, Breeze - Breezy, Flood - Floody, Wind - Windy, Storm - Stormy, Sand - Sandy, Green - Greeny, Sun - Sunny, Fog - Foggy, Hill - Hilly

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-9 Animal World

Comprehension

A. Tick (✓) the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) ant-eater 2. (c) burrow 3. (b) rainforests

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The Pangolin is an animal covered from nose to tail with hard scales. It is also known as an ant eater. The scales lie one on top of the other and cover its entire body. The scales are brown on grey in colour and are very strong. They have four feet with very sharp claws. They have a very good sense of smell. They don't have teeth but have a very long tongue covered with sticky juice. 2. No, a Pangolin doesn't have teeth because they don't need them. 3. Pangolin is also known as an ant-eater because it loves to eat ants. 4. Primates are considered to be one of the most intelligent creatures mainly because of their large brains. 5. Orangutan is found only in the rainforests of Borneo and Sumatra and are an endangered species.

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. is covered, ants, as ant-eater, has four feet, at the end, pointed head with 2. Lemurs, monkeys, apes etc, belonging to the family of 'primates', herbivores, groups, of two types, old world monkey,

langurs, which are found in the tropical forests of South America, Spider monkeys, Howler monkey.

D. Write 'T' for true and 'F' for false :

1. T 2. F 3. T 4. T 5. F

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Find out the meanings of the following words :

1. a hole 2. a mammal that feeds on ants and termites with a long snout and sticky tongue. 3. a mammal is a type of warm-blooded animals that breast feeds their babies and usually has hair. 4. an animals or bird having a backbone.

B. Fill this verse with the opposite words :

Fast as a spaceship, **slow** as a snail, **Big** as a dinosaur, **Small** as a nail.
Noisy as a road drill, **Silent** as a ghost. **Strong** as an ox, **weak** as a kitten.

Grammar Fun

A. Fill in the blanks with suitable pronouns :

1. me 2. It 3. us 4. she

B. Match the words in column I with the describing words in column II.

1. intelligent 2. hard 3. good 4. sharp 5. sticky

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-10 Always Obey Your Parents

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) bicycle 2. (c) highway 3. (a) happy birthday

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Lucky was happy to get the beautiful cycle from his father and mother on his birthday. 2. When Lucky's father gave him instructions on how to ride the cycle safely he thought that they don't trust him. They don't realize he is grown up and can take care of himself now. This made him unhappy. 3. "Lucky's stomach churned like a washing machine." 4. When Lucky had reached the centre of the road, he saw a car heading straight at him. He turned fast trying to steer the cycle in the other direction, but a huge truck was speeding towards him from that side of the highway. He made a sharp turn to the left, which made the car go off the road and into the ditch upside down. 5. Lucky learned that we should always obey our parents. 6. Yes, the lady forgave Lucky as he had learnt his lesson.

C. Write 'T' for true and 'F' for false :

1. F 2. F 3. F 4. F 5. F 6. T

D. Who said it and to whom?

"Oh no, ----- coming."

Lucky thought in his mind.

"One ----- highway."

Lucky's father said to Lucky.

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Read the following words and their abbreviations :

Find out the abbreviations for the following :

limited - ltd, litre - ltr, millimetre - ml, mathematics - math, tablespoon - tspn, square - sq, decagram - dg, quart - qt.

B. Match the words with the pictures :

ridding, shouting, sobbing

C. Fill in the blanks :

1. sad 2. baby 3. leg 4. coffee 5. drive

Grammar Fun

A. Use more in the blanks and read the sentences :

1. more 2. more 3. more 4. more 5. more

B. Fill in the blanks with 'can' or 'may' :

1. Can 2. May 3. can 4. can 5. can 6. may

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-11 Galileo Galilei

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) Italian 2. (c) Mathematics 3. (a) telescope

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Galileo Galilei liked to sit by himself in a corner and make toys which could be worked by wheels and pulleys. He was always engaged in mechanical toys. 2. The lamp in the cathedral helped Galileo to prove that the length of time it takes to swing does not depend on the distance it swings, but on the length of its chain or cord. This was Galileo's first discovery. 3. Galileo proved that a heavy weight and a light one would both fall to the ground at the same moment in the experiment at learning Tower of Pisa. He placed two cannon balls. One weighed a hundred pounds and the other, one pound and pushed the ball over the edge. The two ball stuck the ground at the same movement. 4. Copernicus had watched the stars and planets and had seen that they were in different parts of the sky different times. He came to the conclusion that the Sun was centre of all movements and not the earth. The rising and setting of the Sun is due to the spinning of the earth on its own axis. 5. Galileo picked up a bit of old organ pipe and pushed a bulgy spectacle glass into one end and a hollow one into the other. He was happy to see that his new instrument had made things look three times nearer. This was the first ever telescope made.

C. Who said it?

"The ----- its axis."

Copernicus said.

"I ----- grows up."

Galileo father said.

D. Complete these sentences in your own words :

1. him to be a merchant. 2. the length of time it takes a weight on a sting to swing does not depend on the distance it surings, but the length of its chain or cord. 3. and a light one would both fall to the ground at the same moment. 4. stuck the ground at the same moment. 5. the whole world laughed, and he himself decided to find out the movements of the planets. 6. mountains, valleys, craters, seas and plain.

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Find out the meanings of the following words and make sentences on your own :

1. experiment : test or trial to gain knowledge. — We will perform an experiment in class today. 2. merchant : trader. — Mohan was a very clever merchant. 3. mathematician : an expert in mathematics. — Rohit wants to be mathematician when he grows up. 4. cathedral : the principal church. — John went into the cathedral to say a prayer. 5. invention : the action of inventing something. — Galileo Galilei is known for his invention of Telescope.

Short Forms

B. Now, complete the table given below :

Can not, It's, I have, would not, doesn't, you're

C. Make adverbs by adding -ly :

1. quickly 2. badly 3. suddenly 4. heavily 5. clearly 6. slowly

Grammar Fun

A. Join these pairs of sentences using the conjunctions given below :

1. He was crying because he had failed. 2. They found the shop but it was closed. 3. Do that again or you'll get into trouble. 4. The mother was very hungry but she gave the chapati to her child. 5. It is this paper or is it that paper?

B. Make questions using 'was' or 'were' :

1. was it good? 2. was it tasty? 3. was it expensive? 4. were they easy? 5. was it cold?

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-12 Dream Of Alice

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) garden 2. (d) sleepy 3. (c) waist coat

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Alice was tired of sitting next to her brother on the grassy bank of a river. Her brother was completing his holiday homework. She had nothing to do. It looked very dull to her. Hence, she was bored. 2. When Alice followed the white Rabbit, she found herself in a very big room lit by the lamps. There were locked doors on all sides. 3. As she fell she saw all kinds of interesting things on the sides of the hole. 4. Alice was too big to get through the door that leads to garden. She drank from a bottle on the table that said 'Drink me to enter the door' which made her shrink. She was now only eight inches tall and hence could enter through the door. 5. Alice saw in her dream that the door from where she had earlier come was now locked and she had no way to get back from these. She was very disappointed and hence sobbed in her dream.

C. State whether the following statements are True or False : Correct the false statements :

1. False, Alice landed on a heap of flowers at the bottom of the rabbit hole. 2. False, She found a bottle which said 'Drink me to enter the door.' 3. False, Alice saw a white rabbit. 4. False, when she drank the liquid she started shrinking and was soon only eight inches tall. 5. Alice found a bottle with a label 'Drink me to enter the door.'

D. Fill in the blanks :

1. tired 2. rabbit 3. golden 4. ten 5. sobbed, sobbed

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Complete this word grid using the clues :

1. Waistcoat 2. Heap 3. Delicious 4. Garden 5. Bottomless 6. Nowhere

B. Find the opposites of the following words :

normal - abnormal, low - high, large - small, interesting - boring, slowly - quickly, worse - better, down - up, lock - open

Grammar Fun

A. Punctuate the following sentences given below :

1. Oh dear! Oh dear! I shall be late. 2. Oh, what a beautiful garden! 3. It was delicious but soon she had a funny sort of feeling as though she was shrinking. 4. Alas! When she reached the door she found that she had forgotten to take the key. 5. 'Now I seem to be getting bigger,' said Nino. 6. Her brother said, "Are you day dreaming again, Nino?"

B. Write the possible questions to which these might be the answers :

1. What was there in the garden? 2. What has Alice never seen? 3. What was inside the box? 4. Which doorway could she get through?

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : **Do you know these ends?**

1. lend 2. descend 3. pretend 4. ascend 5. contend

Chapter-13 Aladdin and the Magic Lamp

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) great genie appeared 2. (c) Halima 3. (a) large cave

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Aladdin earned money by collecting wild figs and picking bananas. 2. The stranger wanted Aladdin to go to the cave and bring him the lamp. 3. Aladdin didn't listen to the stranger and thus he slammed down the man hole cover. In this way, Aladdin was caught in the manhole. 4. There was an old lamp, pots of gold, jewels and gems in the cave. 5. The Genie of the ring helped Aladdin to get out of the cave. 6. Aladdin commanded the Genie of the lamp to bring a lovely meal for him and his mother.

C. Write 'T' for true and 'F' for false :

1. F 2. F 3. F 4. T 5. T

D. Rearrange the sentences in the correct order in which the events took place. The first one has been done for you :

1. The wicked man said, "old lamps for new!" 2. Halima gives the wicked man the old lamp. 3. The wicked man rubs the lamp and the genie. 4. The wicked man falls asleep. 5. Aladdin lands in his own castle, where he finds Halima.

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Find out and write the quality that the following people will show :

a happy boy - happiness, a brave soldier - bravery, a kind doctor - kindness, a just judge - just, a poor lady - poor, an honest girl - honesty, a selfish merchant - selfishness, a generous person - generosity

B. Here are some words given in a puzzle. Add another word from the box to make a compound word :

1. MOONLIGHT 2. AIRPORT 3. SEASIDE 4. NEWSPAPER 5. POSTOFFICE 6. LIGHTHOUSE 7. MANHOLE 8. DRAWING ROOM

Grammar Fun

Fill in the blanks with suitable articles :

1. a, a 2. a 3. The 4. The, the 5. The, the, the

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Book - 5

Chapter-1 The Raindrop Fairy

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the give options :

1. (a) poor fairy 2. (b) honey bee 3. (a) robin

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Raindrops sparkle because in every raindrop it is a fairy who is on her way down to Fairyland, far below in the meadows. 2. The fairies were pleased to be freed from the raindrops which had carried them safely down from the clouds. 3. The poor fairy's raindrop had failed to splash open as it fell. She had fallen right into a spider's web and now she could not free herself. 4. The caterpillar couldn't help the raindrop fairy because the spider would seize him if he walked into his house. 5. The robin helped the raindrop fairy to be free. Reaching across the spider's web, he pecked gently with his sharp beak at the glistening raindrop until it rolled free and gently splashed open on the grass below.

C. Put a tick (✓) or a cross (X) :

1. X 2. X 3. ✓ 4. X 5. ✓ 6. X

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Match the things with the sounds they produce :

1. (c) 2. (e) 3. (a) 4. (b) 5. (d)

B. Match the words to form new words :

rain - bow = rainbow, fairy - land = fairyland, black - board = blackboard, post - work = postwork, light - house = lighthouse, web - site = website

C. Find out the opposites of the following words :

1. bright 2. cry 3. unsafe 4. dark 5. pass 6. before 7. coward 8. rich

D. Complete the following comparisons :

1. bat 2. bee 3. sheep 4. snail 5. rabbit 6. lion 7. dog

Grammar Fun

Look at the pictures and write out the story :

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Solve the animal puzzle :

TIGER, GOAT, RABBIT, BEAR, RHINOCEROS, COW

Chapter-2 Never Quarrel Each Other

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (c) brother & sister 2. (b) a fairy 3. (a) dense forest

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Shweta wanted to go to the park. 2. The aeroplane took Satish and Shweta near the dense forest. 3. They were afraid in the forest as they could not see anything except the forest. They were feeling hungry and started to look for food but they couldn't find anything. They saw many ferocious animals too that made them afraid. 4. The children came back into aeroplane and wished to get back to their home as their third wish. Soon they reached back near the riverside near their home. 5. The children learned that those who quarrel get nothing even if opportunity is given to them. They decided to never quarrel again.

C. Write 'True' or 'False' :

1. False 2. False 3. True 4. True 5. True

D. Who said it and to whom?

1. Shweta said to Satish 2. Fairy said to Shewta 3. Satish said to Shweta

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Write the opposite gender of the following words :

brother - sister, girl - boy, cock - hen, tiger - tigress, hero - heroine, king - queen, wife - husband, duck - drake, cow - bull, god - goddess, horse - mare, aunt - uncle, teacher - teacher, sir - madam, son - daughter, man - woman, lion - lioness, author - authoress

B. Make sentences using the following words :

1. Ramesh and Ravi argue a lot. 2. We should not quarrel with our friends. 3. She is so ungrateful for everything we do. 4. He joined them for selfish reasons. 5. There was a small hut at the riverside. 6. We saw a ferocious tiger in the zoo. 7. Neha disappeared immediately from the spot.

C. Match the similar meaning words :

1. c. 2. d. 3. a. 4. e. 5. b.

D. Fill in the blanks with a suitable noun. Take the help of the pictures :

1. fairy 2. man 3. kid 4. aeroplane 5. tiger 6. apple 7. mango 8. leaf

Grammar Fun

A. Read the following sentences :

Now write the following sentences as in the example :

1. My father took us to the zoo yesterday. 2. They went to Mumbai yesterday. 3. My aunt came yesterday. 4. Pulkit's uncle gave him a bike yesterday. 5. He wrote a letter to his mother yesterday.

B. Use 'many' or 'much' in place of 'a lot of' in the following sentences :

1. Mother has much work to do. 2. Satish has many toys. 3. She took much time to come there. 4. Father had to face many problems.

C. Change the following sentences into the question form :

1. When will they visit the zoo? 2. When will this tree bear fruits? 3. Will they play hockey? 4. Who will arrest the thief? 5. Who will saw the seeds in the field ?

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-3 Animals Also Want Love

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (c) tiger 2. (c) Bravo 3. (c) drawing room

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The grandfather found the tiger cub in a forest, hiding behind the intricate bushes. 2. The cub was given milk in the feeding bottle because he was very small. 3. Bravo would hear frenzied cackling from the poultry house and when the grandfather and the writer used to reach there, they would saw feathers lying all over. Hence we know that Bravo killed and ate some of the hens. 4. When Bravo's behaviour was becoming less friendly as he was a fully grown tiger, the grandfather decided it was time to transfer him to a zoo. The zoo authorities were too glad to receive a well fed

fairly civilized tiger. **5.** The old keeper told Grandfather that Bravo died one month ago due to kidney failure.

C. Who said it and to whom?

Grandfather said to keeper.
The keeper said to Grandfather.
The keeper said to Grandfather.

D. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Solve the crossword puzzle, using the clues below. The words you need are from the story you just read :

1. FAVOURITE **2.** MAGNIFICANT **3.** STAMMER **4.** CUB **5.** DART **6.** FRENZIED **7.** FROWN **8.** COMPANION **9.** FOREPAWS **10.** INTRICATE

B. Some words belong to the same group. Write the words from the box under the group heading where they belong :

Places : forest, zoo, Dehradun, drawing room
Actions : stammer, walking, snarl, grown, trapped, frenzied
Feelings : excited, friendly, amused, surprised

C. Match the words in column I with their opposites in column II :

safe - unsafe, closer - farther, difficult - uncomfortable, friend - enemy, straight - curved, pulled - pushed, less - more

Grammar Fun

A. Fill in the blanks with the words given :

1. companions **2.** amusement **3.** cackling **4.** kidney **5.** briskly

B. Write questions to the following replies :

1. Who was walking down the forest? **2.** What was the tiger cub named by Grandfather? **3.** Who were Bravo's companion? **4.** What was the favourite place of the tiger cub? **5.** Where did Grandfather take him? **6.** Where was the tiger trapped?

C. Complete the table as in the example :

Positive	Negative	Contraction
are	are not	aren't
was	was not	wasn't
will	will not	won't
can	can not	can't
could	could not	couldn't
must	must not	mustn't
would	would not	wouldn't
should	should not	shouldn't
do	do not	don't
need	need not	needn't

D. Fill in the blanks with the comparative or superlative degree of the adjectives in brackets :

1. funnier **2.** most handsome **3.** widest **4.** calm **5.** hotter

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-4 Three Truth Of Life

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (d) Siddhartha Gautam 2. (a) 16 year old 3. (b) Yashodhara

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The prophet said at the time Siddhartha's birth that he will either become a great king, or, he will renounce the world to become a great monk. 2. The prince was surrounded with all the wonders of the palace life. The king especially made sure that whenever the prince left the palace, he saw no sign of suffering or sorrow. 3. Siddhartha saw the suffering for the first time in his life. He saw an old man, walking slowly across the road. He was a sick man, groaning with pain. He also saw the body of a dead man being carried away. 4. The teachings of Siddhartha were, "Nothing last forever. All of us will grow old and die. Do not give too much importance to the material things like money youth and good looks. Do not hurt or kill people or animals. Abandon the caste system of dividing people into groups. Do not follow someone blindly, just because he or she is popular. Live your life with honesty." 5. The people called him 'Enlightened One' or 'Buddha' meaning 'one with the knowledge.' 6. The Banyan tree under which he sat was called the 'Bodhi Tree', meaning 'Tree of knowledge.' 7. Buddha's followers decided to write down what he had taught them. They wrote down what he had said in his sermons. They called this collection 'Tripitaka' meaning 'The three Baskets.'

C. Complete these sentences in your own words :

1. hearing the prophet's words that Siddhartha will either become a great king, or, he will renounce the world to become a great monk. 2. arranged for the young princess Yashodhara. 3. lay beyond the life of luxury. 4. on meditation. 5. the 'Enlightened One' or the 'Buddha'. 6. he had gathered many followers about him.

D. Match the following :

1. f. 2. h. 3. a. 4. g. 5. b. 6. e. 7. c. 8. d.

E. Write true or false :

1. False 2. False 3. True 4. True 5. False

F. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Read these words aloud. Make sentences to bring out their difference :

1. Vine : I saw a grapevine in the garden. Wine : He opened a bottle of red wine. 2. Vice - One vice leads to another. Wise - He was a wise saint. 3. Verse - The teacher instructed us to write verse. Worse - The worse had happened to him. 4. Rode - He road all the way to the next village. Road - The road to the next city was smooth. 5. Weak - Lalit is very weak in his studies. Week - There are seven days in a week. 6. Went - They went to a picnic together. Vent - He needs to vent his anger.

B. Here are some words which describe happiness and others describing sadness. Place them in the correct column :

Happiness : peace, happy, delighted, content, celebrate

Sadness : worried, upset, sorrow, pain, dismayed, suffering

C. Fill in the blanks with 'a', 'an' or 'the' where necessary. Where no article is needed, write 'x' :

1. A, the, the 2. The, a, the 3. a, an 4. a 5. a, the, x 6. The, x, x

Grammar Fun

A. Join each of the following pairs of sentences using either 'whom' or 'whose' :

1. This is a cat whom everyone likes. 2. This is a singer whom I saw yesterday. 3. It is a horse whose master is very cruel. 4. This is a robber whom the police officer arrested yesterday. 5. This is a tiger whose cubs are very small.

B. Read the following sentences. Underline the subjects and put a box around the predicates. Then write them in the box :

	Subject	Predicate
1.	Siddhartha	grew up to be very gifted child
2.	Yashodhara	chose noble-looking Siddhartha to be her husband.
3.	The tripitaka	was first written on palm leaves.
4.	Chandaka, the charioteer	took him to the town.
5.	The banyan tree	was called the Bodhi tree.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-5 The Computer, Need Of Today

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) to calculate 2. (a) very fast 3. (a) Dr Alan

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The word 'compute' comes from the word 'computer' which means to calculate. 2. A computer is normally considered to be a calculating device that can perform arithmetic operations at enormous speed. 3. The accuracy of a computer is consistently high and the degree of accuracy of a particular computer depends upon its design. But for a particular computer, each and every calculation is performed with the same accuracy. 4. A computer is used for recruiting personnel, preparing results or the details of passengers when the computer is employed for making airline or railway reservations or number of different types in case of application of computers for scientific research problems etc. Scientists use computers to store and quickly find results of experiments. Computers are also useful in developing and evaluating theories about things that are difficult to observe and measure. 5. Today, the computer has entered schools, hospitals, government sector, businesses and many more places.

C. Complete the following sentences :

1. to create a fast calculating machine. 2. perform in a few seconds the amount of work that a human being can do in an entire year. 3. monotony, tiredness, lack of concentration, etc. 4. preparing results or the details of passengers when the computer is employed for making airline or railway reservations. 5. schools, hospital and many more places.

D. Write 'Yes' or 'No':

1. Yes 2. No 3. No 4. Yes 5. Yes 6. Yes

Play With Words

A. Find out the meanings of the following words and make sentences with them :

1. Computer : a device to calculate — I have a computer at home. 2. Accuracy : correctness — We have confidence in the accuracy of these maths questions. 3. Enormous : huge, vast — He lives in an enormous house. 4. Retrieve : get back, recover — Please stand up and retrieve your luggage. 5. Monotony : lack of variety — I am tired of this monotony. 6. Unthinkable : unimaginable, unbelievable — The unthinkable has already happened.

B. Match the opposites :

accurate - inaccurate, thinkable - unthinkable, normal - abnormal, exact - inexact, initial - final, indispensable- dispensable

Grammar Fun**A. Fill in the spaces below using adjectives. First one has been done for you.**

1. Raman is tall but Gopi is taller. 2. Amit could run fast, but his sister Alisha could run faster. 3. Strawberries are juicy, but mangoes are juicier. 4. The hare thought he was clever, but the tortoise was cleverer. 5. Jack is thin, but Jill is thinner.

B. Read the following sentences :

Now write the following sentences as done in the example :

1. If Mohit had saved money, he would have bought a car. 2. If the emperor had known the facts, he would have punished the minister. 3. If Amit had walked fast, he could have caught the train. 4. If the teachers had allowed the children, they would have gone to the zoo. 5. If they had come to me, I would have helped them.

C. Frame questions for the following sentences :

1. How is the accuracy of the computer? 2. When was the first electronic computer developed? 3. What was the computer initially used for? 4. Why do the scientists use computers? 5. Why do the hospitals use computers?

D. Write the three forms of verbs :

retake - retook, retaken **make** - made, made **smell** - smelled, smelled **string** - strung, strung **wind** - wound, wound **tell** - told, told **swear** - swore, sworn

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-6 Mythological Creatures**Comprehension****A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :**

1. (a) very wise 2. (c) one-horn

B. Answer the following questions :

1. The ancient Greeks and Romans believed that dragons had the ability to understand and to convey to mortals the secrets of the Earth. 2. In Europe, dragons were described as huge and ugly monsters. They had tails like large snakes, huge bat-like wings and sharp claws like lions. The dragons which could even breathe fire stood for evil and destruction. 3. The Dragons were known as the 'Lung' in China and Japan. The Lung was said to be a large serpent with many legs, but no wings. It was very powerful and could fly, even without wings. The Lung stood for the power of the king. It brought-good fortune. To the people by bringing rain and stopping floods. 4. Basilisks could not only kill from their poisonous bites, but also from its breath or even with a glance from its evil eyes. Plants wilted whenever they passed by. Basilisk was filled with so much poison, that even if a person attacked it with a weapon, the poison of the basilisk would travel through the weapon and kill the person. 5. The Chinese believed that Phoenix was a very gentle bird. According to them, the phoenix had a large bill, the neck of a snake, the back of tortoise and the tail of a fish. It was a colourful bird having black, white, red, green and yellow feathers.

C. Describe the three mythological creatures in your own words :

The Dragon : The dragon is a fascinating beast. It is a legendary reptilian monster. It is usually represented as having wings, huge claws and a fiery breath. In stories and folklore, the dragon symbolizes destruction and evil. **The Basilisk :** The word 'basilisk' means 'little king'. The basilisk is said to be the king of the serpents. It lived in the Libyan desert and was considered to be

very very wicked. Basilisks could not only kill from their poisonous bites, but also from its breath or even with a glance from its evil eye.

The Unicorn : The literal meaning of the word 'unicorn' is 'one-horn'. In Europe, the unicorn is believed to be a beautiful and spotlessly white horse, with a single horn protruding from its forehead. It is believed that this horn has magical properties. The phoenix was the name given to a bird that never died. It was considered a holy bird in the countries from Arabian to China. The phoenix was said to be a beautiful bird-as large as an eagle, with red and gold feathers. The Chinese believed that phoenix was a very gentle bird. It crushed nothing as it landed on the ground.

D. Write 'T' for true and 'NT' for not true :

1. T 2. T 3. T 4. NT 5. NT 6. T 7. T

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Some words are used for good and some for evil. Choose them from the box and write them in the correct column :

Good : wonderful, wise, gentle, beautiful, excitement, kind, boon

Evil : bad, poison, hell, terrible, destruction, curse, dangerous, wicked

B. Find the opposites of the following words :

1. cursed, sinful 2. unkind, brutal 3. powerless 4. different 5. unlikely 6. good 7. new 8. beautiful

C. Find out three small words in each of the following words :

1. corn, run, coin 2. hope, phone, nope 3. silk, ask as 4. on, to, so 5. feat, hare, the

Grammar Fun

A. Fill in the blanks using the articles. Put a 'x' where no articles is required :

1. a, an 2. The, a 3. The, the , the 4. The, a 5. The, x, x 6. The, a, a

B. Frame questions for these answers :

1. What did the Dragon which could breathe fire stand for? 2. Where did the Basilisk live? 3. How was Phoenix according to the Chinese? 4. What brings wonder and excitement to our lives?

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

A. Animal puzzle : Try to find out six animals in this puzzle.

1. Elephant 2. Deer 3. Tiger 4. Bear 5. Cow 6. Lion

Chapter-7 Python In Love

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) Ruskin bond 2. (c) three week 3. (c) gardener and grandfather

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Grandfather could never resist buying unusual pets and hence bought a snake from a snake-charmer. 2. The window of the bathroom was left open by mistake. The python had gone out that way. 3. The snake first reappear in the guava tree. When Aunt Mabel was reaching for a guava, she saw it staring at her. 4. The python was seen admiring himself in the mirror, the second time. Evidently he was fascinated by his own reflection. It seemed to be its weakness. 5. The snake was a risky playmate for a small boy because it could swallow him live. 6. They set the snake free across the river bed in the jungle.

C. Who said it and to whom?

Grandmother said to Grandfather.

Aunt Mabel said to Grandfather and Grandmother.

D. Fill in the blanks using the words from the python :

1. usual 2. startled 3. constrictor 4. reflection 5. poisonous 6. love

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Write the antonyms of the following words :

1. un usual 2. serious 3. departure 4. disappear 5. careless 6. silence 7. gradual 8. hard 9. gloom
10. invisible

B. Find out the meanings of the following words and make sentences on your own :

1. python : a large snake that crushes its prey. — Neha saw a python in the Garden. 2. strangle : choke — The snake will strangle you to death. 3. Startled : sudden shock — A sudden sound in the doorway startled her. 4. unexpected : not expected — His death was totally unexpected. 5. fascinated : interested — I have always been fascinated by computers. 6. prowling : move stealthily — Lions are prowling in the bush.

C. Match the phrases with the pictures :

1. peacock 2. dog 3. clock 4. bee

Grammar Fun

A. Read these sentences :

1. She has failed because she did not study at all. 2. I don't think you should be going out because it is freezing outside. 3. I can't tell you about my plan because it has to be a surprise for you. 4. Neither of them told her so she didn't know that it was his birthday. 5. Our exams are over so can we have a party today?

B. Frame questions for these answers :

1. Where was Toto swinging? 2. Who was right at that time? 3. Why did he hurry off to the bazaar? 4. When did Aunt Mabel arrive? 5. Where did the Python make appearances? 6. Who can swallow a live monkey?

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-8 Sachin Tendulkar, The Real Hero

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) 24 Apr 1973 2. (a) 22 years 3. (c) Steve Waugh

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Sachin Tendulkar was born in Mumbai on the 24th April 1973. 2. When he was not even 12, the world had already pronounced its judgement of him. "He will go where no other Indian Batsman had been and would one day he talked of in the same breathe as Bradman." Such words were said by those who watched him hit centuries after centuries in school cricket. 3. Sachin Tendulkar played his first test at Karachi, when he was only sixteen. 4. Sachin is the recipient of many awards. He received the Birla Award and then the Arjuna Award for Sports in 1995 when he was only 22. Two years later, he was also awarded the Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award. He has received the great honour of getting an entry in Donald Bradman's 'World XI'. 5. Australian Captain Steve Waugh said, "He is the best batsman in the world - second only to Bradman."

C. Fill in the blanks and complete the sentences in your own words :

1. India was born in Mumbai on the 24th April 1973. 2. at Karachi, when he was only sixteen. 3. the little, big hero. 4. of getting on entry in Donald Bradman's 'World XI'. 5. bats in the world-second only to Bradman.

Play With Words

A. Add -ing to these words and make other necessary changes :

1. helping 2. batting 3. watching 4. speaking 5. scoring 6. receiving 7. playing 8. getting 9. Attacking 10. exceeding

Now fill these -ing words in these sentences :

1. helping 2. watching 3. playing 4. scoring 5. batting

B. Match the opposites :

encourage - discourage, first - last, high - low, entry- exit, future - past

C. Match and make phrases :

1. player 2. birds 3. fish 4. bees 5. trees

Grammar Fun

A. Change the following sentences into passive voice :

1. The goat was killed by the lion. 2. Good poems are written by Meena. 3. Crops were grown in the field by the farmers. 4. The poor woman is helped by my brother. 5. English is taught by Miss. Sharma.

B. Match the phrasal verbs with their meanings :

1. c. 2. d. 3. b. 4. e. 5. a.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-9 Plastic Is Curse Or Boon

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (d) Alexander Parkes 2. (a) 1868 3. (b) plastic

B. Answer the following questions :

1. In 1862, Alexander Parkes of England invented the plastics. 2. Plastics can be easily shaped or moulded to get the desired material. Plastics are resistant to air and water and hence are rust-proof. They can be soft, hard or pliable. 3. Some of the major varieties of plastics are phenolic, amino, polyester and polyamide. 4. Plastic cannot be burned because on burning it lets off poisonous fumes. 5. Non-biodegradable means that the substance cannot be decomposed on its own. 6. If the plastic is buried in soil or water, it chokes up the land and water destroying plants and animals life. Thus, it is a major pollution hazard.

C. Complete the following table :

Phenolic - Switches, plugs **Amino** - furniture, water tanks **Polyester** - cloth **Polyamide** - nylon cloth

D. Write 'T' for true and 'F' for false :

1. T 2. F 3. F 4. T 5. T

E. Discuss in class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Read the word given below :

1. List 2. Rot 3. Mental 4. Test 5. Rat 6. Name 7. Sit 8. Ten 9. Iron 10. Tent 11. Ran 12. Torn
13. Venom 14. Son 15. Salt 16. Nest

B. Write the opposites :

synthetic - natural, different - same, easily - difficulty, common - uncommon, biodegradable - non-biodegradable, wide - narrow, resistant - cooperation, careful - careless

C. Read the following words :

Now find out six more such pairs from the lesson :

1. raw-row 2. our-are 3. very-vary 4. choke-chalk 5. off-of 6. coal-call

Grammar Fun

A. Fill in the blanks using 'for' or 'since' :

1. since 2. since 3. for 4. for 5. since

B. Here are some sentences. These may be 'always true', 'sometimes true' and 'never true'. Read the following sentences and rewrite them adding the word 'always', 'sometimes' or 'never' :

1. February has sometimes twenty-nine days. 2. Friday never comes after Sunday. 3. January always comes after December. 4. House are sometimes built of wood. 5. Half of thirty-two is always sixteen.

Writing Fun

Do it yourself.

Fun Time

Do it yourself.

Chapter-10 The Cabuliwallah

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given option :

1. (d) 5 years 2. (c) dry fruits 3. (b) bride

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Mini had a blind belief that Cabuliwallah caught children and put them into their sacks and took them away. Hence, she was frightened of the Cabuliwallah. 2. Cabuliwallah came to Mini's house and made Mini come out and meet him. Soon she lost her fear of him. 3. The Cabuliwallah has stabbed a man who owed him money. Hence he was sentenced to many years in prison. 4. The Caubliwallah came and saluted Mini's father. 5. Mini's father took out some money and gave it to the Cabuliwallah so that he could go and see his daughter and may have his happiness. 6. He was a very kind man as he cut down the expenses of his daughter's wedding to help the Cabuliwallah meet his only daughter in a distant land.

C. Who said it and to whom?

1. Mini said to his father. 2. Mini's father said to Mini. 3. Mini said to Cabuliwallah. 4. Cabuliwallah said to Mini's father.

D. Write true or false :

1. False 2. True 3. False 4. True 5. True 6. False

Play With Words

A. Match the opposites :

Happiness - sadness, bright - dull, laughter - cries, unnatural - natural, question - answer, busy - idle, forgot - remember, small - big, expected - unexpected, affordable - unaffordable, poor - rich, first - last

B. Make adverbs by adding -ly :

quiet - quietly, large - largely, easy - easier, heavy- heavily, clear - clearly, quick - quickly, hard - hardly, slow - slowly, happy - happily, sudden - suddenly, careful - carefully, beautiful - beautifully

C. Find out the little word having given number of letters from the following words :

1. rat 2. for 3. ink 4. lie 5. deer 6. dare 7. ten 8. den 9. seat 10. gown

D. Use the following pairs of words to show the difference between the two :

1. Story - This story is very interesting. **Storey** - Ramesh lives in a two storey building. **2. Quite** - He was quite busy. **Quiet** - Ananya is a quiet girl. **3. Cot** - Tom sleeps on a cot. **Caught** - They caught him sleeping. **4. Accept** - Please accept my sympathies. **Except** - All are going to the party except Sheetal. **5. Meet** - We will meet Reena today. **Meat** - He likes to eat meat and fish.

Grammar Fun

A. Frame questions for the following answers :

1. Who was a great chatter box? **2.** Where was Mini Playing **3.** What blind belief did she have? **4.** What did Cabuliwallah do? **5.** What had he expected?

B. Complete these sentences using am, is, are, was or were.

1. was, am **2.** is **3.** was, am **4.** were **5.** am

C. Match the subjects in column I with appropriate predicates in column II and frame sentences :

1. (c) **2.** (a) **3.** (f) **4.** (b) **5.** (d) **6.** (e)

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-11 Titanic

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) America **2.** (b) white star line **3.** (c) iceberg

B. Answer the following questions :

1. On April 12, 1912, The Titanic left England for America. **2.** The Titanic was the largest luxury liner the world had ever seen. It was built by a very famous shipping company called the White Star Line. They were very proud of the Titanic as it was the Unsinkable Ship. **3.** The icebergs are huge blocks of ice. Sailors have to be very careful about the icebergs because they can cause holes in the ship. The icebergs are sometimes very big in size. They may not be much above the water, but are much much bigger below the water. So the sailors have to be more careful. **4.** On April 14, 1912, a tragedy struck the Titanic. It had hit an iceberg and was sinking very fast. **5.** In all, 703 people were saved. But about 1,503 people had died in the terrible tragedy. People were brought down on life boats and three hours after the tragedy, the Carpathia reached there. All the lifeboats and their passengers were brought aboard the Carpathia.

C. Read these sentences. Write numbers to bring them in the correct order in which these have occurred :

5, 4, 8, 2, 3, 6, 1, 7

D. Complete the sentences in your own words :

1. the largest luxury liner in the world. **2.** huge blocks of ice. **3.** tragedy struck the ship. **4.** "The Titanic is in trouble. It is sinking. We are trying our best to save the ship. But it is sinking very fast." **5.** "Sail as fast as possible to the Titanic."

E. Discuss in class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Find out five words (from the lesson) in this ship. And make sentences with them :

1. Iceberg - The Titanic had hit an iceberg. **2. Crew** - The crew rushed about to calm them down. **3. Tragedy** - They met with a tragedy. **4. Unsinkable** - The Titanic was unsinkable. **5. Journey** - We enjoyed the journey very much.

B. Some words describe sadness and some words describe happiness. Choose them from the box and write them in the columns :

Sadness : panic, sorrow, tragedy, worry, sinking, scared, terrible

Happiness : excited, miracle, good, glad

C. Practice speaking these words :

Do it yourself.

D. Match the opposites :

largest - smallest, sinkable - unsinkable, excited - unexcited, careful - careless, below - above

Grammar Fun

A. Find out the prepositions in these sentences. Encircle them and write down about its kind - preposition of time, place or direction.

1. Preposition of place 2. Preposition of place 3. Preposition of direction 4. Preposition of time 5. Preposition of direction 6. Preposition of time

B. Frame questions for these answers :

1. When did the Titanic left England for America? 2. Who were excited? 3. Why do sailors have to be careful about the icebergs? 4. Why did the crew rush? 5. What was the size of the Carpathia.

C. Write the three forms for each of the following words :

1. fast, faster 2. bigger, biggest 3. closer, closest 4. larger, largest 5. wider, widest

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-12 The Lord Ganesha

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (b) Fourth day 2. (b) Maharashtra 3. (d) the month of Bhadra 4. (a) clay 5. (c) immersed in the sea

B. Answer the following questions :

1. In Roman calender, this festival falls in August or September. 2. The potter collect a special kind of clay and after wetting, puts it into the mould. When the clay dries up. Ganesha emerges as a fragile but shapely idol. This idol of Ganesha is baked at a high temperature. The idol hardens and it is no longer fragile. The master craftsman gives the idol its features. Finally he decorates the idol with different colours. 3. One day, Goddess Parvati was going to bathe. She asked Ganesha to keep a watch at the door and don't let anyone enter the house. Soon Lord Shiva came there and he wanted to enter the house. Lord Ganesha didn't permit him to enter the house. Shiva got angry with this. Ganesha told Lord Shiva that he had to fight with him if he didn't stop. This made Lord Shiva more angry and he grabbed his trishul and beheaded him. When Parvati saw this, she pleaded to bring Ganesha back to life before it is too late. Hence, Lord Shiva chopped the head of a baby elephant and put it on Ganesha's body and he came alive again. Ever since, he had an elephant's head. 4. Ganesha is considered as a symbol of good men for the Hindus. He is invoked at the beginning of all the auspicious occasions like marriages and inaugurations. It is believed that if he is worshipped before the start of a new venture, all hindrances are removed. 5. He attained this honour in a contest amongst the Gods. This was held to decide who should be worshipped first. He won the contest through his wisdom and hence have the honour of being worshipped first.

D. Write 'T' for true and 'F' for false :

1. T 2. F 3. T 4. T 5. F

E. Discuss in the class :

Do it yourself.

Play With Words

A. Find out words from the lesson which mean the following :

1. celebrate 2. Trishul 3. Chaturthi 4. Fragile 5. Immerse

B. Make sentences with the following words :

1. It was a honour to meet him. 2. The ceremony will begin in an hour. 3. He was causing hindrance in the wedding. 4. The idol of Lord Ganesh was standing in all his glory. 5. Sachin Tendulkar is a legend. 6. The mayor walked at the head of the procession.

C. Write three hidden words in each of the following words (you can jumble the letters of the words) :

1. pot, pet, rot 2. red, lend, land 3. tap, rat, pure 4. cap, lap, lip 5. head, bed, bad

D. Write the opposites :

1. ordinary 2. bad 3. end 4. finish 5. old 6. lost 7. initial 8. fast

Grammar Fun

A. Complete the following sentences with the correct bracket words :

1. make 2. injures 3. kill 4. steals 5. wants 6. advises

B. Read the following sentences :

1. If Amit had not gone to London, he would have attended the function. 2. If Mona had not sung badly, she would have won a prize. 3. If they had not produced flop movies, they would have earned a lot of money. 4. If Ankit had not helped the dog, they would not have become friend. 5. If Priyanka had not studied hard, she would have failed the examination.

Writing Fun : Do it yourself.

Fun Time : Do it yourself.

Chapter-13 Key Is Lost

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) nurse 2. (b) Maths H.W 3. (a) Mr. Agarwal

B. Answer the following questions :

1. There were six people in the waiting room. 2. The nurse took a big hammer, a large pair of pliers and a hacksaw to the surgery room. 3. The patient thought that the doctor was pulling a tooth out of a patient with these tools. 4. The dentist had lost his key to the instrument cabinet. He was using these tools to force it open.

C. Arrange in correct order to form the summary of the play :

1. 6 2. 4 3. 10 4. 8 5. 3 6. 9 7. 1 8. 7 9. 2 10. 5

D. Complete the following sentences in your own words :

1. No dentist means no candies and lots of toothaches. 2. I am not afraid of a dentist. 3. a large hammer in her hand. 4. force open his instrument cabinet.

E. Who said it to whom?

1. Sweety's mother said to sweety. 2. Patient 2 said to Patient 1. 3. Mr Agarwal said to Mrs Agarwal. 4. Doctor said to the Nurse.

Play With Words

A. Mother says 'as black as coal' to describe Sweety's black tooth.

Now, match the column to make more as as phrases.

sweet - honey, red - blood, playful - a kitten, sharp - a needle, round - ball, swift - arrow, heavy - lead

B. Now describe 5 things using asas phrases.

1. Neha is as playful as a kitten. 2. This pencil is as sharp as a needle. 3. The orange is as round as ball. 4. This toffee is as sweet as honey. 5. The box is as heavy lead.

C. Write the opposites :

left - right, enter - exit, remember - forget, afraid - unafraid, practical - impractical, quietly - loudly, dead - alive, found - lost

D. How many words can you make using the letter of the word :

Ache, Tooth, Ate, Fat, Hat, Hot, Cat, Hate, Cheat, Chat, That, Hatch

E. Find the odd one out :

apple, lizard, bread

Grammar Fun

A. Look at the words like put, go, look, etc. Make a list of at least ten more such words:

1. Open 2. Shut 3. Come 4. Write 5. Clean 6. Sit 7. Cut 8. Fold 9. Pick 10. Go

B. Now, use the pronouns instead of the coloured word or words :

1. Six-year old Raghu came downstairs crying. He had got hurt. 2. Miss Sharma is our teacher. She is very beautiful. 3. After God made the animals, he lived them up in alphabetical order. 4. When Hemant heard the metallic screech, he was afraid. 5. Computer experts are getting younger and younger. They are writing their own programs.

C. Combine the words to make two word adjectives :

snow - capped, seen - struck, fire - baked, wind - tossed

Writing Fun

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Chapter-14 Affection Of Love

Comprehension

A. Tick the correct answer from the given options :

1. (a) gold 2. (d) mermaid 3. (c) step mother

B. Answer the following questions :

1. Rishabh was not the most fortunate of young man because he was in love with a beautiful girl. He wanted to take her home as her bride but the girl told him that she had another suitor. 2. The mermaid was having long fair hair. She was half beautiful maiden and half-scaly fish. 3. The mermaid took Rishabh beneath the waters to the king of the sea so that he could get what he wanted from the king of the sea for saving the mermaid. 4. Rishabh's life began to change. Now the hut was always neat and clean. His shirts and trousers were always mended and a hot meal was always waiting for him. Now, there was a woman's touch in his hut. 5. Rishabh did not set off in the direction his blonde and pretty girl lived but in the direction which the dark-haired girl had taken because he now knew where his heart lay. He was in love with the girl who had looked after him so well for a whole year. He was grateful to the sea king for giving him such a long time to make up his mind.

Play With Words

A. Find the Opposites :

1. unfortunate 2. old 3. ugly 4. happy 5. agree 6. never

B. The word mermaid means a fabled creature of the sea having a head of a girl and tail of a fish. Here are such words used in fables only. Match them with their meanings :

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C. Discuss in the class : Do it yourself.

Grammar Fun

Complete these sentences with the suitable modals :

1. can 2. must 3. May 4. Could 5. should

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