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CHAPTER 1

I. Answer the following questions:

1. There were too many rats in their town.
2. The people went to see the Mayor because they want to tell him the problem of rats.
3. The Mayor promised the people to have a public meeting to solve the problem.
4. The strange man said, "If you give one thousand pieces of gold, I can get rid of all the rats."
5. When the Pied Piper started playing his pipe all the rats of the town started to follow him.
6. Except one rat all the rats were drowned and carried away by the river.
7. The people of the town rejoiced because at last the town was free of rats.

II. Fill in the blanks with suitable words:

1. The town had *too* many rats.
2. The Piper agreed to get rid of the rats for *one thousand pieces of gold*.
3. When the Pied Piper started playing his pipe, the rats started *following* him.
4. All the rats were *drowned and carried away* by the river.
5. People made merry the *whole night*.

III. Tick the correct statements:

1. The people of Hamelin were tired of rats. ✓
2. The Mayor called the Pied Piper to remove the rats. ✓
3. The Pied Piper asked for no reward.
4. The Pied Piper did not kill all the rats. ✓
5. The Piped Piper walked into the river and got drowned with the rats.

IV. Make sentences of your own:

1. My mother is working in the *kitchen*.
2. *Chase* the rat otherwise it will enter the kitchen.
3. A baby is sleeping in his *cradle*.
4. The city Mayor was called out a meeting.
5. I *discuss* everything with my parents.

V. Fill in the blanks using the correct tenses:

Present	Past	Future
1. Ram writes a letter.	1. Ram wrote a letter	1. Ram would write a letter.
2. Mohan is shouting	2. Mohan shouted to his friends.	2. Mohan will shout on his friends.
3. Sita is studying.	3. Sita had studied.	3. Sita will study.
4. Govind sits on the chair.	4. Govind sat on the chair.	4. Govind will sit on the chair.

VI. Tick the correct plural and the correct opposite gender:

Singular	Plural	Masculine	Feminine
tree	tree	fox	mare ✓
box	boxes ✓	uncle	sister-in-law
key	keys ✓	bull	cow ✓
lady	ladies	dog	bitch ✓
knife	knives ✓	man	men
child	children ✓	widower	woman
ox	oxen ✓	gentleman	lady ✓
mango	mangoes ✓	Mayor	Mayors
man	men ✓	lion	lioness
class	classes ✓	poet	poetess ✓

VII. Separate the above words into the following groups:

Noun	Pronoun	Verb	Adjective	Adverb.
Bombay	he	move	beautiful	today
Ravi, river	we	write	sweet	at once
India, hare	she	build	slowly	always
Scale	it	make	lovely	
Shillong			work	fat
tiger, Madras				
Mango, mother				
cat, class				

VIII. Add 'too' in the following sentences :

1. I too am going to the town.
2. Jolly too wants ice cream.
3. Jayan too slept for a long time.

- Add ‘also’ in the place of ‘too’.

4. Tom also studied his lesson well.
5. Lally also wrote a letter.
6. Arivind also got the prize.

IX. Take out everything from your school bag. Write one describing each object:

1. My books are binded well.
2. My lunch box is of red color.
3. My notebooks are clean.

X. Fill up the blanks in its own color.

- My hair is **black**.
- My pen is **blue**.
- My frock is **red**.
- My eyes are **black**.
- The sky is **blue**.
- Grass is **green**.

CHAPTER 2

I. Answer the following question:

1. The Piper went to the town hall to get his reward.
2. Piper demanded one thousand pieces of gold.
3. The Mayor agreed to give fifty pieces of gold.
4. The Pied Piper said Mayor that he will take away all the children of the town with himself.
5. The Piper started playing a tone and all the children came out from their houses and started following him laughing and jumping.
6. The children were finally vanished from the earth.
7. The people demanded their children from Mayor.

II. Fill in the blanks with the words given below:

1. The Mayor agreed to pay *fifty* pieces of gold.
2. The Pied Piper was *furious* with the Mayor.
3. The children *followed* the Piper to the mountain.
4. The parents were *angry* with the Mayor.
5. All the children except *one* disappeared into the mountain.
6. The officers of the Mayor searched for the Piper, but they couldn't *find* him.

III. Choose the correct answers:

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

IV. Make sentences of your own.

1. The labour **deserves** his wages.
2. The master gave a good **reward** to the servant.
3. We should do our task **in time**.
4. We should **believe** in God.
5. Through T V we will get the latest **news**.

V. Use *may I*, *can I*, *will you*, *please* and *please don't* in the following sentences:

1. Govind wants Johnny's pen. So, he says to him, "*May I* have your pen please?"
2. Jayan wants some money from his father. Jayan says to his father, "*Can I* have some money to buy a new pen?"
3. Molly gave her textbook to her friend. Now, she wants it back. So, she says to her friend, "*Will you* give,e back my book"?"
4. Patients were making too much noise in the hospital. The nurse came and said to them, "*Please don't* shout in the hospital".
5. The visitor knocked at the door and asked the officer, "*May I* come in, Sir?"
6. Arjun need some water to drink. He asked his friend, Gopi, "*Please* give me some water to drink."

VI. Fill up the blanks with the correct exclamations given below:

1. It was a nice day. David exclaimed, "*Ah!* It's a beautiful day.
2. After the match, the team, which won the prize, shouted, "*Hurrah!* we have won the match."
3. A thief stole a gentleman's suitcase in the train. The man said to himself, "*Alas!* I have lost everything."
4. Little Samson killed the snake all by himself. His companions said to him, "*Well done!* Samson
5. All of a sudden, Tom's friend came back. Tom said to him, "*Ah!* you have come back so fast."

VII. Write the following contractions from the lesson in their full form:

We'll	we will
You'll	you will
Didn't	did not
It's	it is
That's	That is

VIII. Use the following phrases in sentences:

Everything was *set out* to welcome the Prime Minister.
In his speech he insisted to *give away* all the bad habits.
Give up chocolate for one week.
I will buy lunch to *make up* for being late
In winter we should *put on* our sweater.
I will come to *see off* you at airport.

IX. Fill the following sentences with phrases from above:

1. The Chief Minister *gives away* the prizes.
2. Rajan *give away* smoking.
3. He is still to *make up* his mind about joining college.
4. Rani has *put on* a special dress for the feast.
5. I went to *see of* my friend at the station.
6. Yesterday, my father *set out* on a tour of Europe.

CHAPTER 3

I. Answer the following questions:

1. Mount Everest is situated on the borders of Nepal and Tibet.
2. The peak was named after Sir George Everest, who was the Surveyor General of India.
3. To climb the Mount Everest one had to cross glaciers, deep ravines and had to face snow-storms, avalanches and needs to carry oxygen for breathing.
4. In 1914 first attempt was made to conquer the peak.
5. In 1953 the Mount Everest was finally conquered.
6. On 29th of May, 1953 Edmund Hillary and Tenzing climb Mount Everest.
7. Both men shook hands and embraced each other. Hillary took a snap of Tenzing waving the flags of Great Britain, Nepal, India and United states. Tenzing then made a little hole on the ice and placed a bar of chocolate, a packet of biscuits and a handful of sweets for the gods.

II. Make correct statements:

1. Avalanches, blizzards and snow-storms were common along the route of the peak.
2. He chose his companions with care, and planned the expedition to the last detail.
3. The party continued their onward journey slowly and carefully
4. They set up their tent on the ice and retired for the night.
5. They had accomplished what many others had tried to achieve, but had failed.

III. Give the answers to the following questions:

1. Mount Everest was probably discovered in 1849.
2. The height of Mount Everest is 8848 meters.
3. The natives called the peak as “Chomo-lungma”.
4. It was Major John Hunt who organized the first successful expedition.
5. Major Hunt had set up seven camps.

IV. Make sentences of your own.

1. Laxmi is the *goddess* of happiness and prosperity.
2. Mount Everest is the highest *peak* in the world.
3. *Expedition* to Mount Everest is very difficult.
4. Earthquake brought a great *disaster* in Japan.
5. It was a great *achievement* for mankind to land in moon.

V. Write the given time in words:

1. 4.15 quarter past four.
2. 9.30 half past nine.
3. 4.45 quarter to five.
4. 5.10 ten past five.
5. 8.40 twenty to nine.

VI. Give the correct names for the people who follow the following occupation:

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|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1. Explore. | 2. Scientist. | 3. Principal. |
| 4. Astronaut. | 5. Surveyor. | 6. Engineer. |

VII. Give one word for the following group of words:

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|----------------|--------------|------------|
| 1. dictionary. | 2. cupboard. | 3. meadow. |
| 4. illiterate. | 5. tray. | |

VIII. Fill in the blanks choosing the correct phrases given above:

1. We have test papers *once a week*.
2. The milk cost *50 ps a bottle*.
3. I was late *by an hour*.
4. He is paid *one rupee an hour*.
5. My father's salary is *three hundred rupees a month*.
6. I have meals *three times a day*.
7. I am paid *by an hour*.
8. I go home *once a week*.
9. My father comes home *twice a month*.
10. This cloth cost *three rupee a meter*.

CHAPTER 4

I. Answer the following questions:

1. It clatters along the roofs, like the tramp of hoofs.
2. Rain comes out from the throat of the overflowing spout.
3. Rain comes down across the window-pane.
4. Spout.

II. Fill up the blanks:

1. Rain falls down on the *roof, street, and window-pane*.
2. The lane is *narrow*.
3. The rain is *beautiful* and *narrow*.

CHAPTER 5

I. Answer the following questions :

1. Marco Polo was born in the city of Venice.
2. Nicolo Polo, was the father of Marco Polo and Nicolo was a leading merchant of the town.
3. Kublai Khan was a great Chinese king.
4. In their journey to China, they had to cross deserts, snow mountains and mighty rivers. They also had to travel through storms, rains, scorching heat and overice.
5. Marco Polo served Kublai Khan for seventeen years.
6. For three years, Marco Polo was appointed as the governor of the city of Yangchow. Later, Marco Polo become a member of the emperor's council and became his adviser in this way he served Kubli Khan. After coming from China, in a trade war he was captured and imprisoned.

II. Find out from the lesson words which means the following :

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|---------------|----------------|
| 1. Merchant | 5. Permission. |
| 2. Sovereigns | 6. Enchanting. |
| 3. Bandits | 7. Amassed. |
| 4. Jewellery. | |

III. Tick the correct statements :

1. Kublai Khan was the greatest emperor of the world.
2. The Polos reached China after travelling for five years.
3. The Polos returned to their homeland following the land-route.
4. Marco Polo remained in China for 17 years.
5. Marco Polo returned to Venice when he was old.
6. Nicolo Polo visited China twice.

IV. Make sentences of your own.

1. Mohan was looted by a *bandit*.
2. King Kublai Khan was a great *empire*.
3. *Jewel* is very precious stone.
4. Chinese is a difficult *language* to learn.
5. King lives in big a *palace*.

V. Fill up the blanks :

Positive	Comparative	Superlative
1. cold	colder	coldest
2. sweet	sweeter	sweetest
3. wide	wider	widest
4. young	younger	youngest
5. clever	cleverer	cleverest

VI. Choose the correct word from each bracket to fill up blanks :

1. Tom is the *best* boy in the class.
2. Sarita is *shorter* than her elder sister.
3. The jackal is *cleverer* than the fox.
4. Today is the *hottest* day in the whole year.
5. Cakes are *sweeter* than ice-cream.

VII. Choose the correct word from the following and fill in each blank :

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|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. A <i>band</i> of singers | 4. A <i>grove</i> of trees. |
| 2. A <i>flock</i> of sheep. | 5. A <i>heap</i> of books. |
| 3. A <i>hive</i> of bees. | 6. A <i>pile</i> of stones. |

VIII. Match the correct pairs :

- | | |
|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. birds chirp | 5. horses neigh |
| 2. doves coo | 6. snakes hiss |
| 3. dogs bark | 7. hens cluck |
| 4. goats bleat | 8. pigs grunt |

IX. Rewrite these sentences as in the example :

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. My sister's dress. | 6. Men's clothes. |
| 2. My father's house. | 7. Bird's wings. |
| 3. Old man's stick. | 8. Bird's cries. |
| 4. Children's playground. | 9. The elephant's ears. |
| 5. Women's hats. | 10. The girl's hair. |

CHAPTER 6

I. Answer the following questions :

1. Aethra was a lovely maiden.
2. He buried his sword and sandals in the pit.
3. Thesevs failed to lift the stone because it was too big to lift for a young child.
4. Thesevs rolled away the rock with the help of a strong stick.
5. Thesevs had to travel through dense forest and had to fight with robbers along the road to Athens.
6. When Aegeus saw the sword and sandals he recognize his son.
7. The people were weeping and wailing because seven maidens and seven young men were choosing as food for Minotaur.
8. Minotaur was a fierce and wicked beast, half bull and half man.

II. Choose the correct answers :

1. (c), 2. (a), 3. (b), 4. (a)

III. Choose the correct meanings :

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|------------|---|
| 1. boulder | huge stone. |
| 2. wicked | evil. |
| 3. bandits | robbers. |
| 4. wailing | the sound of loud crying by the people as on someone's death. |
| 5. heir | successor to some property or a kingdom. |
| 6. maiden | a young girl. |

IV. Make sentences of your own :

1. He will *depart* for Mumbai tonight.
2. John was held up by a *bandit*.
3. There are all sorts of people in the world some are *wicked* and some are nice.
4. Henry had done an *excellent* job.
5. Kumar is going to marry a beautiful *maiden*.

V. Change the following into direct speech:

1. Ram says, "I need money".
2. Hari said, "You are a nice friend".
3. The teacher said, "You all must do your home work".
4. The commander said, "Do not move".
5. The policeman asked, "Where are you going".

VI. Put the following punctuation marks in the following sentences:

1. Hello said "Hari to this friend".
2. He left this morning.
3. What a nice day!
4. Akbar the Great, was a great Emperor of India.
5. May,15, 1976.
6. This is a touch-me-not flower.
7. This is Manu's village.

VII. Match the correct pair:

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|---------|--------|----------|---------|
| 1. hill | top. | 5. kind | hearted |
| 2. shoe | polish | 6. shot | put |
| 3. bath | tub | 7. tooth | brush |
| 4. cow | boy | | |

VIII. Composition:

Mohan : Have you seen the new plants that are in our school garden ?

Sonu : No I have not seen them.

Mohan : Then why don't you come with me to the garden, and have a look at them.

Sonu : Yes, we shall go.

Mohan : There are many kinds of roses you can see them all.

Sonu : Oh, what a beautiful flowers, they are pleasing to the eyes. Thank you Mohan I liked them very much.

IX. Complete these sentences using ‘at’:

1. He stayed **at** guest house.
2. She bought some bead **at** the table.
3. I laughed **at** the joke.
4. England and Germany were **at** war.
5. They were throwing stones **at** window.
6. My father shouted **at** my brother.
7. She lives **at** Mumbai.
8. Are you laughing **at** him.
9. Are you good **at** studies.

CHAPTER 7

I. Answer the following questions:

1. The prisoners were taken first to the capital and presented before the King.
2. Ariaden’s eyes were wet with tears as she thought about the fate of unfortunate prisoners.
3. Ariadne plan to help Theseus because he was a courageous young man.
4. Ariadne gave a sword and a ball of thread before he went into the maze.
5. Ariadne advised him to turn the right and tie the thread at the entrance and unwind the thread ball as he go forward and after killing the monster, follow the thread back to the entrance.
6. After a long battle Theseus managed to get a grip on one of monsters horn and tried to cut his head but monster threw him down and tried to crush him with its sharp horns. Theseus quickly jumped to his feet and with a great blow of his sword, cut of its head.
7. After killing the monster Theseus and Ariadne went back to prison. Fortunately the guards were asleep. They awoke their friends and led them to the shore, there, they found a boat. They got in and rowed away to Athens.

II. Tick the correct statements:

1. The Greeks reached Crete in a boat.
2. The Greeks were taken first to the prison.
3. The Minotaur was a man and a beast. ✓
4. Ariadne was not beautiful.
5. Theseus killed the monster with a knife.
6. Theseus and his friends escaped from Crete in a boat. ✓
7. Theseus did not take Ariadne along with him.

III. Find out from the lesson words which means the following:

- | | | |
|---------------|------------|-----------|
| 1. Spectators | 2. Whisper | 3. Grip |
| 4. Beast | 5. Monster | 6. Prince |

IV. Make sentences of your own:

1. He has two *daughters*.
2. *Prisoner* is kept in jail.
3. We should face problems with *courage*.
4. Children were playing at the sea *shore*.
5. Do you know who is the *queen* of England?

V. Change the following verbs into the future tense:

1. Mohan will walk to his home.
2. Hari will keep his bag on the table.
3. He will be looking very happy.
4. Uncle will give me plenty of sweets.
5. Shyam will make a paper-boat.

VI. Frame questions with 'will' and 'shall':

1. Will Tom visit his aunt tomorrow?
2. Will Chandan write a letter.
3. When will Ram catch the train?
4. When will you do your homework?

VII. Add the following prefixes to the following words:

1. Unfortunate
2. unlucky
3. immovable
4. disobey
5. illiterate
6. until
7. forefather
8. around

VIII. Dialogue - writing :

Ariadne : Do not make a noise the guards will hear.
Theseus : Who are you fair maiden.
Ariadne : I Ariadne, daughter of King Minos.
Theseus : Where are you taking me.
Ariadne : I shall take you to the shore.
Theseus : I have come to kill the monster.
Ariadne : It will kill you because it is a huge monster.
Theseus : Give me a sword and take me to where he lives.
 But where is the door to the cave.
Ariadne : It has a trap door I know how to open it.

CHAPTER 8

I. Answer the following questions:

1. The table complained that it is suffering from the heat and from chilblains on the feet.
2. Table suggested chair to pray to air.
3. Table and chair went for a walk in the town.
4. Every one surprised to see the table and chair are walking.

II. Who said the following?

1. Chair said to table.
2. Table said to chair.
3. People to each other.

III. Find out from the poem words which rhyme with the following words:

- | | | | |
|----------|------|----------|--------|
| 1. feet | heat | 4. air | chair. |
| 2. table | able | 5. sound | round. |
| 3. talk | walk | | |

CHAPTER 9

I. Answer the following questions :

1. Don Bosco was an Italian Priest.
2. He was born in a little hamlet named Bechi in Piedmont in the country of Italy.
3. At the age of nine, John Bosco had a dream, wherein God outlined to him the task he had to accomplish in future.
4. The message of the dream was to educate the young with love and kindness rather than with blows and might.

5. In his free time he worked as a tailor, waiter, blacksmith and even as a carpenter to meet his expenses.
6. Oratory is a place where children could come to play, relax, enjoy, learn and have some religious services on Sundays and holidays.
7. Don Bosco had to shift his oratory to several palaces as people did not like his noisy gang of children.
8. Some of the early students of the oratory were Michael Rua, Michael Magone, and John Cagliero.

II. Fill up the blanks:

1. Don Bosco was born in the year **1815**.
2. Don Bosco's mother was **Margaret Oechiena**.
3. Don Bosco had a special dream at the age of **nine**.
4. At the age of **fifteen** John Bosco was able to attend a local school.
5. John Bosco became a priest in the year **1841**.
6. In the year **1934** Don Bosco was declared a saint.
7. Don Bosco died at the age of **73** in the year **1888**.

III. Choose the correct answers :

1. (b), 2. (b), 3. (b), 4. (b), 5. (b).

IV. Make sentences of your own with :

1. We should maintain **discipline**.
2. He is too **young** to die.
3. We should face the **hardship** of the life.
4. We should not lose our **courage**.
5. I saw a wonderful **dream** last night.

V. Find out from the lesson, six compound words :

1. God-fearing
2. turning-point
3. chimney-sweep
4. street - urchins
5. popularly known
6. livelihood

VI. Complete the following using the suffixes given below :

- | | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 1. careless | 5. childhood |
| 2. joyful | 6. friendship |
| 3. movement | 7. tighten. |
| 4. ownership | 8. action |

VII. Choose the synonyms for the following words from the list given below :

- | | | | |
|----------------|---------|------------|----------|
| 1. enemy | foe | 5. respect | honour |
| 2. guard | protect | 6. teach | instruct |
| 3. opportunity | chance | 7. thick | dense |
| 4. pardon | forgive | | |

VIII. Choose the correct meaning for the following homonyms from the list given below :

- | | | | |
|--------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| 1. rein | : bridle of a horse | reign | : rule. |
| 2. sail | : to row | sale | : selling. |
| 3. story | : tale | storey | : floor. |
| 4. vain | : proud | vein | : blood vessel. |
| 5. principle | : law | principal | : chief. |

IX. Rewrite the following sentences using “There is” or “There are”:

1. There is a snake in the garden.
2. There are several aeroplanes in the sky.
3. There is a fly in my drink.
4. There are few animals in the cage.
5. There are many patients in the hospital.
6. There is a dog in my house.
7. There is a parrot at home.
8. There are pupils in the classroom.
9. There is an English film on T V.
10. There is a torch on the table.

CHAPTER 10

I. Answer the following questions :

1. Hero II was the ruler of Syracuse an important city of Sicily.
2. Hiero II asked the goldsmith to make the most magnificent crown he ever made.
3. King Hiero II won a battle after a hard fight, so he decided to present a gold crown to the temple of the Immortal God. Therefore he asked the goldsmith to make a crown.
4. Archimedes was the cleverest man in the city and was a famous mathematician noted for his wisdom and knowledge.
5. King was asked Archimedes to find out that the crown was made up of pure gold or not.

6. Archimedes weighted the crown and took a lamp of pure gold equal to its weight. Then he took a vessel and filled it with water up to the top. He lowered the crown into the vessel and measured the water that flowed out. Again he did the same but this time instead of crown he put lump of pure gold but his time water was more than the first time he new that the crown was not made up of pure gold.

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

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|-------------------------|---------|
| 1. famous | noted |
| 2. offer | present |
| 3. same | equal |
| 4. having no clothes on | naked |
| 5. old | ancient |

III. Answer the following questions :

1. Syracuse was an important city of Sicily.
2. Best goldsmith.
3. I have found it.
4. While he was bating in the public bath.
5. The goldsmith took one month to complete his work.

IV. Make sentences of your own :

1. Xena was a great *warrior*.
2. In Delhi there are many *ancient* buildings.
3. After the work he had a good *reward*.
4. Taj Mahal was a *magnificent* piece of art.
5. The man was a *detective* appointed by the government.

V. Change the following to the Simple Past :

1. The lion jumped at its prey.
2. The commander shouted at his men.
3. Boys flew kites in the sky.
4. Elephants dragged wood from the forest.
5. The maid kept the tray on the table.

VII. Use the following conjunctions to combine the sentences given below :

1. Mary is clever *but* she is not honest.
2. I opened the umbrella *while* it was raining.

3. Ram came home *while* it was very hot.
4. Jayan is good at games *as well as* good at studies.
5. The fox is cunning *as* it is very clever.

VIII. Form nouns from the following verbs by adding the suffixes given below :

- | | |
|-----------------|---------------|
| 1. attendance | 5. correction |
| 2. appearance | 6. invention |
| 3. appointment | 7. completion |
| 4. astonishment | 8. admiration |

IX. Rewrite these sentences with the opposite meaning:

1. There isn't anybody at the door.
2. There are some apples in the basket.
3. There is somebody in the house.
4. Aren't any mangoes in the box?
5. There is something, in the cupboard?
6. There isn't any picture on the wall.
7. There are some oranges in the market.
8. There aren't any sweets in my pocket.
9. There are many flowers in the garden.
10. There isn't any pot on the table.

CHAPTER 11

I. Answer the following questions:

1. When you have health you are able to work. When you are able to work, you are able to get wealth.
2. Ill-health brings sorrow and unhappiness.
3. Eating without washing hand means putting germs straight into our mouth which causes sickness therefore we should wash our hands.
4. It is not advisable to keep long nails on the hands as dirt may gather under them. And dirt is the root of all germs.
5. Eating too often may result in loss of appetite, indigestion, tiredness and laziness.
6. Over-eating makes the children tend to grow oversize like full-blown balloons such children can hardly move about.
7. When we eat fast we sent down the food without chewing it overburdens the stomach with extra work leaving it no time for rest.

II. Choose the correct answers :

1. (c), 2. (b), 3. (c), 4.(a), 5. (a).

III. Match the correct meanings :

- | | |
|---------------|----------------------------|
| 1. hurry | speed up |
| 2. oversized | more than the normal size. |
| 3. ridicule | to laugh at |
| 4. break down | stops working |
| 5. ailment | sickness |
| 6. cavities | holes in the teeth. |

IV. Make sentences of your own:

1. *Hurry* up it is time for play.
2. Many people died due to various *ailments* last year.
3. I take three *meals* in a day.
4. I attempt *several* times to solve this question.
5. I eat two eggs and one glass of milk for *breakfast*.

V. Complete the following proverbs choosing the words from the following :

1. As you sow, so shall you *reap*?
2. *Honesty* is the best policy.
3. No pains, no *gains*.
4. Where there is a *will* there is a way.
5. *Too* many cooks spoil the broth.
6. *Rome* was not built in a day.
7. Prevention is better than *cure*.

VI. Complete the following similes choosing the words from below :

1. As brave as a *lion*.
2. As cold as *ice*.
3. As gentle as a *lamb*.
4. As busy as *bee*.
5. As greedy as a *wolf*.
6. As red as *blood*.
7. As heavy as *cucumber*.
8. As cool as *lead*.
9. As sharp as a *needle*.
10. As quick as *lighting*.

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VIII Answer these questions :

- | | |
|----------------|---------------------|
| 1. 12 inches | 5. Twenty one meter |
| 2. 1 kilometre | 3 inches |
| 3. 6 feet | 7. 5 inches |
| 4. 250 grams | |

CHAPTER 12

I. Answer the following questions :

1. The squirrels hide their nuts in grass.
2. Streams are full of stars.
3. The poet asks us to stand and look at the life.

II. Find out the words that rhyme with the following words:

- | | | | |
|----------|-------|-----------|-------|
| 1. pass | grass | 3. glance | dance |
| 2. light | night | 4. can | began |

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

- | | |
|------------|----------|
| 1. beneath | 3. woods |
| 2. boughs | 4. watch |
| 5. care | |

CHAPTER 13

I. Answer the following questions:

1. The story of Robinson was written by Daniel Defoe.
2. His ambition was to become a sailor.
3. Crusoe's ship was struck by a terrible storm.
4. Robinson Crusoe was carried by a wave which hurled him on the beach of an island.
5. Crusoe companions were perished in the sea.
6. He managed to climb a tree and spent his first night on the island.
7. Robinson brought bread, rice, cheese, wine, gunpowder, saws, hammers, pistils, clothes etc. from the ship on the first day.

II. Tick the correct statements :

1. Robinson Crusoe was an American.
2. Robinson Crusoe ran away from home and became a sailor.
3. Robinson Crusoe's ship hit a rock and broke into pieces.
4. Robinson was carried by a wave to the shore.

5. The ship was lying quite far off from the shore.
6. Robinson made a boat and reached the ship.
7. Robinson had landed on a big island.

III. Choose the correct statements :

1. (c), 2. (a), 3. (c), 4. (c), 5. (a).

IV. Make sentences of your own :

1. I had to face many *difficulties* in my way to Agra.
2. We could not go near the river because of the *wave*.
3. I have seen a ship *far off* to the sea shore.
4. Collect as much *foodstuff* as you can for your journey.
5. Henry used to go to Andaman *Island* every holiday.

V. Fill up the blanks with once, twice, again, century, many times :

1. The frogs jump into the water *many times*.
2. Hari has scored his first *century* in cricket.
3. I had to try the experiment again and *again*.
4. *Twice* I accidentally fell into a ditch.
5. The balloon rose *once* in the sky and burst.

VI. Fill up the missing letters and form nouns from the adjectives given below :

- | | |
|-----------|-------------|
| 1. bitter | bitterness. |
| 2. absent | absence |
| 3. deep | depth |
| 4. free | freedom. |
| 5. holy | holiness |
| 6. just | justice |

VII. Match the pairs - sounds made by objects :

- | | |
|------------|---------|
| 1. bells | ring |
| 2. leaves | rustle |
| 3. hands | clap |
| 4. engines | whistle |
| 5. clouds | thunder |
| 6. doors | bang |
| 7. wings | flap |

VIII. Choose the correct word from below to fill up each blanks:

- | | |
|----------|---------|
| 1. ass | foal |
| 2. tiger | cub |
| 3. cow | calf |
| 4. dog | puppy |
| 5. frog | tadpole |
| 6. hen | chicken |
| 7. horse | colt. |

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CHAPTER 14

I. Answer the following questions :

1. Robinson Crusoe build his house on a flat piece of a land on the side of a hill which faced the sea.
2. He constructed a wall around the area with sharpened wooden piecers and then he made a second wall of defence with another line of pointed spikes and the space between them was filled with stones and mud.
3. He stock-piled all his goods in his house.
4. He tamed a goat, a cat and a dog.
5. Robinson Crusoe was happy on the island because he had his animal companions a fine house, plenty of food and plenty of work to do
6. Robinson shot the savages one by one and save the black man.
7. Black man was named Friday because he was found on Friday by Robinson.

II. Tick the correct statements :

1. Robinson Crusoe built his house on top on a hill.
2. As soon as he came to the island, Robinson made a boat.
3. Crusoe was not happy on the island.
4. Friday learned to speak English.
5. Crusoe left Friday behind on the island.
6. Robinson Crusoe tamed a cow.
7. Friday was a cannibal.

III. Find from the lesson words which mean the following :

1. Costly *precious*
2. make *construct*

3. store-up *stock-pilled*.
4. plenty *abundance*
5. people who eat human beings *cannibals*.
6. people who live in jungles *savages*
7. to give a name *named*

IV. Make sentences of your own :

1. The same critics who praised her first book *savaged* her second.
2. The poor people *construct* their houses with limited means.
3. We should take care of our *precious* things.
4. *Prisoners* are kept in the jail.
5. Sindbad was a great *sailor*.

V. Write the following contractions in their full form :

- | | |
|--------------|------------|
| 1. I'll | I will |
| 2. couldn't | could not |
| 3. shouldn't | should not |
| 4. can't | cannot |
| 5. we've | we have |
| 6. you've | you have |
| 7. she's | she is |
| 8. it's | It is |
| 9. we're | we are |

VI. Fill up the missing words :

- | | | |
|-----------|---|---|
| 1. B.A | = | Bachelor of Arts |
| 2. B.Sc. | = | Bachelor of Science. |
| 3. P.& T. | = | Postage and Telegraph. |
| 4. P.T | = | Physical Training |
| 5. S.O.S | = | Souls our souls (Urgent message for help) |
| 6. U.S.A | = | United States of America. |
| 7. U.N.O | = | United Nations Organization. |
| 8. V.I.P | = | Very important Person |

VIII. Give the correct names for the people of the following countries.

1. England = English people
2. Poland = Polish.

3. Burma = Burman
4. China = Chinese
5. Australia = Australian.
6. Holland = Hollander
7. Japan = Japanese.

CHAPTER 15.

I. Answer the following questions :

1. The first woman's complaint was that the second woman exchanged her dead child with her child at midnight.
2. The King Solomon said I am going to cut the living child into two halves and give them a part each. The second woman agreed up on it. The first woman said give the living child to her and do not kill him. I will take the dead child. King said take the child and give it to the first woman. The child is truly hers.
3. First woman said "Oh no; my lord give the living child to her and do not slay him".
4. The second woman was chained and threw into the dungeon.
5. The Queen of Sheba asked king Solomon to tell that from her three maidens which one was wearing artificial flower.
6. King Solomon ordered to open the door. After opening the door some bees came in as the fragrance attract them and started flying over the real flowers and not on artificial flower. And he found out which one is artificial flower.

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

- | | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 1. baby. | 4. artificial |
| 2. wonderful | 5. wicked |
| 3. fragrance | 6. offence |

III. Fill up the blanks :

1. I found this *dead* child beside me.
2. This is *absolutely* false, My Lord.
3. The living child is *mine*.
4. The child *belongs* neither of you.
5. You have put a hard *puzzle* to me.
6. But *none* of them could answer it.

IV. Make sentences of your own :

1. Some people go to bed at *midnight*.
2. Mohan is *alone* at his house.
3. We should *forgive* others.
4. Jasmine flowers have good *fragrance*.
5. Queens are served by *maids*.

V. Give the possessive forms of the following pronouns :

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VI. Fill up the blanks with the words....

1. John was *happy* to get a letter from his friend.
2. I am *sorry* to hear this shocking news.
3. Why do you look *sad* every day ?
4. I am very *sorry* for the trouble I gave you.
5. Leela is *afraid* of snakes.
6. The teacher was *angry* with the students for not studying their lesson.

VII. Fill up the blanks with...

- Abdul : **Excuse me** sir! Is this the way to the hospital ?
Traveller : **Pardon me**, I do not know. I am new to this place.
Abdul : **Excuse me**, Madam ! Is this the way to the hospital?
Abdul : **Thank you** so much.
Abdul : **I am sorry** Sir, I didn't see you.
Traveller : It's all right.

Answer the following questions :

1. Tom lifts the receiver and dials number 2555 and, says Hello! Hello! Is it 2555, please?
2. He dialled the number 2555.
3. Mrs. Jones took the receiver first.
4. Tom gave the message saying that; we have changed the timings a little. We will start at 5 O'clock in the morning from the school gate. You should be there before 4.50 a.m.

VIII. Write these numbers in words :

- | | | |
|-----------------|----------|-----------------|
| 1. first | 3. fifth | 5. forty eighth |
| 2. second | 4. tenth | 6. eighty sixth |
| 7. twentieth | | 9. ninety ninth |
| 8. twenty third | | 10. hundredth |

IX. Complete these sentences :

1. Sheela got the largest cup as the **first** prize. Mary got a smaller one as **second** prize. Amita got the smallest cup as **third** prize.
2. I went to three places looking for my friend, but I found her in **second** place.
3. He had only one younger brother, for he was the **ninth** of ten sons.
4. You can join the school only after the **third** birthday.
5. After 99 years of hard work, the old man died just before his **hundredth** birthday.

CHAPTER 16

I. Answer the following questions :

1. The wild bird sits in yonder tree.
2. He sweetly sings all day long a merry song.
3. Wild flowers are my sisters.
4. Green earth is my mother.

II. Fill up the blanks :

1. The wild bird sings a **merry** song.
2. The wild flowers nod and **smile** at me.
3. The green earth **beckons** me.

III. Find out from the poem words which mean the following :

- | | |
|------------|----------|
| 1. lane | 3.nod |
| 2. sweetly | 4.becons |

CHAPTER 17

I. Answer the following questions:

1. Neil Armstrong, Michael Collins and Edwin Aldrin were the three astronauts in Apollo -II
2. Mission Control consisted of a team of scientists and engineers who controlled the spacecraft with the help of scientific instruments.
3. On July 20, 1969, Apollo - II was fired into the sky. Once the craft entered into the orbit of moon, the small spaceship connected with main craft, named Eagle broke away from the craft and slowly and steadily came nearer and its landing-pads emerged from the craft and landed on the moon and Neil Armstrong put his first step in moon on July 21, 1969.

4. Neil Armstrong was the first man to landed in moon.
5. After landing on moon Armstrong and Aldrin set up a television camera on the moon and put up the American flag. Then they also spoke to the President of United States of America through spacecraft radio.
6. The astronauts stay two and a half hours on the moon.
7. On 24th July, 1969, astronauts return to earth.

II. Fill up the blanks with correct answers :

1. Apollo-II began its journey on *20, July 1969*.
2. The man landed on moon on *21, July 1969*.
3. The name of the spaceship was *Eagle*.
4. The Eagle landed at the *sea of tranquillity*.
5. After lading he *set a T V camera*.
6. The Apollo-II was sent by *United States of America*.

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

- | | |
|------------------|-------------|
| 1. astronauts | 4.main |
| 2. circle around | 5.floating. |
| 3. crater | |

IV. Make sentences of your own :

1. Neil Armstrong was the first *astronaut* to land on moon.
2. The *journey* to the hill station was very interesting.
3. The class teacher said that she will *announce* the date for the picnic shortly.
4. For the decoration of the class room we need a *ladder*.
5. By seeing the cat the rat *crawl* back to its cave.

V. Fill up the blanks with the correct form of the verb :

1. Miss Lally *speaks* English fluently.
Miss Lally *spoke* English fluently.
Miss Lally *has spoken* English fluently.
2. Boys *steals* fruits form the garden.
Boys *stolen* fruits form the garden.
Boys *have stolen* fruits form the garden.
3. Hari *keeps* his books on the desk.
Hari *kept* his books on the desk.
Hari *has kept* his books on the desk.

VI. Choose the correct form of the adjectives from the brackets :

1. I am *better* than you in games.
2. Jagan is *happy* in his new house.
3. Hari is the *worst* boy in the village.
4. Mangoes are *sweeter* than apples.
5. The Arctic region is the *coldest* place on earth.
6. The Giraffe is *taller* than the elephant.

VII. Choose the answers from the following :

- | | | |
|---------------|---------------|------------|
| 1. ignorant | 4. omnipotent | 7. orphan. |
| 2. illiterate | 5. suicide | |
| 3. innocent | 6. widow | |

VIII. Match the correct pairs :

cow	shed	bee	hive	snake	hole
dog	kennel	horse	stable		
hare	burrow	pig	sty		

CHAPTER 18

I. Answer the following questions :

1. Pandit Motilal Nehru was the father of Jawaharlal Nehru. He was lawyer.
2. Jawaharlal Nehru was sent to England for studies.
3. In 1912 he returned to India.
4. He spent his time in jail in writing books.
5. Kamala, a young patriotic woman was the wife of Nehru. She died due to some ailment in 1935.
6. Pandit Nehru was fond of children, he loved them and they loved him, therefore they called him 'Chacha Nehru'.
7. An Autobiography, Discovery of India, Glimpses of World History are the three books written by Pandit Nehru.
8. Three persons influenced Nehru were Motilal Nehru, Mahatma Gandhi and Rabindranath Tagore.

II. Give the correct dates :

1. Jawaharlal Nehru was born on November 14, 1889.
2. Nehru entered in politics on 1919.
3. India achieved independence on August 15, 1947.
4. Nehru died in May 27, 1964.
5. Nehru's wife died in 1935.

III. Tick the correct statements :

1. Motilal Nehru was a rich businessman. ✓
2. Nehru joined politics as soon as he came back from England.
3. Indra Priyadarshini was Nehru's daughter. ✓
4. Jawaharlal Nehru died in 1964. ✓
5. Nehru spent 17 years in prison.
6. Pandit Nehru was the first Prime Minister of India ✓

IV. Make sentences of your own :

1. King Solomon was very *famous* for his knowledge.
2. Henry's dream was to become a *lawyer*.
3. We need a faithful *companion* to share our problems.
4. My father has gone to get the building plan from the *architect*.
5. We should strive for the *peace* of our country.

V. Complete the following with suitable reflexive pronouns :

1. He *himself* went to the market.
2. She praised *herself*.
3. You have deceived *yourself*.
4. We enjoyed *ourselves* very much.
5. They did it *themselves*.
6. The car moved by *itself*.
7. I *myself* built this house.

VI. Write twenty sentences saying what you did yesterday.

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VII. Match the correct gender :

- | | | | |
|-------------|-----------|----------|----------|
| 1. bachelor | spinster | 5. god | goddess |
| 2. uncle | aunt | 6. tiger | tigress |
| 3. governor | governess | 7. poet | poetess. |
| 4. hunter | huntress | | |

VIII. Complete the following incomplete words with the help of the clues given :

- | | |
|------------|-------------|
| 1. vanish | 5. childish |
| 2. foolish | 7. publish. |
| 3. polish | 6. rubbish |
| 4. finish | |

VIII. Can you find the message of the following coded letter :

Come at night for film.

CHAPTER 19.

I. Answer the following questions :

1. Pheidippides was a Greek young runner whose work was only to carry messages.
2. Pheidippides had to carry the messages to the people of Athens that “do not surrender against the Persians because we are won the war at Marathon and they must hold until we arrive”.
3. General Miltiades choose Pheidippides because he was the fastest runner with the Greeks and only he can reach the city in time.
4. Athens was about twenty-five miles away from Marathon.
5. Pheidippides carried a water-flask with him for journey.
6. Pheidippides was dead when he reached Athens.
7. When they got message that Greeks defeated Persians at Marathon the fight courageously against the Persians.
8. The World remember Pheidippides by including the Marathon race in the Olympic Games.

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

- | | |
|--------------|--------------|
| 1. exhausted | 4. collapsed |
| 2. surrender | 5. whisper |
| 3. fastened | 6. blur |

III. Who said the following :

1. General Miltiades to Pheidippides.
2. Pheidippides to General Miltiades.
3. Pheidippides to himself.
4. General Miltiades to Pheidippides.
5. Ruler to the people.
6. General Miltiades to Pheidippides.

IV. Make sentences of your own.

1. Hitman can defeat everyone in fighting.
2. I have sweet memory of my holidays.

3. He was defeated in the race.
4. It is important that we should learn our lessons everyday.
5. We should save ourselves from dangers.

V. Fill up the missing words of the conversation between a boy and a dentist :

Dentist : What is your problem, my boy ?
 Raju : One tooth on my left side is paining, doctor ?
 Dentist : When it happened.
 Raju : Day before yesterday, doctor.
 Dentist : Have you taken any medicine.
 Raju : I took two Crocin tablets.
 Dentist : Open your mouth, please. Let me have a look.
 Is it paining ?
 Raju : Yes, doctor.
 Dentist : There is a deep cavity in your teeth. I must fill it immediately. By the way, do you brush your teeth in the morning and before going to bed.
 Raju : I brush my teeth only in the day doctor.
 Dentist : That is not enough. You must brush your teeth both in the morning and before going to bed.
 Raju : I will brush, doctor.
 Dentist : You sit on chair let me get all the instruments and things for filling up your teeth.

VI. Make as many new words as you can using the letters of the following words :

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VII. Where are the following things kept :

- | | | | |
|-----------|---------|------------|----------|
| 1. arms | armoury | 5. books | shelf |
| 2. plants | nursery | 6. clothes | wardrobe |
| 3. birds | cage | 7. weapon | arsenal. |
| 4. goods | godown | | |

VIII. Give the correct names of the places where the following games are played. The first and the last letters of the answers are given :

- | | | | |
|--------------|-------|--------------|--------|
| 1. Boxing | ring | 5. Badminton | court |
| 2. Wrestling | arena | 6. Athletics | track |
| 3. Hockey | field | 7. Race | course |
| 4. Cricket | pitch | | |

CHAPTER 20

I. Answer the following questions :

1. The six men of Indostan go to see the elephant to learn more about elephants.
2. First say the elephant is like a wall because he falls on its broad and sturdy side to the elephant.
3. The second say that the elephant is like a spear because he touched the round, smooth and sharp tusk.
4. The third say that the elephant is like a snake because he touched squirming trunk with his hands.
5. The forth man said that elephant is like a tree.

II. Fill up the blanks:

1. The first blind man said that the elephant is like a **wall**.
2. The third blind man said that the elephant is like a **snake**?
3. The sixth blind man said that the elephant is like a **rope**.
4. All the blind men were **partly** right in their opinion.

CHAPTER 21

I. Answer the following questions:

1. The inhabitants of the north Arctic region of North America are generally called Eskimos.
2. In summer, when the weather is warm and dry, they live in tents made of seal skin and in winter, they live in snow houses called igloos.
3. First, an Eskimo makes a circle with the snow-brick and stands inside. From inside he places the blocks one on top on the other, each bending to wards the middle. When he complete making dome like structure, he cuts a hole and make a doorway.
4. The living room of the igloo is about three metes long and two meters high. There are no chairs and tables in the room neither the cupboards but they all are made of snow. In daytime there are family seats and in night it work as a bed that covers with animal skin.
5. The igloos kept warm by a stone-lamp, which burns day and night and warms the cool air, which come form tunnel.

6. The fat of seals, whales, big fish and even animals are melted and turn in to oil. The oil is then kept in a flat; soft stone made like a tray. Little wicks made of dry moss are placed in the tray and the wicks are then lighted.
7. They rub a stone against another over a heap of dry moss soaked with oil and these are lighted by the spark.

II. Fill up the blanks with suitable words from the lesson:

1. The house of an Eskimo is called an *igloo*.
2. The window of the igloo is above the *doorway*.
3. Shelves and cupboards are made up of *snow*.
4. Bed covers consist of *furs and skins of animals*.
5. Most Eskimos prefer to eat the meat *raw*
6. Most Eskimos do to have a permanent a permanent *igloos*.

III. Tick the correct statements:

1. The living room in an igloo is very cold.
2. There are two rooms inside an igloo.
3. Eskimos do not have permanent home. ✓
4. Eskimos do have shelves and cupboards .✓
5. Eskimos usually cook their food and eat.
6. The main occupation of the Eskimos is fishing ✓

IV. Make sentences of your own:

1. We *construct* the building with cement and bricks.
2. We keep *warm* our body with hot drinks.
3. There is a beautiful decoration on the *ceiling*.
4. The residence of Prime Minister is well guarded.
5. We should love our neighbour.

V. Put the correct punctuation marks wherever necessary:

1. What is that said Jim, Who is there Tom and I did not move.
2. I sit in the kitchen, wait I won't go inside he said aloud.
3. Jim sat "outside the door we could not pass him after sometime" Jim went to sleep with his hat on his head.

VI. Choose the correct word form the following:

- | | | | |
|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| 1. Admit | admission | 5. grow | growth |
| 2. bathe | bath | 6. invite | invitation |
| 3. bury | burial | 7. laugh | laughter. |
| 4. enter | entrance | | |

VIII. Put these sentences into the right order by numbering them:

- | | |
|--|-----|
| A Jackal fell into a tub of dye | 1. |
| The owner of the dye threw him down some distance away | 2. |
| The jackal found that he was all blue | 3. |
| He banished the other jackals from the forest | 4. |
| He began to rule over all the other animals | 5. |
| An old jackal told them what to do | 6. |
| At twilight, they all gave a great howl | 7. |
| The Jackal himself then gave a bowl | 8. |
| One of the tigers recognized him and killed him | 9. |
| He pretended to be dead | 10. |

CHAPTER 22

I. Answer the following questions:

1. Africa was called 'dark continent' because the people had little knowledge about the interior parts of Africa.
2. In his journey to the interior of the Africa he had to travel through the thick forest, marshy lands, floods rivers and dangerous waterfalls. In the jungle there were many dangerous animals and insects that cause many diseases. He fell ill several times during the journey.
3. He set small hospital to help the natives in getting rid of various ailments. He also bought Christianity to them and tried to remove their superstitions and evil practices.
4. One thing always saddened living stone was the White men used to come Africa and captures black men, women, even little boys girls and sold them as slaves.
5. Morton Stanley was an employee of an American newspaper, who was sent to Africa to find out whether Livingstone is dead or alive.
6. The natives show their love by taking his dead body to his homeland England where he was buried with all honors at Westminster Abbey instead of burying him in the jungles of Africa.
7. David Livingstone still remembered today because he lived his whole life in selfless service.

II. Match the sentences:

1. These jungles were filled with insects of various kinds that caused many diseases.
2. One had to journey through thick forests marshy lands, flooded rivers and dangerous.
3. Hundreds were dying due to lack of proper medical help.
4. One morning, his faithful savants found him kneeling beside his bed, dead.
5. They didn't want to bury their beloved master in the jungles of Africa but in his own homeland.

III. Choose the correct answers:

1. (c), 2, (b), 3. (a), 4. (c), 5. (c).

IV. Make sentences of your own:

1. Asia is the biggest continent.
2. A journey to Kashmir will be very interesting.
3. Serpent is a poisonous creature.
4. We should not afraid of hardship.
5. Vicky was under treatment for one week.

V. Put the correct prepositions in the following sentences:

1. He is sitting out of his house.
2. Ramu is good at games.
3. He is the brightest among the students.
4. I can mange for breakfast for one day.
5. The lion fell into the ditch accidentally.
6. It rained for yesterday.

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VII. Put the correct words for calling attention:

1. May I have your attention please
2. Just a moment please.
3. May I have your attention please.
4. Ladies and Gentlemen.

Answer the following questions:

1. Mr. Singh get up at 05.30 a.m.
2. Mr. Singh met Mr. Jones Gome at 06.00 p.m.
3. Mr. Singh goes to bed at 10.00 p.m.

CHAPTER 23

I. Answer the following questions :

1. The children like the giant's garden because it was a marvellous place, plenty of shady trees to sit under and relax, and plants of fruits to enjoy.
2. When he saw that children are playing in the garden he was very angry chased the children away from the garden.
3. The giant make a wall around the garden and put the board the "Trespassers will be prosecuted".
4. Children afraid to go inside the giant's garden because the giant was mighty and strong he could do harm to him.
5. When spring comes there was still winter in the garden of the giant.
6. In winter there was snow and hail for whole day in the garden of the giant.
7. The autumn goes without entering the giant's garden because he is too selfish.

II. Match the sentences :

1. The children of the neighbourhood used to visit his garden every afternoon. Once their school was over.
2. He was angry to find children running and jumping all over his garden.
3. They had to stop their games every now and then to allow the vehicles to pass.
4. The North Wind found an ideal place to blow freely.
5. But in the garden of the selfish giant it was still winter.

III. Choose the correct answers:

1. (c), 2. (c), 3. (b), 4. (a), 5. (b).

IV. Make sentences of your own:

1. The giant was so *selfish*.
2. Our school garden was full of *blossom*.
3. The birds in the garden are so *lovely*.
4. This year the snowfall was very much.
5. In the bank of the river there is a beautiful meadow.

V. Fill up the missing words:

Present	Past	Future
weep	wept	will weep
beat	beats	will beat
sell	sold	will sell
sweep	swept	will sweep
say	said	will say
dream	dreamt	will dream.

VI. Fill up the missing sentences :

Present Cont.	:	Hari is going to the town
Past Cont.	:	Hari was going to the town
Future Cont.	:	Hari will be going to the town.
Present Cont.	:	She is telling a story
Past Cont.	:	She was telling a story
Future Cont.	:	She would tell a story
Present Cont.	:	John is sending a parcel
Past Cont.	:	John was sending a parcel
Future Cont.	:	John would be sending a parcel.
Present Cont.	:	We are waiting for the bus
Past Cont.	:	We were waiting for bus
Future Cont.	:	We will be waiting for bus.
Present Cont.	:	Cows are grazing
Past Cont.	:	Cows were grazing
Future Cont.	:	Cows will be grazing.

VII. Choose the correct adverbial phrases and fill up the blanks:

1. He went home on the *last day* of the month.
2. There was a heavy rain *this morning*.
3. I am planning to visit my uncle in the *next week*.
4. There will be an election in the *coming month*.
5. The *previous* day was a holiday.
6. The *last day* for submission of your names is tomorrow.

VIII. Look at the following pictures and answers the following questions:

1. The lion was sleeping.
2. The mouse disturbed lion.
3. The lion did not kill the mouse.
4. The mouse cut out the net in which the lion was caught.

IX. Write sentences saying what happened at the time given :

1. Many years ago *I left this country.*
2. At the beginning of the year *I went to Agra.*
3. A few days ago *I fell sick.*
4. Half an hour ago *I was doing my homework.*
5. Last February *I was in America.*
6. The day before yesterday *I was with my uncle.*

CHAPTER 24

I. Answer the following questions :

1. One morning he saw that the trees were full of blossoms, the flower plants were covered with flowers and the birds were flying and singing and the spring has come to his garden.
2. When he allowed children to play in the garden the trees once again became full of fresh leaves, flowers and plants smiled with new buds and the birds also clapped with their wings in joy.
3. A boy was standing under the tree trying to climb up, “climb up, little boy” said the tree, and it bent its branches as low as it could but the boy was too small to climb by himself . this scene melted the heart of giant.
4. The giant broke down the wall because he gave the freedom for children to play, run around and enjoy the fruits of the garden.
5. When the giant was unable to play he sat on an armchair and watched the children at play.
6. The giant saw wounds of nails on the child’s hands and feet.
7. The children found that the giant was dead under the tree that was full of white blossoms.

II. Match the sentences :

1. The trees in the garden were full of *fine blossoms.*
2. But the little boy was too small *to climb by himself.*
3. My garden will be *children’s playground forever.*
4. The trees once again became *full of fresh leaves.*
5. He hastened across the meadow *and came near the child.*

III. Choose the correct meanings:

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| 1. melodious | sweet sounding | 5. feeble | weak |
| 2. lovely | beautiful. | 6. blossom | flower |
| 3. delighted | happy | 7. paradise | heaven |
| 4. companion | friend | | |

IV. Make sentences of your own:

1. The songs were so *lovely* to ears.
2. My *companions* were going for a picnic.
3. The younger child was so *feeble*.
4. The trees in the garden were full of *blossoms*.
5. Raju's farmhouse was like a *paradise*.

V. Put the inverted commas wherever necessary:

1. "Why are you looking behind"? asked the passenger.
2. "I am sorry for coming late" said Hari to his teacher.
3. "Oh, it is wonderful to see you" exclaimed Mrs. Gomes.
4. Vinod asked his friend, "Lal, can you lend me some money please"?
5. "Where are the apples"? the mistress asked her maid.

VI. Write down the meaning of the following words using the dictionary.

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|------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| 1. luggage | : | somebody's belongings |
| 2. porter | : | luggage carrier |
| 3. track | : | rail structure |
| 4. signal | : | sign used as a means of communication |
| 5. wagon | : | wheeled vehicle |
| 6. berth | : | bed on train |
| 7. rail | : | steel bar of railroad track |

IX. Complete these commands and polite requests in any way you like :

1. Please, tell my father to go home.
2. Please, try to finish your lesson.
3. Please, remember to come tomorrow.
4. Will you help me to lift up this box please ?
5. Would you hold the umbrella till I come ?
6. Please don't go home.

7. Will you get some water for me ?
8. Will you shut up?
9. Would you tell my father ?
10. Would you stay at my house ?
11. Don't talk too much.
12. Listen carefully.
13. Don't look at her.
14. Go to bed.
15. Would you please come back ?

X. Composition.

CHAPTER 25

I. Answer the following questions :

1. One day the fox saw a vine with lovely grapes.
2. The grapes were rich, rip and purple-rid.
3. The grapes were too high for fox to snatch.
4. The fox finally said “ I'm sure those grapes are sour”.

II. Find out from the poem words which mean the following:

1. trotting.
2. grapes.
3. snatch.
4. sour