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Teacher's Manual

Class I to V

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CLASS – I

Chapter –1 : Chetan’s Morning Routine

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (ii) 3. (iv)
4. (iii)
- B.** 1. early 2. park 3. teeth
4. bath
- C.** 1. Chetan wakes up daily at 5’o clock.
2. Chetan goes to park to take exercise.
3. Chetan take toast with milk and an apple in the breakfast.
4. Chetan goes to school by bus.

Vocabulary

1. is 2. are 3. are
4. is 5. are

Grammar Gossip

- | | |
|--------|--------|
| girls | stars |
| books | boys |
| desks | bags |
| rats | houses |
| nights | cakes |

Writing skills

- A. 2; 1; 5; 4; 3
B. Do yourself

Activity

- I wake up early in the morning.
I do some pushups and pull ups as exercise.
I take bath and comb my hair.
I go to school.
I do homework and go for sleep.

Chapter – 2 : Radhika Goes To School

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (ii) 2. (iii) 3. (ii)
4. (iii)

- B.** 1. false 2. false 3. true
4. true
- C.** 1. Radhika is wearing new school uniform.
2. Radhika is studying in class I-B.
3. During lunch break Radhika had lunch with her friends.
4. Yes, she was happy after the first day at school.

Vocabulary

1. Alphanat chart 2. Teacher 3. Blackboard
4. Chair 5. Table 6. Students
7. Chalks 8. Chalkbox

Grammar Gossip

Do yourself.

Writing skills

1. morning 2. walk 3. bath
4. breakfast

Activity

My school van is of blue colour.
It has Lord Ganehsa sticker on its glass.
It has red coloured seats.
I love to travel in my van.

Chapter – 3 : Riya Went Shopping

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (iii) 3. (iii)
4. (i)
- B.** 1. shopping 2. father 3. attack
- C.** 1. Riya was an eight years old girl. She lived in Mumbai with her father.
2. Mall caught fire due to terrorist attack.
3. When Riya was in mall, the terrorists attacked the mall.
4. We should be brave to overcome it. We should not lose our heart.

Vocabulary

1. lost
2. floor
3. carrier
4. fatigue

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. yes 2. yes 3. yes
- B.** Do yourself

Writing skills

Terrorist

1. Many people were died in that terrorist attack.
2. Some terrorists had entered our country.

Riya

1. Riya had gone for shopping.
2. Riya is doing her homework.

Activity

The fire was discovered by early man. It is a great discovery for human kind. There are many uses of fire. We cook food with the help of fire. It also provide us with energy.

Chapter – 4 : The Ant

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (iii) 3. (i)
4. (iv)
- B.** 1. But is it very wise.
2. It is not without goal.
3. It works hard so lives fit.
4. It does not leave anything.
- C.** 1. The Ant is small in size.
2. Yes, an ant works hard regularly.
3. Ant lives in the hole.
4. Ant is an insect.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. size – wise 2. hole – goal
3. it – fit 4. regularly – daily
5. omnivore – herbivore

- B.** big soft
foolish often
unfit nothing

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. does not 2. do not 3. does not
4. do not 5. does not 6. do not
7. does not 8. do not
- B.** 1. Delhi, India 2. They
3. He, Shimla 4. Ravi
5. The, Taj

Writing skills

1. No, penguins can't fly.
2. No, a dog cannot swim.
3. Yes, a parrot can talk.
4. No, pigeons cannot swim.

Chapter – 5 : My Birthday

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (iii) 3. (iii)
4. (iv)
- B.** 1. Gandhi Nagar 2. June 3. sister
4. kitchen
- C.** 1. Samar lives at Gandhi Nagar in Delhi.
2. 25th June is important to Samar because it is Samar's birthday on 25th June.
3. Samar celebrates his birthday by decorating house with flowers and balloons. He invites his friends and classmates in his birthday party.
4. Samar cuts cake on his birthday.

Vocabulary

- yesterday give
sad enemy
add sour

Grammar Gossip

1. What is the colour of the banana?

2. What is the colour of the ball?
3. What is the colour of the chair?
4. What is the colour of the toy?

- B.** flowers classmates
 balloons candles
 friends sweets

Writing skills

1. The children are playing cricket.
2. There are eight children in the ground.
3. The stumps are of yellow colour.
4. Most the children are in white coloured T-shirt.

Chapter – 6 : Manya And Her Mother

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (ii) 2. (i) 3. (ii)
 4. (iii)
- B.** 1. village 2. temple 3. everywhere
 4. broken
- C.** 1. False 2. False 3. False
 4. True
- D.** 1. Manya was a six year old girl who lived in a small village with her parents.
 2. Manya asked her mother, “Where is God?”. She also added if her mother can show where the God is.
 3. God is everywhere.
 4. She told that presence of God can only be felt and cannot be seen. He is everywhere and is with us all the time.

Vocabulary

- a. bluish fish reddish wish
 b. cake wake take fake

Grammar Gossip

- A.** MARK FROG
 EYES RING

- B.** 1. plays 2. rings 3. teaches
4. treats 5. barks 6. fly

Activity

God is the creator and ruler of the universe.

The teachings of the God are :

1. Never harm anyone.
2. Stand against wrong.

Chapter – 7 : The Fox And The Crane

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (ii) 2. (iii) 3. (iii)
4. (iv) 5. (iii)
- B.** 1. true 2. false 3. false
4. true
- C.** 1. The fox was in the Jungle.
2. The crane was the friend of the fox.
3. The crane was not able to sip the soup because of its long beak.
4. The fox was clever because he sipped all the soup in the feast given by him to the crane.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. crane 2. fox 3. called
4. sipped
- B.** The fox was in the jungle.
The fox called the crane on a feast.
The crane was very clever.
The crane could not sip the soup.

Grammar Gossip

1. a 2. an 3. a
4. an

Writing skills

1. Me and my *friend* had gone to mall yesterday.
2. *Crane* has a long beak.
3. Birds have *beaks*.
4. I have made a tomato *soup*.

Chapter – 8 : The Camel And The Lion

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (ii) 3. (i)
4. (i) 5. (i)
- B.** 1. true 2. true 3. true
4. true 5. true
- C.** 1. Camel 2. Lion 3. Lion
4. Camel
- D.** 1. Camel is a high and big animal.
2. Its padded feet help him to walk in desert.
3. Thick tongue helps camel to eat thorny bushes.
4. Camel can drink 80 litres of water at a time.
5. Camel is called the ship of the desert.
6. Lion is the king of the forest.
7. Camel is herbivorous while lion is a carnivorous animal.

Vocabulary

- A.** Camel hump
Elephant tusks
Rhino a horn on the neck
Parrot lungs
Whale lungs

Grammar Gossip

- A.** a. can b. cannot c. can
d. cannot e. cannot
- B.** a. behind b. in c. under
d. in e. into f. over

Writing skills

- Lion** 1. It is the king of the forest.
2. It is a carnivorous animal.
3. It has a mane.
4. It can run very fast.

- Camel** 1. It is a big animal.
2. It stores its food in its hump.
3. It has padded feet.
4. It is the ship of the desert.

Activity

- Lion* 1. It has a mane.
2. It can run very fast.
- Camel* 1. It is a big animal.
2. It has padded feet.
- Deer* 1. They have long legs.
2. They are generally red and brown in colour.
- Giraffe* 1. It is a tall animal.
2. It has spots on its body.
- Elephant* 1. It has a trunk.
2. It has tusks.

Chapter – 9 : The Moon

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (iii) 3. (iii)
4. (iv)
- B.** 1. Child asks its mother to look at the moon.
2. It looks like lamp in the air.
3. Child saw the moon like a bow.
4. Here, nursery refers to the greenery near his house.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. wrap 2. knit 3. knee
4. knight 5. wrestling
- B.** Little End Face
Ate Elephant East
The Eye nose

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. has 2. has 3. has
4. have 5. has
- B.** 1. these 2. those 3. these
4. those

Writing skills

1. There is a dog on the bridge.
2. It has a bone in its mouth.

3. He thinks that there is one another dog in water who wants to take his bone.
4. The dog looks very angry.

Activity

Based on your observations. Don't write, just observe and discuss.

Chapter – 10 : On The Road Crossing

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iv) 2. (i) 3. (iii)
 4. (iv) 5. (i)
- B.** 1. true 2. false 3. false
 4. true 5. true
- C.** 1. three 2. cross 3. obey
 4. controls
- D.** 1. There are three traffic lights in all.
 2. The red light says to stop.
 3. The yellow light says to get ready.
 4. The green light says to go.
 5. We can avoid accidents by following traffic rules.

Vocabulary

1. short 2. big 3. thick

Grammar Gossip

- A.** sleep speak run
 exercise
- B.** 1. five 2. one 3. three
 4. eleven 5. thirty two

Writing skills

1. This is a scene of traffic road.
2. Bus has stopped on red light.
3. There is a zebra crossing.
4. Mother and her daughter are crossing the zebra crossing.

Chapter – 11 : The Foolish Farmer

Comprehension

- A. 1. (ii) 2. (ii) 3. (ii)
4. (ii)
- B. 1. village 2. bicycle 3. rogue
4. intention 5. foolishly
- C. 1. The farmer used to look after the garden and some farms of rich persons of the village.
2. He received a new bicycle from his master.
3. Rogues fooled the farmer by approaching him one by one and told him that the bicycle he had might be very dangerous for him and his family.
4. Yes, the rogues succeeded in their plan and at last, the farmer left his bicycle and ran away.

Vocabulary

- A. 1. free 2. bleat 3. heat
4. tree 5. great 6. seed
- B. bill change
 month sign
 must away

Grammar Gossip

1. shall 2. will 3. will
4. shall 5. will 6. will

Chapter – 12 : A Meeting For A Minister

Comprehension

- A. 1. (iv) 2. (i) 3. (iii)
4. (ii) 5. (iii)
- B. 1. false 2. true 3. true
4. false 5. true
- C. 1. the leopard 2. the duck 3. the frog
4. the eagle
- D. 1. Lion was the king of the jungle.
2. Elephant spoke that he is big and long. He can bring

- fruits and leaves from high trees for lion.
3. She can catch fish from the river and lakes for him.
 4. Fox spoke that he can watch the forest through tricks.

Vocabulary

A.	Donkey	Tiger	Monkey
	Goat	Wolf	Cow
	Camel	Jackal	

- B.**
1. sit
 2. eat
 3. speak, run, sleep
 4. drink

Grammar Gossip

1. Is it a pear?
2. Is it a walky-talky?
3. Is it a bat?
4. Is it a rat?

Writing skills

There are 3 faces that are visible in the coin but in reality there are four faces. One is at behind the front face.

Chapter – 13 : Now I Am Six

Comprehension

- A.**
- | | | |
|----------|----------|---------|
| 1. (ii) | 2. (iii) | 3. (iv) |
| 4. (iii) | | |
- B.**
1. When I was one I could walk.
 2. When I was two, I was nearly new.
 3. When I was five, I was first alive.
 4. I think I am clever at the age of six.

Vocabulary

Four	more
Clever	ever
We	me
Five	alive

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. black 2. orange 3. white
B. 1. black 2. big 3. thin
4. bright 5. active

Writing skills

Do yourself.

Chapter – 14 : The Day Of Diwali

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (ii) 2. (i) 3. (iv)
4. (ii) 5. (iii)
- B.** 1. People celebrate Diwali in the month of October or November.
2. People decorate their houses, distribute sweets and make tasty dishes on the day of Diwali.
3. Diwali is called the festival of lights because people lit oil lamps and decorate houses with many lights.
4. I help my parents in the decoration of the house. Me and my mother make a Diwali sweets. I fore crackers at night. Me and my friends do very much fun.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. Holi 2. Dusshera 3. Baisakhi
4. Basant Panchmi
- B.** Pleasant Picture Decorate
Candle Sweet Important

Grammar Gossip

1. short 2. big 3. fat

Writing skills

1. My favourite festival is Basant Panchmi.
2. It is the festival of kites.
3. On this day, the sky is full of colourful kites.
4. People use kite thread to fly the kite.
5. We eat many snacks while flying the kites.

Chapter – 15 : The Cruel Elephant

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (ii) 2. (iv) 3. (i)
4. (iii) 5. (i)
- B.** 1. true 2. false 3. true
4. false 5. true
- C.** 1. Elephant lives in a forest.
2. Elephant was much proud of his size and strength.
3. They got troubled by the elephant because they were daily pressed under the foot of the elephant.
4. The frog said to the elephant to walk watchfully. He also added that the elephant kill them unkindly.
5. The animals made the plan to get rid of the elephant and started cutting the trunk. The ants and mosquitoes stang the elephant ears.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. drink 2. kill 3. made
4. stop
- B.** 1. talking 2. dancing
3. walking 4. studying
5. sleeping 6. playing
- C.** Cow Lion Otter
Crane Kangaroo

Grammar Gossip

- A.** three rats
two hats
three cats
- B.** 1. papers 2. copper 3. clay
4. iron 5. leather

Writing skills

1. Elephant is the biggest animal on land.
2. It has a long trunk and has two tusks.
3. It is grey/black in colour.
4. It has long fan like ears.
5. It has a short tail.

Chapter – 16 : Arav – The Hard Working Boy

Comprehension

- A. 1. (i) 2. (ii) 3. (i)
4. (iii)
- B. 1. fourteen 2. unnecessary
3. shop, shop 4. money
- C. 1. Arav's father was a rich businessman.
2. Arav's father put a condition before increasing Arav's pocket money that Arav had to earn twenty rupees and give it to his father.
3. First Arav helped an old man to hold his bags to the car for ten rupees. And then he mow the lawn of old gentleman for rupees ten. That is how he earned twenty rupees.
4. No, his pocket money was not increased. The condition was just to make him realize that he should not spend money unnecessarily.

Vocabulary

- A. 1. water 2. goat 3. parrot
4. history
- B. 1. snake charmer 2. cricketer
3. Halwai 4. Joker
5. Balloon seller 6. toy-seller

Grammar Gossip

1. umbrella 2. five
3. ball 4. mobile-set

Writing skills

1. thin, green, gourd
2. milk, cat

Activity

I will keep the money in piggy bank.

Chapter – 17 : Cuckoo, Cuckoo!

Comprehension

- A. 1. (ii) 2. (i) 3. (iii)
4. (i)

- B.** 1. In the month of April, Cuckoo flies away.
 2. Cuckoo sings in the month of May.
 3. Cuckoo fly in the month of July.
 4. Cuckoo say ‘Go, go I must, in the month of August’.
- C.** 1. A change my tune
 2. Away I fly
 3. Cuckoo, Cuckoo!

Vocabulary

- | | | | |
|-----------|--------|--------|------|
| A. | song | open | bill |
| | July | tune | away |
| | Fly | change | |
| B. | bill | change | |
| | month | sign | |
| | must | yawn | |
| | August | tune | |

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. Yes, I eat mangoes. No, I do not eat mangoes.
 2. Yes, he swims. No, he does not swim.
 3. Yes, I drink milk. No, I do not drink milk.
 4. Yes, she sings. No, she does not sing.
- B.** 1. was 2. was 3. were
 4. were 5. were

Writing skills

Do yourself.

Chapter – 18 : We Need Them

Comperhension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (ii) 3. (iii)
 4. (i) 5. (ii)
- B.** 1. vegetable-seller 2. mends 3. makes
 4. barber 5. sews
- C.** 1. true 2. false 3. false
 4. true 5. true 6. true
- D.** 1. Vegetable seller gives us vegetables.
 2. Cobbler mends our shoes.

3. Gardener waters the plants.
4. Carpenter makes our furniture.
5. Barber cuts and sets our hair.
6. Tailor sews our clothes.

Vocabulary

A. shoes
clothes
tables
chairs
plants

B. 1. buyer 2. dirty 3. subtract
4. destroy 5. paste

Grammar Gossip

A. 1. eating 2. reading 3. playing
4. jumping 5. cooking 6. standing

B. 1. I do not see a train on the track.
2. We do not speak English and Hindi.
3. You are not doing your work.
4. They have not done their work.
5. Meera did not worshiped Lord Krishna.

Writing skills

- * This picture shows the function time.
- * Two people are hosting the stage.
- * Audience are there to see the function.
- * The stage is covered with curtains.
- * All the tables are properly covered.

CLASS – II

Chapter –1 : The Elephant's Trick

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (iii) 3. (iii)
4. (i) 5. (i) 6. (iii)
- B.** 1. elephant 2. tailor 3. son
4. nothing 5. poured
- C.** 1. There was an elephant in a village.
2. The tailor gave the elephant a banana daily.
3. The tailor's son pricked a needle in his trunk.
4. Elephant poured muddy water into the shop and the clothes were spoiled.

Vocabulary

river	village	tailor
needle	muddy	shop
water	spoiled	

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. they 2. She 3. He
4. It 5. It
- B.** 1. The monkey is not a small animal.
2. An elephant is not a big animal.
3. You are not my sister.
4. They were not very happy.

Writing skills

1. An elephant is a strong animal.
2. It has a long trunk.
3. It has fan-like ears.
4. It has a short tail.

Chapter – 2 : What Do You Do?

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iv) 2. (iii) 3. (i)
4. (iii)
- B.** 1. postman 2. policeman 3. plumber
- C.** 1. A postman brings letters and parcels.

2. A newspaper boy brings newspaper daily.
3. Constable guards us.
4. Plumber repairs our water taps.

Vocabulary

- | | | | |
|-----------|------------|------------|--------------|
| A. | 1. driver | 2. sweeper | 3. washerman |
| | 4. teacher | 5. milkman | |
| B. | letters | plumbers | |
| | parcels | taps | |
| | newspapers | pockets | |
| | magazines | postmen | |
| | constable | papers | |
| | robbers | policemen | |
| C. | leader | pleader | |
| | letter | matter | |
| | constable | stable | |
| | nephew | you | |
| | other | mother | |
| | niece | piece | |

Grammar Gossip

- | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| A. | tractor | computer | maths |
| B. | 1. washed | 2. cleaned | 3. showed |
| | 4. cooked | 5. played | 6. lived |

Writing skills

Yesterday I celebrated my birthday party. I invited my friends. My parents decorated the room beautifully. They brought sweets, samosas and cake. I cut the cake and blow out candles. My friends clapped and sing songs. We enjoyed and played carrom.

Chapter – 3 : The Trickful Farmer

Comprehension

- | | | | |
|-----------|---|-----------|----------------|
| A. | 1. bear | 2. land | 3. underground |
| | 4. maize | 5. leaves | |
| B. | 1. The farmer was ploughing the field. | | |
| | 2. The farmer said to the bear, “Why do you want to | | |

kill me?" Listen to me first. I am ploughing the land now. When the crop will be ready, I shall offer you to eat."

3. The farmer sowed onions, maize and sugarcane in the land.
4. The sugarcane crop was juicy sown by the farmer.
5. The farmer made fool of bear.

Vocabulary

Turnip	Radish	Carrot
Sugarcane	Ginger	Onion
Orange	Pomegranate	Pineapple

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. was 2. were 3. was
4. was 5. were
- B.** 1. The cats jumped upon the rat.
2. The stars shone in the sky.
3. The books are very interesting.
4. We were in the market.

Reading Skills

1. The farmer was ploughing his field.
2. Bear came suddenly in his field.
3. The farmer said to the bear, "Why do you want to kill me?"
4. The bear said, "All right the crop over the land is mine and the underground crop is yours."
5. (i) ploughing
(ii) listen

Writing Skills

1. juice, sugar 2. chips, dish
3. wheat, chapati 4. pickle, mango shake

Chapter – 4 : Aunt Polly And Tom

Comprehension

- A.** 1. naughty 2. bath 3. result
4. fire 5. jumped

- B.** 1. true 2. false 3. true
4. true 5. true
- C.** 1. Tom was the son of Aunt Polly's dead sister.
2. At first, aunt Polly put cold water over Tom, then she put luke warm water over Tom but the result was in failure.
3. Aunt Polly was fond of medicines.
4. The taste of the painkiller was fire like.
5. Tom gave the painkiller to the cat.

Vocabulary

1. painkiller 2. yield 3. patient
4. doctor 5. nurse

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. serious – Tom was very serious
2. treatment – She needs a good treatment.
3. fond of – He is fond of chocolates.
4. hate – Hate the crime, not the criminal.
5. mischief – The boy in my class is full of mischief.
- B.** 1. She is not a beautiful girl.
2. We are not fast friends.
3. Sneha was not in her class.
4. I am not a player.
5. The teachers were not in the staff-room.

Reading skills

1. Tom was the son of Aunt Polly's dead sister.
2. Tom fell ill.
3. Aunt Polly was fond of medicines.
4. Aunt Polly tried her bath treatment over Tom.
5. (i) Dead (ii) Failed

Writing Skill

1. He is suffering from fracture in his hand.
2. He has got a wound in his knee.
3. The person is taking an x-ray of a laying man.
4. A child is suffering from wound in his leg.
5. Glucose is being given to this patient.

6. This man has lost his one leg.

Activity

The cat jumped high into the air and began to run here and there madly.

Chapter – 5 : Houses We Live In

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (i) 3. (iii)
 4. (i) 5. (i)
- B.** 1. People live in caves in ancient times.
 2. Red Indians of America lived in tents of hide.
 3. The houses of snow are called igloos.
 4. People who earn their bread from water make their houses on boats.
 5. Floating houses are called houseboats.
 6. Congo is the most dangerous river of the world.

Vocabulary

- A.** person harm
 untamed home
 look animal
 substances pull
- B.** Igloo Far North
 Tent America
 House boat Kashmir
 House made of wood and paper Japan
 House on tree branches Africa

Grammar Gossip

- A.** strange simple
 stay wander
 make destroy
 light heavy
 small big
- B.** boy cock
 women bull
 bitch son

Writing Skills

birds	nest
monkeys and apes	branches of trees
lions	dens and forests
ducks and fish	ponds
horses	stable
sty	pigs
cows	shed
rabbits	burrow
ants	holes
dog	kennel

Reading Skills

- a. River Congo is in Africa.
- b. People of Africa make their houses among the branches of trees.
- c. People use canoes to reach their houses.
- d. Congo is the most dangerous river of the world.
- e. Poisonous snakes, scorpions, fishes, crocodiles etc.

Chapter – 6 : In The Wood Of Flowers

Comprehension

- A.** 1. In the wood of flowers.
2. There was grass on the ground.
- B.** 1. The poet was in the wood of flowers.
2. The child was alone in the wood of flowers for hours.
3. The child saw flowers in the wood.
4. There were birds on the tree.

Vocabulary

hours
be
sound

Grammar Gossip

- A.** milkman flower teacher
- B.** 1. children 2. woods 3. Fish
4. Grasses 5. We

- C. 1. He 2. She 3. You
4. They 5. It 6. He
7. We

Reading Skills

Do Yourself.

Activity :

This is a picture of a park. It has benches. It has a walking track. People do morning walk walk on it. There is a green grass bed in the middle. Many flowers grow in it. Butterflies fly the whole day.

Chapter – 7 : Kubuddhi And Subuddhi

Comprehension

- A. 1. (iii) 2. (iv) 3. (i)
4. (iii) 5. (iii) 6. (i)
- B. 1. Villagers to Subuddhi
2. Kubuddhi to Subuddhi
3. Subuddhi to Kubuddhi
- C. 1. proud 2. teach 3. bullocks
4. mud 5. Kubuddhi
- D. 1. Kubuddhi was a farmer.
2. Kubuddhi was proud and quarrelsome.
3. Subuddhi was very polite and he speaks to people in sweet voice.
4. One rainy day Kubuddhi's cart was in mud.
5. When Subuddhi said, "Come what may none can stop the from helping you," Kubuddhi's pride flew away.

Vocabulary

rude
here
ignorant
join
little

Grammar Gossip

- A. 1. The Himalayas are very high mountains.

2. The Chambal river flows through Kota.
3. Kubuddhi was very proud.
4. The Ramayana is the holy book of Hindus.

- B.**
1. Ganga, river, India
 2. Hari, pen, sister, Reema
 3. car, farmer
 4. Children, field
 5. sun, heat

Writing Skills

1. This is an axe. It is used in field for ploughing. Farmers use this tool.
2. This is a truck. It is mostly seen in villages on fields. It is also used by farmer for ploughing their fields and carrying crops.
3. This is a farmer. He is in his field. He is watering the crop with the watering can.

Reading Skills

- a. Subuddhi's friend sent him watermelon.
- b. Subuddhi gave watermelon to Kubuddhi and all their villagers.
- c. Yes, Subuddhi sent watermelon to Kubuddhi.
- d. Kubuddhi did not accept watermelons saying that he was not a beggar.
- e. Subuddhi saw the cart full of corn of Kubuddhi in the mud.
- f. (i) sometimes always
(ii) friend enemy

Chapter – 8 : The Clever Man

Comprehension

- A.**
1. rabari
 2. confectioner
 3. whole
 4. according
 5. 100
- B.**
1. The mango is a fruit.
 2. The sugar is a delicious sweet.

3. The chironji is a dry fruit.
 4. The rabari is a crystal like substance.
- C.**
1. Man to confectioner.
 2. Confectioner to man.
 3. Man to confectioner.
 4. Man to confectioner.
- D.**
1. The man lived in a town.
 2. The man went to a confectioner shop.
 3. The man asked the confectioner for rabri.
 4. The man asked the confectioner to boil the whole milk in the pan.
 5. The man wanted to buy 100 grams of rabari.

Vocabulary

A. Do Yourself.

B. Pan	Nuts
Milk	Sugar
Flour	Almond

Grammar Gossip

- | | | | |
|-----------|----------|---------|------------|
| A. | 1. grove | 2. herd | 3. gallery |
| | 4. hive | 5. bale | |
| B. | 1. a | 2. an | 3. a |
| | 4. an | 5. a | |

Reading Skill

potato	R 10	guava
green chilli	fruit	apple
banana	mango	

Writing Skill

1. The man used to make people fool by his tricks.
2. The man went to a confectioner shop.
3. The man did not see that the confectioner had not the sweet named rabari.
4. The man said, "Boil the whole milk you have in the pan."
5. The man asked the confectioner to boil the whole milk in the pan.

Chapter – 9 : Day In Mount Abu

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (ii) 2. (iv) 3. (i)
4. (iv) 5. (iii) 6. (iii)
7. (i)
- B.** 1. breakfast 2. 28 3. whirling
4. Nakhi 5. toe
- C.** 1. true 2. false 3. true
4. false 5. true
- D.** 1. Mount Abu is located in Aravali mountains.
2. Mount Abu is 28 kms away from Abu road.
3. According to a legend, a Sadhu named Balam Rasia got the lake dug by his nails so it is called the Nakhi lake.
4. The height of the Guru Shikhar is 5653 feet.
5. Dattatreya is an incarnation of God Vishnu Jain Gods. The scripture of these temples in the marble is wonderful. There have no match in the world. These temples belongs to Shwetambar sect of Jainism.
- E.** 1. No 2. Yes 3. No
4. No 5. Yes 6. Yes
7. Yes

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. cold 2. uncovered 3. lowest
4. yes 5. happy 6. displease
- B.** 1. write 2. learn 3. rises
4. works 5. goes

Grammar Gossip

2. Who visited the hills?
We visited the hills.
3. Who visited the temple?
Our parents visited the temple.
4. Who visited the zoo?
I visited the zoo.
5. Who visited the lake?
They visited the lake.

Reading Skill

1. We stayed in the Hotel Neelkanth.
2. The weather was very cold in Mount Abu.
3. At first, they reached Nakhi Lake.
4. Balam Rasia was a Sadhu.
5. (i) legend
(ii) sailing

Chapter – 10 : Subhash Chandra Bose

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (i) 3. (iii)
4. (ii) 5. (i) 6. (ii)
- B.** 1. sacrificed 2. advocate 3. post
4. 1939 5. slogan
- C.** 1. true 2. false 3. false
4. true 5. false
- D.** 1. Britishers ruled India before 1947.
2. Subhash Chandra was born on 23rd January 1897 at Cuttack in Odisha.
3. Subhash Chandra Bose passed ICS from England.
4. Subhash Chandra Bose was elected the president of the Indian National Congress in 1938.
5. Subhash Chandra Bose founded the forward block.
6. Subhash Chandra Bose gave the slogans, 'Delhi Chalo' and 'Jai Hind'.
- E.** 1. Odisha 2. Delhi Chalo and Jai Hind
3. Azad Hind Fauz 4. Struggle
5. Netaji

Vocabulary

sacrificed	advocate	brilliant
struggle	oppose	crash
organized		

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. Mahatma Gandhi is spinning the charkha.
2. Children are holding the national flag.

3. The principal is delivering speech on an Annual Day Function.
 4. Rani Lakshmi Bai fought with the Britishers.
- B.**
- | | | |
|----------|---------|----------|
| running | making | speaking |
| writing | putting | acting |
| bringing | staying | |

Reading Skill

- a. Subhash Chandra Bose was born on 23rd January 1897 at Cuttak in Odisha.
- b. Subhash's father was an advocate.
- c. Subhash Chandra Bose cleared ICS in 1920.
- d. Subhash Chandra Bose did not like to join ICS because it was under the British Government.
- e. (i) advocate
(ii) freedom

Writing Skill

The girls are playing with their brothers. They are also playing with them. They are hitting the ball. The girls are running after it. Men are sitting on a bench. Women are also sitting with them on the same bench. Men are watching the birds on the tree.

Chapter – 11 : Little Birdie

Comprehension

- A.**
1. (iii)
 2. (iii)
 3. (i)
 4. (ii)
- B.**
1. Mother, let me fly away.
 2. Till the little wings are stronger.
 3. Let me rise and fly away.
- C.**
1. Little Birdie says, "Mother, let me fly away."
 2. Little birdie is in her nest.
 3. The mother says little birdie to rest a little longer.
 4. Little baby says to her mother, "Let me rise and fly away."
 5. Mother says to her little baby to sleep a little longer till the little limbs are stronger.

Vocabulary

say	day
longer	stronger
day	away
sleep	peep
rise	wise

Grammar Gossip

- | | | | |
|-----------|----------|-----------|---------|
| A. | 1. nice | 2. costly | 3. holy |
| | 4. black | 5. tasty | |
| B. | Elephant | trumpets | |
| | Lion | roars | |
| | Monkey | chatters | |
| | Owl | hoots | |
| | Parrot | talks | |
| | Cat | mews | |
| | Crow | caws | |
| | Snake | hisses | |

Reading Skill

Do yourself

Writing Skill

Do yourself

Chapter – 12 : At The Railway Station

Comprehension

- | | | | |
|-----------|---------------|------------------------|----------|
| A. | 1. (iii) | 2. (i) | 3. (iii) |
| | 4. (i) | 5. (i) | |
| B. | 1. railway | 2. coolies | 3. news |
| | 4. passengers | 5. watching | |
| C. | 1. true | 2. false | 3. true |
| | 4. false | 5. true | |
| D. | Coolies | takes the luggage | |
| | Pickpockets | cut the pockets | |
| | Passengers | travel by train or bus | |

Hawkers	sell different items
Newspaper boy	sells the newspaper
Ticket collector	collects the tickets

- E.**
1. On the railway platform, we can see trains, standing passengers, hawkers etc.
 2. One train is standing on the platform.
 3. A long queue of passengers is seen before the booking window.
 4. The two men are inside the locker because they are pick pocketeers.
 5. TTE (Travelling Ticket Examiner) collects the tickets at the platform.

Vocabulary

- | | | |
|-------|-------|-------|
| 1. at | 2. on | 3. on |
| 4. in | | |

Grammar Gossip

- A.**
- | | | |
|---------|---------|---------|
| 1. has | 2. have | 3. have |
| 4. have | 5. has | 6. have |
- B.**
- | | |
|-------|-------------|
| queue | halt |
| thief | over bridge |
| rail | TTE |

Writing Skill

This is goods train. It is called 'Maalgaadi' in Hindi. As we travel in train similiary goods are sent from one place to another through goods train.

Chapter – 13 : Greed Is Bad

Comprehension

- A.**
- | | | |
|----------|----------|----------|
| 1. (ii) | 2. (i) | 3. (iii) |
| 4. (iii) | 5. (iii) | |
- B.**
- | | | |
|----------|----------|---------|
| 1. false | 2. true | 3. true |
| 4. false | 5. false | |
- C.**
1. The hen laid one golden egg daily.
 2. The man wanted all the golden eggs in a day only.
 3. The man thought that the hen should have a stomach full of golden eggs definitely.

4. The man cut the hen to get all the golden eggs.
5. The man found only one golden egg inside the stomach of the hen.
6. The lesson teaches us the moral 'Not to be Greedy'.

Vocabulary

- A.** golden ring crown prince
 tomato catch up flour mill
 sweet dish
- B.** rest nest
 hour flower
 bull full
 take wake
 gift shift
 glass class

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. Yes, I drink milk daily.
 No, I do not drink milk daily.
2. Yes, he goes to school in time.
 No, he does not go to school in time.
3. Yes, it is my pen.
 No, it is not my pen.
4. Yes, I was present in the class yesterday.
 No, I was not present in the class yesterday.
5. Yes, I am a player.
 No, I am not a player.
- B.** 1. quickly 2. bitterly 3. carefully
 4. rudely 5. slowly 6. meekly

Writing Skill

1. a very early age. 2. Ajeet
3. an expert cricket coach 4. cricket player
5. Ranji Trophy

Chapter – 14 : A Letter To Friend

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (iii) 3. (ii)
 4. (iii) 5. (i) 6. (iii)

- B.** 1. True 2. False 3. True
 4. True 5. False
- C.** 1. Vinod 2. Rice flour 3. Upama
 4. White lungi 5. Snake Park
- D.** 1. Vinod wrote a letter to Nasir.
 2. Letter was written from Tamil Nadu.
 3. People in Chennai wear white lungi with kurta.
 4. People in Chennai eat idli, dosa, sambhar, upama and thosai.
 5. Vinod visited the Snake Park in Chennai.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. here 2. hot 3. white
 4. snake
- B.** delicious food sambhar dosa
 lungi and kurta flower of jasmine
 sea beach

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. What do we not understand at all?
 2. What are we eating?
 3. How are we feeling?
 4. What do people wear?
 5. When did we come here?
- B.** tall short
 hard easy
 sad happy
 cold hot
 friend enemy
 big small

Composition

- . Red light tells us to stop.
- . Yellow light tells us to be ready.
- . Green light tells us to go.

Chapter – 15 : Train

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iv) 2. (iv) 3. (i)

4. (iv)
- B.** 1. The trains pass through the mountains, plains and rivers.
 2. Trains carry passengers, mails and precious loads.
 3. Yes, trains run at dusk and dawn.
 4. Freight cars here means wagons.

Vocabulary

- A.** Luggage Room Prison Ticket counter
- B.** mountain toad
 river rail
 train dark
 tusk cars
 ray tone

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. driver 2. rail
 3. newspaper boy 4. compartments
- B.** 1. There was a crowd on the platform.
 2. Passengers are taking tickets from the booking window.
 3. There are hawkers, vendors etc. on the railway station.
 4. The guard gives signals to the trains.
- C.** Women Feet
 Media Syllabi
 Oxen Mice
 Policemen Lice
 Teeth Rivers

Writing skills

- | | | |
|-----------|----------|--------|
| went | potatoes | onions |
| buy | apples | guavas |
| ice-cream | Rashmi | |

Chapter – 16 : The Two Princes

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iv) 2. (ii) 3. (i)
 4. (ii)

- B.** 1. king 2. birds 3. Devdutt
 4. pity 5. greater
- C.** 1. True 2. False 3. False
 4. False 5. False
- D.** 1. Devdutt 2. Siddhartha
 3. Siddhartha 4. Devdutt
- E.** 1. Siddhartha was Shuddhodhana's son.
 2. Siddhartha lived in Kapilvastu.
 3. The kind prince liked to go to the garden.
 4. Devdutt shot the swan.
 5. Siddhartha saved the swan.
 6. Siddhartha got the swan.

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. There is a garden in front of my house.
 2. Birds build nests.
 3. The hunter trapped the doves.
 4. Snake is a reptile.
 5. Fruits are healthy to eat.
- B.** 1. I live with my parents.
 This pencil is mine.
 2. I told him to stay here.
 It is his umbrella.
 3. They went to their maternal uncle's house.
 They teach them to obey ones parents.

Writing skills

1. Devdutt shot the swan.
2. Swan was shot by an arrow.
3. The swan flew to the other end of the garden because it got wounded.
4. Siddhartha, the kind prince saved the wounded swan.
5. (i) pulled
 (ii) protection

Chapter –1 : The Dog Enjoys The Picnic**Comprehension**

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (ii) 3. (iv)
4. (ii)
- B.** 1. True 2. False 3. False
4. False 5. False
- C.** 1. Sweet 2. Swimming 3. Shirts
4. Late 5. Apples 6. Stomach
7. Glad
- D.** 1. David and John are going for a picnic.
2. Boys are going to a lake for a picnic.
3. They are in blue shorts and white pants.
4. Boys did swimming in the lake.
5. The dog ate away their eatables.

Vocabulary

- A.** sweet chair
 banana river
- B.** 1. bags 2. ate 3. swimming
4. swimsuits 5. shouted

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. Let's go for a play.
2. Let's go for a ride.
3. Let's go for a drive.
4. Let's go for a movie.
5. Let's go for a swim.
6. Let's go or a party.
- B.** 1. a 2. a 3. an
4. a 5. An, a 6. an
7. an 8. a

Writing skills

1. Yes, there is some tea in it.
2. Prema, there is a cup in the shelf. Is there any tea in it?

3. No, Prema does not want any sugar.
4. Prema asks her mother to bring some bananas, apples, salt and flour.

Chapter – 2 : I’m The Greatest

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iv) 2. (iv) 3. (ii)
- B.** 3, 2, 4, 1
- C.**
1. He was a huge animal, and he was very strong. He was also very proud. He believed that he was the greatest in all Nepal.
 2. One day he left the jungle and climbed over a great range of mountains. He crossed them with great difficulty and came to a big valley that he is the greatest in all Nepal.
 3. No one argued. They all ran away from the proud tiger.
 4. When the tiger came to Kathmandu, he roared again, “I’m the greatest in all Nepal!” Everyone ran away, except one little boy.
 5. The little boy said, “Mount Everest is greater than you. It’s the biggest mountain in the world.” This disappointed the tiger.
 6. No, the tiger was not able to climb the Mount Everest.
 7. All right, growled the tiger. “Mount Everest is the greatest thing in all Nepal!” And then he roared softly to himself, “But I’m still the greatest tiger in all Nepal.

Vocabulary

- A.** Difficult not easy
 Huge very large in size
 Prove show that something is true
 Range a line of mountains
 Reach get to, arrive at
 Rise go upwards

Roar make loud, deep sounds
Proud thinking highly of oneself

- B.** 1. tiger 2. dog 3. monkey
4. elephant

Grammar Gossip

small	smaller	smallest
wise	wiser	wisest
good	better	best
bad	worse	worst
beautiful	more beautiful	most beautiful
old	older	oldest
young	younger	youngest
elder	elder	eldest
fast	faster	fastest
long	longer	longest
near	nearer	nearest
funny	funnier	funniest

Chapter – 3 : I Wonder Why?

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (ii) 2. (iii) 3. (iii)
4. (i)
- B.** 1. I wonder why the grass is green,
2. Who taught the birds to build a nest,
3. O, when the moon is not quite round,
4. Who paints the rainbow in the sky,
- C.** 1. The boy wonders why the
(i) The wind is never seen.
(ii) The grass is green
2. No, the boy has not seen the wind.
3. No, I haven't seen the wind.
4. No one has seen the wind.
5. God lights the star when they blow out.
6. Fluffy clouds hang so high.

Vocabulary

- | | | |
|-----------|--------|--------|
| A. | seen | about |
| | nest | high |
| | round | why |
| B. | Red | Blue |
| | Orange | Indigo |
| | Yellow | violet |
| | Green | |

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. I shall study for exams.
2. I shall jump with the rope.
3. I shall wash my clothes.
4. I shall pray to God.
5. I shall make a drawing.
6. I shall go to school.
- B.** 1. Mohan reads his book.
2. Ravi makes a kite with black paper.
3. She does her work properly.
4. The mango falls from the tree.

Chapter – 4 : The Just King

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (iii) 3. (iii)
4. (ii) 5. (i) 6. (iv)
7. (iv)
- B.** 1. king 2. shouting 3. baby
4. over 5. cut 6. real
- C.** 1. Solomon 2. Minister 3. Solomon
4. Real mother 5. Solomon
- D.** 1. Solomon was the king of Israel.
2. He was famous for his justice.
3. Two women were quarreling outside the court.
4. One of the woman had a baby in her arms.
5. The two women were quarreling over the baby.

6. Solomon lifted his sword to do the justice.
7. The real mother got the baby at last.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. Pandemonium 2. crowd 3. bunch
 4. school 5. cluster
- B.** king queen
 true false
 justice injustice
 real unreal
 shout silent
 her his

Grammar Gossip

1. We shouldn't run on the road.
2. You shouldn't play near the fire.
3. You shouldn't waste your time in playing cards.
4. We shouldn't eat too much food.
5. We shouldn't use towels of other people.
6. You shouldn't cross a busy road anywhere.

Writing skills

Do yourself.

Chapter – 5 : The Tea Story

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (i) 3. (iii)
 4. (i) 5. (iii) 6. (iii)
 7. (i)
- B.** 1. Shon Nog 2. Medicine 3. popular
 4. 701
- C.** 1. Tea is the cheapest drink after water.
 2. Mani Ram Deewan was the first man of India who grew tea leaves in Asom.
 3. Kiya is another name of tea.
 4. The Chinese emperor Shon Nog discovered tea in 273 BC.

5. Tea leaves are picked from tea bushes and sent to the factory to dry. Dried leaves are broken and are turned coloured. Then these are separated as black and green tea leaves and packed.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. Tom kept his balance while learning to ride a bicycle.
2. I love the Aroma of Tata tea.
3. Honey is sweet in taste.
4. We should use adequate amount of water.
5. This is an alternative to this problems.
- B.** 1. Restaurant 2. Train 3. Work places

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. has been 2. have been 3. has been
4. have been 5. has been
- B.** 1. under 2. in 3. by
4. for 5. behind 6. before

Chapter – 6 : The Kind Hearted Lincoln

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (ii) 3. (iii)
4. (i)
- B.** 1. False 2. True 3. False
4. False 5. False 6. True
- C.** 1. Lincoln 2. Farmer 3. Lincoln
4. Farmer 5. Lincoln
- D.** 1. Abraham Lincoln was born on 12th February, 1890 at Kentki in America.
2. Lincoln's father was a woodcutter.
3. Lincoln's mother died when Lincoln was only 9 years old.
4. Yes, his father married again.
5. Lincoln's got the clock from a rich farmer of his village.
6. Lincoln's worked hand for three days at the farmer's field.

7. Abraham Lincoln was the first president of the United States of America.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. woodcutter 2. farmer 3. beggar
4. widow 5. widower
- B.** rich everything
 boredom soft
 take huge
 rest dry

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. She did not call me.
2. We did not invite them to dinner.
3. Ravi did not laugh at the beggar.
4. The sun did not rise in the sky.
5. The girl did not dance on the stage.
- B.** 1. There is an ass in the field.
2. We are chess players.
3. They are not our enemies.
4. I am present in the class.
5. The boys are playing cricket.

Writing skills

2. I go for a walk.
3. I return my home.
4. I take a bath.
5. I eat my breakfast.
6. I take my school bag.
7. I go to my school.
8. I leave the school when it is 1 p.m.

Chapter – 7 : One Thing At A Time

Comprehension

- A.** 1. Work while you work,
Play while you play,
To be useful and happy,
That is the way.

2. On thing at a time.
And that done well.
Is a very good rule,
As many can tell.
- B.** 1. Through the poem poet is trying to teach us a lesson that we should do one thing at its proper time and it must be done completely before starting the new one.
2. If we try to do many things at the same time no work will be perfect.
3. All that you do, Do with your might means whatever you do you must put up all your strength and soul to complete it.

Chapter – 8 : Saving The Tiger

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (iii) 3. (iv)
4. (ii) 5. (iii) 6. (i)
- B.** 1. Man eater 2. Sambhar 3. Bengal Tiger
4. Cave 5. Tiger
- C.** 1. guide 2. bungalow 3. hire
4. famous 5. until
- D.** 1. True 2. False 3. True
4. True 5. False
- E.** 1. Naintal is in Uttarakhand.
2. The guide asked the writer to hire a glass-jeep.
3. Tiger is the fastest animal.
4. Corbett National Park is located in Nainital.
5. A tiger becomes a man-eater when it becomes old or sick.
6. Project Tiger is started by the Government of India to save the tiger.
7. Some types of wild animals are tigers, leopards, guldars, elephants, deer, foxes, pandas, boars, etc.
8. Mostly tigers eat deer, sambhars and cattle like cows, goats, sheep etc.

Vocabulary

- | | | |
|-----------|---------|----------|
| A. | writer | killer |
| | racer | learner |
| | maker | diner |
| | teacher | singer |
| B. | full | closed |
| | stupid | sad |
| | wisdom | sour |
| | humble | anywhere |

Grammar Gossip

- | | | | |
|-----------|----------|----------|---------|
| A. | 1. Where | 2. Why | 3. When |
| | 4. What | 5. Where | 6. Why |
| B. | 1. tail | 2. tale | 3. two |
| | 4. hour | 5. our | |

Writing skills

- | | | |
|------|---------|---------|
| milk | ride | |
| milk | meat | leather |
| eggs | chicken | |
| wool | milk | skin |

Chapter – 9 : Visiting A Fair

Comprehension

- | | | | |
|-----------|--|-----------|-----------|
| A. | 1. (iii) | 2. (i) | 3. (i) |
| | 4. (iv) | | |
| B. | 1. new | 2. no | 3. hungry |
| | 4. golu | 5. stalls | 6. us |
| C. | 1. True | 2. False | 3. False |
| | 4. False | 5. True | 6. True |
| D. | 1. The fair was in Haripur. | | |
| | 2. Mona, with her parents, her brother, Basir Uncle and his family were going to the fair. | | |
| | 3. Mona's uncle was Uncle Basir and Aunt was Parveen. | | |
| | 4. Mona and her parents went to the fair with Uncle Basir in his trolley. | | |
| | 5. Mona bought a doll and Golu bought a toy train. | | |

6. Uncle Basir and Mona's father bought bells for their bullocks.
7. Children saw the magic show and circus in the fair.

Vocabulary

- | | | | |
|-----------|---------------|----------|---------------|
| A. | 1. magic show | 2. bells | 3. giantwheel |
| | 4. stalls | 5. toys | 6. circus |
| B. | doctor | driver | bell |
| | boy | field | nurse |
| | people | head | |

Grammar Gossip

- | | | | |
|-----------|-------------|--------------|-----------|
| A. | 1. many | 2. much | 3. many |
| | 4. many | 5. much | 6. much |
| B. | 1. sister | 2. queen | 3. woman |
| | 4. aunt | 5. tigress | 6. peahen |
| | 7. girl | 8. cow | 9. mother |
| | 10. lioness | 11. daughter | 12. ewe |

Chapter – 10 : The Truth Of Life

Comprehension

- | | | | |
|-----------|----------|---------|----------|
| A. | 1. (iii) | 2. (i) | 3. (iii) |
| | 4. (ii) | 5. (ii) | |
- B.** Channa was — the charioteer of the prince.
 Pyre — a heap of wood used for burning a dead body.
 Bier — A frame of bamboos or wooden strips to carry a dead body
 Feeble — weak
 Problem — difficulty
 Pleasures — comforts
- | | | | |
|-----------|---------------|----------------------|-----------|
| C. | 1. wife | 2. channa | 3. unable |
| | 4. disease | 5. wood | |
| D. | 1. True | 2. False | 3. False |
| | 4. True | 5. true | |
| E. | 1. Siddhartha | 2. Charioteer Channa | |
| | 3. Siddhartha | 4. Siddhartha | |
| | 5. Channa | | |

- F.**
1. Channa was the charioteer of Prince Siddhartha.
 2. Siddhartha first saw an old man.
 3. Siddhartha asked Channa why was an old man asking for person's help.
 4. He is an old man. His body is weak. He is unable to move without the help of other person. He may fall so he is crying for help. All of us have to become old after passing the age.
 5. On his second visit the prince saw a sick and crying man because he is suffering from some disease.
 6. Everybody has to be passed from this pitiful condition. You and me also will have to face this problem.

Vocabulary

deceased	make
try	sorrow
weep	

Grammar Gossip

A.	Speaker	Seeker
	Writer	Reader
	Puller	Teacher
	Doer	Builder

- B.**
1. We have written letters.
 2. She has given a test.
 3. Manoj has left the school.
 4. They have scored 100 runs.
 5. The sun has risen yet.

Writing skills

Do yourself.

Chapter – 11 : How Beautiful is the Rain

Comprehension

- A.**
1. (ii)
 2. (i)
 3. (ii)
 4. (iii)
- B.**
1. After the dust and heat

2. From the throat of the overflowing spout?
 3. With a muddy tide.
- C.**
1. The poet says that the rain is very beautiful because it lessen up the dust and heat.
 2. Across the window pane the poet looks the pouring and pairing of rain.
 3. The sound of the rain drops is clatters which is compared to the sound of footsteps.
 4. Beautiful and struggling.
 5. The poet of the poem 'How Beautiful is the Rain' is H. W, Longfellow.

Vocabulary

- A.**
- | | | |
|----------|-----------|----------|
| 1. lane | 2. heat | 3. spout |
| 4. roars | 5. street | 6. hoofs |
| 7. rain | 8. tide | |
- B.**
- | | | |
|------|------|------|
| 1. f | 2. e | 3. a |
| 4. c | 5. b | 6. d |

C. Fiery, Clatters, Lane, Tide

Grammar Gossip

- A.**
- | | | |
|------------|---------------|------------|
| 1. Monthly | 2. directly | 3. bravely |
| 4. boldly | 5. gracefully | |
- B.**
- | | |
|--------|---------|
| hasn't | haven't |
| hadn't | isn't |
| aren't | amn't |
| don't | doesn't |
| didn't | willn't |

Chapter – 12 : Toad Brings Down The Rain

Comprehension

- A.**
1. (i)
 2. (iii)
- B.** They had dry land.
They asked Yoeme chief.
Swallow went first.
He died because of Yuku's helpers.
Sparrow followed swallow.

She died too because of Yuku's helpers.

Toad succeeded

because of his wit and intelligence.

- C.** 1. true 2. true 3. false
4. true 5. true 6. true
- D.** 1. Yoeme people were desperate for water.
2. Because they were not clever as toad.
3. Toad cleverness saved him from death.
4. Because of his helpers like clouds, storm, wind, thunder etc.
5. Rain helps us in many ways. When it doesn't rain for a long time people will die of thirst and the earth will get cracked. No agriculture will be there and people will die of hunger too.

Vocabulary

- A.** good accept
 favour up
 before run
 unloaded outside
- B.** 1. flock 2. school 3. cluster
4. fleet 5. bunch 6. pack

Grammar Gossip

1. Mayank was not my friend.
2. Is honesty the best policy?
3. Sneha and Sarla were not best friends.
4. Were the frogs in the pond?

Activity

lighting	thunder
storm	puddle
clouds	wind

Chapter – 13 : The Sunderbans

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (i) 3. (iv)
4. (i)

- B.** 1. large 2. alluvial 3. very
4. Jute
- C.** 1. false 2. true 3. true
4. true 5. true
- D.** 1. The Sunderbans Delta is located in West Bengal.
2. Jute is a fibre crop. It is used for making brooms and sacks
3. They are chiefly fisherman and earn their bread by fishing and collecting honey from the remote areas of Sunderbans.
4. The people of the Sunderbans Delta put mask of Man's face behind their faces because it guards the fishermen from tigers.
5. Bandhavgarh National Park is located in the Sunderbans Delta.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. pickle 2. onion 3. sugar
4. rat 5. notebook
- B.** sour weak
stale bright
hated give
small virtual

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. Munna ran fast but he missed the school bus.
2. She ate food and went to her school.
3. Run fast or you may miss your train.
4. Sit down or get out.
- B.** 1. Mother gave me a ball.
2. Reema bought a new cricket bat.
3. A goat has thin legs.
4. We saw a big fish in the lake.
5. It is a beautiful flower.

Writing skills

This is a picture of a computer. It is an electronic device. It works according to the instructions given to it. It is a

multitasking machine. It never gives incorrect results. It is used everywhere now a days.

Chapter – 14 : Androcles And The Lion

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (iii) 3. (ii)
4. (i) 5. (ii)
- B.** 1. Androcles 2. evening 3. walking
4. roasted 5. recognize
- C.** 1. False 2. True 3. False
4. False 5. True
- D.** 1. Greece 2. Slave 3. Cave
4. Thorn 5. Androcles
- E.** 1. Androcles was a slave.
2. Androcles left his master's house because he tortured him much.
3. Androcles spent his night in a cave.
4. The lion was limping because one of its paw was hurt.
5. No, the lion did not rush upon Androcles.
6. Androcles pulled the thorn out of lion's paw.
7. Androcles roasted the rabbit hunted by the lion and satisfy his hunger by eating it.
8. The lion did not attack Androcles, though it was hungry because lion recognized Androcles at once and began to lick his feet.

Vocabulary

impolite	dislike
unlock	imperfect
impatient	disability
unkind	unhappy
unfold	disadvantage

Grammar Gossip

- A.** quietly loudly happily
 angrily verbally laughingly

4. He is our honest servant.
 5. She writes a letter.
- B.** 1. Hari called his friends.
 2. Malaya helped the poor.
 3. Guddie pulled her plait.
 4. He jumped his hood.
- C.** 1. shall 2. will 3. shall
 4. will 5. will 6. shall

Chapter – 16 : Off To Market

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (iii) 3. (iii)
 4. (i)
- B.** 1. him 2. apples 3. much
 4. polythene 5. total 6. market
- C.** 1. True 2. False 3. True
 4. False 5. True
- D.** 1. Montu wants to go market.
 2. Montu buys a Grammar book and two notebooks from a stationary shop.
 3. Montu buys 1 kg. apples and 1 dozen bananas.
 4. Montu pays R 37/- to a vegetable seller.
 5. Montu refuses to pack the vegetables in a polythene bag because it causes water pollution as it chokes the drains.

Vocabulary

Do Yourself

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. heels 2. pen 3. sole
 4. berth 5. comma 6. pair
- B.** 1. are jumping 2. are flying
 3. are doing 4. is writing
 5. are speaking 6. am waiting

2. You will not disturb me because I am tired.
 3. We ran to a house since it was raining heavily.
 4. Make haste otherwise you may miss the train.
 5. Ravi is my friend so I shall help him.
- B.**
1. of
 2. with
 3. over
 4. of
 5. in

Chapter – 3 : Sunita Williams

Comprehension

- A.**
1. (iii)
 2. (iv)
 3. (i)
 4. (i)
- B.**
1. An astronaut of Russia is called a cosmonaut.
 2. A vehicle used for travelling in space is called spacecraft.
 3. A garment designed to allow an astronaut to survive in space is a spacesuit.
 4. Air surrounding the earth is called atmosphere.
 5. Cosmonauts carry liquid foods in the space.
- C.**
1. (f)
 2. (d)
 3. (a)
 4. (e)
 5. (b)
 6. (c)
- D.**
1. Sunita Williams is an astronaut.
 2. Sunita Williams lived in America.
 3. Sunita Williams visited India in the month of September 2007.
 4. To become an astronaut, the person must be physically fit, medically fit and have sound knowledge of science.

Vocabulary

SPACE	ELDER	THIRD
MONTH		

Grammar Gossip

- A.**
1. softly
 2. daily
 3. slowly
 4. quickly
 5. sharply
- B.**
1. Does he walk hard daily?
 2. Who is building the room?
 3. Does she not tell a lie?

4. Were we in the garden yesterday?
5. Does Mona like reading novels?

Writing skills

Do Yourself.

Chapter – 4 : God Made Them All

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (ii) 3. (iv)
 4. (i)
- B.** 1. All things bright and beautiful
 2. Each little flower that opens
 3. The ripe fruits in the garden
 4. How great is God Almighty!
- C.** 1. God made all things and creatures.
 2. The morning and the sunset brighten up the sky.
 3. Tall trees in the green wood are pleasant.
 4. To tell, how great is God Almighty eyes and lips are given to us.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (e)
 4. (c) 5. (d)
- B.** 1. small 5. Sun
 2. beautiful 6. tell
 3. sings 7. wings
 4. sky 8. wise

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. birds 2. air 3. trees
 4. rocks 5. water
- B.** light short
 dull foolish
 big ugly
 juicy huge
- C.** *Countable Nouns* : king, leaf, traveller, sailor, dogs, flats, villas, books, houses, storewell.
Uncountable Nouns : air, glass, ink, ice, fire, wind, temperature, suck, stars, sweet.

Writing skills

Do yourself.

Chapter – 5 : The Great Archer-Eklavya

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (ii) 2. (ii) 3. (iii)
4. (ii)
- B.** 1. red 2. fruit 3. refused
4. arrows
- C.** 1. Eklavya was the son of the king Hiranyadhenu who was the chief of a tribe in the forest near Hastinapur.
2. Dronacharya had promised to Arjuna that there would be no archer better than him in the world. So he refused Eklavya to make him his pupil.
3. Eklavya accepted Dronacharya his guru, so he made a clay statue of Dronacharya, put it on a mound and began to practise of arrow shooting daily. In a few days, he became skilled in shooting arrows.
4. Eklavya presented his right hand thumb to Dronacharya when Dronacharya asked for his fees.

Vocabulary

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

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. Ram and Shyam are swimming; aren't they?
2. There is a hen in the yard; isn't it?
3. It is not true; isn't it?
4. Your brother was in the class; isn't he?
5. We cannot tell a lies; can we?
- B.** 1. Writing
2. Running
3. Sweeping and dusting
4. Eating and dancing
5. Shouting

Writing skills

Do Yourself.

Chapter – 6 : Udaipur – The City of Lakes

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (i) 3. (i)
4. (i) 5. (iii)
- B.** 1. True 2. False 3. True
4. True 5. True
- C.** 1. Udai Singh was the founder of the city Udaipur.
2. The Pichola Lake is on the South West of Udaipur and other three sides are surrounded by a high wall. Inside the lake, the Palace Hotel, Jag Temple, Mohan Temple, Arsi Vilas and Memorial Pillars are constructed on islands. There were 11 poles (gates) and the Suraj Pole is the main gate out of them.
3. In 1754, Maharana Jagat Singh-II got built the Lake Palace on four acre in the Pichola Lake which was his summer resort. Behind it, there is a hill and its three sides touch water of the lake. Its balconies and windows overlook the lake that makes a pleasant murmur with its rippling waves and lapping. At present, this palace has become a luxurious hotel.
4. Maharana Jagat Singh-I got built the Jagdish Temple in the Indo-Aryan style on the North of the palace in 1651. There is a diety of Vishnu in black stone. It is the largest and most splendid temple of Udaipur.
5. Saheliyon-Ki-Bari is a beautiful garden to the north-east side of Fateh Sagar with beautiful buildings inside it. It was prepared by Maharana Sangram Singh-II in 1710-34 AD. Later on, Maharana Fateh Singh rejuvenated it by extended paintings, mirrors, fountains and cenotaphs work.
6. On a white marble platform, the bronze statue of Maharana Pratap on the back of his famous horse Chetak is placed on the top of the hill in Maharana Pratap Memorial..

Vocabulary

1. Closing 5. always
2. useless 6. uncomfortable
3. softly 7. dumb
4. boredom 8. superior

Grammar Gossip

- | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|----------------|----------------|
| A. | big | bigger | biggest |
| | small | smaller | smallest |
| | bad | worse | worst |
| | strong | stronger | strongest |
| | weak | weaker | weakest |
| | brilliant | more brilliant | most brilliant |
| | beautiful | more beautiful | most beautiful |
| | clever | cleverer | cleverest |
- B.** 2. Negative 3. Negative
4. Interrogative 5. Exclamatory

Writing skills

Do Yourself

Chapter – 7 : The Ferris Wheel

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (iii)
- B.** 1. George W. Gole Ferris
2. Chicago
3. Entertainment
4. 21st June 1893
5. George W. Gole Ferris
6. 36
7. 60 people
8. Huge profit
9. Giant wheel
- C.** 1. provide rides for entertainment.
2. (i) it was a wild idea that would fail and give the fair a bad name.
(ii) to showcase a feat of engineering or architecture that would rival the Eiffel
3. chief attraction of the fair.
4. the city below.
5. (i) the women sometimes screamed in terror.
(ii) the men puffed at cigars and sip champagne.
6. no one was ever hurt, raking huge profits to organisers

- D.** 1. World's first giant wheel was built to provide rides for entertainment.
2. First Ferris wheel was erected at the world's columbian exposition; which was held in Chicago in 1893, to celebrate the 400th anniversary of columbus landing in America.
3. In India we call Ferris wheel, a giant wheel.

Vocabulary

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

Grammar Gossip

- | | | |
|---------|-----------|----------|
| 1. hers | 2. its | 3. mine |
| 4. him | 5. theirs | 6. yours |
| 7. ours | | |

Writing skills

Do Yourself

Chapter – 8 : The Stupid King And his Clever Chief Minister

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (ii) 3. (iii)
4. (iv)
- B.** 1. king 2. chief minister
3. king 4. chief minister
5. chief minister
- C.** 1. For the first time, the chief minister said, “The farmers are crying for your help because their crops have been ruined by heavy rains. They do not have food to eat and clothes for wearing.”
2. One day the servant fell ill and he could not go behind the palace.
3. “Your Majesty, the farmers say that they want to pay thanks for the help which you gave them. And they also say that they will come daily to pay thanks to you. The stupid king was much pleased on hearing his praise.

like – dislike

poison – nectar

God – devil

appear – disappear

hate – love

Grammar Gossip

- A.**
1. Rana is rich yet he had no house to live in.
 2. The parrot and my kite is green.
 3. He got up and went for walking.
 4. She is beautiful but not proud of it.
 5. Pay your school fee or you will not be allowed to sit in the class.

Writing skills

Do Yourself

Chapter – 10 : A Journey By Train

Comprehension

- A.**
- | | | |
|----------|---------|---------|
| 1. (i) | 2. (iv) | 3. (iv) |
| 4. (iii) | 5. (ii) | |
- B.**
- | | | |
|---------|----------|----------|
| 1. True | 2. False | 3. False |
| 4. True | 5. True | |
- C.**
- | | | |
|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| 1. annual | 2. Karim | 3. arrive |
| 4. fruit | 5. difficult | |
- D.**
1. The boys started their railway journey from Meerut.
 2. Karim bought four tickets.
 3. The train arrived at half past eleven at the platform.
 4. Kempty Falls is in Mussorie .
 5. The four boys helped the old lady.
 6. Boys were going to Dehradun from Meerut.
 7. Famous visiting points of Dehradun are FRI (Forest Research Institute), Sahastra Dhara and Sulphur water, and Kempty falls at Mussorie.

Vocabulary

- A.**
- | | |
|---------|-----------|
| save | departure |
| winter | buyer |
| selling | easy |
- B.**
- | | | |
|-------------|-------------------|-----------|
| 1. platform | 2. stall | 3. vendor |
| 4. signal | 5. booking window | |

	little	less	least
	many	more	most
	much	more	most
	late	later	latest
	old	older	oldest
B.	intelligent	simple	
	cunning	trustful	
	fantasy	present	
	not fresh	base	
	grassy	utter	
	struggle	focus	
C.	1. We	chess	
	2. He	ghost	
	3. Train	station	
	4. Bird	song	
	5. Students	race	
	6. Lion	rabbit	

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 12 : The Story of Louis Braille

Comprehension

- A.**
1. The people felt that blind people could never learn to read because they thought that the only way to read was to look at word with their eyes.
 2. Louis desperately wanted to read. He realised the vast world of thought and ideas that was looked out to him because of his disability. And he was determined to find the lay to this door for himself and for all other blind persons.
 3. His father made harnesses and other used sharp tools to cut and punch holes in the leather.
 4. While playing with one of his father’s awls Louis hand slipped and he accidentally poked one of his eyes.
 5. These books had large letters that were raised up off

the page. Since the letters were so big, the books themselves were large and bulky. Also it takes time to read each letter and hence the previous read was not remembered for long.

6. The code had been devised by the French Army so that soldiers could read them by running their fingers over them. Over the soldiers understood the code everything worked fine.

B. Method

Raised letters in large books.

Dashes

Six Dots

Advantages

Blind can read

Reading the gigantic books with gigantic raised letters.

The position of different dots would represent the different letters of the alphabet.

Disadvantages

Huge and bulky, less phrases and words.

Slow and cumbersome

No disadvantage. Used till now

Vocabulary

1. think twice
2. otherwise
3. greeted, warmly
4. poke
5. looked out

Grammar Gossip

1. ourselves
2. yourself
3. yourselves
4. myself
5. himself
6. herself
7. themselves
8. itself

Writing skills

Do Yourself

Chapter – 13 : King’s Youngest Daughter

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (ii) 3. (i)
- B.** 1. True 2. False 3. True
4. True 5. False

- C.** 1. daughters 2. wicked 3. angry
4. ashamed
- D.** 1. The king had three daughters.
2. The first two daughters were cunning and wicked.
3. The king asked his eldest daughter that how much did she loves him.
4. The third daughter said, “Your Majesty and my dear father, I respect you as a king and love as a father. I do not loves you more or less. I believe in hard work and luck.”
5. Like her elder sister; she, too, became tired of his father and his 50 courtiers. So one day, she said to her old father, “Dear father, I think, you need only 5 courtiers. They need much money and make a lot of noise in the palace.” The king understood that this girl also did not like him and his courtiers.
6. At last the king lived with his youngest daughter.

Vocabulary

- A.** crafty empire
 evil nature
 falsifier abuse
 answer bravery
- B.** 1. minister 2. prince 3. princess
4. messenger 5. queen

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. I got a beautiful unit watch.
2. The king reached the Rishi’s Ashram.
3. I remembered my childhood days.
4. I understood my teacher’s intention.
- B.** 1. I went to school daily.
2. She wrote a letter to her mother.
3. Mayank spoke English fluently.
4. Sachin scored a century in every match.

Writing skills

Do Yourself.

Chapter – 14 : Be An Environment Buddy

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iv) 2. (ii) 3. (iii)
4. (i) 5. (iii) 6. (i)
- B.** 1. (f) 2. (e) 3. (d)
4. (c) 5. (b) 6. (a)
- C.** 1. The gentleman was throwing the wastes into the drain.
2. Dirty water was spread on the road.
3. Dirty water is a heaven for breeding mosquitoes and mosquitoes spread malaria and dengue fever.
4. High volumed noise is a kind of noise pollution which can make people deaf.
5. Very high volume causes sound pollution.
6. If the eatables are kept in open tray flies sit on them. The germs of cholera are taken by them from contaminated food and drinks to fresh sweets and food. It is the way by which cholera is infected.

Vocabulary

1. of 2. on 3. by
4. on 5. besides 6. in

Grammar Gossip

- A.** isn't doesn't
 aren't didn't
 amn't haven't
 will'nt shall'nt
 should'nt mustn't
- B.** 1. in, at 2. off 3. over
4. in 5. on 6. of

Writing skills

Do Yourself.

Chapter – 15 : Just Keep Walking

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iv) 2. (i) 3. (i)
4. (ii) 5. (i)

- B.** 1. A tiger whispers, “Where are you going?”
 2. I will just keep walking if a tiger asks me, “Where are you going?”
 3. If you find a tiger is a bore then you would go your home.

Vocabulary

- | | | |
|-----------|-----------|--------|
| A. | going | door |
| | walking | fights |
| | talking | deep |
| | lighter | do |
| B. | reply | house |
| | alongside | entry |
| | puncture | cut |
| | quarrel | close |

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. She is working hard to pass the examination.
 2. He is playing in the field.
 3. We are learning our lessons.
 4. The fisherman is catching the fish.
 5. The sun is rising in the sky.
- B.**
- | | |
|---------|----------|
| going | walking |
| doing | hearing |
| playing | gliding |
| finding | speaking |

Writing skills

Do Yourself.

Chapter – 16 : A Visit To A Village

Comprehension

- | | | |
|---|-----------|----------|
| A. 1. (i) | 2. (i) | 3. (ii) |
| 4. (iii) | | |
| B. 1. True | 2. False | 3. True |
| 4. False | 5. True | |
| C. 1. Play | 2. Plough | 3. are |
| 4. get | 5. see | 6. go to |
| D. 1. Amit and Mohit read in D.A.V. Public school. | | |

2. Amit went to Mohit's village in Dussehra holidays.
3. Mohit gets fresh milk and vegetables from his farm house.
4. Weekly market is held every Sunday at Haripur.
5. There are no fast food shop in Mohit's village as it upsets our stomachs.
6. Farmers of Haripur village use tractor and modern tools like harrow, tiller, seed drill etc.

Vocabulary

- | | | |
|----------|------------|--------------|
| 1. small | 2. cunning | 3. delicious |
| 4. sour | 5. dense | |

Grammar Gossip

- A.**
1. From where do the villagers buy things of their daily use?
 2. Who plough their fields with tractor?
 3. When did Mohit go to his village?
 4. Who liked the village life very much?
 5. Where is Haripur located?
- B.**
- | | | |
|---------|--------|---------|
| 1. any | 2. any | 3. some |
| 4. some | 5. any | 6. any |

Writing skills

Do Yourself.

Chapter – 17 : Birbal's Trick

Comprehension

- A.**
- | | | |
|----------|----------|---------|
| 1. (iii) | 2. (iii) | 3. (ii) |
| 4. (iii) | | |
- B.**
- | | | |
|----------|----------|---------|
| 1. True | 2. False | 3. True |
| 4. False | 5. False | |
- C.**
1. There were nine jewels in the court of Mughal emperor Akbar.
 2. Birbal was well known for his intelligence and wit.
 3. Birbal called the eight servants. He gave each of them a stick of the same size. He told them the stick of the thief would become longer by an inch

tomorrow and asked them to come to the court the next day.

4. The thief who have stolen the favourite ring of the emperor cut his stick by one inch and next day appeared before Akbar and Birbal along with his seven colleagues. The thief was very clever so he cut his stick by an inch. But it was a trick played by Birbal. Thus, the thief was caught.
5. One of the servants cut his stick by an inch.
6. Diwan-E-Khas was Akbar's court.

Vocabulary

- A.**
- | | |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Favourite ring | 2. clever trick |
| 3. nine jewels | 4. diwan-e-khas court |
| 5. short stick | |
- B.**
- | | |
|-------------|----------------|
| 1. princess | 2. he-goat |
| 3. bitch | 4. peahen |
| 5. lass | 6. doe |
| 7. mare | 8. washerwoman |

Grammar Gossip

- A.**
- | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| 1. slower, slower | 2. harder, harder |
| 3. brighter, brighter | 4. higher, higher |
| 5. faster, faster | |
- B.**
1. Who stole the diamond ring of Akbar?
 2. Who helped Akbar in finding his ring?
 3. What did Birbal do to find out the ring?
 4. What was the result of Birbal's trick?
 5. What did Birbal do to catch the thief?

Writing skills

1. No one has seen the wind.
2. When the wind is passing through the leaves hang trembling.
3. Trembling leaves and trees bow down their heads, tell us that the wind is passing by.
4. You – through; I – by

- B.** 1. Cheaper 2. highest 3. lighter
 ' 4. most intelligent 4. better 5. favourite

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 2 : At the Field

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (i) 3. (iii)
 4. (i) 5. (iv)
- B.** 1. True 2. False 3. True
 4. False 5. True 5. True
- C.** 1. profession 2. reached 3. stopped
 4. get 5. nearby
- D.** 1. Anil's Uncle profession is farming. He is a farmer.
 2. The man was ploughing the field for sowing the seeds of wheat by the tractor.
 3. Plants get essential nutrients from the fertilizers.
 4. Some roots which are used as vegetables are carrots, radishes and turnips.
 5. Onions are like root vegetables like radishes, carrot etc but as they have scale leaves on them. So they are stems.
 6. Farmers grow all the food for us.

Vocabulary

- A.** Roots Stems
 Carrot Maize
 Turnip Potato
 Beetroot Groundnut
 Barley Ginger
- B.** 1. plough 2. fertilizer 3. tractor
 4. sack 5. wheat 6. carrot
 7. thresher 8. field

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. *Noun* : He told the lie in front of his mother.
 Verb : He was lying on the floor.

2. *Noun* : The farmer had a good harvest this time.
Verb : He harvested a good crop.
 3. *Noun* : I want to drink a glass of water.
Verb : Mother ordered me to water the plants.
 4. *Noun* : Manure is the organic form of nutrients for plants.
Verb : Mr. Verma had manured the plants yesterday.
 5. *Noun* : Farmer had given a pile of wooden sticks to his four sons.
Verb : Servants piled up all the leaves from garden and throw it at corner.
- B.**
1. My mother went to the market to buy cooking oil.
 2. The teacher punished the boys to improve them.
 3. The doctor gave medicines to cure the patient.
 4. The English misbehaved with Indians to insult them.
 5. The player practised bowling for a long time to be a good bowler.

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NOTICE

DD/MM/YY

WATCH LOST

Lost my new metal strapped Titan wrist watch in the playground during break. If someone find it, please inform the under signed.

ABC
Students
Class

Chapter – 3 : On The Verge of Extinction

Comprehension

- A.**
- | | | |
|----------|---------|---------|
| 1. (iv) | 2. (iv) | 3. (iv) |
| 4. (iii) | | |
- B.**
- | | | |
|---------|----------|----------|
| 1. True | 2. False | 3. False |
| 4. True | 5. True | 5. True |

- C.**
1. Some domesticated animals are cows, buffaloes, goat, sheep, camels, horses, yaks, etc.
 2. Animals which eat dead animals are called scavengers. Vultures are called to be the best scavengers of the nature because they eat dead animals and purify the environment.
 3. The Vultures are disappearing because of scarcity of meat, the food of vultures and hawks.
 4. In 1972, the project tiger was launched and after few years, the number of tigers in our forest, rose up to the satisfactory level.
 5. Dolphins and blue whales are facing danger because of the regular killing for getting oil, meat and bones.

Vocabulary

A.	Vulture	Whale	Animals
	Found	Tiger	Benefit
	Killed	Nimble	Project
	Carnivorous	Hunter	Environment

- B.**
1. tiger, lion
 2. cow, goat
 3. polar bear, penguin
 4. elephant, giraffe
 5. camel, rat

Grammar Gossip

- A.**
- | | | |
|------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1. assumes | 2. catches | 3. engulves |
| 4. eats | 5. swallows | 6. jumps |
- B.**
1. The Kangaroo : has a pouch to keep its immature baby.
 2. The duck : can walk on the land surface and swim in the water.
 3. The pigeon : is a peace loving bird.
 4. The snake : swallows the whole frog or rat.
 5. The monkey : is a naughty animal.
 6. The frog : is an amphibian.

7. The hawk : can prey birds in the sky.
8. The elephant : is the biggest land animal.

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 4 : The Song of The Grass

Comprehension

- A.**
- | | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| 1. open door | 2. humming |
| 3. creeping | 4. pleasant |
| 5. gentle cow, merry bird | |
- B.**
1. The places where grass creeps into are the dusty roadside, sunny hillside, in every shady nook and all around the open door.
 2. The seasons which are mentioned here is summer and the times of the day mentioned here are stary night and glad morning.
 3. The people who are mentioned in the poem are aged poor and children. They sit and play respectively.
 4. Grass comes creeping everywhere.
 5. brook - nook play - may
 coming - humming night - light
 flowers - hours glad - sad

Vocabulary

- A.**
- | | |
|----------------|---|
| fun – funny | He is acting funny today. |
| silk – silky | This silky cloth is my favourite. |
| cloud – cloudy | It is cloudy today. |
| rock – rocky | What the rocky music is this! |
| stone – stony | He had a stony body like Arnold. |
| star –stary | Salman Khan gave the stary performance in life awards. |
| scare – scary | When I saw that scary movie, I was filled up with fear that time. |
| sun – sunny | We must go on picnic on this sunny day. |

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 5 : Thomas Alva Edison

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (i) 3. (iii)
4. (iii) 5. (ii)
- B.** 1. doing 2. dozen 3. girl
4. series 5. America
- C.** 1. Edison was Native of America and he was fond of doing experiments. His full name was Thomas Alva Edison.
2. Edison was taken out of the school because he had asked a silly question that kite don't have wings then also it fly. On this teacher lost the control over his patience. She thought that the boy was naughty and stupid.
3. She fell ill because she drank the mixture given by Edison without any knowledge about it.
4. Edison saw a hen is sitting on eggs and hatching them.
5. When Edison's mother saw him sitting on dozen of smashed eggs and had spoilt his shorts, then mother beat him badly.
6. Edison started working on Electric bulb in 1878.
7. Inventions made by Edison are gramophone and electric bulb.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. series 2. inventions 3. believe
4. experiment 5. mixture 6. childhood
- B.** question answer
never always
few more
replied asked

food etc. They also produce oxygen. They makes the air fresh.

3. The process by which green plants prepare their food in the presence of sunlight, air and water is called photosynthesis.
4. Oxygen gas is produced during the process of photosynthesis.
5. Wild animals get shelter and food from the forests.
6. People make wooden house in hills to keep them safe from havoc of Earthquakes.
7. Vanmohatsav is a programme started by government through which a lot of plants are sown every year.

Vocabulary

- A.**
- | | |
|----------------|----------------|
| furniture | timber |
| wild animals | forest shelter |
| photosynthesis | oxygen |
| lentils | protein |
| goat | meat |
- B.**
- | | | |
|-------------|----------|-------------|
| 1. domestic | 2. lose | 3. he goat |
| 4. empty | 5. sheep | 6. indirect |
| 7. ignorant | | |

Grammar Gossip

- A.**
1. Do not help the beggar, please.
 2. Do not open the door, please.
 3. Do not give me food to eat, please.
 4. Do not call your brother, please.
 5. Do not write your roll number, please.
- B.**
- | | | |
|------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1. to take | 2. to drive | 3. to take |
| 4. to pass | 5. to cook | 6. to watch |

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 7 : The Lion’s Message

Comprehension

- A.**
- | | | |
|-----------|---------------|-------------|
| 1. moment | 2. astonished | 3. reminded |
|-----------|---------------|-------------|

4. gift 5. Majesty 6. parrot
- B.** 1. Teacher 2. Vibhor 3. Rohit
4. elephant 5. forest trees 5. lion
- C.** 1. Rohit went on a tour to the forest with his friends and teachers.
2. Rohit's teacher asked him not to go into the deep forest.
3. They saw that a lion was moaning in a cage under a big tree in the forest.
4. Sahil and Vibhor refused Rohit to open the cage of the hunger lion because they were afraid of it. They thought that they should leave the spot at once.
5. Yes, the lion rushed upon Rohit and his friends. Sahil and Vibhor ran very fast but the lion stood before Rohit.
6. The elephant said to the lion that last year some hunters caught his mother in chains and sold her to the owner of a circus.
7. The trees said to the lion that the man make them victim. They have been serving man since long. He also added that the boy was one of them and he will also follow his ancestors, so kill him at once.
8. The lion had not killed Rohit because he had saved the took and take him out of the cage.

Vocabulary

- A.** Hissing sound made by a snake.
 Oxygen gas needed for livings.
 Carbon dioxide gas consumed by plants as
 their food.
- Forest an area full of trees.
 Purify make free from impurities.
- B.** true false
 stood sat
 loudly silently
 encourage discourage
 deep shallow

create	destroy
kind	cruel
fast	slow
punishment	reward

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. Yes, the children were in the forest.
 2. No, the teachers were not with the boys.
 3. Yes, the monkeys were on the trees.
 4. Yes, the elephant and the deer were near the lion.
 5. Yes, it is wrong to kill animals for our benefit.
- B.** 1. Alas! 2. Hurray! 3. How!
 4. What! 5. What! 6. Oh!
- C.** 1. She bought four books.
 2. You, I and he should take exams seriously.
 3. This is not my house.
 4. I know what you say.
 5. I met a man whose leg is defective.
 6. A lot of work is to be done yet.

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 8 : The Skylark

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iv) 2. (i) 3. (iii)
 4. (i) 5. (i)
- B.** 1. A skylark hang between the two,
 A singing speck above the corn.
 2. And silent sank, and soured to sink
 3. To right and left beside my walks;
 I knew he had a nest unseen.
 4. While swift the sunnay moments slid,
 perhaps his mate sat listening long.
- C.** 1. The earth was green and the sky was blue.
 2. The skylark was between the earth and the sky.

3. White butterflies danced on the wings.
4. The nest was somewhere among the million.
5. Christina Rossetti composed this poem .

Vocabulary

- A.**
- | | |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| 1. morn – corn | 2. accord – soared |
| 3. sing – wing | 4. unseen – green |
| 5. stalks – walks | 6. long – song |
- B.**
- | | | |
|----------|-----------|----------|
| 1. blue | 2. big | 3. below |
| 4. seen | 5. gloomy | 6. short |
| 7. noisy | 8. above | 9. slow |
| 10. hard | | |

Grammar Gossip

- A.**
- | | | |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. buses | 2. boxes | 3. foxes |
| 4. studios | 5. donkeys | 6. hooves |
| 7. umbrellas | 8. quizzes | 9. turkeys |
| 10. volcanoes | 11. chiefs | 12. families |
| 13. wives | 14. trophies | |
- B.**
- | | | |
|------|------|-------|
| 1. a | 2. a | 3. an |
| 4. a | 5. a | |
- C.**
- | | | |
|--------|----------|----------|
| 1. for | 2. since | 3. since |
| 4. for | 5. for | 6. since |

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 9 : The Story of Ice and Ice Cream

Comprehension

- A.**
- | | | |
|----------|----------|--------|
| 1. (i) | 2. (iii) | 3. (i) |
| 4. (iii) | 5. (i) | 6. (i) |
- B.**
- | | | |
|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. summer | 2. several | 3. Egyptians |
| 4. cold | 5. preserver | 5. France |
- C.**
1. Vegetables, fruits and cooked food can be preserved by keeping them in refrigerator which keep them fresh.
 2. In ancient times, the Egyptians used to put some

water out in a shallow earthen wares. During the night the temperature in sandy areas like Egypt falls below 0° celcius that is why a thin layer of ice formed on the surface of the water.

3. Alexander the great came in India about 2000 years age. He ordered his soldiers to fetch snow from high mountains.
4. Babur was the founder of Mughal dynasty. He wished before his people to bring snow from snowcaps of mountains located in Kabul.
5. Yes, they had brought ice for Babur. They arranged it from Kabul for their emperor at any cost.
6. Marco Polo was the Indian traveller. He was served with cold milk and ice by Chinese.
7. They used to cut the ice in blocks and preserved it in dark caves wrapping in straw and sawdust.
8. The first ice-preserves were made by an Englishman about 2000 years ago.
9. Dolley Madison, the wife of the American president made ice-cream for the first time.

Vocabulary

- | | | | |
|-----------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| A. | 1. FILED | 2. THORN | 3. BASIC |
| | 4. DWARF | 5. GIANT | |
| B. | 1. watching | 2. overtake | 3. telephoning |
| | 4. advice | 5. cold | 6. remind |

Grammar Gossip

- | | | |
|-----------|---|--------------------|
| A. | 1. I bought the car and went to my village. | |
| | 2. He was very clever but he was deceived. | |
| | 3. Sachin tried much but he could not score hundred runs. | |
| | 4. We worked hard yet we could not succeed. | |
| | 5. The sun rose and the birds began to chirp. | |
| | 6. They had a lot of money yet they had least pride. | |
| B. | 1. ment – judgement | 2. per – stopper |
| | 3. able – valueable | 4. ous – humourous |

- | | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 5. ness – kindness | 6. ful – beautiful |
| 7. ful – hopeful | 8. ment – government |
| 9. ness – strongness | 10. ly – friendly |
| 11. dence – attendance | 12. ment – employment |

- C.**
- | | |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| 1. im – improve | 2. dis – disconnect |
| 3. un – unhappy | 4. dis – dishonest |
| 5. dis – displace | 6. non – nonstop |
| 7. im – impart | 8. un – unsent |
| 9. dis – disable | 10. dis – disclose |
| 11. un – unlucky | 12. in – informal |
| 13. dis – disobey | 14. il – illegal |
| 15. im – improper | 16. re – rearrange |
| 17. un – unmount | 18. re – replay |
| 19. ut – utmost | 20. un – unplease |

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 10 : Snowwhite And Seven Dwarfs

Comprehension

- A.**
- | | | |
|----------|----------|---------|
| 1. (ii) | 2. (iii) | 3. (ii) |
| 4. (iii) | 5. (i) | 6. (ii) |
| 7. (iv) | 8. (ii) | 9. (iv) |
| 10. (i) | 11. (ii) | 12. (i) |
- B.**
- | | | |
|----------|----------|----------|
| 1. False | 2. False | 3. False |
| 4. False | 5. True | |
- C.**
1. She was a beautiful girl who was hardly eight years old.
 2. The King married again because some time before the mother of snow white had died.
 3. The new queen was a beautiful women and was proud of her beauty.
 4. The queen asked her mirror that who is the most beautiful lady in the world.
 5. The wicked women ordered his servants to take snow white into jungle and kill her.

6. The seven dwarfs in the forest gave the shelter to snow white.
7. The prince took coffin of snowwhite with him.
8. The queen was quite upset and became mad. She broke the mirror and took poison, fell down to the ground and dead.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. magic 2. piercing 3. servant
 4. hours 5. patience 6. dwarfs
- B.** answered replied
 beautiful nice
 dead innate
 young not too old
 kind pitiful
 fainted unconscious
 wicked cruel
 permitted allowed
- C.** 1. dwarf 2. cruel
 3. kind 4. liar
 5. unbelievable 6. queen

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. She cannot run fast on the track.
 2. We should not tease others.
 3. They must not be good boys.
 4. He would not write a letter.
 5. Mohan may not take my pen.
- B.** 1. Does he do his work daily?
 2. What does mother cook?
 3. Does Mahima tell lie?
 4. Does the train ever arrive in time?
 5. Do the birds make noise?
- C.** 1. There are mice in my shop.
 2. Teeth of the man are very sharp.
 3. I saw a geese in the lake.

4. The girl have lice in her hair.
5. The men are watching the match.

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 11 : Andaman And Nicobar Islands

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (ii) 3. (ii)
4. (iv) 5. (iv) 6. (i)
7. (i) 8. (ii) 9. (iii)
10. (ii)
- B.** 1. territory 2. 572 3. English
4. climate 5. appoints
6. Andaman wood pigeon
- C.** 1. True 2. False 3. False
4. True 5. False
- D.** 1. There are 572 mini islands in Andaman and Nicobar island.
2. There are 38 inhabited islands in Andaman and Nicobar island out of which 25 are in Andaman and 13 in Nicobar Island.
3. Kala Pani (Black Water) is the punishment given by Britishers to the political prisoners. It was also known as cellular jail.
4. The climate of Andaman and Nicobar islands is tropical type. The atmospheric temperature stays between 18° to 34°C. It has average rainfall of about 3000 mm/year. It has agro-based cum tourism based economy. The main crop grown here is paddy. Coconut, chillies, cloves, nutmeg and cardamom spices are also grown here. 7171 sq. km. area of total land is covered with forests.
5. The president is known as the Chief administrator of Andaman and Nicobar islands.

6. Tribes like Onge, Jarawas, Sentinelese and the great Andamanese are found in Andaman and Nicobar islands.
7. Language spoken here are Hindi, Tamil, Bengali, Malayalam, Teluge and other Nicobari languages.
8. The national parks, airports, fairs and festivals of Andaman and Nicobar Islands are :

National parks : Mahatma Gandhi marine national park, Rani Jhansi National Marine Park, Middle Buton Island National Park, Mount Harriest nationals, North Buton Island National Park etc.

Airport : Port Blair, Nicobar

Fairs and Festivals : Subhash Mela, Vivekanand Mela, Panguni Uthiram, Pongal, etc.

Vocabulary

- A.**
1. **Lose** : he will surely lose this match.
Loose : you have tied a loose knot.
 2. **Pan** : I have broken this pan by mistake.
Pane : A bird is sitting on a window pane.
 3. **Their** : Parents are keen to help their children.
There : Teacher ordered the student to stand there.
 4. **Here** : Here's a dish that is quick to make.
Hear : Behind her she could hear man's voice.
 5. **Fair** : The group has achieved fair and equal representation from all its members.
Fare : We should go to Australia, but we cannot afford air fare.
- B.**
- | | |
|----------|--------|
| 1. went | gone |
| 2. came | come |
| 3. did | done |
| 4. spoke | spoken |
| 5. hung | hung |
| 6. rang | rung |

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. The elephant can lift a very heavy log.

2. The carpenter can make furniture from wood.
 3. The tiger can run very fast.
 4. The mountaineer can climb a high hill.
 5. The teacher can teach you Maths.
- B.**
1. Our country has given birth to whom?
 2. Where was Ravi Born?
 3. What was awarded to him?
 4. Which missile was prepared by Dr Kalam?
 5. Who had prepared the second missile of India?

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 12 : The Perfect Life

Comprehension

- A.**
1. (i)
 2. (ii)
 3. (i)
 4. (i)
- B.**
1. In bulk cloth make man better be.
 2. Although it falls and die that night.
 3. In small proportions we just beauties see.
- C.**
1. Poem – The Perfect Life, Poet – Ben Johnson
 2. An oak tree lives nearly about 300 years.
 3. After the death of Oak tree, it's dry, bold and sere log falls on ground.
 4. Lily of a day means that lily which lives only for short period of time.
 5. Lily is very beautiful in the month of May.

Vocabulary

- A.**
- | | |
|------------------|----------------|
| 1. tree – be | 2. year – sere |
| 3. night – light | 4. see – bee |
| 5. fake – lake | 6. free – tree |
| 7. grant – plant | 8. part – cart |
- B.**
- | | |
|-----------|--------------|
| 1. hungry | 2. dangerous |
| 3. weak | 4. poor |

5. national
7. beautiful

6. central
8. honest

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. Where
3. Which
5. Why

2. What
4. When
6. Whose

- B.** 1. does not read
3. is not
5. do not eat

2. did not buy
4. did not write
6. did not wash

- C.** 1. the 2. an 3. a
4. the 5. a 6. the
7. an 8. the 9. the
10. a

Chapter – 13 : The Noble Horse

Comprehension

- A.** 1. more 2. grandest 3. seven
4. second 5. able 6. hard

- B.** 1. King Brahmadata ruled over the kingdom of Benares.
2. He had the most beautiful horse in the world. This horse was as swift as deer and graceful as swan.
3. Other kings want to conquer the city of Benares which was grandest and happiest kingdom that time.
4. When the knight reached to capture the sixth king, the knight's horse was wounded.
5. The noble horse said to the knight "Brave knight unless you take me, you can't win the battle. So put my armour on my back once more, and we will win the battle together.
5. Yes, king Brahmadata freed all seven kings. He does it so because his most favourite horse said him to free them.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. little 2. under 3. slow

4. favour 5. defeated 6. friend

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. The servant was cooking the food.
2. The elephant was chewing the tree branches.
3. Cows were yielding the milk.
4. Mahesh was learning his lesson.
5. The train was arriving at the platform.
- B.** 1. has departed 2. have gone
3. has said 4. has broken
5. have made 6. has opened

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 14 : Lifting A Tail

Comprehension

- A.** 1. The monkey prevented Bhima's progress.
2. His parents were Kunti and Pandu.
3. Hanuman was the king of all monkeys.
4. Bhima wanted to move the tail of the monkey.
5. Monkey stopped Bhima because there is a curse on every mortal who enters this forest.
- B.** 1. Monkey advised Bhima to return back from the forest.
2. The simple thing was the tail of weak old monkey which became task for Bhima. He also didn't want to hurt the old monkey.
3. The monkey was actually the king of monkey, Lord Hanuman. He prevented Bhima from entering the forest to save him because there was a curse on every mortal who will enter that forest.
4. The story teaches us that we should not think anyone smaller than us like Bhima did that he will able to move the tail of monkey.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. snake 2. tail 3. fare

- | | | |
|---------|----------|------------|
| 4. vane | 5. night | 6. weather |
| 7. knew | 8. floor | |

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. Parents should be obeyed.
 2. Elders are not insulted by them.
 3. English grammar is taught to us by teacher.
 4. Work is not done properly by me.
 5. We should not be relayed by them.
- B.** 1. without 2. in 3. with
 4. in 5. for 6. in

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 15 : Mountain And Squirrel

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (i) 2. (ii) 3. (iii)
 4. (ii) 5. (i)
- B.** 1. cheque 2. prize 3. weather
 4. effect 5. sale 5. dairy
- C.** 1. must be taken in together.
 2. You are not so small as I.
 3. If I cannot carry forest on my back, neither can you crack a nut.
- D.** 1. The quarrel was between squirrel and the mountain.
 2. Mountain was proud of its huge size.
 3. The poet who composed this poem is Ralph Waldo Emerson.
 4. Squirrel is very small in front of the mountain. The work which small flexy squirrel can do can't be done by huge hard rocky mountain.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. fountain – mountain 2. kindness – doubtless
 3. wake – make 4. gun – bun
 5. fall – all 6. either – neither

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. I and my friends felt haunted at the old British house
2. He inspired me to do hard work.
3. I had polished the car with car wax.
4. My mother ironed my clothes.
- B.** 1. why 2. how 3. why
4. how 5. how

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 16 : Maharishi Dayanand

Comprehension

- A.** 1. Hinduism 2. Mool Shankar
3. primary 4. studied
5. without 6. illness
- B.** 1. False 2. True 3. False
4. True 5. True 5. True
- C.** 1. Maharishi Dayanand name was given to Mool Shankar.
2. His parents were Krishnan Ji Trivedi and Shobha Bai.
3. A mouse came in the courtyard of temple and began to climb the Shivling and went on eating the offerings of Shiva.
4. His younger sister became the victim of cholera.
5. The guru of Swami Dayanand was Guru Purnanand.
6. Swami Dayanand Saraswati opposed the idol worship and hypocrisy and reformed the society.

Vocabulary

- A.** 1. cauliflower 2. cabbage 3. hospital
4. pencil 5. tiger 6. cliff
- B.** 1. parents 2. mice 3. houses
4. men 5. women 6. ladies
7. duties 8. offerings

Grammar Gossip

- A.** 1. The student is sad because he has failed in the exams.
2. The night fell and we went to sleep.
3. The beggar did not beg so I gave him nothing.
4. The gate was closed so I could not get in.
5. Lakkhimal was a miser but he had a beautiful pair of shoes.
6. Anmol could not go to school because he was not feeling well.
- B.** 1. **Fair** : This time, fair elections had taken place.
Fair : No one could say he played fair.
2. **Hide** : Don't hide your face.
Hide : At a nearby wildlife sanctuary, children study birds from hides.
3. **Right** : You have done exactly right.
Right : We must go in the right direction.
4. **Bear** : Bill arrived, bearing a large picnic hamper.
Bear : He could hardly bear his sarcasm.

Writing skills

Do yourself

Chapter – 17 : Not Our Problem

Comprehension

- A.** 1. (iii) 2. (i) 3. (i)
4. (ii) 5. (ii) 6. (i)
7. (iii)

- B.** The palace helpers — will clean it later.

The drop of honey slowly — began to drip down the windowsill.

There seems to be — a cat and dog fight in the street.

Perhaps we should call — someone to stop them.

Soon the soldiers, too, — had joined the fight.

4. *Do every year*

1. I celebrate my birthday every year.

2. I fly kites every year on Basant Panchmi.

- D.** 1. saw 2. had 3. knew
4. arrived 5. spoke

Writing Skills

A. 1. So I looked fr a shade.

2. So were punished.

3. So went to sleep.

4. So I was not afraid.

5. So I ran fast

B. so, and, but, but, and, and.