

# ENGLISH READER – ANSWER KEY – (Class-1)

## CHAPTER-1 : PLAYING WITH FRIENDS

### Let's Answer

Choose answers for the following questions.

Ans. 1. Arnav      2. Mahi      3. in the park      4. Yes

### Words in Use

A. Write the names of the following play things.

Ans. Ball      Toy Car      Doll

B. Match the words that sound a like.

Ans. ball - hall  
name - game  
play - day  
far - car

### Grammar in Use

A. Arrange these naming words in proper columns.

Ans. brother      cow      ball      kitchen  
doctor      dog      doll  
driver      cat      toy  
friend      car  
desk

B. Fill in the blanks using is, am or are.

Ans. 1. am      2. is      3. are      4. is

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-2 : MANY TOYS

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

Ans. 1. Aayush and Deepa went to a toy shop.  
2. They saw robot, teddy bear and parrot.  
3. No, it was a toy parrot.  
4. The parrot said-I love green chillies.  
5. Deepa said-We love you.

### Words in Use

A. Do it yourself.

B. Can you match the opposite words?

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

### Grammar in Use

A. Look at the pictures and complete the questions.

Ans. No, it is green.

What is this ?

Is it black ?

What is this ?

Is it dancing ?

B. Add 's' to the following words and make them many.

Ans. 1. Toys      2. Shops      3. Parrots      4. Bears      5. Robots

**Speaking :** Do it yourself

**Writing :**

The girl has a doll. The doll is very beautiful. The boy likes to play cricket. He plays cricket with a bat.

## CHAPTER-3 : WHAT DOES THE BEE DO?

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

Ans. 1. A bee brings honey.

2. A bee brings home honey.

3. Mother lays out the money.

4. Baby eats up the honey.

B. Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-4 : I WILL BECOME....

### Let's Answer

Complete the sentences after reading the text.

Ans. 1. dancer      2. doctor      3. teacher      4. pilot

### Words in Use

A. Choose the words from the box and write them under each picture.

Ans. Singer      Pilot      Policeman

Dancer      Teacher      Nurse



B. Match the columns.

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

### Grammar in Use

A. Frame the questions for the following sentences.

- Ans. 2. Who will catch the thieves ?  
3. How was Teena dressed ?  
4. By whom is taken care of the sick ?  
5. Who teaches the students ?

B. Write a, or an before the pictures.

Ans. An, A, An

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-5 : WALKING IN A GARDEN

### Let's Answer

A. Fill in the blanks with the words given in the butterfly.

Ans. 1. Arushi      2. beautiful      3. trees      4. butterflies      5. two

B. Write 'Yes' or 'No'.

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

### Words in Use

Look at this beautiful picture of garden. Now, fill in the missing letters to complete the names of the words.

- Ans. 1. Garden      2. Bench  
3. Swing      4. Rabbit  
5. Trees      6. Flowers  
7. Bird      8. Grass

### Grammar in Use

A. Change one to many.

Ans. gardens      plants  
houses      birds  
trees      eggs.

B. Tick (✓) the correct words.

Ans. 1. Park      2. rabbits      3. is      4. apple      5. apples      6. flowers  
7. dolls

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

### Writing

See the picture and write what these children are doing.

Ans. This is a picture of a garden. The boys and girls are planting trees. A girl is watering the plants.

## CHAPTER-6 : RAIN

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

- Ans. 1. Yogesh is going to the market.  
2. The dark black clouds are seen in the sky.  
3. No, yogesh does not have a raincoat.  
4. Yogesh's mother is happy to see him.

B. Fill in the blanks with the words given in the box.

- Ans. 1. umbrella      2. clouds      3. wets      4. rain      5. happy

### Words in Use

A. Find out some words related to the word 'rain' and write in the bubbles.

- Ans. Rainfall      Rainbow      Raining      Raincoat      Raindrops      Rainwater

B. Look at the words given below.

- Ans. Falling      Talking      Seeing      Singing  
barking      Rolling      Crying      laughing

### Grammar in Use

Write 'a' or 'an' in the blanks.

- Ans. An, An, A, A, A, An

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

### Writing

This is a rainbow. We can see it after a rain. A rainbow has seven colours. There are red, orange, yellow, green, green, blue, indigo, violet.

## CHAPTER-7 : BLIND GIRL

### Let's Answer

A. Write 'Yes' or 'No'

- Ans. 1. Yes      2. No      3. Yes

B. Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-8 : TODAY IS A HOLIDAY

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

- Ans. 1. Adheer and Devan are playing cricket.  
2. Jyoti is dusting inside the home.  
3. Yes, plants need water.  
4. Mahi is playing with the balloons.

### Words in Use

A. Write the opposite.

Ans. Outside	Black
New	Many
Ugly	Dislike

B. Write the correct action word under the pictures.

Ans. dust	bowl	bat
play	water	cook

### Grammar in Use

Fill in the blanks.

Ans. 1. reads	2. swim	3. brushes	4. eats	5. sings	6. dance
7. plays	8. eats				

**Speaking :** Do it yourself

**Writing :** Do it yourself

## CHAPTER-9 : DANNY'S CLASSROOM

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

Ans. 1. There are many things in Danny's classroom, such as a blackboard, display board, desks, chairs, etc.  
2. MS Chandra.  
3. Two doors.  
4. Ms Chandra.

B. Fill in the blanks with the words written on the blackboard.

Ans. 1. blackboard      2. five      3. chairs, desks      4. draw

### Words in Use

A. Do it yourself.

B. Do it yourself.

### Grammar in Use

A. Answer the questions with 'Yes' I can or No, I cannot.

Ans. 2. Yes, I can draw a flower.  
3. Yes, I can read a poem.  
4. Yes, I can run.  
5. No, I cannot climb a tree.  
6. No, I cannot make a cup of tea.  
7. No, I cannot swim.

8. No, I cannot cook food.
9. Yes, I can sing a song.
10. No, I cannot fly like a bird.

B. Match the words given in column I and II to frame complete sentences.

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

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-10 : THE LOOSER

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

- Ans. 1. Tommy was a small dog.  
 2. He found a bone on the road.  
 3. He saw his own reflection in the water.  
 4. He felt bad.  
 5. Yes, Tommy was a loser.

B. Join the columns to frame complete sentences.

Ans. 1. e      2. b      3. c      4. a

### Words in Use

A. Rearrange the jumbled letters. All are related to Tommy.

Ans. BARKED      STREET      LOSER      HUNGRY

B. Do it yourself.

### Grammar in Use

A. Now, read the sentences given below. Fill in the blanks using the correct option.

Ans. This, This, She, Are, This, He

B. Fill in the blanks using is, am or are.

Ans. 1. is      2. are      3. are      4. am

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-11 : MOTHER, LET ME FLY

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

- Ans. 1. The little birdie says-let me fly.  
 2. The mother asked him to take a rest a little longer.  
 3. Yes, the birdie obeyed her mother.

B. Write two double lettered words for each.

- Ans. 1. arett                      blatt  
2. grass                        brass  
3. parrot                      cherry  
4. fellow                      seller

## CHAPTER-12 : THE CLEVER CROW

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

- Ans. 1. The crow lived in a tree.  
2. The crow saw a pot in a garden.  
3. No, there was not enough water in the pot.  
4. The crow dropped pebbles in the pot.

B. The sentences given are not in the proper order. Can you put them in order by given them numbers ?

- Ans. 1. It was a hot sunny day.  
2. The crow was thirsty.  
3. It saw a pot.  
4. The crow tried to drink the water.  
5. The crow noticed some pebbles around.  
6. The water in the pot came up.  
7. The crow drank water and flew away.

### Words in Use

A. Can you write the names of these birds ?

- Ans. 1. Pigeon                      2. Parrot                      3. Peacock  
4. Cock                      5. Woodpecker                      6. Sparrow

B. Match the words in the left column with the words in right column.

- Ans. Small                      Big  
little                      much  
away                      near  
hot                      cold  
some                      many

### Grammar in Use

Write the number and name of things.

- Ans. four birds                      two kites  
four roses                      two cars

**Speaking :** Do it yourself

## Writing

Write a few sentences about the crow in your own words.

Ans. The crow was black.

The crow caws.

The crow eats insects.

## CHAPTER-13 : MEENA'S BIRTHDAY

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

Ans. 1. Meena is seven years old.

2. Her grandmother gives her an electronic doll.

3. Meena falls down from bicycle and gets hurt.

4. Her mother comes running to her.

5. She thanks her mother for the care and love she gives to her.

B. Tick (✓) the correct sentences and cross (X) the wrong ones:

Ans. 1. (X)      2. (✓)      3. (✓)      4. (X)

**Words in Use :** Do it yourself

### Grammar in Use

Fill in the blanks with correct words using 's'.

Ans. These shoes are black.

These are gifts.

This is a pen.

This is a toy.

These are books.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself

**Writing :** Do it yourself

## CHAPTER-14 : A VISIT TO A FARM

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

Ans. 1. Riya is going to the farm house with her parents.

2. They reached the farm at 6:00 a.m.

3. The names of animals are dog, cows, hens, etc.

4. Riya brings eggs, milk and vegetables from the farm.

B. Write 'T' for true and 'F' for false.

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

C. Fill in the blanks with the words given in the box.

Ans. 1. pepsy      2. coop      3. eggs      4. Riya

### Words in Use

A. Rearrange the letters to name the following.

Ans.    MILK                      DOG                      COOP  
          VEGETABLES          JEEP                      EGGS

B. What do the following animals give us ?

Ans. 1. eggs      2. milk      3. milk      4. honey      5. silk

### Grammar in Use

A. Study the examples and use 'not' in the following sentences.

Ans. 1. Kisan is not eating an apple.  
      2. Mother is not cooking food.  
      3. She is not going for a walk.

B. Rewrite these sentences using capital letters and full stop.

Ans. 1. Pepsi is a dog.  
      2. Gayatri is a pretty girl.  
      3. I eat an orange.  
      4. He is boiling milk.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

### Writing

See the picture of this farm and write a few lines about it.

Ans. This is a picture of a farm. These are cows and hens. The farmer grows vegetables in his farm.  
      Some other crops are also grown in the farm.

## CHAPTER-15 : THE NIGHT SKY

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

Ans. 1. Sun      2. At night      3. Evening      4. They watch the world with quiet eyes.

B. List the pairs of rhyming words from the poem.

Ans. line - shine  
      bright - night  
      time - line

## ENGLISH READER – ANSWER KEY – (Class-2)

### CHAPTER-1 : THE GARDEN

#### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. There were Saurabh, Komal and their friends in the garden.  
2. There were many trees in the garden, such as guava, mango, eucalyptus, papaya, etc.  
3. There are many kinds of flowers in the garden, such as rose, pansy, lily, jasmine, sunflower, marigold, etc.  
4. It was written- Do not pluck the flowers on the board.  
5. Komal explained Saurabh that it is a warning to the people visiting the garden not to pluck the flowers. Flowers make the atmosphere beautiful and fresh. Flowers are to see not to but touch.

#### Words in Use

A. Write the names of the following flowers.

Ans. Rose Lotus Sunflower Lily

B. Read, understand and write the names.

Ans. 1. Garden 2. Mango 3. Rose 4. Butterfly

#### Grammar in Use

Write the number and name of these things.

Ans. Three roses Four pencils Five bicycles  
One lion Two balls Six books.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

#### Writing

Observe the things in your garden and write a few lines about it in your own words.

Ans. My garden is very beautiful. There are many kinds of plants and trees. You can see many kinds of flowers, such as rose, lotus, pansy, sunflower, lily, etc. in my garden. You can also see guava, mango, gulmohar, etc. trees in my garden.

#### Listening

Listen to your teacher and write the names of the following trees.

Ans. Mango Papaya Banana Banyan tree

**Fun Time :** Do it yourself.

### CHAPTER-2 : NEHA IN THE METRO

#### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

1. The children wanted to see metro train in Delhi.  
2. An escalator is a stair.



3. Neha opened the gate by touching her taken to it.
4. Children liked very much the metro ride.
5. Yes, I have travelled by the metro train.

### Words in Use

A. Find out the meanings of the following words from the dictionary.

- Ans. 1. A moving staircase                      2. A small drilling machine  
 3. To make something clear                      4. Funtastic  
 5. The place where you get on or off trains at railway station.

B. Remove the initial letters of these words and write the new words.

- Ans. pen          here          rain          now          top          eat          and          round

C. Match the words to form a new word.

- Ans. 1. Underground                      2. Timepiece                      3. Staircase  
 4. Retail shop                      5. Lady finger                      6. Blackboard

### Grammar in Use

A. Fill in the blanks with correct words from the brackets.

- Ans. 1. Play          2. smells          3. like, sing          4. asks          5. tells

B. Use the words given in the box to write suitably under each picture.

- Ans. Naughty          Old          Beautiful  
 Slow          Clever          Red

**Speaking :** Do it yourself

### Writing

Study the following picture and write some lines on it in your own words.

Ans. This is the picture of a metro train. We can see metro trains in big cities like Delhi. These are modern trains. Many people travel in metro trains.

**Listening :** Do it yourself

## CHAPTER-3 : THIS IS ME

### Let's Answer

A. Answer the following questions.

- Ans. 1. The poet wakes up before morning.  
 2. He never says ugly words.  
 3. The sun was going down behind the wood at last.  
 4. The poet hears the thrushes singing in the lilacs round the down.

B. Do it yourself.

### Words in Use

A. Match the following.

Ans. 1. d          2. e          3. f          4. a          5. b          6. c

B. Use these words in your own sentences.

- Ans. 1. I am very happy today.  
2. It is a fine morning.  
3. There was a wood near the river.  
4. This is a good job.

### Grammar in Use

Choose the correct words and fill in the blanks.

Ans. 1. east          2. west          3. night          4. ugly          5. sun          6. things

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

### Writing

Write a few unique sentences about the sunrise.

Ans. The sun rises in the morning. It rises in the east. The rising sun looks very beautiful.

## CHAPTER-4 : THE FEAST DAY

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The fox thought of himself that I am cleverer than the stroke.  
2. The stork could not drink soup because it was served in a plate.  
3. The stork taught a lesson to fox by serving soup in a narrow mouth of the jar.

B. Write 'Yes' or 'No'.

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

### Words in Use

A. Match the opposites.

Ans. 1. f          2. d          3. e          4. a          5. c          6. b

B. Now, use these words in your own sentences.

- Ans. 1. Rinku swallows the pills with hot water.  
2. He was munching on an apple.  
3. The dog licked at the plate.  
4. Cats are getting into your garden and nibbling on the plants.

### Grammar in Use

Now, write the female nouns for the following words.

Ans. Woman          Hen          Cow          Mother  
Tigress          Bitch          Bride          Queen

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing**

- Ans. 1. I have learnt dancing.  
2. I practiced skating on last Tuesday.  
3. On last Wednesday I did painting.  
4. I enjoyed games on Thursday evening.  
5. On Friday I stayed at home and watched TV and enjoyed swimming in the pond.

**Fun Time :** Do it yourself

**CHAPTER-5 : SONA'S SNEEZE**

**Let's Answer**

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. A tugboat pulls and guides ships to their proper resting place.  
2. Sona was a tugboat.  
3. Sona faced sneezing continuously.  
4. Sona saved two big ships.  
5. A fisherman cleaned Sona's funnel. This made sneezing stopped, and Sona smiled again.

B. Put the following sentences in the correct order.

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

**Words in Use**

A. Write the opposite.

- |           |          |
|-----------|----------|
| Ans. Push | Improper |
| Big       | Far      |
| Unhappy   | Never    |
| Shallow   | Unclean  |

B. Do it yourself.

**Grammar in Use**

A. Use does not or do not in the following sentences.

- Ans. 1. do not      2. does not      3. does not      4. do not

B. Fill in the blanks with do, does, or did.

- Ans. 1. Does      2. Do      3. Did      4. Do

C. Frame questions for the following pictures using do, does, did, doesn't, didn't, etc.

- Ans. 1. Does the dog bark ?  
No, it doesn't  
2. Do you drink milk ?  
No, we don't.

3. Did he go to the office ?

No, he didn't

4. Do you eat pizza ?

No, I don't

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-6 : GOOD FRIENDS

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Shanu studied in second class.  
2. They found butterflies in the garden.  
3. Shanu and Ritu ran after the butterflies.  
4. Ritu's birthday was on Monday.  
5. Ritu's mother made a tasty cake.  
6. Ritu told her papa that Shanu's mother gave her biscuits.

### Words in Use

A. Do it yourself.

B. Match the places with the thing they are related.

- A. 1. (iv)      2. (v)      3. (vi)      4. (ii)      5. (i)      6. (iii)

### Grammar in Use

A. Fill in the blanks with the correct nouns.

- |             |        |
|-------------|--------|
| Ans. Pencil | Milk   |
| Birds       | Oil    |
| Months      | Blood  |
| Boys        | Money  |
| Tea         | Petrol |

B. Study the following.

- Ans. 1. class      2. flock      3. herd      4. army

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

**Fun Time :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-7 : THE ELEPHANT AND THE MICE

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The mice lived in the city.  
2. The elephants went to the lake to quench their thirst.  
3. Five mice went to the elephant king.

B. Fill in the blanks.

- Ans. 1. mice                      2. herd                      3. elephants                      4. crushed                      5. deep  
6. mice                      7. elephants

### Words in Use

A. Write names of the following animals and birds.

- Ans. Bear                      Fox                      Tortoise                      Snake  
Crane                      Pigeon                      Woodpecker                      Owl

B. Now, write the opposites of the following words.

- Ans. Stupid                      Miserably  
Huge                      Come  
Unfortunately                      Far  
Enemy                      Few  
Blunt                      Less  
Unkind                      Shallow

C. Use the following words in sentences of your own.

- Ans. 1. She had unknowingly broken the rules.  
2. We took an alternate route because of the traffic.  
3. Ants are counted in tiny creatures.  
4. The permanent ban has outraged many bird trappers.  
5. I have been extremely kindly and courteously received.

### Grammar in Use

A. Now, pick up the pronouns and write in the blanks.

- Ans. 1. They                      2. He                      3. We                      4. I                      5. Your                      6. His                      7. She

B. Use the pronouns wherever needed and rewrite the sentences.

- Ans. 1. Lalita and Sohan like ice-cream. They also like milk.  
2. This is a tree. It has a large number of fruits.  
3. Reena is coming today. She is coming with a pup.  
4. Vikas had a pet dog. He took the pet dog to the market.  
5. Anu and Sunil are going to hill-station. They are going by bus.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

## Writing

Watch this picture carefully and write few sentences about it.

Ans. This picture shows an elephant in a net. The elephant is trapped in a net made of thick ropes. The mice are biting the ropes of the net.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

**Fun Time :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-8 : THE LOVELY BALLOONS

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Market days.  
2. He holds balloons in a lovely bunch.  
3. When there is a wind the balloons tug and tug like anything.  
4. The balloons look pretty in the high of the sky.

B. Do it yourself.

### Words in Use

A. Write the rhyming words.

- Ans. Basket Ray  
Lunch Bed  
Bring Rind  
Bug Circle

B. Use these words in your own sentences.

- Ans. There is a big market in our village.  
She has a bunch of flowers in her hand.  
Today is a sunny day.  
Mother bought some balloons for the children.

### Grammar in Use

A. Look at the pictures and write correct adjectives for them.

- Ans. Purple balloon Green tree  
Black cloud Blue sky  
Big elephant Clean water

## Writing

A. Can you write the names of eight vegetables which he sells.

- Ans. Potato Tomato Spinach Peas  
Brinjal Ginger Bottle gourd Pumpkin

B. Match the following as per example.

- Ans. 1. Big - Small  
2. Day - Night  
3. Far - Near  
4. Stand - Sit  
5. Clean - Unclean  
6. Below - Above

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-9 : O! POOR RAMJANI

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Ramjani was going to the market.  
2. There was muddy water in the puddle.  
3. A girl was riding a bicycle.

B. Do it yourself.

### Words in Use

A. Complete the words with 's' or 'ss'

- Ans. Miss      Mass      Was  
Rest      Mess      Grass  
Best      Hiss      Cost

B. Tick (✓) the action shown in the pictures.

Do it yourself.

C. Find the opposites and write.

- Ans. 1. Rich              2. Disappear  
3. Near                4. Much  
5. Tall                 6. Slow

D. The words given below are incorrect. Correct the spellings.

- Ans. Brush              Paint  
Bench                Puddle  
Bicycle                Clothes

E. Use these homophones in your own sentences to bring out the difference.

- Ans. 1. This way goes to Sonapat.  
She weighs herself every morning.  
2. I have an urgent piece of work at home.  
We hope for world peace.  
3. There is deep pit behind our house.  
All parents love their children.

F. Supply two rhyming words for each of the following words.

- |             |         |
|-------------|---------|
| Ans. 1. Ray | Say     |
| 2. Breit    | Beet    |
| 3. Stud     | Thud    |
| 4. Hope     | Top     |
| 5. Hook     | Look    |
| 6. Boor     | Boer    |
| 7. Best     | Nest    |
| 8. Boat     | Coat    |
| 9. Beetle   | Brittle |
| 10. Faint   | Daint   |

### Grammar in Use

A. What are they doing ? Write in the blank:

- Ans. 1. Swimming      2. riding      3. playing      4. writing      5. fighting  
6. roaring

B. Use an apostroph to show possession.

- |                     |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| Ans. 2. Deer's horn | 3. Ramjani's house     |
| 4. Girl's bicycle   | 5. Bird's wings        |
| 6. Baby's clothes   | 7. Student's uniforms. |

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

**Fun Time :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-10 : CHILKA LAKE

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Chilka lake is on the eastern coast of Odisha.  
2. Different kinds of birds come to Chilka lake to escape from the very cold winter of their home places.  
3. Names of some migratory birds found at Chilka lake are pelicans, geese, cranes, herons etc.  
4. The birds need fish to eat as food and fishermen catches fish to earn money by selling them.  
5. We can see different kinds of animals like cheetal, blackbuck, mongoose, monkeys, etc. around Chilka.

B. Write 'T' for true and 'F' for false statements.

- Ans. 1. F      2. T      3. F      4. T

### Words in Use

A. Do it yourself.



B. Name these birds.

Ans. Crane          heron          kingfisher          Pelican  
Penguin          Hawk          Duck          Kiwi

### Grammar in Use

A. Fill in the blanks.

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

B. Match column I with column II to make meaningful sentences.

Ans. 1. c          2. d          3. a          4. b

**Speaking :** Do it yourself

**Writing :** Do it yourself

**Listening :** Do it yourself

## CHAPTER-11 : MOUSIE - MOUSIE

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The cat asks the address of mousie's house.  
2. The door is under the floor.  
3. A cat can enter the house of mouse if it is thin like a mouse.  
4. The mouse refuse to come out because the cat may eat it.

B. Do it yourself.

### Words in Use

A. Write two rhyming words for each of these words from the poem.

Ans. Beetle          Spittle  
For          Saur  
Wonder          Thunder  
Mouse          Douse  
Ray          Way  
Spin          Tin

B. Match the animals with their homes.

Ans. 1. (v)          2. (vi)          3. (vii)          4. (viii)          5. (i)          6. (ii)  
7. (vi)          8. (iv)

C. Write the opposites of the following words.

Ans. Big          There  
Go          Fat  
Night          Old  
Take          Short

## Grammar in Use

A. Some words are given below. Use dom, ity, ment or th to form abstract nouns from them.

- Ans. 1. treatment                      2. truth  
3. equality                              4. payment  
5. reality                                6. scarcity  
7. depth                                 8. kingdom  
9. wisdom                              10. agreement

B. Write these in their plural form.

- Ans. Mice                      Cats  
Houses                      knives  
Buses                        Teeth  
Hobbies                      Leaves  
Stories                        Storeys

C. Use these words in your own sentences.

- Ans. I have a big house.  
The floor of my house is new.  
The cat is fat.  
It is a windy day.  
They have small house.  
A rat lives in a hole.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself

**Writing :** Do it yourself

## CHAPTER-12 : THE FOOLISH FRIENDS

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Monkeys were the friends of the gardener.  
2. Some people were laughing, talking and singing.  
3. The gardener wish to go fun fair.  
4. The monkeys helped the gardener by looking after his plants.  
5. The writer wants to say - It's better to have no friends than to have foolish friends.

B. Fill in the blanks with correct nouns.

- Ans. 1. gardener                      2. food                      3. fun fair                      4. plants                      5. friends, foolish

### Words in Use

A. Find out words which have 'oo' and write them here.

- Ans. Wool                      fool                      boon

Igloo	noon	cool
pool	stool	moon
mood	zoom	choose

B. Match the opposite.

Ans. out, without, youngest, down, on, none, sad, little

C. Tick (✓) mark the sentences that are right and cross (X) which are wrong.

Ans. 1. ✓ 2. X 3. X 4. X 5. ✓

D. Use the following pairs of words in your own sentences out of differences.

Ans. 1. There was no one to help me.

I know how to make tea.

2. The soup is too hot

I have two cows.

E. Do it yourself.

### Grammar in Use

Now, write the three forms of these words.

Ans. Young	Younger	Youngest
Big	Bigger	Biggest
Poor	Poorer	Poorest
Smart	Smarter	Smartest
Deep	Deeper	Deepest
Small	Smaller	Smallest

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

**Fun Time :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-13 : THE BANYAN TREE

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

Ans. 1. The banyan trees are found normally in open places.

2. No, we cannot find a banyan tree in narrow streets.

3. Aerial roots are hanging roots.

4. Birds, monkey, squirrels, etc.

B. Write Yes or No against these sentences.

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

### Words in Use

A. Match the words with their meanings.

Ans. 1. (ii)      2. (iv)      3. (v)      4. (iii)      5. (i)      6. (vii)      7. (vi)

B. Each letter of the alphabet stand for a word. Write down the words.

Ans. 1. Bee      2. Unable      3. Tea      4. Intestine      5. Cast  
6. Seldom      7. Pine nuts      8. Queue      9. yet

C. Drop the last letter of each word and add ing. What do you get ?

Ans. Writing      Tasting  
Shining      Living  
Giving      Baking  
Arriving      Having

### Grammar in Use

A. Put the following words in proper order to make sentences. Do not forget to use capitals and full stop.

Ans. 1. It is a banyan tree.  
2. Its thick trunk gives it support.  
3. There are many fruits that birds eat.  
4. A banyan tree looks like a mini zoo.

B. Now, complete the sentences with is or are.

Ans. 1. is      2. are      3. is      4. are      5. is      6. is      7. are

**Speaking :** Do it yourself

**Writing :** Do it yourself

**Listening :** Do it yourself

## ENGLISH READER – ANSWER KEY – (Class-3)

### CHAPTER-1 : NINI AND CAKE

#### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Nini is the eldest among the four children.  
2. Nini wished to make a cake.  
3. Nini was busy with her homework.  
4. John was enjoying video games on computer.  
5. Mona helped Nini in baking the cake.

B. Who was doing this?

- Ans. 1. John      2. Nini      3. Robin      4. Nini

#### Words in Use

A. Fill in the blanks with the words given below.

- Ans. segment      piece      bar      hunk      loaf      cube  
pinch      chunk      slice

B. Look at the pictures and read the words.

Fill in the blanks:

- Ans. 1. boiling      2. kneading      3. baking      4. sieving      5. peeling  
6. frying

#### Grammar in Use

A. Underline the words that are used to name a person, place, animal or thing. These are called nouns.

- Ans. 1. Mumbai, city  
2. Iron, metal  
3. fox, field  
4. Nini, cake  
5. John, TV  
6. Robin, ground  
7. Sona, Mona, friends

B. Following are given some nouns. Write them in correct lines.

- Ans. cake      arm      apple      field      bread  
girls      boys      people      pencils      animals

C. Write the name for many

- Ans. knives      leaves      babies      calves      thieves      wolves

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

## Writing

A. Write about Nini. Use words given in the brackets.

- Ans. 2. older                      3. tall, thin                      4. long                      5. wise  
6. likes                      7. soon                      8. gives

B. Fill in the blanks to tell us about you.

Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

**Fun Time :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-2 : IF I WERE KING

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The child would wear a crown above his eyes.  
2. The child would wear a hankie in his cuff.  
3. The child would gave people cake to eat.  
4. He would make his mother a queen for a day.

B. Do it yourself.

### Words in Use

A. Match with opposites.

- Ans. 1. (d)                      2. (e)                      3. (f)                      4. (g)                      5. (a)                      6. (b)                      7. (c)

B. Write the following words in their correct spellings.

- Ans. King                      Crown  
Dress                      Throne  
Wise                      Cake  
Nice                      Happy

### Grammar in Use

A. Match them by drawing lines.

- Ans. 1. King                      Suraj Singh  
2. Building                      Red Fort  
3. Mountain Peak                      Nanda Devi  
4. River                      Ganga  
5. Cricketer                      Virat Kohli  
6. Book                      Ramayana  
7. Sea                      Bay of Bengal  
8. City                      Delhi

B. Fill in the blanks with adjectives. Take these adjectives from those given below.

Ans. 1. red                      2. brave                      3. beautiful                      4. curly                      5. seven

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

### CHAPTER-3 : MY DADDY IS LOST

#### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Ritesh was taking a walk on the road.  
2. The police officer mistook him for the little girl's father.  
3. The little girl did not tell the name of her father.  
4. Chimp.

B. Fill in the blanks with the words given below.

Ans. 1. bitterly                      2. chubby                      3. address                      4. smiled                      5. chimp

#### Words in Use

A. Name the place where

- Ans. 1. Dairy                      2. Dry cleaner                      3. Stationary shop                      4. Bus stand  
5. Railway Station

B. These words are made of two words. Separate them.

- Ans. Key + board  
News + paper  
Out + door  
Play + ground  
Dry + cleaning

C. Write the opposites.

Ans. more                      lost                      frown                      answer                      before                      hopeful                      unsafe                      far

D. Match the words that mean the same.

Ans. beautiful                      small                      replied                      cried                      small                      garden                      attractive

E. Use these words in sentences of your own.

- Ans. 1. She smiled in satisfaction when she won the race.  
2. I was unable to afford the trip.  
3. She was crying bitterly.  
4. Meena looked at me suspiciously.  
5. Pooja covered her face with her hands and sobbed.

## Grammar is Use

A. Now, match the nouns with the adjectives and write them together.

Ans. hot - tea  
red - apple  
green - chily  
fat - boy  
narrow - street  
sweet - potato

B. Now, complete each sentence with the help of adjectives given in the box.

A. 1. beautiful      2. fresh      3. hot      4. long      5. sick

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-4 : THE GANGA - A HOLY RIVER

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

Ans. 1. The Ganga is the holiest river in the world.  
2. Gomukh is a cave.  
3. Yamuna, Gomti, Ghaghra, Gandak and Kosi join the Ganga from north.  
4. Ganga is joined by the river Yamuna at Allahabad. This meeting point of Ganga and Yamuna is called Sangam.  
5. Ganga reaches finally the Bay of Bengal at Gangasagar.  
6. Our government has started a programme known as Ganga Action Plan to clean the Ganga river.

### Words in Use

A. Match the opposites.

Ans. 1. (v)      2. (vi)      3. (i)      4. (ii)      5. (iii)      6. (iv)

B. Write the words that sound the same.

Ans. Paste      clue      hare      too      buy      know      won      seat

C. Do it yourself.

### Grammar in Use

A. Now, use the comparative or superlative degree of adjectives given in the brackets to fill in the blanks.

Ans. 1. better      2. best      3. costlier      4. older      5. thicker      6. best  
7. lazier      8. coldest      9. slower      10. tallest



B. Write five countable and five uncountable nouns from the lesson.

Ans. Countable Nouns

1. Chair
2. Hen
3. Table
4. Shirt
5. Book

Uncountable Nouns

1. Wheat
2. Milk
3. Oil
5. Sand
6. Petrol

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-5 : THE GRAPES ARE SOUR

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The fox saw some grapes.  
2. The fox jumped again and again to reach the grapes.  
3. He said - "I don't want them, the grapes are sour".  
4. No, the grapes are not sour actually.

B. Do it yourself.

### Words in Use

A. Match the opposites.

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

B. Spell these words correctly by filling in ee or ea.

- Ans. 1. keep      2. speak  
3. treat      4. sleep  
5. steam      6. sheep  
7. cream      8. need

### Grammar in Use

A. Match these nouns with the correct collective nouns.

- Ans. 1. (f)      2. (g)      3. (h)      4. (i)      5. (a)      6. (b)  
7. (c)      8. (d)      9. (e)

B. Write the plural forms of these words.

- Ans. 2. five houses      3. four men      4. two gardens      5. three geese

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-6 : BLINDS CAN READ

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Louis Braille was a blind man who invented Braille Script.  
2. At the age of three, Louis Braille met with an accident in his father's workshop. He picked up a sharp tool and tried to do something over there. The tool slipped and his eyes got injured. The wound got infected and Louis lost both his eyes.  
3. Night Writing was a code of 12 raised dots that let soldiers share top secret information on the battlefield without speaking anything.  
4. Louis published a book named Braille. It was a book which blind students could study on their own.  
5. Charles Barbier was a soldier.  
6. Barbier's code was hard and the process of its reading was very slow and difficult. Louis's code was easy to read. He made it useful for blind persons.

B. Write TRUE or FALSE against each sentence.

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

### Words in Use

A. A person who cannot see is called blind. What are the following called?

- Ans. 1. Dumb                      2. Deaf                      3. Lame                      4. Orphan                      5. Athiest

B. Rewrite the correct spellings of the following words:

- Ans. 1. Braille                      2. Louis                      3. Workshop                      4. Enjured                      5. Typewriter  
6. Simpler

### Grammar in Use

Frame questions for the following sentences. First one is done for you:

- Ans. 1. Who was the inventor of the Braille script?  
2. When did he meet with an accident?  
3. How many books with raised letters were there in the school library?  
4. What was the work of Louis that changed the world of reading and writing forever?  
5. When did he publish the first book?

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-7 : THE STORY OF PAPER

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Wasps were the real inventors of paper.  
2. The books in form of rolls of papers were made in early times.

3. Chinese made paper with linen.

4. We use esparto grass, wood pulp, straw, jute and bamboo to get a fine quality of paper now-a-days.

B. Write TRUE or FALSE against each sentence.

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

C. Fill in the blanks:

Ans. 1. wasps                      2. Egypt                      3. papyrus plant                      4. rolls                      5. silk  
6. chinese

D. Do it yourself

### **Words in Use**

A. Add - ion to the following words and rewrite them in the blanks.

Ans. 2. Digestion  
3. Detection  
4. Exertion  
5. Exhibition  
6. Action  
7. Prevention  
8. Direction

B. Add 'r' or 'er' to the following words and write the new words.

Ans. 1. Speaker  
2. Receiver  
3. Lender  
4. Borrower  
5. Smaller  
6. Narrower  
7. Later

C. Match the opposites.

Ans. Dark - Light  
Day - Night  
Tiny - Large  
Build - Destroy  
First - Last  
Ancient - Modern

### **Grammar in Use**

B. Punctuate the sentences using the above marks. Use capitals also where over needed.

Ans. 1. Learn this poem by heart.  
2. If you need my help write to me.

3. We bought apples, bananas, oranges and grapes.
4. What a lovely flower!
5. What is your name?

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-8 : FUN WITH KITES

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans.
1. Rajan and Manish wanted to fly kites.
  2. Rajan's father taught them kite flying.
  3. The kite has three colours red, green and blue.
  4. Yes, they fly their kites on their own.
  5. The kite was looking shiny in the sunlight.
  6. The kite got stuck with another kite at last. Both the kites fell down.

### Words in Use

A. Can you rearrange the letters of these words to name some other colours?

- Ans.
- |        |         |
|--------|---------|
| PINK   | BLACK   |
| BROWN  | GREY    |
| VIOLET | INDIGO  |
| WHITE  | YELLOW  |
| ORANGE | PURPPLE |

B. Complete these analogies:

- Ans. 1. wood      2. aunt      3. study      4. earth      5. body

C. Match the opposites:

- Ans.
- fast - slow  
close - open  
some many  
down - up  
land - take off  
bright - dull  
top - bottom  
lower - high

### Grammar in Use

Encircle the pronouns in the following sentences.

- Ans.
- |                 |       |               |
|-----------------|-------|---------------|
| 1. you, your, I | 2. It | 3. her, she   |
| 4. we, you      | 5. I  | 6. I, He, him |

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-9 : PANDIT JAWAHARLAL NEHRU

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The house of Jawaharlal Nehru at the time of his childhood was very big. There was a tennis court, a swimming pool and a big garden in Anand Bhavan, his house.
2. Munshi was his only friend in childhood.
3. He enjoyed weddings the most.
4. In the mountains, after a long trek, feeling hot and dirty he jumped into an icy, fast flowing stream. He lost his footing and was swept along a current. But one of his friends pulled him out.
5. Once Jawaharlal shot a deer and happened to see the great pain in its eyes. He gave up hunting after that forever.

B. Fill in the blanks.

- Ans. 1. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru      2. Anand Bhavan      3. governess, tutor
4. Munshi      5. story

C. Write true or false.

- Ans. 1. true      2. false      3. false      4. true

### Words in Use

A. Match the words to make new words.

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

B. Write the opposites.

- Ans. Slavery  
Before  
Poor  
Come  
Break  
Without  
Enemy  
Old

C. Some words convey a negative sense if they are added with the word 'less'. Such as Rider less = riderless. It means without a rider.

Now, add - less and fill in the blanks below.

- Ans. 1. heartless      2. homeless      3. careless      4. speechless
5. colourless      6. moneyless      7. fearless

## Grammar in Use

A. Write the plurals of the following nouns.

- Ans. 1. Roses      2. Rates      3. Pencils      4. Monkeys      5. Chairs  
6. Foxes      7. Babies      8. Sparrows      9. Classes      10. Leaves

B. In the following sentences change the nouns to their plurals forms. You can make other changes if required.

- Ans. 1. The tables are made of wood.  
2. Those women are nice ladies.  
3. They gave me the incorrect replies.  
4. They should respect everyone.

C. In the following sentences, change the nouns to their singular forms. You can make other changes if required.

- Ans. 1. The thief was arrested by the police.  
2. The cow was grazing in the field.  
3. A fly spreads diseases.  
4. A passer- by was attacked by a snake.  
5. The sheep was standing on the slopes of hill.  
6. The bunch of key is lost.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-10 : INSIDE THE POCKETS

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The child likes his pockets best.  
2. The pockets give a rest to hands.  
3. The child's mother finds rocks, frogs and beetles inside his pockets.

B. Write true or false.

- Ans. 1. true      2. false      3. true      4. false      5. true

### Words in Use

A. Make five pairs of antonyms with these words.

- Ans. 1. like      2. give      3. inside      4. bright  
dislike      take      outside      dim  
5. dry      6. lost      7. arrive  
wet      found      depart

B. Compound words are words formed by joining two words.

- Ans. 1. cupboard                      2. peacock                      3. birthday                      4. newspaper  
5. rainbow                      6. fishbowl                      7. sunflower                      8. watermelon

### Grammar in Use

A. Complete these pairs.

- Ans. 1. washerwoman                      2. daddy                      3. husband                      4. goddess  
5. hen                      6. uncle                      7. lion                      8. sister

B. Cross (X) the word which is not a noun.

- Ans. 1. write                      2. climb                      3. give                      4. walk

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

### Writing

Put the missing letters:

- Ans. 1. beautiful                      2. water                      3. pocket                      4. sheep                      5. rose

## CHAPTER-11 : JUSTICE IN JUNGLE

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. An animal court was bring held in the jungle.  
2. A monkey was the judge in the jungle-court.  
3. A man, a woodcutter was the accused in the court.  
4. The complaint of the tree was that the man cut trees.  
5. The eagle said, "The man took away my home. Many times my eggs also get destroyed due to his acts."  
6. The decision of the judge was that the man will plant new trees and look after them till they grow up.

B. Fill in the blanks.

- Ans. 1. monkey                      2. complain                      3. ship                      4. ships                      5. extinction  
6. plant

### Word in Use

A. Write the plurals of the following words.

- Ans. 1. foxes                      2. horses                      3. deer                      4. wolves                      5. nests                      6. ships

B. Match the opposites.

- Ans. 1. come - go                      2. forward - backward                      3. weak - strong                      4. deep - shallow

C. Do it yourself.

D. Use these words in sentences of your own to bring out the difference.

- Ans. Here is your bag.  
He has black hair.

I sat on a bale of straw near the fire  
He always bails when things get tough.

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He tipped the slops out of the pail.  
She has a pale complexion.

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It's a poor mouse that has only one hole.  
I spent the whole summer travelling through Europe.

---

He became the sole heir to the property.  
She went to pray for the soul of her late husband.

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There were more male than female students.  
You can purchase the books by mail order.

### Grammar in Use

A. Join the following sentences by using words 'or'.

- Ans. 1. Is that boy swimming or drowning.  
2. Are these horses or donkeys.  
3. Is that woman young or old.  
4. Is he sleeping or acting to sleep.

B. Convert these sentences into questions.

- Ans. 1. Are they going to Delhi.  
2. Is it a very cold today?  
3. Was the woodcutter found guilty?  
4. Are these girls singing well?  
5. Is she driving very fast?

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-12 : THE MAGIC SHOW

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Mona and Golu were returning home from a magic show.  
2. Mona thought that the magician was great man.  
3. Golu wanted to be a great magician after growing up.



4. The father explained that the magician has some tools to play amazing tricks. He makes these things in a special way. These things such as ribbon, glass, flowers, hat, milk table help him to play the tricks.
5. The magician do his tricks so quietly and skillfully that his tricks appear to be real. Before doing it in front of public, he practices it a lot so as to be quick and smart.
6. We can fulfill our desires with hard work and efforts.

B. Who said this?

Ans. 1. Mona            2. Golu            3. Dad            4. Mother

### Words in Use

A. Use the following words in you own sentences.

- Ans. 1. There was a magic show in our school yesterday.  
 2. You look very smart in your new clothes.  
 3. Quick steps crossed the porch.  
 4. The tricks of the magician were looking real.  
 5. He has no desire for money.

B. Match the opposites.

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

C. Write the relatives words in the blanks.

Ans. 1. fish            2. driver            3. dancer            4. actor            5. student            6. gardener

### Grammar in Use

A. Now, complete the following sentences by using the words who, how, where, why, when and what.

Ans. 1. Who            2. How            3. Where            4. When            5. Why            6. What

B. Fill in the blanks with whose and which in the sentences below.

Ans. 1. Whose            2. Which            3. Whose            4. Which            5. Whose

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-13 : THE GOLDEN APPLE

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The poor man stole an apple from a fruit shop.  
 2. The fruit - seller took the poor man to the Emperor.  
 3. The poor man asked the emperor to forgive him. He said, "If you forgive me. I will give you a precious gift."  
 4. The plant grown by the seed was always died.  
 5. At last the king frees the thief.

B. Who said it and to whom ?

Ans. Thief to king                      King to poor man  
Emperor to poor man              Prime Minister to emperor

### Words in Use

A. Now, match the persons with their professions.

Ans. 1. Florist              2. Hawker              3. Chemist              4. Grocer

B. Match the words with their descriptions:

Ans. 1. (iii)              2. (iv)              3. (v)              4. (viii)              5. (i)  
6. (ii)              7. (vi)              8. (vii)

### Grammar in Use

A. Add -ing to the verb under each picture and complete the sentences given below.

Ans. 1. watching      2. playing      3. cutting      4. selling      5. skipping  
6. drinking      7. digging

B. Now, write the affirmative sentences for the following has been done for your help.

Ans. 2. He is reading  
3. She is skipping.  
4. The child is weeping.

C. Tick (✓) the imperative sentences.

Ans. 1. (✓)              2. (✓)              3. (X)              4. (✓)              5. (✓)  
6. (X)              7. (X)              8. (✓)

D. Look at the pictures and re-jumble the words to make imperative sentences.

Ans. 1. Get out of the room.              2. Don't jump in the class.  
3. Respect your elders.              5. Please give me a cup of milk.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Write a short paragraph describing the picture below.

Naman and his mother are sitting in a park. Naman's mother told him showing some seeds - Naman do you know how seeds are grown as plants? We dig the ground and sow a seed into it. The seed germinates as a baby plant. We pour water in it. After a few year this plant changes into a big tree.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-14 : RAIN!

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

Ans. 1. The poet feels the rain is beautiful as it provides relief from dust and heat.  
2. It makes a sound of clatter on the roof.  
3. It pours and pours across the window pane.

4. The gutter roars means to make a sound of roaring lion.
5. We welcome the rain happily.

B. Do it yourself.

### Words in Use

A. Sixteen words are given below. Form eight pairs of words having opposite meanings.

- Ans. beautiful - ugly                      broad - narrow  
right - wrong                      hard - soft  
proud - humble                      dirty - clean  
swift - slow                      near - far

B. Fill in the blanks with is, am or are.

- Ans. 1. am              2. are              3. are              4. is              5. is

### Grammar in Use

A. Tick (✓) the correct adverbs to complete these sentences.

- Ans. 1. loudly              2. brightly              3. happily              4. neatly              5. soundly  
6. sweetly

B. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions.

- Ans. 1. with              2. under              3. after              4. near              5. to

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-15 : LIFESTYLE OF A PANDA

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The giant pandas are found in China.  
2. They look like giant cat bears.  
3. A giant panda is very large in size. It has the height of a tall person.  
4. The panda eats only bamboos.  
5. The pandas bleat when they talk in friendly manner. To scare an enemy they bark and squeal in a painful condition.  
6. Man is a big enemy of panda.

B. Match the columns to complete the sentences.

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

### Words in Use

A. With the help of the words in the box, label the body parts of the panda.

- Ans. Do it yourself.

B. Now, match the adult animals with their your ones.

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

C. Match the synonyms.

Ans. Silence      Big      Consist of      Small      Hot

D. Use the following words in your own sentences to bring out difference.

Ans. 1. Peace and order were finally restored in the town.

Divide the pie into six equal pieces.

2. The dog wagged its tail excitedly.

The movie is a stirring tale of courage.

3. Please wait outside of the house.

His weight was harming his health.

4. The book is very interesting.

The terrain varies as you climb higher.

### Grammar in Use

A. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of words in the brackets.

Ans. 1. Writing      2. playing      3. watching      4. learning      5. decorating  
6. raining      7. going

B. Fill in the blanks with can, cannot, should, should not.

Ans. 1. can, should not      2. cannot      3. should, should not  
4. should not, can      5. can, cannot

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## ENGLISH READER – ANSWER KEY – (Class-4)

### CHAPTER-1 : SONGS FOR YOU

#### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. There are some short and some long songs. All the songs are new songs.  
2. The things occurred during singing songs to be marked.  
3. All the songs you love to sing shall echo in your head.

B. Complete the space using the related words from the box.

- Ans. 2. Manure      Seeds  
3. Gitar      Tune  
4. Constitution      Flag

C. Choose the correct option.

- Ans. 1. (d)    2. (b)    3. (c)    4. (c)

D. Vocabulary

- Ans. 1. (a)    2. (b)    3. (d)

E. Do it yourself

F. Match the following words from the poem with their definitions.

- Ans. 1. (c)    2. (d)    3. (b)    4. (a)

G. Write TRUE or FALSE against each statement.

- Ans. 1. True    2. False    3. False    4. True

H. Fill in the blanks:

- Ans. 1. little children    2. long    3. small, clear    4. rises, fall    5. night, bed

### CHAPTER-2 : KINDNESS ALWAYS PAYS

#### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Swati was a very kind hearted girl.  
2. Swati saw a tiny black puppy in the garden.  
3. Swati helped to heal the wounds of the injured puppy.  
4. Swati's parents were very impressed to see her concern and they allowed her to keep the pup at home.  
5. One day, while returning from school, Swati was trapped in a terrible storm. Swati took shelter under a tree before she realised it, a big branch of that tree fell on her. She tried her best to get herself out of it but it was all in vain. The pup felt the danger and ran towards house barking continuously. Her mother and gardener came running with tommy and they saved Swati.

B. Fill in the blanks.

Ans. 1. hearted      2. diluted      3. overjoyed      4. affection      5. thunder  
6. barking

### Words in Use

A. Match these words with their meanings.

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

B. Write the words in the bubbles that struck your mind when you hear the word 'storm'.

Ans. bormm,      corm,      dorm,      norm,      form

### Grammar in Use

A. Some prepositions are given in the box. Use some of them in the following sentences to fill the blanks.

Ans. 1. on      2. to      3. across      4. in      5. after      6. beside      7. for      8. on  
9. with      10. through      11. on      12. to

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-3 : THE MOON

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The moon can be seen the night sky.  
2. The moon is very small in comparison of the earth.  
3. The period between day and night is known as twilight.  
4. The moon is not visible on some nights because of cloudy sky.  
5. The moon shines as it reflects the light of the sun.  
6. According to the old theories the moon was formed from the broken pierce of the earth. It is so believed that it left a hole on the earth and that hole is the Pacific Ocean.  
7. Some modern scientists think that the earth and the moon have the same time of their formation. They think that the earth and the moon were formed from small rocks, dust and gas.

B. Fill in the blanks.

Ans. 1. moon      2. Four      3. moon      4. gets      5. rocks, dust

### Words in Use

A. Match the following heavenly bodies with their names.

Do it yourself.

B. Match the opposites.

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

## Grammar is Use

A. Complete the sentences with the help of the correct forms of the degrees of the adjectives.

Ans. 1. small 2. taller 3. tallest 4. small 5. heavier 6. smallest  
7. heavy 8. heavier 9. heaviest

B. Write all the three forms of these adjectives.

Ans. Large	Larger	Largest
Near	Nearer	Nearest
Heavy	Heavier	Heaviest
Dark	Darker	Darkest
Close	Closer	Closest
Old	Older	Oldest

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :**

Find out and write the answer.

Ans. 1. No 2. Neil Armstrong 3. rocks and dust 4. No 5. By a space ship

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-4 : THE TIGERS

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Wild animals like tigers, lions, jaguars, leopards, etc. belong to the cat family.  
2. The main characteristics of the tigers are as follows :  
(i) A male tiger has a length of about ten feet.  
(ii) Their eyes are large, have excellent vision and very good hearing sense.  
(iii) They have coats of golden, yellow and black colour.  
3. A tiger hunts a man when it is unable to run fast due to old age.  
4. A tiger can eat as much as 30 kilograms of meat at one sitting.  
5. The tiger covers the remaining food or animals body with leaves and comes back and enjoys thins remaining food.  
6. The main purpose of the programme 'Project Tiger' to save tiger from extinction.

B. Write true or false against each statement.

Ans. 1. false 2. false 3. true 4. true 5. false

C. Fill in the blanks :

Ans. 1. ten 2. canines 3. 1970 4. national park

### Words in Use

A. Match the following with their correct meanings.

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

B. Cross (X) out the word that does not belong to the group.

Ans. 1. Meat      2. Wind      3. Pig      4. Hill      5. Sheep      6. Rock  
7. Sun      8. India

### Grammar in Use

A. Use can or can't in the blanks below.

Ans. 1. can't      2. can      3. can      4. can      5. can't      6. can

B. Tick (✓) the correct words in the brackets.

Ans. 1. some      2. some      3. much      4. most      5. few      6. much

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-5 : OUR ENVIRONMENT

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The waste is garbage generated from various places like our homes.  
2. The waste is generated by various human activities.  
3. The air gets polluted by the smoke emitted by vehicles, factories, etc.  
4. Air pollution can be controlled by reducing the amount of smoke emitted from vehicles, factories, etc.  
5. We can help to keep the environment clean by the following ways :  
(i) We should use recycled products.  
(ii) We should put the waste in separate bins – bio-degradable and non-biodegradable.  
(iii) We should use cloth or jute bags instead of plastic bags.

### Words in Use

A. Match words with their meanings.

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

B. Find out what those things do ? Fill in the blanks with the words from the box.

Ans. 1. blows      2. shines      3. flows      4. grows      5. stands  
6. flies      7. bloom      8. ripen

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

Ans. 2. at      3. oil      4. long      5. ment      6. dam      7. in      8. can



## Grammar in Use

A. Now, write the subject and object of the verbs.

Ans.	Subject	Object
1.	I	eat an apple.
2.	Sheela and Muni	played a game.
3.	Rubina	is riding a horse.
4.	He	wrote a letter.

B. Now, write the subjects and objects of the verbs.

Ans.	Subject	First Object	Second Object
1.	Kiran	Child	Sweets
2.	Reema	You	a cake
3.	She	girls	grammar
4.	Neha	Goldy	a Christmas card
5.	They	their dog	Jacky

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-6 : WAYS OF GREETING

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Hello means 'Be healthy' and Goodbye means a cheerful farewell.  
2. Congolese men greet their wives affectionately with 'Okawe'.  
3. Arabs show respect to each other by saying 'Salaam'  
4. Eskimos greet each other by rubbing their noses.  
5. We can get respect from others by touching their feet.

B. Match the columns.

- Ans. 1. (iii)      2. (iv)      3. (v)      4. (ii)      5. (i)

### Words in Use

A. Write the nationalities of the following countries.

Ans. American, British, African, German, Swiss, Belgians, Mexicans,  
French, Italians.

B. In the words given below the middle letters are missing. Find them out and fill in the blanks.

- Ans. 1. morning      2. special      3. greeting      4. people      5. rubbing  
6. ground      7. respect      8. hundred

C. Write the opposites of the following words.

- Ans. 1. question      2. giving      3. new      5. evening      6. unequal  
7. leave

## Grammar in Use

A. Change the following verbs into gerunds and fill in the blanks.

Ans. 1. Stealing      2. killing      3. cleaning      4. washing

B. Now, combine the following sentences to make one sentence.

- Ans. 1. They saw a fox disappearing into the jungle.  
2. She was a little girl skipping on the bed.  
3. I heard a bell ringing loudly.  
4. I saw Rohit swimming in the pool.  
5. He listened to them talking about the match.  
6. I saw a dog barking.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-7 : HOW THE CAMEL GOT HIS HUMP?

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The camel didn't work in the beginning because he did not want to work. He ate sticks and thorns.  
2. The camel ate sticks and thorns.  
3. A horse asked camel to work for the man.  
4. The djinn was the incharge of all deserts. He always travel that way because he know magic.  
5. The camel said, Humph! just Humph! and no more when someone spoke to him to do work for man.  
6. The djinn made the camel able to do work for three days without eating, because he can store food in his hump.

B. Who said and to whom.

Ans. 1. horse to camel      2. dog to camel      3. ox to camel      4. djinn to horse

C. Write TRUE or FALSE against each statement.

Ans. 1. true      2. false      3. true      4. false      5. true

### Words in Use

A. Match the animals with their voices.

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

B. Unhappy is the opposite of happy. Add in, in or un to make the opposites of these words.

Ans. 1. impossible      2. uncomplete      3. invisible      4. untidy      5. improper  
6. incorrect      7. unwrap

## Grammar in Use

A. Now, rewrite these sentences with punctuation marks and capital letter.

- Ans. 1. He was very hungry.  
2. Robert walked away happily.  
3. He gave some fish to the cat.  
4. The captain went to see the king of the Bagdad.  
5. John was leaving the city of London.  
6. One day the man's daughter came into the kitchen.  
7. My father is sending a ship to Africa.  
8. The king brought out six sacks of gold.  
9. The cat was very excited to see the rats.  
10. The captain was a smart man.

B. Convert the following statements in questions.

- Ans. 1. How many animals do live in a zoo?  
2. What did the snake?  
3. Whom were he shouting in the castle?  
4. How was the night?  
5. Whose song is it?

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-8 : FIVE SENSES OF TOMMY

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Tommy's ears help him to hear.  
2. Tommy has five helpers.  
3. Tongue.  
4. They help Tommy to know about the things that happen around him.  
5. Eyes, ears, nose, skin, tongue.

**Fun Time :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-9 : THE LITTLE HERO

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Tenali was sitting under the shadow of a banyan tree.  
2. The people were shouting, as mutthu's hut was on fire.

3. Tenali got into the burning hut to save mutthu's child.
4. He was awarded by the bravery award, he saved a child from a burning hut.
5. The Prime Minister gave Tenali bravery award on 26<sup>th</sup> January.
6. The act of Tenali was very great.

### Words in Use

A. Match the opposites.

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

B. Fill in the blanks from the words given above.

Ans. 1. bravery 2. extreme 3. shouting 4. screamed 5. rushed

### Grammar in Use

A. Now, use same and any to example the sentences.

Ans. 1. some 2. any 3. any 4. some 5. some  
6. any 7. some 8. any

B. Punctuate the following paragraph and rewrite it.

Ans. The masts again shook his head and walked towards the doctor but he turned back to his host for a moment and said, "I should have left long ago the honour of a man cannot be bought for any price. I will not reveal the man's name and if that is the only way you will help him there we will have to do without help. I have other visits to make good day."

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-10 : A SPECIAL EXAMINATION

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The English teacher announced in the class that there would be a special examination next Monday.
2. Dr. William Abraham was a student.
3. Kamal was sent out of the examination room because he was cheating.
4. The answer of question fourteen was written on the folded piece of paper.
5. Kamal proved his innocence by some special proofs, such as :
- (i) He used pencil to write but the paper was written with a pen.
  - (ii) The hand writing was not him.
  - (iii) He had already answered question no 14.

B. Following sentences have one mistake. Correct the mistake to prove that Kamal is innocent.

- Ans. 1. Kamal wrote in the examination with a pencil.
2. Kamal had not a pen.

3. Raman's note was written with a pen.
4. Kamal had completed question 14 at the time he was caught for cheating.
5. The piece of paper had not the handwriting similar as Kamal's

### Words in Use

A. Name some words that are related to a student.

Ans. Book, pen, pencil, exercise book, bag, blackboard,  
bench, desk

B. Following words belong to the text. Find out some shorter words from them and write.

Ans. nation our very is pen An

### Grammar in Use

A. Write the past form of these verbs.

Ans. Studied Made Read  
Moved Came Ran  
Cheated Followed Killed

Now, complete these sentences using the second form of verbs in the brackets.

Ans. 1. told 2. grew 3. told 4. promised 5. went 6. wrote  
7. sang 8. ate 9. walked 10. jumped

B. Now, complete the following sentences with was/were + ing form of the verbs.

Ans. 1. were playing 2. was working 3. was driving 4. were dancing  
5. was shivering

C. Fill in the blanks using may/might/could.

Ans. 1. May 2. could 3. May 4. might 5. could

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-11 : GOMTI

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Gomti was a cute girl.  
2. Gomti was a day dreamer. She always admired her beauty in her mind. She thought to marry a prince instead of a farmer's son.  
3. Gomti wished to live a life like a princess.  
4. At last Gomti gave a toss to her head and the pail of milk tilted and milk fell on her clothes from the pail.

B. Rewrite the following sentences in proper order.

Ans. Do it yourself.

## Words in Use

A. Match the words to their meanings.

- Ans. 1. (f)      2. (g)      3. (h)      4. (a)      5. (b)      6. (c)      7. (d)  
8. (i)      9. (j)      10. (e)

B. Circle the odd one out.

- Ans. 1. lady      2. ox      3. saree      4. ribbons

C. Use the following words in your own sentences.

- Ans. 1. Seema will not marry a poor man like me.  
2. Shatabdi Express is a fast train.  
3. She's dreaming away her days.  
4. I tossed him the ball.  
5. This lotion make your skin feel smooth and silky.

## Grammar in Use

Do it yourself.

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-12 : THE LION AND THE MOUSE

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The lion was caught in a net in eager search of prey.  
2. The little mouse nibbled the cords of the net to make the lion free from the net.  
3. The net was unpleasant house.  
4. We learnt from this poem that we should help each other.

**Fun Time :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-13 : PANDIT JAWAHARLAL NEHRU

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Pt. Nehru wished to visit nooks and corners of India with children.  
2. Pt. Nehru liked to play and talk with children.  
3. Pt. Nehru hoped from the children that they were more sensible about the beauty and life that surrounds them.  
4. Pt. Nehru found the children of America, Canada and England to be similar to the children of India.

5. The simple truths which the world has known for ages are as follows:

If we meet other people in a friendly way, they also become friendly. But we are afraid of them or if we show dislikes towards them, they behave in the same manner.

### Words in Use

A. Cross (X) the odd word.

Ans. 1. Disgust      2. Nod      3. Wild      4. Sing      5. Flower

B. Match the words with their meanings.

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

C. Now, what do you say to the people belong to the following countries.

Ans. 1. Bhutanere      2. Iranian      3. Canadian      4. Chinese      5. German  
6. Nepali      7. Russian      8. Italian      9. Swiss      10. Indonesian

### Grammar in Use

A. Now, write these sentences in the negative form.

Ans. 1. The police did not take a strict action against the culprit.  
2. Raja did not do what his mother told.  
3. The patient did not sleep soundly.  
4. The kitten did not hide behind the cupboard.  
5. Many of them have not seen an elephant.  
6. You shall have not gift for your lady.  
7. The young woman did not tell the old woman about her hens.  
8. The woman had not the heart to say no to them.

B. Which pronouns go with has or have ?

Fill in the blanks with has or have to find out.

Ans. 1. have      2. have      3. have      4. has      5. has      6. have      7. has  
8. has      9. have      10. have

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-14 : PLUMS TO APPLES

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

Ans. 1. The old woman wanted to eat an apple.  
2. The old woman wanted to give sugar, flour and spices for basket of apples.  
3. The garden filled with lovely flowers was located down the hill.

4. A man and a woman were quarrelling for making a cushion.
5. The man and woman gave a bouquet of flowers to the old woman.

B. Write True or False against each statement.

Ans. 1. true      2. false      3. true      4. false      5. true      6. false

### Words in Use

A. Do it yourself.

B. Tick (✓) the correct word in the brackets.

Ans. 1. from      2. from      3. of      4. off      5. for      6. in      7. in      8. in

C. Cross (X) the words that do not belong to the group.

Ans. 1. Butterfly      2. Will      3. Bread      4. Juice      5. Money

### Grammar in Use

A. Do it yourself.

B. Fill in the blanks with when or because

Ans. 1. because      2. when      3. because      4. when      5. when

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-15 : THE MYSTERY OF PIGTAIL

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. The sage wore a pigtail and he was sad because it hung behind him.  
2. The sage wore a pigtail and he was sad because it hung behind him.  
3. The sage spun the tail to bring it in front.  
4. No, he did not give up.  
5. The pigtail was faithful to his back.

B. Match the words with their meanings.

Ans. 1. (c)      2. (c)      3. (g)      4. (f)      5. (b)      6. (d)      7. (a)

C. Do it yourself.

D. Explain these phrases.

- Ans. 1. A time long ago.  
2. It does not matter at all.

E. Choose the correct option.

Ans. 1. (b)      2. (a)      3. (a)      4. (d)

F. Do it yourself.



## CHAPTER-16 : SPEED AND HUMANITY

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Albert was a very executive. One day, he was going down a neighbourhood village for some business purposes.  
2. He was enjoying his driving.  
3. When Albert's car passed a brick was thrown. It smashed into the shiny back side door of the car.  
4. A kid threw the brick on Albert's new car. The kid wanted to stop him.  
5. The Albert said the young child that my car is new. The brick you throw on my car is going to create a lot of trouble for you. Why did you do it.  
6. Albert did not get his car repaired, as he did not want to forget the incident.

B. Write True or False.

- Ans. 1. false      2. true      3. false      4. true      5. true

### Words in Use

A. The author is lost somewhere and has made some spelling mistakes in the words below.

- Ans. 1. Executive      2. Cylinder      3. Applied      4. Shouted      5. Handkarchief  
6. Beyond

B. Write two words with similar quality.

- Ans. 2. Rose                  Lily  
3. Sand                  Concrete  
4. Chair                  Pencil  
5. Pencil                  Crayon  
6. Mobile                  Laptop

C. Each word in A that is roughly opposite in meaning of the words under opposite in meaning of the words under B match them.

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

### Grammar in Use

A. Rewrite the following sentences correctly.

- Ans. 2. This is the cleanest garden in the city.  
3. This brick is heavier than stone.  
4. That is the costliest car.  
5. This is the best picture in the world.

B. Make adjective for the following words.

- Ans. 1. Black                  2. Cool                  3. Heavy                  4. Good  
5. Natural                  6. Known                  7. Wise                  8. Dangerous  
9. Courageous                  10. Costly

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yourself.

## CHAPTER-17 : WINGLESS FLIGHT

### Let's Answer

A. Answer these questions.

- Ans. 1. Maglev Express.  
2. Japan  
3. Maglev consists of three cars, uses the principle of magnetism to fly in the air.  
4. Guideway.  
5. Electromagnets are used in Maglev.  
6. The speed of Maglev is so high because it runs without wheels with the help of electromagnets.  
7. It is very costly to develop the guideway and maintain it. So, many countries do not think about development of maglev trains.

B. Fill in the blanks.

- Ans. 1. Maglev 2. four 3. iron 4. unlike 5. magnetic

### Words in Use

A. Now, complete the following sentences by choosing an appropriate word from the box.

- Ans. 1. a clock 2. a car 3. a gun 4. a tree 5. a printer  
6. Beyond

B. Rewrite the words as shown below.

- Ans. 2. Electrical 3. Silent 4. Attractive 5. Electronic

### Grammar in Use

A. Rewrite the following sentences.

- Ans. 1. Manu is not only a good swimmer but also a dancer.  
2. He helped her not only with money but also food.  
3. This school has not only a big stadium but also a swimming pool.  
4. Sweets are not bad only for teeth but also stomach.  
5. This story book is not only thick but also boring.

C. Make exclamatory sentences with the word in brackets.

- Ans. 2. How beautiful mountain is it !  
3. What a loving father he is !  
4. What a boring movie is it !

**Speaking :** Do it yourself.

**Writing :** Do it yourself.

**Listening :** Do it yours

## ENGLISH READER – ANSWER KEY – (Class-5)

### CHAPTER 1 (KIMI)

Let's Answer

- A. 1. Kimi lives with her aunt Jenny.  
2. Kimi's parents were deceased due to an accident.  
3. Jenny was Kimi's mother's sister, thus her aunt.  
4. Jenny took Kimi to her grandfather because she had found a new job and couldn't take care of Kimi anymore, so she left her with Uncle Lom.  
5. Jenny said to Lom, "I can't take Kimi with me. Now, it's your turn to look after her."  
6. Kimi saw beautiful snow-covered mountains, rivers, and lakes around the hut.  
7. Kimi made her bed in a cozy little loft with a small window and a bundle of hay.  
8. Kimi asked her grandfather to bring her a sheet.
- B. 1. Someone they met on the way to the grandfather's hut.  
2. Jenny.  
3. The woman they met on the way.  
4. Kimi.  
5. Kimi.  
6. Uncle Lom.  
7. Grandfather.

### Words in Use:

- A. 1. Unknown 2. Surprised 3. Right 4. Weak 5. Uncomfortable 6. Descend
- B. Silk – Silky Glass – Glassy Rock – Rocky Salt – Salty Sugar – Sugary  
Clay – Clayey Sand – Sandy Silver – Silvery Earth – Earthy Paper – Papery
- C. 1. (c) 2. (e) 3. (f) 4. (a) 5. (b) 6. (d)
- D. Drive - Driving, Driver Ride - Riding, Rider Race - Raced, Racing, Racer  
Come – Coming Arrive - Arrived, Arriving Close - Closing, Closer  
Take - Taking, Taker Fine - Finer, Finest Fire - Fired, Firing,  
Love - Loved, Loving, Lover White - Whiter, Whitest Nice - Nicer, Nicest  
Write - Writing, Writer Close - Closer, Closest Wide - Wider, Widest  
Bounce - Bouncing, Bouncer
- E. Lend – Land Meat – Meet Sound – Sand Noon – New Child – Chilled  
Don – Done Hill – Heel Blowing – Growing Seem – Seam Found - Fond
- F. Cup Sack Fork Bowl – Fork  
Hop Lie Walk Jump – Lie  
Water Shake Milk Tear – Tear

Cart Hat Hut Cabin – Hat

Cold Snow White Ice-cream - Ice-cream

Pond Lake Mountain River - Mountain

Grammar in Use:

- A. 1. This bundle is too heavy to be lifted.  
2. My cabin is too suffocated to stay here.  
3. The speed of this car is too fast to catch it.  
4. She is too fat to run.  
5. This boy is too small to ride the bike.
- B. 1. to ask 2. to live 3. to help 4. to live 5. to swim 6. to know 7. to give 8. to buy
- C. 1. must 2. May 3. Can 4. should 5. can
- D. 1. very 2. too 3. too 4. very 5. very 6. very 7. much 8. much

**Writing:**

- A. Do it yourself  
B. Reply to Teenu's letter:

537, Shanti Apts.

3, Vikas Marg

Delhi.

20 June, 2024

Dear Teenu,

I hope this letter finds you in good health and high spirits. I'm glad to hear that you've been diving into the world of history through books and it's fantastic to hear about your computer classes.

As for me, I've been keeping myself occupied with various activities. Recently, I've been engrossed in reading a novel by my favorite author. It's a gripping mystery that keeps me hooked till the last page. Additionally, I've been practicing painting and have created some beautiful landscapes inspired by nature.

I'm looking forward to hearing more about your adventures and discoveries. Please keep me updated!

Warm regards,

Neha

**CHAPTER 2 (LUMPING TRAIN)**

**Let's Answer**

- A. 1. The poem was composed by Robert Louis Stevenson.  
2. The horses and cattle are described as proceeding and charging along like troops in a battle.  
3. "The wink of an eye" refers to a very short period of time, an instant or a momentary action.  
4. The child clambers and scrambles, gathering brambles.  
5. A cart runs away in the road.

- B. 1. Ditches - "Witches"      2. Cattle - "Battle"      3. Rain - "Again"      4. By - "Fly"  
 5. Scrambles - "Brambles"      6. Daisies - "Gazes"      7. Load - "Road"      8. River - "Forever"
- C. The lines that begin with "Here" or "And here":  
 - "Here is a child who clambers and scrambles,"  
 - "And here is a cart run away in the road,"  
 - "And here is a mill and there is a river,"
- D. 1. Lumping Train  
 2. The poet mentions 'bridges and houses, hedges and ditches' to describe the various elements of the landscape that rush by during the fast-paced journey. These are common features of the countryside.
- E. 1. Crossing the river.      2. The garden.      3. The listener.      4. The listener.      5. Men.  
 6. The speaker.      7. The speaker.      8. Men.
- F. Do with your Partner

### CHAPTER 3 (BE HEALTHY)

#### Let's Answer

- A. 1. Washing hands before eating meals is important because dirty hands may carry many harmful germs that can cause various diseases.  
 2. Germs can cause diseases and illnesses.  
 3. A germ is a microorganism, typically a bacterium, virus, or fungus, that can cause disease.  
 4. Chewing food properly aids digestion and prevents overburdening the stomach.  
 5. Water is essential for maintaining body temperature and aiding digestion.  
 6. Fruits provide us with vitamins and minerals essential for good health.  
 7. A balanced diet includes proteins, fats, carbohydrates, and vitamins in appropriate proportions to maintain good health.
- B. 1. germs      2. adhere      3. fixed      4. digested      5. vitamins and minerals

#### Words in Use

- A. 1. flock      2. platoon      3. bouquet      4. team      5. bunch      6. colony      7. constellation
- B. - Harmful, harmless      - Helpful, helpless      - Careful, careless- Useful, useless      - Chinese ,  
 Japanese - Nepalese
- C. (a) Teach      (b) Keypunch      (c) Teacher      (d) Crush      (e) Pent

#### Grammar in Use

- A. 1. I did not live in Bhopal for a year.  
 2. He has not been batting for three hours.  
 3. There are not different kinds of fish in the sea.  
 4. He did not place his tools at the foot of a tree.  
 5. Songs are not important in Indian films.

6. There is not a rabbit behind the bush.
  7. The horse does not run very fast.
  8. Some edible oil is not prepared from them.
- B.
1. She will hide herself in this garden.
  2. The owl is an ugly bird.
  3. The peacock does eat grain.
  4. They have money with them.
  5. She found them in the evening.
  6. I am going to find wild shrubs.
  7. That was the real break-through.
  8. You can trust her to keep her word.
- C.
1. Did she laugh at the girls?
  2. Did the caravan start at six?
  3. Did they arrive at night?
  4. Did he spin with his own hands?
  5. Did he not reply to my letter?
  6. Did the workers get caught in the storm?
  7. Did her purple sari lie in the room?
  8. Have they reached the office?

## Writing

### Prayer Song – 2

Lighting of the lamp – 6

National Anthem – 1

Chief Guest's speech – 5

Annual Report – 7

Punjabi Dance – 3

Play – 8

Vote of Thanks – 4

## CHAPTER 4 (ALADDIN AND MAGIC LAMP)

### Let's Answer

- A.
1. Aladdin earned money by collecting wild figs and picking bananas.
  2. The stranger asked Aladdin if he wanted to earn a silver coin.
  3. Aladdin entered the manhole because the stranger promised him a reward if he did what he was told.
  4. In the cave, Aladdin saw pots filled with gold and silver coins, as well as jewels and gems.
  5. Aladdin brought himself home by summoning a genie using a magical ring.

- B. 1. The stranger said this to Aladdin.  
 2. Aladdin said this to the stranger.  
 3. Aladdin said this to the genie.  
 4. Aladdin's mother said this to Aladdin.  
 5. The genie said this to Aladdin.  
 6. Aladdin's mother said this to the genie.
- C. 1. The genie said these words to Aladdin.  
 2. Aladdin felt surprised and amazed on learning these words.  
 3. The speaker, the genie, offered to fulfill Aladdin's wishes and serve him obediently.
- D. 1. poor      2. manhole      3. treasure.      4. darkness      5. adventure

### Words in Use:

- A. 1. terrific      2. terrible      3. terrible      4. terrific      5. terrible
- B. 1. Seafood      2. Newspaper      3. Goodluck      4. Moonlight      5. Manhole      6. Airport      7. Drawingroom  
 8. Postoffice      9. Superman      10. Statebank
- C. 1. Interest – Interesting      2. Honour – Honourable  
 3. Detection – Detectable      4. Cruelty – Cruel  
 5. Magic – Magical      6. Creation – Creative  
 7. Greed – Greedy      8. Subsection – ?  
 9. Honesty – Honest      10. Love - Lovely

### Grammar in Use:

- A. 1. False      2. True      3. False      4. False      5. False      6. True      7. True      8. False
- B. 1. since      2. for      3. since      4. for      5. for      6. since

### Writing

- A. Do it yourself  
 B. Do it yourself

## CHAPTER 5 (WOLF! WOLF!)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. The shepherd boy went to the fields to look after the sheep.  
 2. The old man advised him not to leave the sheep stray and to shout "wolf" loudly if he saw a wolf coming near the sheep, so that the villagers would come to protect him.  
 3. The boy made fools of the villagers by pretending that a wolf was attacking the sheep when there was no real danger. He shouted "wolf" loudly, causing the villagers to rush to help, but then laughed and revealed that he was only joking.  
 4. When the wolf really came, the boy was frightened and began shouting for help, but this time the villagers did not believe him and did not come to help.  
 5. No, the villagers did not come a third time when the wolf actually came because they thought the



boy was joking again.

6. From this story, we learn that lying and playing tricks on others can have serious consequences. People may not believe us even when we're telling the truth if we have a history of deception. Additionally, it teaches us the importance of honesty and responsibility in our actions.

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

### Words in Use:

A. 1. (vi) 2. (v) 3. (iv) 4. (vii) 5. (ii) 6. (iii) 7. (i) 8. (viii)

B. 1. carried off 2. carry on 3. carry out 4. carry on

### Grammar in Use:

A. 1. swarm 2. fleet 3. bunch 4. litter 5. bouquet 6. litter 7. swarm 8. colony

B. 1. cast 2. pile 3. quiver 4. bouquet 5. group 6. ? 7. team 8. staff

- C. 1. Look at the constellation of stars!  
2. A fleet of ships travelled across the ocean.  
3. They woke up a hive of bees.  
4. There was a pile of rubbish outside the house.  
5. You should be careful around a swarm of bees.

- D. 1. She sipped the soup carefully.  
2. Whose paintings are these?  
3. Rani has been working for two days.  
4. I have been skating for three years.  
5. What time is lunch?  
6. She had great fun at the party yesterday.

### Writing

Visiting the zoo was an amazing experience! The variety of animals, from majestic lions to playful monkeys, fascinated me. The vibrant colors of birds left me in awe and watching them soar in their enclosures was mesmerizing. The zookeepers' dedication to caring for the animals was evident, and I learned so much about conservation efforts and wildlife habitats. It was a delightful day spent connecting with nature and gaining a newfound appreciation for the diverse creatures that inhabit our planet.

## CHAPTER 6 (A CHRISTMAS CAROL)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. The ghost of Scrooge's dead friend, Jacob Marley, visits him on the night before Christmas. Marley advises Scrooge to change his ways and be kind to the poor and needy.  
2. The first ghost, the Ghost of Christmas Past, shows Scrooge the good days of his past and reminds him of the kindness others have shown to him.  
3. The Ghost of Christmas Present shows Scrooge the joyful celebrations happening on Christmas Day, including scenes of generosity and kindness.



4. Scrooge begs the Ghost of Christmas Yet to Come to give him hope and assurance that if he changes his ways, his fate will also change for the better.
5. Scrooge says this because he realizes that he has been given another chance to change and make amends, which fills him with hope and happiness.
6. Scrooge is seen dancing with joy, expressing gratitude, and making preparations to correct his past mistakes, indicating that he has indeed changed for the better.

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

### **Words in Use:**

1. unable    2. invisible    3. disobey    4. unusual    5. unimportant    6. misunderstand    7. mispronounce    8. distrust    9. disbelieve    10. injustice    11. unjust    12. miscalculate    13. unstable    14. disown    15. incorrect

### **Grammar in Use:**

- A. 1. Raj has read a book.  
 2. Sudhir has gone home.  
 3. Sanjana has been ill.  
 4. He has done his work.  
 5. Kabir has slept.  
 6. Mahua has cooked dinner for us.  
 7. I have finished my work.  
 8. He has remembered everything.  
 9. Have you been lazy?  
 10. Who has told you such silly stories?
- B. 1. Vinita had written several letters to the police complaining about the noise.  
 2. Jatin had sung a beautiful song at the party.  
 3. You had given a very good speech at the farewell dinner.  
 4. John had wanted to become a doctor.  
 5. Rohan would have gone to England to see his father.  
 6. I had not seen him so bad before.  
 7. Bharat had hoped to become a school teacher.  
 8. Arjun would have become famous.
- C. 1. I shall have met the doctor by tomorrow.  
 2. He will have returned the book to the library by next week.  
 3. Will he have finished the work by tomorrow?  
 4. Suraj will have written a letter to his mother long before her birthday.  
 5. Kavitha will have come home by 4 o'clock.  
 6. The train will have left for London from Platform No. 8 before midnight.  
 7. I will have finished lunch by 2 o'clock.  
 8. The meeting will have ended by 7 p.m.

9. The world's population will have increased to about 30,000 million by 2010 A.D.

**Writing:**

Yes, I help others in various ways. For example, I often assist my classmates with their studies when they have difficulties understanding a topic. Additionally, I help my mother with house hold work. Helping others not only makes me feel good but also strengthens the bond within my community.

**CHAPTER 7 (CURIOUS TOWN)**

**Let's Answer**

- A. 1. The poet calls the town "Curious Town" because it is filled with strange and unusual happenings that defy normal expectations.  
2. The frog croaks in Curious Town, predicting a shower of pelting ice, which means it is going to hail.  
3. Responses may vary. Some students may have seen funny or unusual things similar to those mentioned in the poem, while others may not have.  
4. The funny thing about men and asses in the town is that the asses have only two legs, while the men have four.  
5. A name for the river in Curious Town could be "Flame River" or "Fireflow River."  
6. The rainbow of Curious Town is different from a natural rainbow because it has more colors than just light.  
7. Unusual things happening in Curious Town include the river flowing with fire, the volcano packed with dew, animals behaving strangely, and the peculiar anatomy of the men and asses.
- B. 1. d      2. d      3. c      4. a
- C. - The kitten barks and barks.  
- The puppy mews and mews.  
- The river flows with fire.  
- The volcano is packed with dew.  
- The asses in the town have only two legs.
- D. 1. curious - eager to know or learn about something  
2. hues - colors or shades  
3. pelting - falling or coming down heavily and continuously  
4. roam - move about or travel aimlessly  
5. volcano - a mountain or hill, typically conical, having a crater or vent through which lava, rock fragments, hot vapor, and gas are being or have been erupted from the earth's crust.
- E. And there the puppy barks and barks  
The kitten mews and mews.  
And there the frog climbs up a tree.  
And croons in a curious way.  
"Prepare for a downpour of pelting ice,

It is going to hail today!"

- F. a) "Packed with dew" means that the volcano is covered or filled with dewdrops or moisture.  
b) The things described are different from normal because rivers do not typically flow with fire, and volcanoes are not usually packed with dew.  
c) If this came true in your town, it would be very unusual and possibly dangerous. Rivers flowing with fire and volcanoes filled with dew would disrupt the normal balance of nature and could cause harm to the environment and people living nearby.

## CHAPTER 8 (INSIDE THE OCEAN)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. There are five oceans in the world: Pacific Ocean, Atlantic Ocean, Indian Ocean, Southern Ocean, and Arctic Ocean.  
2. The seabed is the bottom surface of the ocean. You can find deep valleys, underwater mountains, and sometimes islands on the seabed.  
3. A coral reef is a structure formed by the skeletons of tiny marine animals called polyps. They attach themselves to rocks on the seabed and build up over time, creating reefs.  
4. The largest coral reef in the world is the Great Barrier Reef, located off the northeast coast of Australia.  
5. Under the sea, there are treasures such as oil, natural gas, gems, precious stones, and pearls. These resources are found beneath the seabed and are valuable for various purposes.
- B. 1. True    2. True    3. True    4. False    5. True    6. False    7. True

### Words in Use:

- A. 1. Man-made – Natural    2. Enemy – Friend    3. Devil – Angel    4. Sank – Rose  
5. Violent – Peaceful    6. Natural – Artificial    7. Wide – Narrow    8. Beneath – Above  
9. Some – None    10. Surface - Depth

### Grammar in Use:

- A. 1. Watch out for slippery floors in the kitchen.  
2. There you are, your favorite book.  
3. Sooner or later, you'll have to face the consequences.  
4. In short, the meeting was productive.  
5. He won the game fair and square.  
6. Life in the countryside is not always a bed of roses.
- B. 1. In the nick of time - At the last possible moment.  
2. Take root - To become established or settled.  
3. A talking shop - A place where people talk rather than accomplish anything.  
4. All and sundry - Everyone, without exception.  
5. Step by step - Gradually or methodically.

6. Every inch - Completely or entirely.
7. In cold blood - Deliberately or without emotion.
8. Go a long way - To be very helpful or beneficial.

### Writing:

Living things in the sea include a diverse range of organisms such as fish, marine mammals like dolphins and whales, various species of coral, seaweed, crustaceans like crabs and lobsters, mollusks like octopuses and clams, and numerous types of plankton. These creatures form complex ecosystems and play vital roles in maintaining the balance of marine environments.

## CHAPTER 9 (CINDERELLA)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. Cinderella was the daughter of a rich merchant who became orphaned after her mother's death and her father's subsequent remarriage.  
 2. Cinderella's mother died just after giving birth to her.  
 3. Her father remarried a woman from a nearby village, who later gave birth to twin daughters.  
 4. Her stepsisters called her Cinderella because she was forced to sleep near the cinders, and they treated her like a maid.  
 5. The invitation was for all the young ladies of the country to attend a grand ball at the Royal Palace.  
 6. Cinderella was helped by her fairy godmother.  
 7. Cinderella ran out of the hall because she had to leave before midnight as per the fairy godmother's warning.  
 8. Cinderella left behind one of her glass slippers in the ballroom.  
 9. The Prince married Cinderella after finding out that she was the one who fit the glass slipper perfectly.
- B. 1. Stepmother to Cinderella. 2. Cinderella, expressing her grief. 3. Cinderella, promising the fairy godmother. 4. The Prince, upon seeing Cinderella. 5. The Prince, to his courtiers.
- C. 1. False 2. False 3. True 4. True 5. True 6. True
- D. 1. b) her stepmother 2. b) two daughters 3. c) one pumpkin 4. a) Midnight  
 5. b) glass 6. b) he gave trying on a shoe, which Cinderella lost.

### Words in Use:

- A. 1. fair - just; exhibition  
 2. right - correct; privilege  
 3. useful - beneficial; able to be used  
 4. date - day; romantic outing  
 5. lead - guide; metal  
 6. light - illumination; not heavy
- B. 1. due 2. piece 3. bear 4. knight 5. reign 6. deer 7. made

**Grammar in Use:**

- A. 1. Receiving no reply to her letter, she made a telephone call.  
2. Opening the gate, she found everything intact.  
3. Running towards the hospital, they saw the doctor in the cabin.  
4. Taking his hockey stick, he rushed out of the house.  
5. Driving along the road, I saw a dead deer.  
6. Sitting under a banyan tree, he heard some hissing noises.  
7. Holding his money bag, the old lady got into the cab.
- B. 1. Killing an animal is very bad.  
2. Living without air is impossible.  
3. Wasting water is not good.  
4. Helping others is a good habit.  
5. Crossing this river is impossible.  
6. Visiting a religious place is a good experience.  
7. Drawing pictures gives you peace.

**Writing:**

Cinderella's story teaches us about resilience, kindness, and the triumph of good over evil. Despite facing mistreatment from her stepmother and stepsisters, Cinderella remained gentle and hopeful. Her fairy godmother's intervention symbolizes the idea that help can come from unexpected places, and her eventual marriage to the Prince showcases the reward for inner beauty and goodness. Cinderella's character inspires us to believe in ourselves, reminding us that dreams can come true with patience and perseverance.

**CHAPTER 10 (THE MAGICAL BOX)****Let's Answer**

- A. 1. Ganesh's father was the wealthy old man in the town.  
2. Ganesh's father advised him to spend his inheritance wisely, work hard, and earn more money to improve his health.  
3. Ganesh's friend Kishor gave him a big wooden box.  
4. Ganesh went to a city in Arabia, and he went there using the magical box.  
5. Ganesh went to the palace of the Princess to propose marriage to her.
- B. 1. False    2. True    3. False    4. True    5. False    6. True    7. False    8. True
- C. 1. healthy. 2. except    3. wooden box    4. marry    5. sword , clothes    6. firecrackers
- D. Match the words with their meaning:  
1. e    2. f    3. a    4. b    5. c    6. d
- E. 1. There lived a wealthy old man in a town.  
2. There must be some magic things in the box.

3. He saw an interesting forest there.
4. My mother will come here tomorrow.
5. I will have a fireworks show in the wedding.

### **Words in Use:**

- A. Un - unfair, unhappy, unsure  
 Im - impossible, immature, impractical  
 Ill - illiterate, ill-equipped, ill-mannered  
 Auto - automatic, autobiography, automobile  
 In - incomplete, incorrect, inactive  
 Ir - irrational, irregular, irreversible
- B. 1. Incapable      2. Immature    3. Immovable    4. Imperfect    5. Irrecoverable    6. Inability  
 7. Inactive    8. Irresponsible      9. Unimportant      10. Impossible    11. Irregular    12. Inaccurate

### **Grammar in Use:**

- A. 1. can    2. is able to    3. Can    4. be able to    5. be able to    6. be able to    7. Can  
 8. be able to    9. be able to
- B. 1. may    2. Can    3. May    4. Could    5. Can    6. Could
- C. 1. don't have to get    2. doesn't have to worry    3. don't have to take    4. don't have to    5. don't  
 have to ignore    6. doesn't have to buy

### **Writing**

Do it yourself

## **CHAPTER 11 (WHEN ALL THE WORLD'S ASLEEP)**

### **Let's Answer**

- A. 1. Robin sleep in her nest.  
 2. The old fox rest in holes at night.  
 3. The bear go Inside a cave to rest.  
 4. Den is the palace of the lion.  
 5. Cows sleep inside the barn.
- B. 1. Nest    2. Cave    3. Hole    4. Kennel    5. Ocean    6. Hive    7. Web  
 8. Aquarium    9. Hair    10. Stable
- C. 1. d    2. e    3. a    4. b    5. c
- D. 1. night - the period of darkness between sunset and sunrise.  
 2. rest - a period of relaxation or sleep.  
 3. asleep - in a state of sleep.  
 4. barn - a large building used to house farm animals or store agricultural products.  
 5. creep - to move slowly and quietly, typically to avoid being noticed.

6. sly - clever or cunning in a deceitful or dishonest way.

E. 1. a. All the world's asleep at night.

b. Awake.

2. a. The lion has his den.

b. Cows can sleep inside the barn.

## CHAPTER 12 (AND THE GOAT WAS KILLED)

### Let's Answer

A. 1. The goat was grazing in a garden.

2. The hunter chased the goat.

3. The hunter wanted to kill the goat.

4. The goat hid himself among the thick branches and leaves of a vine.

5. The hunter killed the goat with an arrow.

B. 1. grazing in a garden.

2. kill the goat.

3. himself among the thick branches and leaves of a vine.

4. from outside.

5. relief.

6. safe.

7. all the leaves.

8. no place to hide.

### Words in Use

A. 1. After a short while: Refers to a brief period of time after a specific event or point in time.

Example: After a short while, the rain stopped, and we could go out to play.

2. Meanwhile: Refers to the time during which another event is occurring or has occurred.

Example: The food was cooking in the kitchen. Meanwhile, we set the table for dinner.

3. Quite safe: Indicates a state of being very safe or secure, with minimal risk or danger.

Example: The door was locked, and the windows were closed, so we felt quite safe inside the house.

B. 1. Garden: Yard      2. Forest: Woods      3. Posed: Intended      4. Danger: Hazard

5. Noticed: Observed      6. Visible: Apparent      7. Start: Commence      8. Safe: Secure

C. In the enchanting world of the Tiny Forest, where everything was small, little creatures called Sparklebugs lived happily. These tiny insects had a small village nested beneath the little leaves of Magic Trees. The tiny houses were painted in cheerful colors and the little sunlight. Every day, the Sparklebugs would gather in the pathways were lined with tiny pebbles that sparkled in the small town square for their little celebrations, sharing laughter and joy. In this small haven, each tiny creature had a role, no matter how little, contributing to the harmony of the Tiny Forest. It was a world where even the small acts of kindness had a big impact, proving that in the tiny places, there could be enormous happiness.



### Grammar in Use

- A. 1. at      2. for      3. to      4. in      5. with      6. after
- B. One day, we decided to go to the park with my dog. We never go to the park without my dog. He would be upset if we left him at home. Before dinner, we got the leash and began walking along the pond towards the park. He saw a duck who was wading in the water. My dog also wanted to be in the pond. When we looked away for a moment, my dog ran and jumped into the water. He splashed water onto my pants. My pants were soaked, I needed to find a towel. Once we were at the park, I found a towel and dried my pants. My dog had a great night with our family at the park.

### Writing

In the heart of the dense Amazon rainforest, there lived a majestic jaguar named Kaira. She was known for her sleek fur and piercing amber eyes. One day, Kaira heard the cries of a trapped monkey and rushed to help. With her powerful jaws, she freed the monkey from a hunter's trap. Grateful, the monkey became her loyal companion. Together, they embarked on countless adventures, helping other animals in need. Kaira's bravery and kindness made her a legend in the jungle, revered by all creatures. Her legacy of courage and compassion inspired harmony in the wild.

## CHAPTER 13 (LITTLE SHEENA)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. Sheena was a little sweet girl.  
2. Sunny was afraid of the dark.  
3. Her mother went out because their father had an accident and was in the hospital.  
4. Aunt Shradha was the lady with the torch.  
5. Aunt Shradha praised Sheena for being brave and taking care of her brother.
- B. 1. Sheena said this to her mother.  
2. Sheena said this to her mother.  
3. Sunny said this to Sheena.  
4. Aunt Shradha said this to Sheena.  
5. Sheena's mother said this once.

### Words in Use

- A. Technic Technical Technician  
Statistic Statistical Statistician
- B. Musician Optician  
Politician Tactical  
Electrical Geometrical  
Diagnostic Biometrical  
Physician Clinical
- C. Decision Bathe  
Detection Revise



- ## Writing

## CHAPTER 14 (OBEDIENT SHRAVAN)

## Let's Answer

- A. 1. Shravan was a boy who lived with his poor and blind parents.  
2. His parents desired to go on a pilgrimage to Kashi and other holy places.  
3. He carried them in two baskets slung from either end of a wooden pole balanced upon his shoulders.  
4. Shravan was mistakenly shot by King Dashratha while fetching water for his parents.  
5. Dashratha was the king of Ayodhya.
- B. 1. False    2. False    3. False    4. False    5. True

## Words in Use

- A. 1. Obedient : Willing to comply with orders or requests made by someone in authority.  
Example: The obedient dog always listened to its owner's commands.
2. Desire : A strong feeling of wanting to have something or wishing for something to happen.  
Example: His desire to travel the world motivated him to work hard and save money.
3. Pilgrimage : A journey to a sacred place or shrine, typically for religious reasons.

Example: Every year, thousands of people undertake the pilgrimage to Mecca.

4. Groaning : Making a deep inarticulate sound in response to pain or despair.

Example: The old floorboards were groaning under the weight of the heavy furniture.

5. Pierce : To make a hole in or through something with a sharp object.

Example: The arrow pierced through the target with great accuracy.

6. Wail : A prolonged high-pitched cry of pain, grief, or anger.

Example: The mournful wail of the wind echoed through the empty streets.

B. Parents - Parental

Man - Manly

Child - Childish

Harm - Harmful

Sense - Sensible

Act - Active

Hope - Hopeful

Air - Airy

Silver - Silvery

Obey - Obedient

Bother - Bothersome

China - Chinese

Fame - Famous

Duty - Dutiful

Blood - Bloody

Glory - Glorious

**Grammar in Use**

- A. - In 1939, the Second World War began.  
- In 1947, India gained independence from British rule.  
- In 1945, atomic bombs were dropped on Japan.  
- In 1950, India became a republic.  
- In 1984, there was a joint Indo-Soviet space mission.

- B. 1. ate    2. had    3. stood    4. fell    5. took    6. disturb    7. landed    8. gave  
9. threw    10. stole

**Writing**

I would ensure to provide my parents with love, care, and support as they age. I would regularly check on their health and well-being, accompany them to medical appointments, and assist them with daily tasks. Additionally, I would create a comfortable and safe environment for them at home, making modifications if necessary. Most importantly, I would spend quality time with them, listening to their stories and cherishing the moments together.

## CHAPTER 15 (THE KITTEN)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. The kitten is playing with withered leaves.  
2. The kitten is on the wall.  
3. The withered leaves fall from the elder tree. The poet calls the leaves 'prey' to metaphorically liken the falling leaves to prey being hunted by the kitten, emphasizing the playful nature of the scene.  
4. The morning is described as calm and frosty.  
5. The kitten doesn't care about the attention of others ("What would little Tabby care?").  
6. This poem was composed by William Wordsworth.  
7. Some things I would like to play with include toys, friends, and pets. Yes, I enjoy being mischievous and playing pranks sometimes.
- B. Fall - Fail Three - tree Fair - Fare Starts States Prey - Pray Again - Agony
- C. See the kitten on the wall.  
Sporting with the leaves that fall.  
Through the calm and frosty air.  
Of the morning bright and fair.  
With a tiger-leap half way.  
Now she meets her coming prey.  
Let it go as fast and then.  
Has it in her power again.
- D. see - sea leave - leaf two - too then - than sand - send would - wood  
meet - meat here - hear
- E. 1. d 2. e 3. f 4. g 5. h 6. c 7. a 8. b
- F. 1. b 2. b 3. c
- G. 1. it wants to play with it again.  
2. about the people watching it play.  
3. fallen leaves on the ground.  
4. calm and frosty air.  
5. it plays with the leaves in a graceful and skilled manner, akin to the performance of a conjurer.

## CHAPTER 16 (A PICNIC DAY)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. The children went for a picnic in a hilly area with a stream.  
2. The picnic spot was lovely, full of beautiful trees, shrubs, and a clean bubbling stream.  
3. Anuj was boastful, confident, and often tried to command others. Most of the children didn't like Anuj at all.

4. The teacher instructed the children to take some warm clothes for protection and to stay together, not wandering off alone.
  5. Anuj was missing from the group.
- B. 1. True    2. False    3. True    4. False    5. False
- C. 1. We are going for a picnic in a hilly area.
2. Where could he have gone ?
  3. No one gave him an ear.
  4. They were told to stay together and walk in pairs.
  5. They found Anuj there and locked him up there.

### Words in Use

- A. 1. High - Low 2. In - Out 3. Under - Over 4. Happy - Sad 5. Large - Small 6. Forget - Remember  
7. Found - Lost 8. Calm - Excited
- B. 1. She screamed when she saw the spider.
2. I spotted a deer in the forest.
  3. We boarded the train to go on a journey.
  4. The road became narrow as we entered the village.
  5. Be careful while walking down the slope.
  6. She managed to complete her project on time.
- C. 1. Presents    2. Each    3. Requested 4. Never    5. Please    6. Very    7. Because  
8. Depressed 9. Freely    10. Before 11. Get    12. Role
- D. 1. picnic    2. warm    3. students    4. small    5. attention    6. worried 7. paper boats.  
8. brought

### Grammar in Use:

- A. 2. What will you do after that?
3. Will you go to the library tomorrow?
  4. When will we meet tomorrow?
  5. What kind of book would you like to choose?
  6. Where can I find a good book to read?
- B. 1. I will keep my bike in the garage tomorrow.
2. My father will give me pocket money in the evening.
  3. I will make you a sandwich to eat.

### Writing

Do it yourself

## CHAPTER 17 (THE WINDMILL)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. The windmill thinks that the harvest in the farms belongs to it.

2. The windmill is compared to a giant because of its size and dominance in the landscape.
  3. The granite jaws of the windmill grind maize, wheat, and rye into flour.
  4. The windmill looks down over the farms.
  5. The word "I" is used to refer to the windmill itself.
  6. On Sunday, the windmill takes rest, listens to church bells, crosses its arms on its breast, and finds peace within.
  7. The windmill hears the sound of flails from the barns.
- B. 1. (c) 2. (d) 3. (e) 4. (f) 5. (a) 6. (b)
- C. 1. Tower - Power 2. Farms - Charms 3. Flails - Trails 4. Doors - Floors 5. Me - Free  
6. Rye - Sky
- D. 1. c) granite 2. b) flails 3. a) farms 4. c) miller
- E. 1. grind - crush 2. devour - consume 3. strive - struggle 4. fling - hurl 5. thrive - flourish  
6. wrestle - grapple 7. thresh - beat 8. sail - glide
- F. 1. a) The windmill is referred to as 'I'.  
b) 'I' is located aloft in its tower.  
c) 'I' hears the sound of flails from the threshing floors in barns with their open doors.
2. a) The windmill looks down over the farms.  
b) The windmill notices the harvest when it looks down.  
c) 'It' stands for the windmill.
3. a) 'Me' refers to the windmill.  
b) The windmill helps the miller by producing flour when fed with grain.  
c) 'Thrive' means to grow or prosper.

## CHAPTER 18 (NEWTON – THE GREAT SCIENTIST)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. The young boy saw an apple falling to the ground from an apple tree in the garden.  
2. Newton refers to Sir Isaac Newton, the world-famous scientist.  
3. Newton's uncle sent him to school.  
4. Newton's discoveries and contributions to science made him famous.  
5. Newton passed away on March 20, 1727.
- B. 1. True 2. False 3. False 4. False 5. True

### Words in Use

- A. Can - could Run - ran Know - knew Interest - interested Return - returned  
Sit - sat See - saw Give - gave Will - would Put - put
- B. Young - Old Beautiful - Ugly Began - Ended Upwards - Downwards Attract - Repel  
Bright - Dark Send - Receive Aware - Unaware

## Grammar in Use

- A. 1. weighs      2. some      3. quiet      4. accept      5. piece      6. die      7. Two and two
- B. 1. You like tea, don't you?  
2. You have done it, haven't you?  
3. The cake is very hard, isn't it?  
4. That picture is nice, isn't it?  
5. She is a nice lady, isn't she?

## Writing

The electric bulb, also known as the light bulb, is a device that produces light when an electric current passes through a filament enclosed in a glass bulb. It serves the primary purpose of providing artificial light in various settings, both indoor and outdoor.

## CHAPTER 19 (A MAN'S CUB)

### Let's Answer

- A. 1. The wolves lived in the Seeonee hills.  
2. Tabaqui informed the wolves that Shere Khan, the tiger, had shifted his hunting grounds to their area for the next month.  
3. The wolves disliked and feared Tabaqui because he made mischief, told tales, and ate rags and pieces of leather from the village rubbish heaps. Additionally, Tabaqui was known to go mad and become dangerous.  
4. Shere Khan was a tiger who lived near the Waingunga River. He killed only cattle because he was lame in one foot from birth, making it difficult for him to hunt other animals.  
5. Shere Khan came to the den of the wolves to inform them of his new hunting grounds. He burned his feet by jumping at a woodcutter's campfire, which caused him pain and anger.  
6. Father Wolf called the tiger a fool because Shere Khan made noise while hunting, which would scare away potential prey.  
7. The Law of the Jungle forbids every beast to eat Man, except when the killing is done to teach their children how to kill. Killing a Man attracts retaliation from humans, causing suffering for all animals in the jungle.  
8. The whine of a tiger was coming from the valley below the wolves' den.  
9. The animals in the story exhibit human-like traits such as fear, anger, and intelligence. However, they also have instincts and behaviors unique to their species, such as hunting for food and following the Laws of the Jungle.
- B. 1. Squealing - Making a high-pitched sound like that of a pig or a young child.  
2. Scuttled - Moved quickly with short, hurried steps.  
3. Lame - Unable to walk properly due to injury or weakness.  
4. Bewilders - Confuses or perplexes someone.  
5. Gypsies - Nomadic people who travel from place to place.

6. Muttering - Speaking quietly and indistinctly.

C. 1. moonlight 2. threshold and whined 3. scuttled 4. frighten 5. lame  
6. woodcutter's campfire

D. 1. Father Wolf 2. Mother Wolf 3. Tabaqui 4. Father Wolf 5. Tabaqui

E. 1. b 2. b 3. a 4. c 5. c 6. b

### Words in Use

- A. 1. The wilderness was teeming with diverse wildlife.  
2. Mowgli embarked on an adventure to explore the depths of the jungle.  
3. The Law of the Jungle dictates that only the strongest survive.  
4. The lioness groomed her cub affectionately.  
5. Mowgli had to adapt quickly to the jungle environment to survive.

B. 1. a 2. b 3. a 4. a 5. c 6. a 7. a

### Grammar in Use

A. 1. leaves 2. smells 3. plays 4. goes 5. cooks 6. chirp 7. study  
8. meets

- B. 1. Do they live in a big house?  
2. Does he read the newspaper every day?  
3. Do we eat breakfast at 7 o'clock?  
4. Does she study English for three hours every day?  
5. Do they play basketball after school?  
6. Do I go to the gym every morning?  
7. Does she speak Spanish fluently?

### Writing

I enjoyed reading about Baloo the bear in The Jungle Book because of his wise and nurturing character. In real life, I am fond of elephants because of their intelligence, strength, and gentle nature.