

Get going - A

1) What did the eel want to do? Why could he do it?

ans: - The eel was determined to ride on a wheel, but he could not do it because when he sat the saddle to ride, his tail could only pedal one side.

2) What plan was devised by the neighbour to solve the problem?

ans: - His neighbour, who also an eel, said could wrap a belt around both their waists and baste it with a strap. In this manner, each eel could pedal one side of the bicycle.

3) Identify your pairs of words.

ans: - eel - wheel, might - right, fun - done, ride - side.

B) Let us read between the lines.

1) What do you understand by the line, 'That two heads are better than one'?

ans: - 'That two heads are better than one' means that when two people work together to solve a problem, they are more likely to find a solution, than when one person ~~can~~ works alone.

2) What do 'the fun' and 'the thing' refer to in the following lines?

~~and~~ His neighbour, observing the fun, said, "I think that the thing can be done."

~~ans~~ In these lines 'the fun' refers to the

ans:- In these lines 'the fun' refers to the neighbour's observation of the ambitious young eel falling over while attempting to ride the bicycle. The thing refers to the act of riding a bicycle ~~can~~ successfully.

VOCABULARY JUNCTION

1) a) (i) The board of members is meeting tomorrow.

(ii) Shani loves playing board games.

b) (i) The king rewarded the brave knight.

(ii) Why do you go to sleep so late at night?

c) (i) Can your grandpa see properly now?

(ii) I ~~live~~ live by the sea!

d) (i) The captain is on the deck above.

(ii) Can I borrow your deck of cards?

a) (i) Did you meet the woman who was looking for you?

(ii) He says he is a vegan, but I have seen him ~~eating~~ ^{eat} meat!

f) (i) We are going to the club.

(ii) Be careful not to club the two together.

g) (i) Stay away from the crane when it is in operation.

(ii) Jane was about to click a picture of the crane when it flew away.

h) (i) Do you remember the value of pi?

(ii) Who wants pie for dessert?

2) a) (i) Are they going to fire you?

(ii) The fire has gone out.

b) (i) Bolt the door.

(ii) Why did the cat bolt upon seeing the cucumber?

c) (i) They lowered the body into the grave.
he looked.

(ii) We became nervous when we saw how grave looked.

d) (i) Shall we go for a trip?

(ii) There are brambles. Make sure you don't trip and fall.

e) (i) Joe forgot to put the box of books in the trunk.

(ii) The baby elephant didn't know how to use its trunk.

Grammar Junction

1) a) Arun says to Jasim, "I will do an extra assignment."

b) Meenal tells Akshat, "I will be so happy this time tomorrow when the last exam is over."

c) Pankaj asks Sheeta, "Will you be staying with your cousins when you go to Puerto Rico?"

d) Abhishek says, "My sister and I will throw a party next weekend for all our friends."

1) Anvika says, "I think it will rain tomorrow."

2) a. will be waiting.

b. will land.

c. will have been living.

d. will rain.

e. will look.

3) a. will be.

b. will find out.

c. will have been working.

d. won't tell.