

## Exercises

1. Meera recounts a day in her life in the form of a diary entry. Underline the tasks that she had someone else to do for her.

Thursday, 11 September 2019

Dear diary,

I got up very early today and started my day with a glass of water. I bathed before waking the kids up. I had Ankit prepare breakfast while I helped the kids get ready for school. We usually get my dad to drop them on my way to work. At work, I had the new interns prepare the presentation for an important meeting. Before the lunch break, I got Suniti Soni to order the lunch for the entire team to celebrate her recent promotion. Then, my manager let me take the afternoon off since I had

worked overtime last saturday. I went home and spent the day with my family. we watched a movie and had biriyani for dinner.

Meera

(2) Underline the causative verbs in the following sentences.

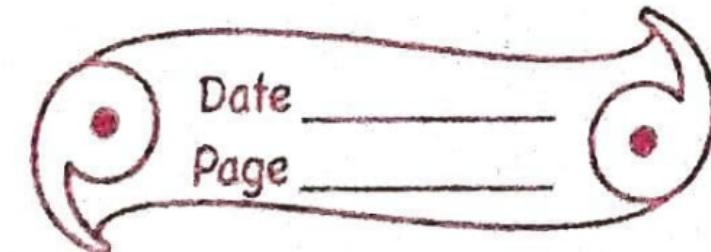
- (a) My mother made me clean my room.
- (b) Sunita got her hair cut last wednesday.
- (c) Joe always makes me buy him food.
- (d) Sachin Tendulkar let the fans take pictures with him.
- (e) Is she getting her parents to dance for the function?
- (f) Garvita must have had her brother pick her up from the college.
- (g) Our aunt doesn't let us play in the attic.

as she says it's too dangerous.

- (h) The warden let me stay over at my friend's.

③ fill ups:

- (a) She got her cousins to go (go) on the trip.
- (b) Does the head nurse let you take (take) leave?
- (c) I let him play (play) with the newborn puppies.
- (d) we had our mothers to meet (meet) each other.
- (e) I will get my friend to contribute (contribute) for the event as well.
- (f) Riya's classmates got her to try out (try out) for the college football team.
- (g) I got my band to perform (perform) in the Christmas programme at the city church.



(b) The doctor could not make the patient  
to change (change) her mind about the opera-  
tion.