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Autumn Holiday Homework

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A. Fill in the blanks with reflexive pronouns.

1. I have written this essay by _____.

Ans - I have written this essay by myself.

2. They will cook lunch themselves.

3. He did the work all by himself.

4. This machine can work by itself.

5. Anil sat himself in the mirror.

B. Choose the correct answers.

1. I really like watching old shows. Those are some of the best things on TV.

Ans - a) Those

2. Please hand me that.

Ans - a) That

3. That is a wonderful gift from my father.

Ans - b) That

4. After the parade, everyone met up in the town square.

Ans - b) everyone

5. Would you like something to drink?

Ans - a) Something

C. Change the following sentences from plural to singular:

1. The women were working in the fields.
Ans - The woman was working in the field.
2. The babies were crying in their cradles.
Ans - The baby was crying in its cradle.
3. Mangoes are kept on the tables.
Ans - Mango is kept on the table.
4. Lions live in caves.
Ans - Lion lives in cave.
5. Mothers love their children.
Ans - Mother loves her child.

D. Read the extract and answer the questions.

"Moyana was a shabari. The Shabaris were a poor tribal group and they owned no land. But nobody complained. Only Moyana's questions went on and on. "Why do I have to walk so far to the river, to fetch water? Why do we live in a leaf hut?"

1. Who was Moyana?
Ans - Moyana was a shabari girl.
2. Who were shabaris?
Ans - The Shabaris were a poor tribal group and they owned no land.

3. Which questions did Moyna keep asking?

Ans- Moyna kept asking questions 'why' like 'Why do I have to walk so far to the river to fetch water?', 'Why do we live in a leaf hut?'

4. Where did they live?

Ans- They live in the leaf hut.

F. Answer the questions (30 words each).

1. How did the mother make house look charming?

Ans- The mother made the house look charming by adding little touches here and there like using a few metres of bright chintz and little paint in right places.

2. What was the ethical question the narrator's father was struggling with?

Ans- The boy's father knew that the winning ticket belonged to his boss which meant that Kendrick was its rightful owner. However Kendrick didn't know that. So, the boy's father was debating whether to keep the car or not.

3. What happened to Moory's lawyer?

Ans- Moory's lawyer met an end befitting his grand status. He was waving a fan over his toy when it fell from the plank on which it was kept. It could have been either the breeze or the fan that was responsible for this accident on falling to the ground, the lawyer was reduced to dust.

4. What are the things that tell us how poor Hamid is?

Ans- Hamid is poorly dressed, thin and famished-looking. Hamid has no shoes on his feet; the cap on his head is soiled and tattered; its gold thread has turned black.

5. How does Hamid respond when his friends make fun of him for buying a pair of tongs?

Ans- Hamid bravely defends his choice of buying a pair of tongs by giving witty reasons that prove that his purchase is better than their toys.

6. How did Manju become Ju and how did everyone end up calling her that?

Ans- Mother, Manju's mother would call her Ju, and that is how everyone started calling her Ju as well.

F- Write a notice in about 50 words informing the students about the Autumn vacation starting from 12th October 2021. You are Veena Mohanty, Principal, Greta Public School, Puri. Add necessary details.

Ans-

Greta Public School, Puri
NOTICE

10 October 2021

Announcement of Homework and Autumn Vacation

The notification is concerned to inform to every student of Greta Public School that your Autumn vacation will be starting from 12 October 2021. ~~The~~ The school will recommence its sessions from 21 October 2021.

All scholars must consult their teachers for more information on homework and assignments which are necessary to be finished before school reopens.

Especially the students from class VI to XI must pay extra focus on their study hours as the exam schedule will soon be distributed. For any query, contact the undersigned.

Principal
Veena Mohanty.

Q- Write a letter to your friend in about 120 words narrating the activities you have planned to execute during the Autumn Vacation. You are Ajay/Aruvodka, P-99, Sundar Vihar, Sunabeda.

Ans- P-99

Sundar Vihar

Sunabeda

11 October 2021

Dear Asha,

I hope you are well. Are you looking forward to the Autumn Holiday? Thank you for your previous letter, it's always great to hear that you are coming back.

I'm writing to you because I want to invite you to visit me during the holiday season. We could visit the art and history museums or spend days at the park or wander around the shopping malls if the weather is bad. Other friends would love to spend more time with you too, we could hang out with them in the cafe you like or go on a day trip to the beach. What do you think?

I think it would be amazing to spend a couple of weeks with you here in the city! We would have so much fun! I know how much you

love the city and it wouldn't be expensive as you can stay with me in the apartment.

Let me know what you think. If you decide to come, we can start planning what we will do while you're here.

I'm looking forward to hearing from you and hopefully I'll see you soon!

Yours truly friend,
Anurodha

H. Answer the given questions in about 80-100 words.

1. Write a character sketch of Ju with reference to her role in the story 'Ju's story'.

Ans - Mariju is a young girl, 12 years of age. She has just ~~entered~~ entered class VIII. She lives with her mother, who calls her Ju (so everybody else calls her Ju). Ju's father had been killed in a tragic accident. Her mother works as a domestic help and is the sole provider for her small family. Her mother brings her hand-me-downs from the homes in which she works and Ju welcome them like new friends. She is mostly seen in clothes given away as ~~hand~~ hand-me-downs. Often there are size problems with the dresses,

skirts and blouses, which were then altered to Ju's size by Ali, Ju never saw the gifts that she received as being old because they were entering her life for the first time. Therefore, as far as she was concerned, they were brand new. She especially loves the well-used textbooks and the treasures sometimes hidden among their pages, fresh flowers, poems and sometimes even a dead butterfly. Ju is a very practical and a sensible girl.

2. Analyse how Hamid shows maturity in the story 'Idgah, Festival of Eid'.

Ans - Hamid is a poor small boy. He lives with his Grandmother Ameena. On the morning of Eid, poor Hamid doesn't have new clothes like other children he has only three pice as Eidi for the festival. While other kids went out and bought toys and candies, Hamid repressed his emotions and let the fair empty handed he goes to a hardware shop and noticed a pair of tongs and he purchased the pair of tongs with three pice. He remembered how ~~he~~ his grandmother burns her hand while cooking roties. Hamid was happy about his choice and wanted to show his friends. He puts the pair of tongs

on his shoulder like a gun for everyone to see.

Mohsin laughed at him and asked him if he was mad and ~~what~~ what will you do with those tongs. Hamid quickly threw the tongs on the ground and replied, asking him to throw his water carrier on the ground to see if it breaks. Mahmood was bit surprised saying if tongs were also a type of toy. Hamid happily replied that if he keeps the tongs on shoulders it appears as a gun as it can be used as a musical instrument used by singing monks. He compared his tongs with tiger. A tiger superior among all animals and his tongs are superior than those toys.

In this way Hamid sacrifices his childish temptations in order to mitigate his grandma's agonish cooking process and shows maturity in the story.

3. Discuss in detail the acts of mischief that William was engaged in and how his activities put others in trouble during the house shifting.

Ans- The acts of mischief that William was engaged in and ~~how~~ activities put others in trouble during the house shifting are-

The problem after shifting the piano in the moving van that William was trapped in the van behind the furniture. William happened to be in the van. He had been sleeping there.

He ruined his pants by leaning against the gate with wet paint. William was more of a hindrance than a help with wet paint and with a medicine cupboard. He stumbled while helping to carry the cupboard thereby breaking the medicine bottles and spilling the medicine. The bedroom upstairs was locked, that slowed down the work of unpackers. So, William rose to the occasion. He offered to climb the roof and get himself into the bedroom through the chimney and open the door for the unpackers.

When Mrs. Brown and Ethel entered the new house they heard a scared voice crying out for mother from somewhere above the house and discovered that it was William. He was scared and could not get down from the roof, so the whole team of unpackers had to get help out by borrowing tall ladders from neighbors to rescue William.

In this way William put others in ~~other~~ trouble during the house shifting.