

Worksheet

English

A. Fill in the blanks with reflexive pronouns.

1. 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 saw 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.

a. those

b. That

c. This.

2. please hand me that.

- a. That.
- b. something.
- c. everywhere.

3. That is a wonderful gift from my father.

- a. Those
- b. That
- c. some.

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

- a. something
- b. everyone
- c. anywhere.

5. Would you like something to drink?

- a. something.
- b. everyone.
- c. anywhere.

C. Change the following sentences from plural to singular.

1. The women ~~were~~ ~~was~~ working in the fields.

The woman ~~was~~ working fields.

2. The babies ~~were~~ crying in their ~~cradles~~.

The baby ~~was~~ crying in his ~~cradle~~.

3. Mangoes are kept on the tables.

A mango is kept on the table.

4. Lions live in a caves.

A lion lives in a cave.

~~5. A mother loves her children.~~

5. Mothers love their children.

A mother loves her child.

D. Read the extract and answer the questions.

1. Who was Moyra?

Moyra was a shabara.

2. Who were shabaras?

The shabaras were a poor tribal group and they owned no land.

3. Which questions did moyra keep asking?

Moyra keep asking "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?

They live in a leaf hut.

E. Answer the questions (20 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 the right place of the house.

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~~ ^{boss} which meant that Kendrick was ~~belonged~~ to 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 Noorrey's lawyer?

ans) Noorrey'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. no cap on his head. is a tattered and soiled and its gold thread has turned black.~~

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

ans) Hamid with the retort, "Mister, it is only the brave who can jump into a fire. You - miserable lawyers, policemen and water carriers will run like frightened women into their homes. Only this champion of India can perform this feat of leaping into the fire."

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

ans) Manju is Ju's own name. Her mother Madhu rationed Manju to Ju. She shortened her name to Ju because all would easily remember her name and that is how everyone calling her Ju.

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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 of Greta public school, Puri. Add necessary details.

~~Greta~~ GEETA PUBLIC SCHOOL,
PURI.
NOTICE

11th October 2021

All the students will be pleased to know that our school is organising a autumn vacation. as per details given below:-

Start of vacation :- 12th October 2021.

End of vacation :- 30th October 2021.

To ensure good marks in exam, we have shared a file ^{of worksheets} on group and who are interested they can join Activity classes. which is shared on group.

veena mohanty
(principal).

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/Anuradha P-99, Sundar Bihar, Sunabeda.

P-99
Sundar Bihar
Sunabeda.
12th October.

Dear ~~Saan~~ Rhea,

I hope this letter finds you in the best of health and spirits.

You asked me to write activities that I planned to execute during the autumn break. So before any delay let's start

We planned to ~~go~~ visit first Gateway, Jag Mahal and Konark temple as people come from different parts of India to ~~visit~~ visit this monuments and I planned

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to do group study and I have joined
Art and music class, and I ^{will} ~~have~~
~~done~~ do lot of crafts like Hut House
in paper, paper pen, paper tree
and so on. if you want to know
more crafts then you should watch
on internet. I ^{will} ~~go~~ go to Durga Piga
to watch the medha but due to
corona we have to maintain distances.

I ~~has~~ hope you will surely spend
some days of autumn break with
us.

Convey my regards to uncle and
aunty & bye take care.

yours Sincerely

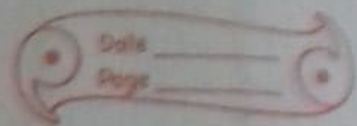
Anuradha,

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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) Margu is a young girl, 12 years of age. She has just entered class VIII. She lives with her mother, who calls her Ju (so does everybody else). 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 home in which she works and Ju welcomes them like new friends. She is mostly seen in clothes given away as hand me downs. Often there are size problems with the old dresses, shirts and blouses, which are then altered to Ju's size by aji. 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) These toys cost two pice each. All Hamid has three pice. How can he afford to buy such expensive toys? If they dropped out of his ~~his~~ hand, they would be smashed to bits. if a ^{drop of} water fell on them, the paint would run.

They had be of no use to him. After the toys it is sweets. Someone buys sesame candy, gulab Jamuns or halva. They smack their lips with relish. Only hamid is left out. The luckless boy has at least three pice.

Mohsin Says. Hamid take this sesame candy, Hamid stretches out his hand. Mohsin puts the candy on his own mouth. 'Mahmood, Noorey' and sammi clap their hands with glee and have a jolly ~~g~~ good laugh. ~~The~~ Hamid is crestfallen.

Hamid who stops to see a pile of tongs. It occurs to him that his granny does not have a pair of tongs. Each time she bakes chapattis, the iron plate burns her hands. If he were to buy her a pair of tongs she would be very pleased. She would never burn her fingers. It would be a useful thing to have in the house. What use are toys? They are a waste of money. You can have some fun with them but only for a very short time. Then you forget all about them. Hamid asks the shopkeeper, "How much for this pair of tongs?"

The shopkeeper looks at him and seeing no other persons with him replies, "It's not ~~for~~ - for you." How much it is

It will cost you six pice."

Will you give it to me for three?"
And proceeds to walk away lest the
shopkeeper screams at him. But the
shopkeeper does not scream. On the
contrary, he calls Hamid back
and gives him the pair of tongs.
Hamid carries it on his shoulder
as if it were a gun and struts
up proudly to show it to his friends.