

* Rhyming scheme - aabbccdd

* Poetic devices - Simile - life
 tem jillion volcanoes.

* Wheeze, Clatter - Onomatopoeia

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Jet going

[A] Let us find the answers from
the poem.

① What was the universe like
 before the Big Bang?

Ans → The ^{space} universe was hotter than hot
 and it was compressed in one
 very dense dot. Nothing existed -
 time, matter or place before the
 Big Bang.

② Who appeared out of the nothing?

Ans → A fat guy with reindeer, the
 Santa Claus appeared out of
 the nothing.

③ What was the matter with the fat guy?

Ans → The fat guy's nose was runny with filled with phlegm (mucus).

④ What happened when he sneezed?

Ans → When he sneezed the dense dot exploded and the universe blew, spewing out stars, planets, etc.

⑤ What did the guy say with a wheeze?

Ans → The guy said with a wheeze -
'Who will ever believe the world started by sneeze? So let's call it something much grander, all right? Merely BIG BANG to all!
And to all-Gesundheit!'

[B] Let us read between the lines.

⇒ Do you think the second and fourth lines of the first stanza are contradictory? Justify your answer.

Ans ⇒ Yes, the second & fourth lines of the first stanza are contradictory. 2nd line conveys that nothing existed in the deep space. But the 4th line conveys that everything was there but compressed in one very dense dot. So these lines have opposite meaning of each other.

[C] Let us go beyond the poem.

⇒ Where do you think the fat guy was flying to?

Ans ⇒ The fat guy was perhaps ~~to~~ traveling to the space, and ~~so~~ he might be giving gifts to the good children and distribute them in all the regions,

Vocabulary Junction



- ① (a) Faux pas - French
(b) ad hoc - Latin
(c) Per capita - Latin
(d) Fiasco - Italian

- ② (a) bon voyage
(b) oot
(c) Faux pas
(d) Fiasco
(e) déjà vu

Grammar Junction

- ① Genghis Khan was the founder of the Mongol empire.
- ② We will need lots of pens.
- ③ Jason is meticulous and punctual, ~~his~~ ^{his} work ethic is admirable.
- ④ We ~~think~~ think that this sentence is not quite correct.
- ⑤ If one is good at one's job, one will find oneself at home here.



- ⑥ let us get one cabbage, one cauliflower and a kilo of each of ~~pot.~~ potatoes & onions.
- ⑦ The Principal praised him for his honesty, perseverance and determination.
- ⑧ Fresh fruits and vegetables sold here!
- ⑨ We should adapt to the changing times.

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EARTH HOUR



Earth Hour is an annual movement organised by World Wide Fund for (WWF), Australia. It was originally titled 'The Big Flick' as the main idea constituted switching off lights for an hour to reduce power consumption. It is conducted on the last Saturday of March every year to spread awareness

about the adverse effects of irresponsible utilisation of non-renewable energy sources on the climatic conditions of earth.

The invention of ~~en~~ electricity played an important role in the industrial revolution as it gave rise to numerous inventions that transformed

human life on earth. From large industries in big cities to a small house in a remote village, access to and sufficient supply of electricity is deemed essential for both economic growth and human development.

In order to meet the consistent rise in power requirement due to

Worksheet

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Grammar : Non-Finites

Date

Name

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(A) Fill in the blanks with the correct forms of the infinitives given in brackets :

1. Children would like to (like/liking/like to/like) go on a picnic.
2. The teacher lets us go (go/went/goes/going) to the playground.
3. The principal let us go (go/to go/going/went) on a picnic.
4. We would love to see (see/to see/having seen/seeing) her doing (do/to do/doing/done) it.
5. We had rather to play (playing/play/to play/played) than work.
6. He is too ill to work (have walked/walk/ to walk/walking).
7. Her greatest desire is is sing (sing/to sing/singing/having sung).
8. Drinking milk is good for health. (Drinking/Drink/To drink/Having drunk)

(B) Choose the correct word (Gerund or Infinitive) given in the brackets :

1. You may go on writing (to writing/write/having written/writing).
2. People used to make (to make/making/made/make) fire by rubbing (rub/having rub/rubbing/rubbed) two sticks together.
3. I wish to see (seeing/to see/see/sees) the Principal.
4. He is beginning to understand (to understand/understanding/understand/being understood/been understood) his responsibilities.
5. I can't understand her behave (behaving/behave/to behave/behaves) in that manner.
6. He wore dark glasses to avoid (to avoid/avoiding/avoid/avoids) being (being/be/to be/was) recognised.
7. His doctor advised him to give (to give/giving/give/given) up smoking (to smoke/ smoking/smoke/smoked).
8. The driver was fined for exceeding (exceed/exceeding/to exceed/exceeds) the speed limit.

(C) Fill in the blanks with the infinitive form of the verbs given in brackets :

My mother told me how (a) to make (to make/have made/making/makes) tea. She let me (b) fill (fill/filling/filled/fills) the tea-pot with water and (c) light (lighted/lighting/light/to light)

the gas. She put the pot on the gas stove, and asked me (d) to put (put/putting/to put/to have put) some tea leaves into the water, and then (e) added (added/adding/add/addition) milk to it. She told me (f) to sieve (sieve/sieved/to sieve/to sieved) the tea, and then (g) to pour (to pour/ poured/have poured/pour) it into cups. This is how I learnt (h) to prepare (to prepare/prepared/ prepare/preparation) tea.

(D) Fill in the blanks with the infinitive form of the verbs given in brackets :

There is hardly any one who doesn't want (a) to be (having been/be/being/to be) rich. Everybody thinks that he is born (b) to enjoy (enjoying/enjoy/enjoyed/to enjoy) all the comforts and luxuries of life. But only some people recognize the reality that (c) being (having been/being/be/to be) rich they should (d) work (working/worked/work/to work) sincerely and honestly. Many people wish (e) to be (be/being/to be/having been) rich overnight. Such people give birth to evils like corruption and crimes.

(E) Fill in the blanks by adding either a Gerund or an Infinitive form of the verb given in brackets:

I am fond of (a) Playing (having played/playing/played/ play) cricket. On every Sunday we go to the stadium (b) to play (having played/play/playing/ to play) limited-over match. There are twenty members of our club. We are thinking of (c) getting (get/gets/getting/ having got) our club registered. We wish (d) to organise (having organised/organise/organising/to organise) tournaments in the near future. We have a coach also who teaches us how (e) to bat (having batted/batting/to bat/bat) and (f) to bowl (having played/bowl/bowling/to bowl). He has advised us (g) to do (having done/to do/doing/do) practice daily if we want (h) to become (having become/become/becoming/to become) good players.

Worksheet

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Grammar : Clauses

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(A) Complete the following passage by filling in the blanks with appropriate Clauses :

I am sure (a) you will not feel lonely there . If you come back by Wednesday (b) at 9'o clock . We will go on a picnic and (c) enjoy a lot . Tell me what (d) you want . I am sure (e) to give you the car . I will miss you a lot, though (f) I have . Good-bye, then. Ring me up (g) when you . I'll come to receive you at the station so that (h) we can go home together .

(B) Complete the following passage with appropriate Adjective Clauses :

It is rightly said that there is no one (a) truly contribute to the motherland . A person (b) who is a citizen of a country is grateful to his country because this is the place (c) where he . This is the country (d) whose sons and (e) provide it food . I am proud of all my talents (f) I possess . It is my motherland (g) and my all my talents to serve her people, specially for those (h) who use of the basic necessities of life. nation where

(C) Complete the following dialogue with the help of the suitable Noun Clauses :

Dipesh : Lovesh, do you believe in (a) what he see ?
 Lovesh : (b) I think is not always true.
 Dipesh : So we should find out if (c) it is correct
 Lovesh : That is true. So I do not blindly believe in (d) myths .
 Dipesh : I also firmly believe that truth is not what (e) we know !
 Lovesh : That is why, it is necessary that (f) to find the truth .

(D) Complete the following passage with the help of the suitable clauses :

As they went on describing the school, it seemed to me that (a) its campus the greatest place on earth. I resolved at once (b) that it is one of the best schools in the state although (c) I had no idea where (d) were the classrooms or how many miles away or how (e) many students studied there

(E) Complete the following letter by filling in the blanks with appropriate Clauses :

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Lucknow

June 5, 20 ...

Dear Mukesh

(a) Due to certain reasons, I could not write you earlier. Everything is fine here. (b) I am comfortable here.

Only yesterday I met Rakesh (c) in our place. He is working here in an office. When are you coming to see me? I am sure (d) you will come soon.

Yours sincerely

Atul