

## 4. The New Neighbours

### Worksheet 1

#### COMPREHENSION

Read the passage and answer the questions that follow.

Pravin and Hanu were going for a holiday. The problem was Hanu's dog, Benjy. Benjy wanted to go with them. Every time they tried to pack a bag, he would sit on it. He ran away with Hanu's shoes and hid them. He chewed up his toothbrush. He sat on the doormat, looking at Hanu sadly. Pravin and Hanu had planned to leave Benjy in a kennel for a few days till they returned. But now they were in a fix. Benjy stopped eating his food and looked so miserable that they wondered what to do. Finally, they decided to take Benjy with them. His collar and leash were put on and his plate and favourite blanket put into a bag. Benjy understood and began to run around the room, wagging his tail, barking happily! They loaded everything into the van, and Benjy sat proudly on the back seat, and off they went on their holiday.

**A. Tick (✓) the correct answer to complete the sentences.**

1. The problem was Hanu's \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) friend Pravin            (b) old van                    (c) dog, Benjy
2. Benjy sat on the \_\_\_\_\_ and looked sad.  
(a) chair                        (b) doormat                    (c) bench
3. Pravin and Hanu had planned to leave Benjy at \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) the kennel                (b) the neighbour's house (c) the school

**B. Answer the questions.**

1. Why was Benjy sad?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Name three ways in which Benjy showed that he was sad.

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3. How did Benjy understand that he too was going with them?

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## Worksheet 2

### GRAMMAR

**A. Add verbs in the simple present tense from the box to complete the following sentences.**

give   bakes   comes   arrive   takes

1. The school bus \_\_\_\_\_ at 7 am.
2. Grandpa usually \_\_\_\_\_ a nap in the afternoon.
3. Mummy \_\_\_\_\_ the best cakes in town.
4. What time does the train \_\_\_\_\_?
5. Please \_\_\_\_\_ this book to Jenny.

**B. Use the present continuous tense form of the given verb and add is/am/are, etc., to the sentences given below.**

1. Gopal \_\_\_\_\_ a party on Saturday. [have]
2. They \_\_\_\_\_ to Jammu in the morning. [go]
3. I \_\_\_\_\_ a doll to Vini on her birthday. [give]
4. How soon \_\_\_\_\_ Grandma \_\_\_\_\_ to our house? [come]

**C. Use an apostrophe ['] at the right place to either show possession or contraction of words in the sentences given below.**

1. This is Hanus dog, Benjy.
2. Cant you do this exercise?
3. I wont be going to Meeras house.
4. Lets take sandwiches, *samosas* and juice for the picnic.
5. Today the weather is lovely, isnt it?

# Worksheet 3

## VOCABULARY AND WRITING SKILLS

A. Match the words in Column A with their synonyms in Column B.

**Column A**

1. large
2. rough
3. cry
4. quiet
5. loud

**Column B**

- (a) noisy
- (b) weep
- (c) huge
- (d) coarse
- (e) silent

B. Make compound words by joining two words from each of the columns.

**Basket 1**

1. butter
2. foot
3. bath
4. lamp

**Basket 2**

- (a) shade
- (b) tub
- (c) fly
- (d) stool

C. You had a good day at school because you got full marks in the dictation test. But you lost your belt. Write a diary entry for 12th February 2022, describing your day.

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D. Arrange the following words in alphabetical order.

1. New, Nuts, Night, Nugget, Nasty

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2. Bun, Bundle, Bake, Ban, Blue

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