

I Keep Six Honest Serving Men

Lesson Plan

This famous poem of Rudyard Kipling tells us how we can gain knowledge. If we have curiosity, we will use words like what, why, etc., to gain knowledge.

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

- › Reading, enjoying and reciting poetry.
- › Understanding the poem.
- › Understanding and answering questions on it.

Read and Enjoy

- * Read the poem aloud with correct pronunciation and rhythm.
- * Students to follow.
- * Explain the poem.

Outcome: Read, recite and understand.

Read and Understand

- * Let the students do Exercises A and B on their own.
- * Announce the correct answers so that the students can check and correct their answers.
- * Discuss Exercises C and D. As the correct answers emerge, dictate them. The students can write them down neatly in their notebooks.
- * Students can do Exercise E on their own. The teacher can announce the answer in the class.

Outcome: Answering questions on the poem.

Enjoying the Poem

- * Explain the meaning of personification to the class.
- * Give ample examples to explain its use in prose and poetry.
- * Let the students do the exercise on their own.
- * Announce the answer or write it on the blackboard so that students can transcribe it in their notebooks.

Outcome: Understanding the meaning and use of personification.

Activity

* Make groups in the class and act as moderator in the discussion.

Outcome: Enhancement of knowledge.