

WORKBOOK

1. FRIENDSHIP, THE ESSENCE OF LIFE

SECTION A

- A. 1. (a) 2. (b)
- B. 1. Initially, 2 August was chosen as Friendship Day.
2. Nane Annan, the wife of former Secretary General of the United Nations, Kofi Annan, chose Winnie the Pooh as the world ambassador of friendship.
3. These days, Friendship Day is celebrated on the first Sunday of August.
- C. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.
- D. 1. POPULAR 2. AWAY 3. FADED 4. PROMOTED

SECTION B

- A. 1. It is an important day for us.
2. The children wished her excitedly.
3. There was a smile on every face.
4. Everyone finds a tremendous change in her regular behaviour after meditation practice.
- B. 1. (c) 2. (a) 3. (e) 4. (f) 5. (d) 6. (g) 7. (b)
- C. 1. Phrase 2. Clause 3. Phrase 4. Clause
- D. 1. Ex 2. In 3. S 4. Im 5. In 6. Im

SECTION C

- A. 1. Snow 2. Silk 3. a feather 4. ox 5. snail
- B. 1. POPULAR 2. COUNTRIES 3. EXCHANGE 4. EFFORTS 5. ONLINE 6. CHOSEN

SECTION D

- A. Students may do this on their own based on the clues given.



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2. A LETTER FROM A FATHER TO HIS DAUGHTER

SECTION A

- A. 1. 1837 2. Scinde Dawk; 1852 3. government operated 4. Department of Posts
- B. 1. Sir Bartle Frere, who was then the administrator of Sind for the East India Company, introduced the first adhesive stamp in 1852.
2. In Independent India, the first stamp, with the image of the national flag, was issued on 15 August 1947.
3. Delivery of mail; remitting money through money orders; Small Savings Schemes; Postal Life Insurance and Rural Postal Life Insurance; retain services like bill collection, sale of forms, etc.; agency for government schemes like payment of old age pensions, Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme wage disbursement. [any three]
- C. 1. last 2. few 3. smallest 4. rejecting 5. unimportant

SECTION B

- A. 1. children; teacher [common]; Ms Diya Kumari [proper]
2. tourists; tomb; guide [common]; Humayun [proper]
3. China; Beijing [proper]; country; capital [common]
4. Ganga; Himalayas [proper]; plains [common]
- B. 1. flight 2. herd 3. swarm 4. pack 5. pride 6. fleet 7. school 8. library
9. gang; suite 10. crew
- C. Fill in the following order: education; intelligence; imagination; creativity; curiosity; pleasure
- D. 1. bravery 2. honesty 3. loyalty 4. anger 5. beauty 6. thought 7. knowledge
8. friendship
- E. 1. some 2. much 3. a pair 4. any
- F. 1. M 2. F 3. CG 4. F 5. CG 6. M 7. M 8. F

SECTION C

- A. 1. (e) 2. (a) 3. (b) 4. (c) 5. (d) 6. (f)
- B. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.
- C. 1. (d) 2. (a) 3. (f) 4. (b) 5. (e) 6. (c) 7. (g)
- D. 1. Bazaar: a street or an area with shops or markets
- Bizarre: very strange; grotesque
2. Born: come into the world by birth
- Borne: carried



3. Desert: a waterless, treeless wasteland; barren

Dessert: a course of fruit or sweets at the end of a meal

E. 1. pilgrimage 2. dealership 3. celebration 4. motherhood 5. sickness 6. purity

SECTION D

A. Any reasonable words are acceptable. Example: [the date and name of person to whom the letter is written to, and the your name at the end of the letter can be written by the students themselves]

‘...school. I wanted to meet you before I left, but was unable to do so because of the rush of packing and leaving quickly. I have some new friends here at the school. The school is rather good and my classmates are helpful, but I do miss you so much..... everyone in the class and keep in touch..... your parents.’

B. Any reasonable answer is acceptable.



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3. MY ELDER BROTHER

SECTION A

- A. 1. False 2. True 3. False
- B. 1. 'Anna Karenina' 2. An uncomplicated; human nature 3. 20 November 1910
- C. 1. Leo Tolstoy was born in Tula province of Russia on 9 September 1828.
2. Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi and Martin Luther King, Jr. were influenced by 'The Kingdom of God is Within' because in it, Leo Tolstoy wrote about non-violent resistance, which was adopted by both the two leaders later.
3. He wrote about ordinary events and characters and about war and religion.
- D. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. 1. honest [Attributive] 2. beautiful [Predicative] 3. wonderful [Attributive]
4. vague [Predicative] 5. interesting [Attributive]
- B. 1. courageous [Quality]
2. his [Possessive]
3. four [Number]
4. charitable [Quality]
5. This; that [Demonstrative]
6. These [Demonstrative]; best [Quality]; our [Possessive]
7. Which [Interrogative]
8. What [Interrogative]; your [Possessive]
9. What [Exclamatory]; interesting [Quality]
10. What [Exclamatory]; beautiful [Quality]
11. Only [Emphatic]; my [Possessive]
12. This [Demonstrative]; my [Possessive]; own [Reflexive]
- C. Fill in the following order: attributively or predicatively; like; part; as; attributive; at the end; predicative. Examples: 1. It is a pretty dress. 2. This dress is pretty.
- D. 1. good [P] 2. more useful [C]; good [P] 3. most sought after [S] 4. best [S]
5. effective; educational [P] 6. more emotional [C]



SECTION C

- A. 1. brave 2. beautiful 3. cowardly 4. honest 5. poor 6. creative
- B. 1. frightened/cowardly 2. ugly/plain 3. brave/courageous 4. dishonest 5. rich
6. unimaginative/conservative

SECTION D

- A. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable. Clues: can use words like - pretty; intelligent; loving; cheerful; naughty; mischievous; smiling; playful; affectionate; friendly; shy, etc.

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4. THE RETURN OF THE LION

SECTION A

- A. 1. Shivneri; Junnar 2. Shahji; Jijabai 3. fifth 4. Bangalore (now Bengaluru)
5. skilled fighter; horse rider
- B. 1. Shivaji's father, Shahji, was a military leader and jagirdar of Pune and Supa. He started his military career with Nizamshah of Ahmadnagar and later joined the Mughals briefly. Later, he joined the Adil Shahi sultanate of Bijapur for the rest of his career.
2. Jijabai's father was Lakhuji Jadhav of Sindkhed, a jagirdar under the Nizamshahi and later with the Mughals.
3. Shivaji was taught martial arts by Kanhoji Jedhe, Baji Pasalkar and Gomaji Naik Pansambal.
4. Shivaji's interest in religion can be seen from the fact that he often spent time with Hindu and Muslim saints wherever he went.
- C. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. First Person: me; we
Second Person: You
Third Person: he; him; he; them; They
- B. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable. Examples:
1. My grandfather is wonderful. I share my stories with him and he tells me his stories.
2. I am celebrating my birthday. My parents have organised a party.
3. I received an award on the Annual Day. It was given by the Chief Guest.
4. The boys were playing pranks. They had a lot of fun.
- C. 1. This 2. himself 3. ourselves 4. which
- D. Replace in the following order: 1. He; It 2. He; his; he
- E. 1. whom 2. which 3. that 4. who 5. whose 6. Whose

SECTION C

- A. 1. chief 2. lied 3. belief 4. grief 5. neighbour 6. field 7. ceiling 8. weight
- B. 1. visible 2. dependable 3. horrible 4. comfortable 5. suitable 6. sample
- C. 1. Durable: likely to last for a long time
2. Muddle: a state of confusion, disorder or mess



3. Communicable: that which can be communicated or imparted (e.g., ideas, diseases; etc.)
Any reasonable sentences using the above words are acceptable.

SECTION D

A. Teacher: Children, today we are going to read about Shivaji Maharaj.

Puneeta: Ma'am, can I please read the lesson?

Teacher: Now, you all can follow and listen when I ask Puneeta to read the lesson.

Malini: Excuse me, ma'am, I forgot to bring my book. Can I sit with Anjali please?

Teacher: Yes, but remember to bring your book the next time.

Malini: Thank you, ma'am. I will definitely remember it in future.

Teacher: Before Puneeta reads, let me tell you something about Shivaji. He was an extremely powerful king who founded the Maratha empire. Look at his picture in the textbook.

All students: Yes, ma'am.

Teacher: Puneeta, now you may begin reading.

B. Any reasonable work is acceptable.



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5. THE SPEAKING TREES

SECTION A

- A. 1. (c) 2. (b) 3. (a)
B. 1. (e) 2. (a) 3. (f) 4. (b) 5. (c) 6. (d)
C. 1. 250 years 2. 1884; 1886 3. decayed 4. 14,500 square 5. 3300

SECTION B

- A. 1. must 2. could; would 3. will 4. would
B. 1. laughed [Intransitive] 2. dances [Intransitive] 3. is selling [Transitive]
4. remembered [Transitive] 5. keeps [Transitive]
C. 1. spoke; spoken 2. invited; invited 3. wrote; written 4. erased; erased
5. telecast; telecast 6. wet; wet 7. split; split 8. began; begun 9. bet; bet
10. read; read 11. built; built 12. saw; seen 13. went; gone 14. learnt; learnt 15. tried; tried

SECTION C

- A. 1. improper 2. inefficient 3. impolite 4. infertile 5. intoxicate 6. indecisive

SECTION D

- A. I wish to thank you for helping us find our way home. I was completely lost and if you had not helped, I would have been terrified of being out in the forest at night, especially with my little sister also being there with me. Thank you once again.



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6. THE LADY WITH THE LAMP

SECTION A

- A. 1. (d) 2. (c) 3. (d) 4. (d)
- B. 1. 1863; providing protection and assistance to victims of war
2. impartial; neutral; independent
3. disasters; other emergencies
4. 1912 5. 1920
- C. 1. International Committee of Red Cross
2. The ICRC (a) organises nursing care and proper treatment of those who are injured in war or taken as prisoners of war; (b) helps search for missing persons during war; (c) protects and takes care of citizens in the affected areas; (d) assists people during disasters and other emergencies. [any one]
3. After 1991, it is given once in two years, not annually, to both men and women up to a maximum of fifty persons from all over the world.
4. A medal and a certificate are awarded to each recipient, usually presented by the country's Head of State in a ceremony.
- D. 1. Volunteer: someone who freely offers to do something, because he/she wants to do it.
2. Assistance: help; aid
3. Citizen: a person who has full right in a state, either by birth or by gaining such rights
4. Regulation: a rule; an order; an authoritative direction

SECTION B

- A. 1. is [Simple Present]
2. is leaving [Present Progressive]
3. are afraid [Present Perfect]
4. is looking [Present Progressive]
5. has opened [Present Perfect]
6. have gone [Present Perfect]
7. has been shouting [Present Perfect Progressive]
- B. 1. goes 2. is playing 3. has left 4. has eaten 5. has been watching
- C. 2. has submitted 3. has drawn 4. has gone
- D. 2. has been working 3. has been practising 4. has been waiting

- E. Fill in the following order: has been; has been feeling; has been waiting; hugs; returns; had treated.
- F. 2. has been working 3. has been practising 4. has been heading 5. have been wondering
6. have been walking 7. has been sitting

SECTION C

- A. 1. (e) 2. (f) 3. (a) 4. (b) 5. (c) 6. (d)
- B. 1. unsatisfied/dissatisfied 2. untrue 3. discontented 4. unsafe 5. displeasure 6. dislike
7. discomfort 8. discolour 9. uncommon 10. disappear 11. unlikely
12. unfold 13. ungrateful

SECTION D

- A. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.
- B. Any reasonable answer based on the clues is acceptable.
- C. The students can use their own creativity in this exercise.



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7. A TRIP TO KOLKATA

SECTION A

- A. 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (d)
- B. The sentences should be arranged in the following sequence: d, l, f, g, a, b, i, c, h, e, n, j, p, k, m, o, q.
- C. 1. Kaki used spices, grated coconut and green chillies to make the fish curry.
2. Kaki was thinking about her nephew's wedding and what a grand affair it would be with its dresses and ceremonies.
3. Kaki shouted that she would not speak to Kaka till Nitai's horns turn blue.
4. Kaki realised that she had made a mistake because she could not live without chatting with Kaka even for a few minutes.

SECTION B

- A. 1. will visit 2. will be giving 3. is going to inaugurate 4. will be leaving
- B. 2. will have been giving 2. will have been dancing 3. will have been singing
- C. 1. May 2. could 3. will 4. could

SECTION C

- A. 1. corporation 2. presentation 3. erosion 4. repetition
- B. 1. (a) anxious: feeling troubled
(b) eager: full of, or showing a strong desire
2. (a) desert: a waterless, treeless wasteland; barren land
(b) dessert: a fruit or sweet at the end of a meal
3. (a) lightening: making something become less heavy or making it brighter
(b) lightning: a flash of bright light by natural electricity in the sky, with thunder
4. (a) stationary: not moving or changing from place to place
(b) stationery: writing materials, e.g., paper, books, pens, pencils, erasers, etc.
5. (a) affect: have an influence on someone or something
(b) effect: result or outcome
6. (a) rein: long narrow strap fastened to a bridle to control a horse
(b) reign: sovereignty; rule; period of rule
7. (a) birth: coming into the world; the process of being born
(b) berth: sleeping place in a train, ship or aircraft

- C. 1. WROTE 2. EEL 3. GHOST 4. LATTER 5. TEENAGER 6. SUGAR
7. TERRIFY 8. RUDE

SECTION D

Students may do this on their own. The format will be as follows:

The Principal,

_____ School,

[Date] _____

Dear Madam/Sir,

Subject: Application for leave

I would like to bring it to your kind notice that I will not be able to attend school from _____ to _____ 2019. I have to go with my parents to attend a marriage in my family at Kolkata. Please grant me leave for _____ days on the dates mentioned above. I shall be very obliged.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Class _____



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8. BLACKBERRIES – THE FRUIT

SECTION A

- A. 1. (c) 2. (b)
- B. 1. the United States; Ireland 2. black-caps 3. cancer
- C. 1. Desserts, jams and jelly can be prepared with blackberries.
2. Blackberries are rich in vitamins C, K and in folic acid which has vitamin B.
3. Mexico is the largest producer of blackberries in the world.
- D. 1. Wild 2. Cure

SECTION B

- A. 1. a; the 2. an 3. an; a; the 4. a; the 5. x; the

SECTION C

- A. 1. (d) 2. (h) 3. (g) 4. (b) 5. (f) 6. (e) 7. (c) 8. (a)

SECTION D

- A. Any reasonable story is acceptable. Clues: Aditya picking berries – separated from friends – suddenly hears sounds – stops, frightened – two large monkeys – chattering at him and making faces – remembers story of the cap-seller – throws a few berries – they chase the berries – Aditya runs back to friends.
- B. Any reasonable work is acceptable.

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9. TENALI RAMA CHALLENGES THE MAGICIAN

SECTION A

- A. 1. (d) 2. (c) 3. (a) 4. (a)
- B. 1. Chocolate Room; Inventing Room; Nut Room [any two]
2. Charlie went to his house with Willy Wonka after winning the prize in Willy's glass elevator.
3. Charlie's family was taken to the Chocolate Factory after he won the prize.
- C. 1. first 2. lost 3. old 4. huge

SECTION B

- A. 1. at 2. on 3. in 4. towards 5. into 6. for 7. by
- B. 1. on 2. from; to 3. down 4. on
- C. 1. opposite 2. near 3. away from 4. with 5. behind
6. [The sentence should be the calendar was hung _____ the wall.] on 7. out of
8. among 9. to 10. away 11. under 12. between
- D. 1. from; to 2. for 3. by 4. in 5. during 6. since 7. at 8. on
- E. 1. because of 2. along with 3. in favour of 4. according to
- F. 1. and 2. and 3. and; yet 4. or
- G. 1. if 2. because 3. till 4. that 5. where

SECTION C

- A. 1. rate 2. lake 3. slit 4. tool 5. slot 6. raw 7. now 8. made 9. palm
10. lied 11. worth 12. blow 13. grab 14. sack 15. rock 16. dear
- B. 2. Meal for one: No more leaf 3. A crash: Has car 4. The classroom: Schoolmaster

SECTION D

- A. Any reasonable answer based on the pictures and written clues is acceptable.
- B. Any reasonable work is acceptable.

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10. THE EMPEROR AND THE SHADOW PUPPETS

SECTION A

- A. 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (a)
- B. 1. Puppets are used to narrate any of the following stories: Myths, legends, folk tales, moral stories, tales to make fun of situations and people. [any two]
2. Puppets are used to entertain, amuse, educate and spread religious beliefs. [any two]
3. Puppets are usually made of paper, cloth, wood, metal and plastic.
4. Marionettes are string puppets.
- C. 1. heads, limbs and bodies 2. puppeteers 3. puppets by the hands
4. the Ishara Puppet Theatre Trust

SECTION B

- A. 1. Mita said that Naman ate an apple every day.
2. Sumer told Anshu that Mridul was playing basketball.
3. Sagar said that the thief had run away.
4. Rohan said that he would play in the park with Binny.
- B. 1. told 2. said 3. told 4. told
- C. 1. The little girl told the shopkeeper that she wanted a red ball pen.
2. My mother told me that we would attend a family function the next day.
- D. 1. Shiraz asked Saba where her drawing book was.
2. Divya asked Hitesh who the new class monitor was.
3. Josephine asked Siddhi why everyone was shouting.
4. Father enquired when would Rita's exams begin.
5. Tony enquired who was making a noise.
- E. 1. asked; was
2. asked; was
3. asked; had been
- F. 1. Mohana asked Naresh whether he was going to a chemist shop.
2. The teacher asked the students whether they were ready to leave for the auditorium.
3. The policeman asked the thief whether he wanted to contact his family before he was put in the prison.

- G. 1. Meena asked Shubhi where her grandparents lived.
2. Mohit asked Rehan who had gifted him the new bat.
3. Mother asked Ananya whether she had seen her mobile phone.
4. The lady asked the man whether he was a doctor.

SECTION C

- A. 1. cheerful; playful 2. strong; brave 3. beautiful; colourful 4. trained; graceful
5. tall; multi-storeyed 6. delicious; tempting 7. new; expensive 8. chilled; fresh
B. 1. frequently 2. reluctantly 3. certain 4. enough 5. biography

SECTION D

- A. Any reasonable answer is acceptable. Clues: Harsh studies well – no time for playing, making friends, spending fun-time with family – health and mood affected – needs eye check-up – doctor suggests more outdoor games – food that is healthy – make friends – be active and friendly – help in chores – becomes a happier boy.

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11. 2018 COMMONWEALTH GAMES

SECTION A

- A. 1. general fitness 2. maintain weight 3. Swimming 4. Tennis; basketball; focus
5. positive; academic
- B. 1. Sports activities from a young age help us strengthen bones and muscles, tone the body and increase strength and stamina.
2. Sports involve running, jumping, moving, stretching and swimming. [any four]
3. Team games improve team spirit and develop leadership qualities; a healthy competitive spirit; and teach us to handle both victory and failure.
4. Sports help in developing self-esteem, confidence, strong peer relationships and team spirit, and leadership qualities. [Any three]
- C. 1. advantages 2. immensely 3. concentrate

SECTION B

- A. 1. regularly 2. spontaneously 3. very 4. anxiously 5. patiently 6. lavishly
7. artistically 8. always 9. upstairs 10. last
- B. [Underline the words below and circle the ones in brackets.]
1. beautifully [answered] 2. slowly [speaks]; clearly [heard]
3. sweetly [sings] 4. wherever [goes]
5. [Should be 'very' instead of 'much'. It modifies disciplined.]; arrogantly [talk]
- C. Fill in the blanks in the following order: over; recently; next week; immediately; unfortunately; somewhere; definitely; rudely; [The word 'work' should come before the blank] properly; very
- D. 1. Courteously 2. Somewhere 3. Today 4. Daily 5. Very 6. Much
- E. 1. sincerely 2. always 3. extremely 4. frequently 5. now
- F. All the adverbs in this exercise are adverbs of manner.
1. quickly 2. nervously 3. smartly 4. intelligently 5. cautiously
6. carelessly 7. sweetly 8. faithfully 9. sincerely 10. confidently
- Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION C

- A. 1. (a) not heavy; (b) something that removes darkness
2. (a) a stitched piece of clothing worn around the neck, a cravat
(b) attach or fasten with a string or cord
(c) equal marks or ranking
3. a place where a dead body is buried, a tomb; (b) serious
- B. 1. dialect 2. stout 3. nuisance
- C. 1. leader 2. waiter 3. preacher 4. cleaner 5. sender 6. reaper 7. follower
8. investor 9. prayer 10. sailor

SECTION D

Any reasonable answer is acceptable. Clues: Unexpected meeting - excitement - awe - what she said - focus on hard work, perseverance and training - not arrogant - smiling - friendly - feeling thrilled and satisfied.