

The Giving Tree

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (b)
- B. 1. Androcles found an injured lion in the forest.
2. At first, Androcles turned to run, but noticing that the lion did not chase him, he went up to the lion.
3. The lion showed his gratitude by licking the hand of Androcles like a pet dog.
4. When the hungry lion was released in the arena, he rushed Androcles. But as he came near, he stopped and licked Androcles' hands. The lion did this because he had recognised his old friend who had helped him by removing the thorn from his paw.
5. The emperor decided to pardon Androcles and set both the slave and the lion free.
- C. 1. pleasure/relief 2. cowardice 3. captured 4. unfriendly/hostile

SECTION B

- A. 1. All the boys of my class like to play cricket.
2. The books are kept in the cupboard.
3. Mitu likes to sing patriotic songs.
4. He wants to have some strawberry shake.
5. They have made special plans for this weekend.
6. The newspaper is on the table.
7. The building is well-maintained.
8. I love to sing.
9. All the newly constructed houses are not painted yet.
10. Mother is taking some rest now.
- B. Any reasonable words making a correct sentence are acceptable.
- C. Declarative: 1, 3, 4, 11; Interrogative: 2, 6, 8; Imperative: 5, 7, 9; Exclamatory: 10, 12
- D. Any reasonable words can complete the sentences. Their kind will be: 1 and 4: Declarative; 2: Interrogative; 3 and 6: Imperative; 5: Exclamatory
- E. 1. The hills are covered with snow. [Declarative]
2. Why is Ram so upset? [Interrogative]
3. The kites are colourful. [Declarative]
4. Complete your project work now. [Imperative]
5. What a beautiful mansion this is! [Exclamatory]

6. What did the teacher tell you? [Interrogative]
7. The teacher made an announcement in the class. [Declarative]
8. Who broke the glass? [Interrogative]

SECTION C

- A. 1. pay 2. catch 3. pay 4. keep 5. pay 6. catch
- B. 1. v e i n 2. r e i gn 3. abilit i e s 4. ch i e f
5. n e i ghbour 6. br i e f
- C. 1. u n happy 2. i n come 3. u n kind 4. u n fold
5. i n door 6. i n secure

SECTION D

- A. This can be done by the students on their own. Some clues:
1. Doctor: treats sick/injured – tests – diagnoses illness – prescribes medicines, treatment
 2. Nurse: assists doctor – provides support in treatment to patient – helps in surgery – first aid.

WORKBOOK

2. GOA – A TOURIST’S PARADISE

SECTION A

- A. 1. (c) 2. (b) 3. (b) 4. (c)
B. The sequence of the sentences is as follows: 3; 8; 5; 1; 9; 6; 2; 4; 7; 10.

SECTION B

- A. 1. (e) 2. (f) 3. (a) 4. (b) 5. (g) 6. (c) 7. (d) 8. (j) 9. (h) 10. (i)
B. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.
C. 1. pack 2. herd 3. army 4. bunch 5. litter 6. galaxy
D. 1. wisdom 2. freedom 3. courage 4. generosity 5. love
E. Abstract nouns: 1. honesty 2. kindness 3. liberty 4. intelligence
Material nouns: 1. cement 2. coffee 3. gold 4. brick
F. Fill in the blanks as follows:
Feminine: bride; goose; mare; nun
Masculine: son; prince; landlord; count
G. Masculine: 1; 5; 7; 11 Feminine: 4; 8; 12 Common: 3; 6; 10 Neuter: 2; 9
H. 1. Since the word referred to by the verb 'are' is 'dolls', it is immaterial whether we use 'girl' or 'girls'.
2. women 3. children 4. churches 5. leaves 6. life 7. wolf 8. babies

SECTION C

- A. 1. beginning 2. coming 3. running 4. shining 5. describing
6. flying 7. rising 8. cutting 9. dyeing 10. dying
B. 1. bundle 2. peel/peal 3. jingle 4. hotel 5. deal 6. seal 7. eel
8. apple 9. reel/real
C. 1. death 2. peep 3. gleam 4. bread/breed 5. cheer 6. leader 7. need
8. fear 9. seed 10. gear 11. tear [The word 'gleam' is repeated and hence should be deleted]

SECTION D

- A. This can be done by the students on their own.

WORKBOOK

3. ELIAS

SECTION A

- A. 1. Finland 2. happiness 3. happier 4. lower; happiness list
- B. 1. Norway, Denmark, Iceland, Switzerland and the Netherlands rank after Finland on the happiness list of countries.
2. The Nordic countries are stable, safe, progressive and free of corruption.
3. The people were asked to imagine where they stood on a ladder with steps marked from 0 to 10.
4. The GDP per person, social support, life expectancy; freedom to make choices and freedom from corruption. [any three]
5. The happiness of people is greatly influenced by their surroundings and the quality of life.
- C. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. 1. Important 2. Little 3. Five 4. Top 5. This
- B. International; wider; average – all are adjectives of quality
- C. 1. crisp 2. new 3. lovely 4. stylish 5. big 6. beautiful
- D. 1. (d) 2. (a) 3. (e) 4. (b) 5. (c) 6. (f)
- E. 1. heavier 2. heaviest 3. easier 4. best 5. most hardworking
- F. 1. This 2. That 3. those 4. such 5. These
- G. 1. a few 2. Many 3. a little
- H. 2. The ferocious tiger pounced on the sheep. 3. A R Rahman is a famous musician.
4. The teacher first examined the answersheets very carefully. 5. Always eat fresh vegetables to remain healthy.

SECTION C

- A. 1. stale 2. criticise 3. uncovered 4. sadness 5. kind 6. dull
- B. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable. Some clues are given below:
2. (a) lead a good life (b) to take the lead
3. (a) Come second in a race (b) give me a second
4. (a) tear up the page (b) tears fell from eyes
- C. 1. bite 2. tight 3. excite 4. ignite 5. midnight 6. invite

SECTION D

- A. Students can do this on their own with the given clues.



WORKBOOK

4. THE KING AND THE FIERY DRAGON

SECTION A

A. 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (a)

SECTION B

B. 1. I; I 2. he; it 3. me; you 4. He; him 5. them; she

C. 1. I 2. you 3. They 4. It 5. It

D. Fill in words in the following order: He; she; her; He; he; it; us; her.

E. Fill in words in the following order: I; you; you; We; you; I; It; They; it; you; me; us; We

F. 1. Ours 2. Hers 3. Theirs

G. Fill in words in the following order: She; it; he; her; she; he; her; They

SECTION C

A. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

B. 1. cruelty 2. nothing 3. beautiful 4. mild 5. noisy 6. sensible/wire

C. 1. unpopular 2. disrespect 3. displease 4. unlikely 5. unequal 6. displace

SECTION D

A. Students can write the answer on their own.

WORKBOOK

5. THE DISTINGUISHED STRANGER

SECTION A

- A. 1. (a) 2. (b) 3. (a)
- B. 1. R L Stevenson was born on 13 November 1850.
2. He was kept away because of his constant illness with cough and fever, particularly in winter.
3. 'Treasure Island', 'Kidnapped', 'The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde'. [any 2]
4. 'New Arabian Nights'; 'The Merry Men'.

SECTION B

- A. 1. is talking 2. sway 3. grow 4. are 5. enjoy 6. are 7. study 8. has
9. is 10. is running 11. have 12. is driving
- B. 1. Frogs croak when it rains. 2. The flyover is new. 3. The book has good illustrations.
4. The mangoes are ripe. 5. Peacocks have colourful feathers. 6. Gurmeet is watching a movie.
7. The birds are singing sweetly. 8. We are going to the stadium. 9. The cattle are grazing.
10. Each of us is responsible for the mistake. 11. There is a red mark on your forehead.
12. Mini and Nimi are twins. 13. The boys were late for lunch.
14. The seeds we planted have sprouted. 15. Did Virat and Rahul break the world record?
- C. 1. collected 2. built 3. bought 4. clicked
- D. 1. boarded [T] 2. were sunbathing [IN] 3. are riding [T] 4. are parasailing [IN]
5. are laughing [IN] 6. bought [T] 7. is narrating [T] 8. is buying [T]
- E. Fill in the words in the following order: will visit; am excited; will; meeting; was posted; are studying; are working; will take; can try; will have.

SECTION C

- A. 1. foe 2. hot 3. white 4. young 5. night 6. short 7. poor 8. high

SECTION D

Students may do this on their own.



WORKBOOK

6. THE SELFISH GIANT

SECTION A

- A. 1. (c) 2. (a) 3. (b)

SECTION B

- A. 1. visit 2. love 3. build 4. freezes 5. meet 6. have
B. Any reasonable answer is acceptable.
C. Fill in the words in the following order: [name of school]; yes; is; [your favourite subject]; read; sit; enjoy.
D. are; live; are; is; are; said; am; know; come; spend; am; love; like; look.
E. 2. is sleeping 3. is longing 4. are blooming; is shining; are chirping 5. am missing
F. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.
G. Fill in the words in the following order: is; writes; describes; visits; thinks; brings; are; visit; forget; find; are planning; will make; is.

SECTION C

- A. 1. small 2. happy 3. unkind 4. ugly
B. 1. large 2. edible 3. closed 4. lovely 5. compassionate 6. amaze
C. 1. gases 2. witches 3. barracks 4. snakes 5. risks 6. walls 7. lorries 8. babies
9. kids 10. boxes

SECTION D

- A. Students can do this on their own.
B. Students can do this on their own.

WORKBOOK

7. BRAVE RANI LAKSHMIBAI

SECTION A

- A. 1. (d) 2. (b) 3. (d) 4. (c)
B. 1. child 2. World War II 3. Burma Bridge Busters
4. elephants; cows; people; bazaars 5. India

SECTION B

- A. 1. was 2. had 3. were
B. Was; were; called; spoke; met; respected; trusted; fell; became; came; crushed; mixed; gave; prayed; felt; recovered; sent; found; knew; lived.
C. 1. was 2. had 3. were 4. had 5. was
D. Fill in the words in the following order: was; saw; climbed; looked; saw; grazed; woke; looked; slept; thought; were; was; was; was.
E. Fill in the words in the following order: were writing; was looking; was drawing; was doing.
F. 1. was knitting; came 2. were grazing; attacked 3. reached; were playing
4. Was giving; started
G. Fill in the words in the following order: found; fell; was; knew; worried; sat; cried; thought; needed; was; swayed; lashed; heard; saw; took; had; made; explained; said; felt; waited.
H. 1. will take 2. will visit 3. will begin 4. will go 5. will donate 6. will drive

SECTION C

- A. 1. oxen 2. sharply/sharpen/sharpness 3. bowlful 4. exploitation
5. treatment/treatable 6. loudly 7. brotherhood/brotherly 8. affordable
9. tishy 10. childhood

SECTION D

- A. Fill in the words in the following order: was; was singing; was playing; was painting; were.

WORKBOOK

8. BIRBAL AND THE BARBER

SECTION A

- A. 1. lack 2. hat 3. wren
- B. 1. The Old Man of Hong Kong lay on his back with his head in a sack.
2. The Old Man on the Border used his hat to make tea in.
3. owls; a hen; larks; a wren. [any three]
- C. 1. (c) 2. (c)

SECTION B

- A. 1. a few 2. my 3. many 4. those 5. This 6. little 7. these 8. Several
- B. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.
- C. Fill in the articles in the following order: a; a; a; The; an; a; the.
- D. 1. The 2. a 3. the 4. the 5. a; the; an
- E. 1. An 2. The 3. A 4. The 5. An 6. The 7. The 8. A 9. An 10. The

SECTION C

- A. 1. mislead 2. underground 3. misspell 4. underachiever 5. misinterpret 6. undergrowth
- B. 1. childhood/childless 2. carelessly/careless 3. wildly 4. painful/painless 5. joyful/joyless
6. regularly
- C. 1. underpass 2. miscalculate 3. underground

SECTION D

- A. Fill in the words in the following order: IV; Akbar; you are given; tired/fed up/puzzled; a difficult situation; think hard and find solutions; wit and wisdom; courtiers; There are eight more; Oh, yes! I do; Be kind and wise; to you.
- B. Any reasonable story is acceptable.

WORKBOOK

9. THE GREAT BARRIER REEF

SECTION A

- A. 1. F 2. T 3. F 4. T 5. F
- B. 1. Pollution is the presence of or introduction into the environment of a substance that has harmful or poisonous effects.
2. Polluting substances flow into the sea mainly through drains, rivers and streams flowing into it.
3. Sewage, chemicals, oil, plastics and litter like cans and wrappers.
4. Sea water pollution contaminates the sea water and harms the ecosystem of the seas and oceans. This causes a reduction in oxygen levels, decay of plant life and decline in the quality of sea water. These things affect sea creatures badly. [any 2]
5. We can check and reduce the pollution of seas and oceans by cleaning up beaches, reducing the rubbish we throw into the seas or oceans, keeping streams and rivers unpolluted and treat waste so that untreated waste does not flow into the sea. [any 2]
- C. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. 1. The sofa 2. a pouch 3. The children; her class
- B. 1. at; in 2. since 3. for 4. at 5. in
- C. 1. We lived at _____. 2. I passed out from school in _____. 3. I'd like to go to _____.
- D. Fill in the words in the following order: at; in; on; out of; at; with; of.

SECTION C

- A. 1. ashore 2. default 3. undo 4. untidy 5. underline 6. overflow 7. intercaste
8. illogical 9. antibody
- B. 1. impossible 2. untrue 3. underline 4. illiterate
- C. 1. Rain 2. Candle 3. Umbrella 4. Stamp 5. Watch 6. Needle 7. Chair
- D. 1. (a) 2. (b) 3. (a)

SECTION D

Students may do this on their own. Some clues: Dolphins – mammals – very intelligent – friendly

WORKBOOK

10. ALIENS PAY A VISIT

SECTION A

- A. 1. Saturn's rings are made up of particles of ice, dust and rock.
2. Jupiter is 100 times larger than the Earth.
3. Pluto is further from the Sun than the Earth.
4. The Milky Way.
- B. 1. (b) 2. (b)

SECTION B

- A. 1. (c) 2. (a) 3. (b) 4. (a) 5. (a) 6. (c) 7. (b) 8. (a)
- B. 1. and 2. because 3. and 4. but 5. when
[This should be numbered as 'C' in the workbook] Underline the following words: yesterday;
beautifully; melodiously; over; loudly; thoroughly; there; very; often.
- C. [This should be numbered as 'D' in the workbook] 2. yesterday 3. slowly 4. away
5. often 6. beautifully 7. correctly
- D. [This should be numbered as 'E' in the workbook] Manner: beautifully; happily; fast; honestly;
well; thoughtfully; slowly
Time: today; now; yesterday
Place: away; here; inside; outwards; upwards; out; nearby; down; outside; up; everywhere;
there.
- E. [This should be numbered as 'F' in the workbook] 1. quickly 2. carefully 3. neatly
4. slowly 5. courteously

SECTION C

- A. 1. slowly 2. eagerly 3. sleepily 4. quietly 5. excitedly 6. strongly
7. interestingly 8. carefully 9. politely 10. merrily
- B. 1. (d) 2. (a) 3. (b) 4. (c)

SECTION D

A and B: These two exercises can be done by students on their own.

WORKBOOK

11. A UNIQUE PARTY

SECTION A

- A. 1. Luck; good fortune 2. Australia; fireworks 3. smash a plate; good luck
4. New York; Times Square
- B. 1. Usually people ring in the new year with big firework displays.
2. People gather at Auckland Sky Tower in New Zealand's capital to watch an impressive fireworks display.
3. People collect at Northern Philips Square in Toronto, Canada.
4. The Brazilian people eat lentils as it represents money and good fortune.
5. At Times Square in New York, people watch the Ball Drop – a glowing ball that is lowered down a flagpole.
- C. 1. start 2. large 3. collect 4. see/observe

SECTION B

- A. 1. Yes, I like to read comic books.
2. Mudita bought a pen, pencils, an eraser and a red sketch pen from the stationery shop.
3. Where did I leave my bag?
- B. 1. Sunita invited Rakhi, Mary and Fida for a get-together. They ate delicious snacks and played games.
2. The teacher said, "What is the capital of Maharashtra?" Aditi quickly answered, "Mumbai."
- C. 1. (f) 2. (g) 3. (a) 4. (b) 5. (c) 6. (e) 7. (d)
- D. 1. They've 2. We'd 3. She'll 4. They're 5. Mother's 6. She'd 7. It's 8. I've 9. That's
10. We're 11. You've 12. They'll

SECTION C

- A. 1. short 2. smooth 3. dull 4. weak 5. boring 6. inactive

SECTION D

This can be done by the students on their own.