1. A Role Model —Dr APJ Abdul Kalam



COMPREHENSION

THE LITTLE BOY WHO FOUND HIS FORTUNE

An old man had two sons. He had lost his fortune. So, his older son went to get it back. In a forest, he saw a small hut. He knocked at the door and went in. An old witch lived in the hut. She had his father's bag of gold. When the witch was asleep, the boy took his father's bag of gold and ran home.

On the way, he saw a small hut where he stayed for a while. When he was leaving, the hut said, "Please sweep me." But, the boy did not. Then, he crossed a field. The field said, "Please take out my weeds." But, he did not. Then, he saw a well. It asked him, "Please clean me." But, the boy did not. Tired of walking, the boy fell asleep under a tree. The witch was looking for the boy. So, the hut, the field and the well told her where he was. She took the bag as the boy slept and went back to her house. The boy came home empty handed.

Next day, the younger son went to the witch's house. He took the bag when she was sleeping and ran home. On the way, he met the hut, the field and the well. They asked him the same thing as they had asked his brother. But, this boy was kind and hardworking. He swept the hut, weeded the field and cleaned the well. Then, he fell asleep under a tree. But, when the witch came looking for him, the hut, the field and the well did not tell her where the boy was. She had to go back without the bag. The kind boy woke up and took his father's fortune to his home.

Α.	Read the story and answer the following questions.							
	1.	How many sons did the old man have?						
	2.	What did the field say to the boys?						
	3.	Where did the boys rest?						
В.	3. Fill in the blanks with the words mentioned in the story.							
	1.	The hut said, "Please me."						
	2.	The boy slept a tree.						

_____ was looking for the boy.

4. The elder son came back home ___



GRAMMAR

A.	State if the following sentences are Declarative [D] or Interrogative [I].						
	This pencil belongs to Sumeet.						
	Can we open the window please?						
	Kindness is never wasted.						
	The Agra Fort is a great example of Mughal architecture.						
	Have you seen Miss Neena anywhere?						
	The librarian is very efficient.						
В.	State if the following sentences are Imperative [Im] or Declarative [D].						
	1. Please stand in a queue.						
	2. Don't use any cellphones during the concert.						
	3. They have all arrived for the meeting.						
	4. Tell them to wait.						
	5. See if it is raining outside.						
	I am leaving for Hyderabad tomorrow.						
C.	Put in the capital letters, full stops and question marks at the right place.						
	1. miss narayan will be taking our class today						
	2. what is the name of the new boy in class 3						
	3. i asked gaurav for a pencil						
	let me shut the door						
	may i come in please						
	james fox has never lived in any town except london						



VOCABULARY AND WRITING

Column B

(a) board

(b) spoon

A. Join two words from both columns to make one new word.

Column A

1. moon

2. black

	3. after			(c) way					
	4. rail			(d) light					
	5. tea			(e) noon					
В.	B. Fill the gaps related to the words given in the Help Box.								
		to keep flowers	to practice	to see time	to keep books	to travel			
	1. Train			2. Sweate	r		-		
	3. Shelf			4. Watch			-		
	5. Vase								
c.	C. Make sentences using the following words.								
	1. cruel								
	2. old								
	3. asleep								
	4. she								
	5. doll								