## **NEW GEM'S COURSEBOOK 3**

## **1. A E I O U**

**4.** you

**P. 6–7 A. 1.** b

**2.** c **3.** a **4.** c

- **B.** P (U) R S (U E) the, you, should, pursue, never
- C. 1. features 2. jet 3. within
- D. book, deer, flower, game, home, play, tree, zoo
- E. 2. elephant, giraffe, lion, zebra
  - 3. castle, house, palace, tent
  - 4. branch, flower, leaf, stem
- **F.** <u>5</u> After three hours, we got into the bus and went back to school.
  - $\underline{1}$  We drove down to the museum. We sang songs and clapped our hands in the bus.
  - **2** We arrived at the museum. First, we went towards the science section.
  - **<u>3</u>** There were lifelike models of extinct animals. Then, we went to the dolls' section.
  - **<u>4</u>** There were dolls of various countries dressed in different costumes.

# 2. A LIGHT FOR THE PALACE FIRE

#### P. 10-12

- **A. 1.** The huge palace was at the top of a hill. A fire always burned in the palace and kept it warm.
  - 2. One day the fire in the palace stopped burning.
  - **3.** Some people said the fire had stopped burning because the people in the palace were always quarrelling while others said that the winter that year was very cold.
  - **4.** The man wanted gold pieces in return for the lumps of coal.
  - **5.** Gina wanted the king to make her father the captain of the guards in return for the coal.
  - **6.** The little girl asked the messenger to warm himself and have a bowl of porridge before he went out in the cold. He could then have half their fire if the king needed it.
  - **7.** The messenger thought that the coal would never burn all the way back to the palace because it was very cold and it was a small piece of coal. But with

each step that he took, the coal grew brighter. It lit the dark road and warmed him too. When he reached the palace, the coal still burned and glowed.

- **B. 1.** light
- freezing
   messenger
- 5. brighter, warmed

- winter
   footprint
- **4.** doorknob
- 6. goldfish

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- 3. letterbox5. billboardD. 1. coldfreezingchilled(hot)2. kindfriendly(mean)helpful3. (lose)searchhuntseek
  - **4.** blaze (dim) glare glow
- **E. 1.** One day the fire
  - 2. The logs burst into flames.
  - **3.** The earth goes around the sun.
  - 4. How do you go to school?
  - 5. Do you have a younger
  - 6. This porridge is hot!
- F. 1. There was a palace on top of a hill.
  - 2. Everyone wanted the fire to burn.
  - **3.** The coal soon turned grey.
  - 4. These are colourful flowers.
- **G.** In the days when animals behaved like humans there lived a zebra family. It had two brothers and one sister. Their names were John, Tom and Suzy. Suzy loved nature and fresh air and could never stand still at one place for long.
- H. 1. pear, fear 3. heap, creep 5. hold, gold
  - **2.** moon, pool **4.** start, cart
- **I-J.** (Accept any relevant response.)

# **3. SAMSON AND NIBBLES**

## P. 16-18

- A. 1. Samson lived in a forest of tall trees, thorny bushes and many kinds of creepers. A stream of clean, cool water flowed through the middle of the forest.
  - 2. Samson liked to play in the water of the stream.
  - **3.** Samson came to a village when he wandered out of the forest.
  - **4.** Samson laughed at Nibbles because he had never seen a mouse before. The little animal looked funny to him.

- Samson wanted the elephant to go away because the elephant would eat up all the corn in one day and he would have to starve.
- **6.** Samson ran away because he was afraid that the mouse would get inside his trunk.
- B. You'll eat up all the corn in one day. How dare you ask me to go away, Mouse. Come out and fight with me, if you dare. Your mighty nose is as hollow as my hole. I am going to run into it.

<b>C. 2.</b> BEAK	3. WEAK 4	. SQUEAK <b>5</b> . S	PEAK <b>6.</b> CREAK
<b>D. 1.</b> c	<b>2.</b> d	<b>3.</b> b	<b>4.</b> a
<b>Е. 1.</b> с	<b>2.</b> a	<b>3.</b> d <b>4.</b> e	<b>5.</b> b
<b>F. 1.</b> Wow!	<ol><li>Hello!</li></ol>	<ol><li>Hurray</li></ol>	! <b>7.</b> Oh Dear!
2. Ouch!	4. Shh!	6. Bravo!	8. Yum!
G. 1. mouse	2. giraffe	e <b>3.</b> zebra	4. monkey
H-I. (Accept	any relevant	response.)	

## **4. TOMMY'S FIVE SENSES**

#### P. 20-21

- A. 1. Tommy has five helpers.
  - **2.** Tommy has five senses. They are sight, hearing, touch, taste and smell.
  - **3.** Tommy's senses are called his helpers because they help him in various ways.
  - 4. Tommy's eyes help him to see. Tommy's ears help him to hear. Tommy's hands help him to touch. Tommy's tongue helps him to taste. Tommy's nose helps him to smell.
- **B.** TONGUE eat an ice cream, taste honey NOSE - smell a flower, smell perfume EARS - listen to music, listen to thunder SKIN – feel silk, feel your mother's kiss EYES - see a painting, watch a film C. 1. too, blue 2. feel, peel 3. chew, do 4. shows, nose **D. 2.** girl 4. ship **6.** man 8. bucket 5. birds 7. coconut **3.** boy **3.** C **E. 1.** P **5**. P **7.** C 9. P **6.** C 8. P **2.** P **4.** P 10. C
- **F.** (Accept any relevant response.) (Suggestions)

- **1.** The ant hill was as big as an elephant.
- 2. The soldier was as brave as a lion.
- 3. Her skin is as smooth as silk.
- 4. The young girl was as wise as an owl.
- 5. The water was as cold as ice.
- 6. The horse is as black as coal.

#### **5. GOING TO A VILLAGE**

#### P. 24-26

- A. 1. a family's journey to a village to visit their relatives 🖌
  - 2. Amirah's mother's childhood
  - 3. life in a city
- **B.** 1. Amirah and her family travelled to the village by train.
  - 2. a. Mother said these words to Amirah.
    - **b.** The speaker was referring to the children's uncle and aunt.
    - c. 'They' grew sugarcane and rice on the farm.
  - **3.** There were big houses with tiled roofs and small houses with thatched roofs in the village.
  - **4.** Two big mango trees grew behind Amirah's uncle's house.
  - **5.** Amirah's uncle said that the tractor would not go through the fields as it would spoil the crops.





- 2. threw
- 3. thread
- 4. throat
- 5. throne

**D. 1.** c **2.** d **3.** a **4.** b

E. 1. F 2. N 3. F 4. C 5. N 6. F 7. M 8. C 9. N F. 1. town 2. village 3. village 4. village 5. town G-H. (Accept any relevant response.)

## **6. SEEING THINGS**

#### P. 28-29

A. 1. The boy is not scared of snakes, toads, bugs, worms or mice.

- 2. The boy is scared of lizards.
- 3. Sometimes 'the things' sit, walk around or creep about.
- 4. No, the boy is not as brave as he says he is.
- B. 1. scar, car, red 3. times, sum, so
  - 2. ears, rays, pray 4. differ, rent, tiff
- **C. 1.** flowers **3.** furniture **5.** vegetables
- **2.** vehicles **4.** fruits
- D. Nicholas went to a <u>shop</u> with his younger <u>brother</u>, Alex, to buy some <u>stationery</u>. He bought four (pens), three (notebooks) and an <u>eraser</u>. He also bought a wooden <u>scale</u> and a <u>register</u> for his <u>sister</u>, Amelia. Alex wanted (sweets). He bought one bar of <u>chocolate</u>, two (lollipops) and some (toffees).
- E. 1. watches 3. books 5. rivers 7. benches 9. houses
  2. pens 4. boxes 6. glasses 8. boats
- F. (Accept any relevant response.)

## 7. A MAD TEA PARTY

- P. 32-35
- A. 1. Alice went down the hole after the White Rabbit.
  - **2.** Alice found herself shooting upwards because she ate a tiny piece of cake.
  - 3. When Alice held the fan she started growing smaller.
  - **4.** Alice saw that the March Hare was having tea with his friend the Mad Hatter in his house.
  - **5.** The March Hare, Mad Hatter and the Dormouse cried 'No room'. They said this because they did not want Alice to join them as they felt there was no room.
  - **6.** Alice thought 'This is a mad tea party' because everyone was doing and saying crazy things.
  - Alice said these words to a Duck, a Dodo, a Lory and an Eaglet and other strange creatures.
    - **b.** The speaker was in a pool of tears.
  - **8. a.** The Mad Hatter said these words to the March Hare.

**b.**The speaker is talking about a large watch.

c.The March Hare said that "It was the best butter".

<b>B. 1.</b> False <b>2.</b> True	3. False	<b>4.</b> True
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С.	<b>2.</b> (	d	<b>3.</b> a	4	. C	5	5.	b

D. 1. hops 2. crawls 3. flies 4. skips 5. trots 6. slithers

- **E. 1.** Khairul rides a bicycle.
  - 2. Jasmine dances very well.
  - 3. Sanjay plays the drum.
  - 4. The postman delivers letters.
  - 5. A leaf fell from the tree.
  - 6. Mrs Wang speaks Hindi fluently.
- **F. 1.** read
  - 2. write
  - **3.** sing
  - 4. climb
  - 5. play
  - **6.** walk

W	R	I	T	E	В
Κ	E	G	С	С	Ρ
W	Α	L	К	L	L
L	D	F	Р	I	A
S	Ι	Ν	G	M	Y
Q	W	Т	Α	В	R

**2.** bull 3. calf 4. rises 5. water, food **G. 1.** upper lip **H-I.** (Accept any relevant response.)

## 8. ALADDIN AND THE MAGIC LAMP

#### P. 39-41

- A. 1. The stranger who wanted to meet Aladdin's mother was a magician.
  - 2. The stranger gave them fine clothes, fresh fruits and food.
  - 3. Aladdin saw a world of gold and diamonds when he went down the steps. He saw gold trees with fruits of rubies, pearls and other gems.
  - **4.** Aladdin sat on the steps and began to cry. By chance he rubbed the magic ring. A genie appeared and he helped Aladdin escape from the underground cave.
  - 5. One day, Aladdin cleaned the old lamp which he had brought from the cave. The minute he rubbed the lamp, a genie appeared. He said that he was the Genie of the Lamp. Soon with the help of the magic lamp, Aladdin became the richest man in the city.
  - **6.** The magician came up with another plan. He took a basketful of lamps and called out in the streets of the city to change the old lamps for new ones. One of Aladdin's maids heard his calls. She told the princess, who then gave away the old lamp and got a new one in exchange.

- 7. With the help of the Genie of the Ring, Aladdin found the princess. Aladdin asked the princess to mix some powder in the magician's drink. As soon as the magician drank it, he fell unconscious. The Genie of the Lamp brought back the palace and the princess back to the city.
- **8. a.** The stranger said these words to Aladdin and his mother.
  - **b.** The speaker was old and sly.
  - c. No, the speaker did not really want to look after his brother's family. He only wanted the magic lamp.
- 9. a. Aladdin said these words to the magician.
  - **b.** The speaker needed help because he could not climb the stairs of the cave with the lamp in one hand.
  - c. The old man did not help him because Aladdin did not give him the lamp. The old man put a boulder in the opening of the cave and went away.
- **10. a.** The Genie of the Lamp said these words to Aladdin.
  - **b.** The listener was surprised to hear these words.
  - c. The speaker made Aladdin the richest man in the city. He married a princess and lived in a palace. Every wish of his was fulfilled.
- B. 1. The stranger liked Aladdin because he was daring and bold.
  - 2. One evening, the stranger took Aladdin to a wonderful garden.
  - 3. The princess gave away the old lamp to the magician.
  - **4.** The magician fell unconscious after **he drank the drink**.
- C. 1. wonderful 2. handful 3. powerful 4. basketful
- **D. 1.** umpire **3.** astonomer **5.** magician
  - **2.** cashier **4.** architect
- E. 1. is 2. am 3. are 4. is 5. are 6. are 7. is 8. am
- **F.** *The Arabian Nights* is a well-known collection of **stories** and folk tales. It is also known as *The Thousand Nights and One Night. Aladdin and the Magic Lamp* is one of these

stories. Another famous story from this book is *Ali Baba* and the **Forty** Thieves. This **book** has been translated into many different languages.

G-H. (Accept any relevant response.)

## **9. THE SILENT SNAKE**

- P. 43-44
- A. 2. Rabbits run and skip.
  - 3. Squirrels race along the boughs.
  - 4. Mayflies rise and dip.
  - 5. Insects hum.
  - 6. Frogs croak.
  - 7. Snakes creepy-creep.
- **B. 1.** The poet says this because the snake makes no sound. He just creeps along.
  - 2. Birds also chirp.
- **C. 2.** leap—frog—croak **4.** fly—crow—caw
  - 3. swim—duck—quack 5. spring—tiger—roar
- D. 1. has 2. has 3. have 4. has 5. have 6. have 7. have
- E. 1. was 2. was 3. had 4. were 5. was 6. had 7. had
- F. (Accept any relevant response.) (Suggestions)
  - 1. The car went honk-honk.
  - 2. Did you hear the bells jingle?
  - 3. The rain fell pitter-patter on my window.
  - **4.** The telephone made a tring-tring sound.
  - 5. How softly the bees buzz!

#### **10. THE UNGRATEFUL GOLDSMITH**

#### P. 48-49

- A. 1. in search of work
- $\ensuremath{\textbf{4.}}$  not to help the goldsmith
- 2. help others
- 5. the goldsmith
- **3.** the snake and the tiger
- **B. 1.** Osman found a tiger, a monkey, a snake and a man in the well.
  - **2.** Osman helped the tiger because he thought it was good to help others.
  - **3.** Osman did not want to help the snake because he was afraid it would bite him.
  - **4.** The tiger gave Osman food and the monkey gave him gold ornaments.

- **5.** The man told the king that he got the jewels from Osman whom he had left in his house.
- 6. The snake had an idea. He bit the princess and she became unconscious. No one could bring her back to life except Osman. As soon as Osman touched her forehead, the princess woke up.
- **7.** The king asked his soldiers to throw the goldsmith into prison.
- C. 1. harmless
- 4. ungrateful
- 7. sell

- **2.** kind
- 5. pulled
- 8. unconscious

- **3.** appear **D. 1.** would not
- **6.** remembered **3.** have not
  - **5.** It is
- 2. must not 4. I am
- E. Last Sunday, I was at the Fun Fair. My parents were with me. There was a big giant Ferris wheel. Many children were driving bumper cars. There were many food stalls. I had an ice cream and some popcorn. We had lots of fun. We were very tired when we reached home.
- F. 1. undo
   3. uncover
   5. unpack
- **2.** unable **4.** uneasy **6.** unhappy
- **G-H.** (Accept any relevant response.)

## **11. I LOVE MY BABY**

- P. 52-54
- A. 1. Mama polar bear has her cubs in an ice cave.
  - **2.** The armadillo wears a 'coat' made of hard but supple plates. It rolls itself into a ball when in danger.
  - **3.** Mama armadillo teaches her babies to feed and roll themselves into their coats so that no enemy can touch them. They learn to catch insects and recognise the plants they can eat.
  - A newborn opossum is very tiny, has no hair and cannot see. It stays in its mother's pouch up to eight weeks. Then it comes out and rides on its mother's back.
- **B.** Beavers gnaw at trees and cut them into logs, two to five feet in length. They roll the logs into the river. Then they fill the gaps in the logs with stones and plaster them with mud.
- **C. 1.** In the spring, Mama polar bear **digs through the snow that covers the mouth of the cave**.

**8.** unco d

- 2. Mama polar bear teaches the cubs to swim and hunt.
- 3. When in danger, an armadillo rolls into a ball.
- 4. For the first eight weeks, a baby opossum stays in its mother's pouch.
- Baby beavers are born in a dome-shaped hut on a river or by a stream.
- 6. Elephants keep growing till the age of twenty.

sound

- **D. 1.** hear **3.** listen
- 5. hear 7. Listen
- 2. Listen 4. listen
- **6.** hear **8.** hear
- E. 1. STORMY
  - **2.** RAINY balloon
  - **3.** SOFT (drink)
  - 4. INTERESTING rain
  - 5. HARD ant
- **F. 1.** an apple and a banana
  - **2.** a table and a chair
- weather cloud drink day sun ocean story fan nut monkey
- 4. an orange and a papaya
- 5. an airplane and a train
- 3. a balloon and a kite 6. an ocean and a river
- **G. 1.** Sixty minutes make an hour while twenty-four hours make a day.
  - 2. Mother would like to learn a new language.
  - 3. Will you read me a story?
  - 4. Miss Sen is an American citizen.
  - 5. I have an aunt who lives in an old house in Medan.
  - 6. An orange is a fruit as well as a colour.
- H. 1. kangaroo
   3. frog
   5. camel
  - **2.** goose **4.** butterfly **6.** horse
- **I-J.** (Accept any relevant response.)

## **12. KANGAROOS**

#### P. 56-57

- **A. 1.** You will have to run to catch a kangaroo because they are hoppity.
  - **2.** Kangaroos are fun because they are hoppity and you will really have to run if you want to catch them.
  - **3.** Kangaroos are 'tough guys' because they can box very well and if they hit you and your head will ring like a bell.
  - **4.** The baby kangaroo feels safe in the pocket of the mother kangaroo.
  - 5. Mother kangaroo takes off like a rocket.

- B. go, gone, eat, as, sin, in, bin, saint, bee, noise, boat
- C. 1. the 3. an 5. a 7. an 9. the 11. a
  - **2.** a **4.** the **6.** a **8.** the **10.** a **12.** a
- D. There was an old man who had seven sons. They were always fighting. The father called them and gave them a bundle of sticks. He said he would give a reward to the one who broke the bundle of sticks. All the sons, from the eldest to the youngest, tried but failed. They said it was an impossible task. The father untied the sticks and one by one broke them all. "United you are as strong as an elephant. No one can overpower you when you are united," he said.
- **E.** (Accept any relevant response.)

## **13. MOTHER KANGAROO GETS A POUCH**

- P. 62-64
- **A. 1.** Joey kept hopping off by himself because he was bored and there were so many exciting things to see.
  - 2. Mother Kangaroo told Joey not to hop off by himself as it could be dangerous.
  - **3.** Mother Kangaroo heard some movement in the bushes. She hopped towards the bushes and bumped into a fat, old wombat.
  - **4.** Wombat wanted Mother Kangaroo to find some good grass for him to eat.
  - **5.** When Mother Kangaroo saw the hunters she asked Joey and the wombat to grab her tail. Then they hid themselves in a bush.
  - **6.** The Father of all Creatures gave Mother Kangaroo some bark from a tree. He asked her to tie the bark around her waist. As soon as she tied the bark around her waist, it turned into a pouch. She could now keep her Joey safe in the pouch.
  - 7. a. The Father of all Creatures said these words to Mother Kangaroo.
    - **b.** Mother Kangaroo was the kindest animal because even though she was worried about finding Joey, still she was kind to the grumpy, complaining old wombat.
    - **c.** The speaker told Mother Kangaroo that he had disguised himself as a wombat and had come

down from the sky to find the kindest animal on land.

- **8. a.** The Father of all Creatures was going to give a 'special present' to Mother Kangaroo.
  - **b.** The present was given to repay Mother Kangaroo for her kindness.
  - c. It was a pouch.
- **B.** (Accept any relevant response.) (Suggestions) Mother Kangaroo thanked the Father of all Creatures for the present. However, she felt sad for the other creatures who could not keep their children safe. So the Father of all Creatures gave a bark from a tree to Mother Kangaroo. Mother Kangaroo passed on the bark to her friends. And so because of Mother Kangaroo's kindness, all marsupials have a pouch.
- C. JOEY energetic, naughty, bored WOMBAT – old, grumbling, grouchy MOTHER KANGAROO – loving, kind, helpful
- D.

I	Y	U	Ι	0	Q	Е	А	S	V
Ν	G	R	U	М	В	L	Е	D	Y
S	С	R	Е	Α	М	Е	D	А	E
Т	А	R	Y	Т	L	J	А	К	L
R	Α	М	U	М	В	L	Е	D	L
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С	0	М	Р	L	Α	Ι	Ν	Е	D
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E	E	С	V	Ζ	S	А	Q	R	Y
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- E. Ani went to the park. <u>She</u> saw a balloon-seller. He had many balloons. <u>They</u> were in different colours and shapes. <u>She</u> wanted to buy a big red balloon. <u>She</u> asked the balloon-seller to give <u>her</u> a big red balloon. <u>She</u> gave him some money. She took the balloon. She was very happy.
- F. 1. You can help me find food. ✓ You can help she find food.
  - 2. Me feel sad for all the animals who don't have a pouch.

I feel sad for all the animals who don't have a pouch. 🖌

- 3. Mother Kangaroo sighed and began looking for him. Mother Kangaroo sighed and began looking for you.
- 4. "Here I am!" said Joey. ✔ "Here we am!" said Joey.
- 5. "We have to hide from the hunters." said Mother Kangaroo. 🖌 "She have to hide from the hunters." said Mother Kangaroo.
- 6. Sonia and I went for the movie today. Sonia and me went for the movie today.
- G. 1. floor 2. sun 3. eight 4. cot 5. weather 6. bear **H-I.** (Accept any relevant response.)

## **14. I WONDER WHY**

#### P. 66-67

- **A. 1.** The four things of nature that the poet keeps wondering about are:
  - **a.** Why the grass is green?
  - **b.** Why the wind is never seen?
  - c. Who lights the stars when they blow out?
  - **d.** Who makes the lightning flash about?
  - **2.** (Accept any relevant response.)
  - 3. The poet is talking about the moon in this line.
  - **4.** (Accept any relevant response.)
- **B.** (Accept any relevant response.) (Suggestions)

1. Water	2. Sun	3. Moon	4. Stars	5. Rainbow
<b>C. 1.</b> d	<b>2.</b> c	<b>3.</b> a	<b>4.</b> e	<b>5.</b> b
<b>D. 1.</b> found	3. fast	<b>5.</b> (	cold 2	7. late
<b>2.</b> high	4. easy	<b>6.</b> s	soft <b>i</b>	<b>B.</b> above
<b>E. 1.</b> I	<b>3.</b> me	5. 7	They 🛛	7. them
2. She	<b>4.</b> He	<b>6.</b> i	t 🕯	<b>8.</b> me
F. (Accept and	v relevant r	response.)		

F. (Accept any relevant response.)

## **15. BIRBAL AND THE COOKING POT**

#### P. 71-73

- A. 1. Birbal was a clever minister in the court of emperor Akbar.
  - **2.** Akbar wanted to test the strength of the common

man in his kingdom. He wanted to find out if any man could stand in the cold water of the river for a whole night.

- **3.** The drummer announced to the people that anyone who could stand in the river for one night near the palace would be richly rewarded.
- **4.** A poor washerman won the test set by Akbar.
- **5.** Akbar did not reward the man at first because a courtier told him that the water was not really cold because the lights from the palace kept it warm.
- **6.** Birbal lit a fire on the ground. Far above it, on a branch of a tree, he placed a cooking pot. He told Akbar that he was warming his pot to cook food. Akbar asked how the fire could warm his cooking pot from such a distance, to which Birbal replied that it did so in the same way as the lights of the palace warmed the river water. Hearing this, Akbar realised his mistake.
- 7. a. Akbar said these words to Birbal.
  - **b.** The 'foolish thing' was to try to heat a pot at such a height.
- **B.** (Accept any relevant response.)
- C. 1. Clean the window pane. Granny was in pain because she fell down.
  - Glass breaks very easily. If you apply the brakes the car will stop.
  - **3.** Sahil had a large **piece** of cake. Children want **peace** in the world.
- D.1.b 2.c 3.e 4.a 5.f 6.d
- E. 1. The water of the river was cold.
  - 2. Birbal was a clever minister.
  - **3.** The jealous courtier was punished.
  - 4. The washerman was brave.
  - 5. A car has four wheels.
  - 6. Paris is a <u>beautiful</u> city.
  - 7. A sunflower is <u>yellow</u>.
  - 8. December has thirty-one days.

**F. 1.** kind **2.** cold **3.** green **4.** wet

- G. 1. True 2. False 3. True 4. True 5. False 6. True
- H-I. (Accept any relevant response.)

## 16. THE RABBIT WHO THOUGHT SHE WAS SOMEBODY ELSE

#### P. 76-78

- A. 1. When Theku first came to her new home everyone crowded around her. She sat in a corner of her hutch, terrified.
  - **2.** The writer and her family offered her spinach, carrots, and juicy green grass to make her feel comfortable. She remained inside her hutch although the door was kept open.
  - **3.** One morning, they found that the kitten had snuggled up against Theku inside the hutch. That was the start of Theku's friendship with the other pets in the house.
  - **4.** Theku and the kitten spent time playing together and sometimes even fought with each other. This is all they did whole day long.
  - **5.** Theku liked to start her day like the rest of the family members. She would hop onto the dining table and dunk her head into her special cup of tea.
  - **6.** Theku had her own way of letting the family know that she was hungry. She would pick up her metal bowl with her teeth and bang it on the floor. The family would then feed her as fast as they could.
  - 7. When Theku was given away to a family that kept rabbits, she was miserable. She refused to go near the other rabbits. After a week, Theku was returned by the family because they thought that she wasn't a rabbit at all.

B. 1. False 2. Fals	se <b>3.</b> True	4. False 5	True <b>6.</b> True
C. 1. TIMID	brave	shy	beautiful
2. TERRIFIED	old	wise	scared
3. DIET	clothes	soft drink	food
4. ARGUMENT	wish	quarrel	agreement
5. MISERABLE	poor	happy	unhappy
<b>D. 1.</b> tall	3. talles	st <b>5.</b>	deeper
2. taller	<b>4.</b> deep	<b>6.</b>	deepest
E. cold colder	coldes		
strong stronge	5		
<b>big</b> bigger thin <b>thinne</b> r	bigges thinne		

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G-H. (Accept any relevant response.)

# **17. IF I COULD BE AN ASTRONAUT**

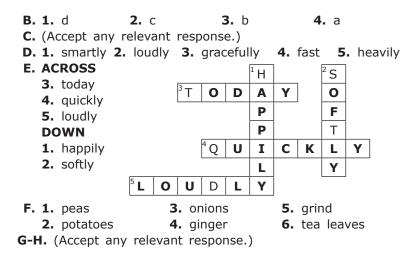
## P. 80

- A. 1. The child in the poem would like to go to a planet full of colours with flowers in the snow. He would like to find a special place somewhere in the stars.
  - **2.** That place would be different from Earth. In that place, the fish would have feathers, the trees would talk and he would be able to take a weightless walk.
- **B. 1.** snow **3.** place **5.** kind **7.** fish **9.** land
  - **2.** stars **4.** where **6.** full **8.** would
- **C. 1.** The audience cheered <u>heartily</u>.
  - 2. The football team ran into the stadium enthusiastically.
  - 3. Sana usually goes for a walk in the evening.
  - **4.** Walk carefully, there is traffic on the road.
  - **5.** The children reached home safely.
- **D.** (Accept any relevant response.)

# **18. THE LOST PUMPKIN 1**

## P. 83-85

- A. 1. Grandfather's voice woke up Sarah.
  - 2. When Sarah looked down from the window, she saw grandfather angrily waving his walking stick and shouting.
  - 3. Grandfather's precious pumpkin had been stolen.
  - 4. Sarah found a large footprint near the pumpkin plant.
  - **5.** Ron thought that Mr Alden's gardener had stolen the pumpkin.
  - **6.** The pumpkin was precious to grandfather because for the last fifteen years, grandfather had been winning the local vegetable contest.



## **19. THE LOST PUMPKIN 2**

- P. 88-89
- **A. 1.** Grandfather was worried because he could not find the thief who had stolen the pumpkin.
  - The children went to Malcolm's shop because they were hungry as they had not eaten anything since morning. They wanted to have pumpkin pie and buns at Malcolm's shop.
  - **3.** Two boys came into the shop while the children were eating. They were carrying a huge bundle.
  - **4.** Malcolm stole the pumpkin because his daughter was getting married and he wanted to make the best pumpkin pie for the wedding feast.
  - **5.** Grandfather gave the pumpkin to Malcolm after he won the vegetable contest.
- B. 1. Mr Alden turned red and purple with anger.
  - 2. When they were eating, two boys **appeared** carrying a **huge** bundle.
  - **3.** Sarah and Ron looked in **horror** when the bundle **slipped** and opened.
  - **4.** Sarah **caught hold of** the handlebar of the rickshaw. This **frightened** the rickshaw puller.
  - **5.** That evening they had a **visitor** who asked grandfather to forgive him.
- C. 1. aeroplane 2. car 3. boat 4. ship

**D.** suddenly, quickly, firmly

E. 1. wisely 3. badly 5. sadly 7. suddenly 9. firmly

2. kindly 4. quickly 6. proudly 8. clearly

- F. 1. gently 2. quickly 3. carefully 4. wisely 5. joyfully
- G. 2 carrot 1 brinjal 4 cauliflower 3 tomato
- H-I. (Accept any relevant response.)

# **20. MOTHERS ARE FOR . . .**

## P. 91-92

- A. 1. Mothers show their love by sharing whatever makes you glad. They laugh at your favourite jokes. They help you get on with other people. They kiss you goodnight.
  - 2. (Accept any relevant response.) (Suggestions)
    - **a.** I show my love to my mother by kissing her when she wakes me early in the morning for school.
    - **b.** I show my love for my mother by sharing my food with her.

**B.** (Accept any relevant response.)

- C. (Accept any relevant response.) (Suggestions)
  - 2. Mothers look after **their** children well. **There** was an apple in the bowl.
  - Did you know that a needle has an eye?
     I have been to the zoo several times.
  - **4.** You must **wait** for your turn on the swing. The **weight** of this bag is ten kilograms.
- D. 1. bead 2. sleep 3. thief 4. feet 5. seat 6. three
- E. 1. illness 4. dealership 7. fitness
  - 2. ownership 5. punishment
- t 8. government
  - 3. township 6. agreement
    - 9. bright**ness**
- F. 1. Alice ran <u>behind</u> the rabbit.
  - 2. I am sitting between mother and father.
  - 3. My pet kitten sleeps on the sofa.
  - **4.** Put all your clothes <u>inside</u> the wardrobe.
  - 5. Linn held the umbrella over her head.
- G. (Accept any relevant response.)

# **21. LOOKING FOR POLO**

## P. 96-98

A. 1. Mitha called her mother's clinic because she had lost her dog Polo.

- **2.** Mary, the receptionist picked up the phone at Alpha Clinic.
- **3.** Mitha's mother was busy with a patient.
- 4. Mitha called up Uncle Arun next.
- **5.** Uncle Arun told Mitha to keep a hot cup of coffee ready for him. He would be there in ten minutes.
- **6.** Polo got into the car because he wanted to eat a piece of chocolate left on the rear seat of the car.
- **B.** <u>6</u> Papa has gone to pick up Grandpa from the railway station.
  - <u>1</u> Mitha calls up Alpha Clinic.
  - **<u>2</u>** Mother is busy with a patient.
  - $\underline{\textbf{7}}$  Polo is found in the back seat of the car.
  - **3** Mitha decides to ask help from Uncle Arun.
  - 5 Uncle Arun agrees to help.
  - 8 Papa thanked Uncle Arun.
  - 4 Mitha looks for Uncle Arun's telephone number.
- C. 1. look up 3. look after 5. Look for
  - **2.** look into **4.** look back
- D. Amir was playing with a ball on the road. The ball rolled away and stopped beside a lamp post. An old man was standing near the lamp post. He picked up the ball and walked up to Amir. "You should not play on the road, son. Where is your house?" asked the man. "Behind those blocks of flats, Uncle," Amir replied. "You should play in the park there. It is not safe to play here."
- E. 1. in 2. behind 3. around 4. on 5. behind
- F. 1. Daisies and Lilies
- **4.** fifty rupiah**5.** Palm Springs Apartments
- 2. Miss Suri53. yellow lilies6
  - **6.** 4 p.m.
- G-H. (Accept any relevant response.)

## **22. A PRESENT FOR GRANDFATHER**

#### P. 102-105

- **A. 1.** Bakru thought that grandfather might be sick as there was no sound of grandfather's call from the mosque tower.
  - 2. He decided to give nuts to his grandfather.
  - **3.** Bakru thought that grandfather would use them for carving his famous rings.
  - 4. Bakru hid when he heard the boys walking towards

Nut Hill because he thought that if the boys found out that he had gathered all the nuts, they would be angry and take away the nuts.

- 5. Bakru overheard the boy saying to the other boys that it was unfair to take Bakru's nuts. He was there before them, while they were snugly asleep. If they wanted to gather nuts, they should have got up early.
- **6.** Bakru came out of his hiding place and called out to the boys because he was deeply moved by what they had said. He decided to share his nuts with them.
- **7.** Bakru and the boys finally decided to share the nuts and then give them to grandfather.
- **B. 1.** Every morning, grandfather called the villagers for the morning prayers.
  - 2. Bakru decided to take a present along for his grandfather.
  - 3. The finest muncangs grew on Nut Hill.
  - 4. Bakru was scared that the boys from the village would take away his nuts.
  - 5. The boys were disappointed because there were no nuts left for them.
  - 6. One of the boys had seen grandfather talking to a neighbour.
  - 7. They decided to share the nuts and then give them to grandfather.
- C. 1. respect 3. famous 5. intelligent
  - **2.** like **4.** surprised **6.** begin
- D. 1. trees 2. roses 3. grass 4. dust 5. cotton 6. stamps
- **E. 1.** We will go together <u>and</u> give grandfather a present.
  - **2.** Grandfather did not come to the mosque <u>because</u> he had caught a cold.
  - **3.** I decided to carry an umbrella <u>because</u> it was about to rain.
  - 4. Reema sings well but her sister sings even better.
  - Don't go too close to the tree <u>or</u> the birds will fly away.
  - We will come for your birthday party <u>but</u> will leave early.
  - 7. Will the show begin at 9 a.m. or 9.30 a.m.?
  - 8. The baby is crying because he is hungry.

F. 1. but 2. because 3. so 4. because 5. or 6. and
G. 1. fruit 3. flower 5. fruit 7. flower 9. flower
2. fruit 4. fruit 6. flower 8. fruit 10. flower
H-I. (Accept any relevant response.)

#### **23. THE LAND OF STORYBOOKS**

#### P. 107-108

- **A. 1.** In the evening, the child play by himself, pretending to be a hunter in a forest, while his parents talk and sing.
  - 2. He plays imaginary games by acting out scenes and characters from books he has read. For example, he plays a hunter in a dark forest or a sailor at sea.
  - **3.** When the child's mother comes in for him at bedtime, he returns from his land of fantasy and goes to bed with backward looks at his dear land of storybooks.
  - **4.** (Accept any relevant response.)
- B. 1. the child 2. to act out scenes from books 3. at night
- **C.** (im)patient (un)known (ill)egal (dis)obey (mis)behave (in)correct **4.** misuse 6. unequal **D. 2.** incomplete **3.** disorder **5.** imperfect enjoy(ment) **E.** harm(ful) life(less) pain(less) employ(er) suit(able)
- F. 2. leafy 3. returned 4. airy 5. singer 6. speechless
- G. "I am stronger than you," said the North Wind to the Sun. "That is not true," said the Sun. "I am stronger." "Let us see who can take off the coat of that traveller. Whoever makes the traveller to take off his coat is the winner." "Whew! How strong the North Wind blows," said the traveller. "It is so cold! I must button up my coat." He folded his arms over his coat and held on tightly. At last the North Wind said, "Sun, now you can try." The Sun shone brightly and smiled down upon the traveller. "How good and warm that feels!" said the traveller. It was now past noon. "The Sun is too hot," said the traveller. He unbuttoned his coat and took it off. Who won?
- H. (Accept any relevant response.)