

HIMALAYA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

CLASS-4TH

ENGLISH

ASSIGNMENT- 1

Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow:-

A soldier had a horse. The horse was well-built, tall, and strong. But he was very arrogant. One day the soldier was riding his horse on the battlefield. The horse was feeling very proud as it was taking its master to the battlefield. On the way, he met a donkey who was carrying more weight. The cocky horse shook his head and said, “You are a very bad ass.” Move away, we’re going to the battlefield. The donkey turned to one side and the horse went away.

After a few days, the donkey was passing by the same horse. At this time the horse was carrying the load of the wounded soldier and all his belongings. The donkey went to the horse and said, “Some days ago, you called me a bad donkey because I was carrying too much weight.” What are you doing now? The horse was ashamed of itself and could not answer anything.

Q.1. What kind of animal was the soldier’s companion in the story?

A) A dog

B) A cat

C) A horse

D) A donkey

Q.2. How did the horse feel about himself while taking his master to the battlefield?

A) Confused

B) Arrogant

C) Anxious

D) Scared

Q.3. What did the horse say to the donkey when they met on the way to the battlefield?

A) “You’re a good friend.”

B) “You’re a strong donkey.”

C) “Move away, you bad ass.”

D) “Let’s go to the battlefield together.”

Q.4. What was the donkey carrying when he met the horse again?

- A) A wounded soldier**
- B) His own belongings**
- C) A heavy load**
- D) Weapons for the battlefield**

Q.5. What did the donkey ask the horse when they met again?

- A) “Can I join you on the battlefield?”**
- B) “Why are you carrying so much weight?”**
- C) “Are you going to carry the burden from the field?”**
- D) “Do you need any help?”**

Read the poem carefully and answer the following questions:

Some people are like caterpillars,

Some people are like butterflies.

People who are insecure.

People who think they are fat.

People who think they are ugly.

People who are scared of their flaws.

Are the caterpillars.

People who have accepted that no matter how hard you try,

You will never be perfect.

People who are positive.

People who are dreamers.

People who believe anything can happen as long as you try.

Are the butterflies.

The good thing about caterpillars is that they always

Turn into a beautiful butterfly.

You will soon turn into a person who

Is able to accept that they are who they are.

You will be a bit shaky at first.

But with more confidence

You will fly high.

Q6. What are the people like?

a) caterpillars

b) cat

c) lions

c) tiger

Q7. People who are _ are the butterflies.

a) positive

b) fat

c) ugly

d) scared

Q8. What do the people who are butterflies, believe?

Q9. What is the good thing about caterpillars?

Q10. How will you fly high?

Q11. Write a letter to Your Principal Seeking Permission for a Re-Examination.

Q12. Read the following conversation and write a message accordingly:

Neha: May I speak to Shreya?

Amol: She is not at home.

Neha: Can you please let her know that I will be late for the group meeting for the project discussion at Atul's house and she can go early without me.

Amol: Okay who is speaking?

Neha: I am her friend Neha from the same class.

Q13. Read the sentences given below and underline the adverbs.

- 1. We looked for the lost puppy everywhere.**
- 2. We do not know her.**
- 3. How long is the trip?**
- 4. Monica seldom visits here.**

Q14. Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate conjunctions in the following sentences:

- 1. Deepak _____ Santhosh are best friends.**
- 2. Make sure you work hard _____ you will not be able to score good marks.**
- 3. I have to go home now _____ I really wish I could stay for some more time.**
- 4. 6. I am not well _____ I decided to take a day off from work.**

Q15. Underline the prepositions in these sentences.

- 1. I walked to the shop.**
- 2. The boy jumped off the wall.**
- 3. I have never heard of him before.**
- 4. Potatoes grow under the ground.**

Q16. Write the meaning of the following words.

i. Twirl

ii. Sage

Q17. What happened when Shambhu tried to throw the hanky?

Q18. What was the mystery that the sage had found?

Q19. Why did the sage feel puzzled?

Q20. Why should we not laugh at the Chimpanzee?