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WORKSHEET - 1

GRADE: 5

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

I] Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow:

People used to call Lincoln “Honest Abe “, because he was unfailingly honest. Here is one such story about his honesty. In the days when he was working as a clerk in the store in New Salem, a woman came one evening to buy a pound of tea. Lincoln was closing the store. Still he weighed out the tea for her, she paid for it and went away. The next morning, however, Lincoln found that he had given the woman only half a pound of tea. Perhaps she might not know about it, but that made no difference to Lincoln. He weighed out another half-pound and taking up the packet, closed the store and walked a distance of six miles to give her the tea! He could not wait for the woman to find out the mistake and come back.

As a lawyer, Lincoln would never agree to take up case that appeared to have no justice in it. One day he told a client, “Though you have a good case in law, I can’t win it for you. There isn’t much justice in it. All the time I may forget myself and say it aloud!”

A] Answer the following Questions:

1. Why did people call Lincoln “Honest Abe”?
2. What did the woman buy from Lincoln’s store?
3. What mistake did Lincoln make?
4. What did he do then?

5. Why didn't Lincoln take up the case?

B] Choose and write which phrase below completes the sentence according to the meaning of the passage.

1. Lincoln used to _____

- a. fight even those cases which had no justice in them.
- b. win even those cases which had no justice in them.
- c. take up only those cases which had justice in them.

7. Lincoln was _____

- a. a clerk in the store in New Salem.
- b. the owner of the store in New Salem.
- c. a manager in the store in New Salem.

8. 'Though you have a good case in law, I can't win it for you.' The word 'You' in the above sentence refers to:

- a. Lincoln
- b. the woman who came to him to buy tea.
- c. the client of Lincoln.

9. The next morning, however, Lincoln found that:

- a. his clerk had knowingly given the woman only half a pound of tea.
- b. his clerk had given the woman half a pound of tea by mistake.
- c. he had given the woman only half a pound of tea by mistake.

10. Find the correct statement in reference to the paragraph:

- a. Lincoln called himself very honest.

b. people considered Lincoln to be an honest man.

c. Lincoln is a dishonest man.

II. Fill in the blanks with 'will' or 'might':

1. Rani _____ go to Kanpur on Monday.

2. Whenever he is in trouble, he _____ go to his father.

3. Dinky _____ go to watch a movie.

4. He _____ come.

5. I _____ teach him Maths.

6. _____ I have a chance to speak.

7. If I _____ request you, couldn't you teach us History?

8. Don't worry, we _____ lend you some money.

9. The patient _____ recover.

10. Mohit _____ be back now.

III Circle the adverb in each sentence and also state whether it is an Adverbs of place or time or manner:

1. Naditha danced gracefully.

2. After keeping the book on the table, Rohan went outside.

3. God is everywhere.

4 He goes to school every day.

5. She silently entered the room.

6. The soldier fought bravely.

7. He looked around.

8. Yesterday, we went for a picnic.

9. I will complete my project tomorrow.

IV Creative Writing:

i). Imagine what the future world will look like 100 years from now. Think about a character that lives in this world. Think of the problem he/she faces and how it is solved. Draw a story map to organize the ideas for the story that you plan to write.

ii). Write a letter to Malala telling how you feel about her fight for education?

V Fill in the blanks with the correct preposition of time:

1. I want to be ___ time to revise before the exam begins.

2. After holidays, the school was reopening _____ 15th June.

3. My school's annual sports day is _____ February.

4. I was born _____ 2009.

5. We do not go to school _____ Sundays.

6. The boys play football _____ the morning'

7. The exam started _____ time.

8. The plane did not take off _____ time.
9. I have a half- day of school _____ Saturdays,

VI Answer the following questions in two to three sentences:

1. Why did Tara’s father take the decision to live under water in the story ‘friends at the sea escape’?
2. What does Tara do while she is out in the sea?
3. Did Tara’s opinion about Nilesh change? How and why?
4. Which part of the story ‘friends at the sea escape’ did you like the most? Give reasons for your answer.
5. What was Malala’s belief about education?
6. What did Malala write about in her internet diary entries?
7. How do you think Malala’s relationship was with her father? Why do you say so?
8. “Earlier, Malala had wanted to become a daughter. But now she had different dreams.” What dreams does she have now? How do you know?

VII. Answer the questions briefly

1. In your opinion which event had the most effect on Malala’s life? Why do you say so?
2. Imagine a future where human minds can be scanned and uploaded on to a computer. Write a paragraph about the different things that might happen in such a world?
3. Imagine that you live under water like Tara in the sea escape. Write a paragraph describing your thoughts, feelings and experiences about your new life under the sea?
