

The ENGLISH Canal

Teacher Manual



Class-8

Chapter – 1 Open the Door

Go with Comprehension

- A.** 1. c 2. b 3. a 4. a
- B.** 1. because the, nature
2. every vein
3. awash, brilliant blue breast of the sky.
4. person, life long love
5. the best things, greenery through growing grass fields.
- C.** 1. Poem is open the door and the poet is Rabindranath Tagore.
2. He wanted to let floral fragrance visit his room.
3. "Fresh Sunbeam" means sunrise and celebratory murmur means sound of leaves.
4. The poet wants to hear the sound of the leaves.
5. Curious
- D.** 1. Curious of floral fragrance in his room and fresh sunbeams.
2. To towel and drap his mind in the best things.
3. Green fineries which grow through grassy field.
4. The life long love which he received it.
5. Celestial love means that love can survive everything.
6. The Morning Breeze.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 2 Hobnail

Go with Comprehension

- A.** 1. a 2. a 3. a 4. d
- B.** 1. False 2. True 3. False 4. True
- C.** 1. Fannie's mother to Sally
2. Johnny to Ellen
3. Ellen to mother
4. Fannie to mother
5. Fannie to Ellen
- D.** 1. The name of Fannie's aunt was Sally. They went to her home because they have gone to Church with them that day so that, it was awfully late that is why she told them to stay there.
2. Fannie's uncle gave them lantern for their return journey because this will help them to go to their home and also they haven't got any fear of someone else.

3. Fanny was frightened during her way back to home because shadow was there which indicates ominously from the dense woods on both the sides of the track, bad sound of owl, encroaching darkness. Also she was tired.
4. When she was frightened, Fannie's mother consoled her with her soothing voice, tightened her grip on her hand, and also by saying the dialogue of young preacher that God will help us. She calmed her fears.
5. Fannie heard her mother saying to her father in the kitchen about that situation which they had suffered. They faced lots of problems when they came home due to Fannie's fear and also when he came back home late, Fannie thought that some one had come.

Tie up with Grammar

- | A. Finite Verbs | Type of Sentence |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. was destroyed was saved | Complex |
| 2. don't | Simple |
| 3. is | Simple |
| 4. had, carried | Compound |
| 5. met, spoke | Compound |
| 6. knows, has come | Compound |
| 7. had been teaching | Simple |
| 8. is | Simple |
| 9. love | Simple |
| 10. lives, is | Compound |
| 11. is | Compound |
| 12. go, wash | Complex |
| 13. touch | Simple |
| 14. scolded | Simple |
| 15. appeals | Complex |
| 16. love | Simple |
| 17. like, are | Complex |
| 18. is | Complex |
- B.**
1. Ashima says to Reena that the boys are ready to take them along to picnic.
 2. The teacher told the students that the final term was going to start from the 7th of March.
 3. The PM requested his assistant that he should allow all the people waiting outside to meet him in.
 4. Mr. Verma told me that the new store which opened the previous day was selling things at great discounts.
 5. Mr. Palekar told Mrs. Palekar that their children had grown up and they should then think about their marriage.
 6. Madhu told Sheena that they were going for Shruti's marriage to Delhi.

Vocabulary Maker

- A.**
1. illegal
 2. abruptly
 3. head
 4. diverted
 5. church
- B.**
1. quivered - He quivered to see a snake in the bushes.
 2. lumber - In olden times, lumber was used to.
 3. hypnotised - He was hypnotised by the hymn of the monk.
 4. Ominously - She ominously looked at me.
 5. Queasy - I am feeling queasy.

Writing

14th June xxxx

Monday 9.45 p.m.

Oh God! What a terrifying sight. I can't believe my eyes. When I told this to my guard, he didn't believe me. Whomsoever I told this they didn't believe. It was so horrifying to see that man without a head. Was it a reality or an illusion? I am in an awe. Couldn't come out of it. It is all over my mind. My friend laughed at me when I told them this. I would never go to that place ever.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

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Chapter – 3 Cricket for the Crocodile

Go with Comprehension

- A.**
1. b
 2. a
 3. a
 4. d
 5. c
- B.**
1. False
 2. False
 3. False
 4. True
 5. True
- C.**
1. Sheroo said to Ranji because they thought that crocodile didn't want to play with them.
 2. Prem said these words to Sheroo and Ranji because they waited for him to be departed at his pace.
 3. Nakoo thought these words because he had been sulking in the shallows while he saw ball was coming towards him.
 4. Ranji said these words to his mother because he wanted to be test cricketer when he grew up.
 5. The bank manager said these words to other boys because his cot remained attached to the crocodile.

6. Sheroo said these words to his friends because they wanted to get him off from his arch.
- D.**
1. Ranji was a boy who prepared for his exams only a fortnight away but he could not resist one or two games before getting down to history and algebra this dream was to become a test cricketer when he grows up.
 2. Ranji's mother explained him the importance of studying maths and history that he might need Maths to work out his batting average.
 3. Nakoo was a crocodile as usual he was a regular spectator at these matches. He used to live in the river. His name means Nosey but the village boys were very respectful and called him Nakoo-ji, Nakoo-Sir. He had a long snout.
 4. Ranji team was different from villages team because his team was drawn from all parts of the town but village team was quite good as they lived with each other and practised a lot together.
Yes, because they helped to provide bats and balls and pocket money.
 5. Nakoo was basking in the sun.
 6. They threw pebbles, bounced off his skin, tried mud balls, orange, bowled at him.
 7. He opened his jaws wide and clunked the ball between his back teeth.
 8. Nakoo went into the river and made for the opposite shore.

Tie up with Grammar

- A.**
1. Family is celebrating
 2. My teacher thinks
 3. The story is told me
 4. The kidnappers
 5. The murder
 6. All the work
- B.**
1. about the nature's beauty
 2. by Ayurveda
 3. that the flight will land in 10 minutes
 4. lawyer to show the proof
 5. from the time I came
 6. without a hard work
- C.**
1. I live in my grandparent's house.
 2. Anu is wearing Raghu's pair of shoes.
 3. Students' answer sheets were collected by teachers.
 4. The partners' offices are running well.
 5. Teachers' purses were hanging in the staff room.
 6. My sister's clothes are new.

- D.**
1. dog's teeth
 2. Children's pictures
 3. Boy's notebook
 4. Raghu's shoes
 5. Dancer's bangles

Vocabulary Maker

- A.**
- | | | | |
|------|------|------|------|
| 1. c | 2. a | 3. b | 4. b |
| 5. a | 6. a | | |

- B.**
1. He was sailing in the sea.
I can see him.
 2. My maid is on leave.
I made a toast for myself.
 3. Very few people know him.
Phew! what an achievement.
 4. I was walking along the road.
I rode a horse.
 5. The wild bees nest was under the eaves
On the eve of her departure he gave her a little parcel.

- C.**
1. of, off
 2. of, off
 3. off, of
 4. of, off
 5. off, of

- D.**
1. I surf the internet
 2. in - on
 3. to - of
 4. in - on
 5. use - using

Writing

It is illegal to tease

- Don'ts**
1. Feeding
 2. Teasing
 3. Provoking
 4. Noise

NO FEEDING, teasing

~~PROVOKING~~

Do's

1. Watch from a distance
2. behave calmly
3. Maintain peace
4. Follow rules

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Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 4 God Runs for Safety!**Go with Comprehension**

- A.** 1. a 2. a 3. a
- B.** 1. stepped, cottage, little salt, walking market
2. been recollected, spent his pennies, preceding
3. outside, shop, kicked
4. surrounded, impatient
5. blood stained
6. struggle, button, someone
- C.** 1. The crowd surrounded the man because they wanted to know that what is going to happen.
2. because they wanted to listen his speech first.
3. The man who lost his money and he was considered to be as God because his rock salt had turned into gold when he was killed by another.
4. It means to hold down.
- D.** 1. The man made excuse to the Grocer that he was at loss to understand if it vanished into thin air.
2. When he was going to the market, a peculiar thought came into his mind that "May what say come to be" which he said to himself.
3. The shopkeeper called him a God because he lost his money without any intentions which means that a thing which helped the needy person to satisfy his needs and wants.
4. Someone who killed him forcefully which all his rock salt had turned into gold.
5. He escaped and ran from there after this uncontrollable situation.

Tie up with Grammar

- A.** 1. tall
2. hotter
3. easy
4. prettier
5. most intelligent
6. most interesting
7. richest
8. bigger

9. more beautiful
10. most dangerous
11. cleverest
12. longer

- B.**
1. He will live here for, then will leave.
 2. You have to do this work, otherwise no use.
 3. He insulted me, in front of all.
 4. Can you, painting.
 5. Don't come, 9 p.m.

Vocabulary Maker

- A.**
1. e
 2. c
 3. d
 4. b
 5. a

- B.**
1. I lost my nerves when he talked rudely.
 2. He felt ground slipping from his feet when his identity was revealed.
 3. He laid hands on my property.
 4. I was at loss when my house was robbed.
 5. When I saw the snake in my room, my heart was in my mouth.

- C.**
1. c
 2. e
 3. a
 4. b
 5. d

Writing

Examination Hall

Delhi

March 10, XXXX

Dear Priyam

Hello! How are you? I am doing good and hoping same for you. I want to tell you about what happened today in the market.

I was at a shop when I realised that a crowd was snatching something from a man. I was taken aback. I was so confused. I didn't know what was happening. I asked the shopkeeper. He told me that the man was a thief who shoplifts. So people were running after him. They were trying to catch him. It was a ruckus.

You too share something with me.

Take care

Yours lovingly

ABC

Listening

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

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Chapter – 5 The Thief

Go with Comprehension

- A.** 1. a 2. c 3. c 4. c
- B.** 1. False 2. True 3. False 4. True
5. True 6. False
- C.** 1. misjudged
 2. educated man
 3. write, sentence
 4. feed, cooked food
 5. watching
- D.** 1. The thief was Deepak. He met Arun at the wrestling ground.
 2. The boy went with Arun to his house because he wanted to make money, feed and write.
 3. Arun earned money by not working continuously. He would be borrowing one week, lending the next.
 4. Writer didn't board the train and came back because the train left him away and also he would realise that he would steal the money of a poor man while he betrayed his trust. He was full of sympathy for him.
 5. He hurried back to the room and was extremely nervous. As it was easier to steal something than to return it undetected.

Tie up with Grammar

- A.** 1. me
 2. I
 3. I
 4. me
 5. We
- B.** 1. her
 2. you
 3. me
 4. them
 5. he
 6. they

Vocabulary Maker

- A.** 1. nervous
 2. to go out, spend time.
 3. to take someone's attention away
 4. serious problem that limit ways
 5. to cancel the plan

- B.** 1. easy
3. landlord
5. toil
2. obey
4. grouped

Writing

5th June xxxx

9.45 p.m.

Tuesday

It was so shocking for me. I couldn't believe. When I saw the notes they were wet. That boy was so shrewd. He seemed to be so sweet and innocent. I am in awe. This is unbelievable. I am feeling devastated. Don't know how to trust people. Such incidents shatter you so much that you become very insecure.

Listening

Do it yourself.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 6 If I Were...

Go with Comprehension

- A.** 1. a 2. b 3. a 4. d
5. a
- B.** 1. True 2. True 3. False 4. True
- C.** 1. he would drive her off naughty
2. run away
3. Mother
4. Puppy, parrot
5. naughty if he was puppy, ungrateful wench
- D.** 1. Child was imaging in the first stanza that if he would become a dog then his mother would not allow him to eat from her dish.
2. because she said he would drive him off if he would be a puppy.
3. She would keep him chained.
4. What if I were...

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 7 Pebble on the Beach

Go with Comprehension

- A.** 1. a 2. b 3. b 4. c
5. a

- B.**
1. Spat out
 2. Ground nuts
 3. Wallet
 4. Respect
 5. Hell
 6. Harness
 7. Teach you a lesson
- C.**
1. Devil to Satya because he tries to make him realise about his motto.
 2. Debu said to Joe because he gave them groundnut which they had demanded with him.
 3. Joe said to Debu because he was still demanding him for his loss of groundnut so that he became angry inside as he told him for that.
 4. Joe to himself because he felt a sudden surge of happiness and feeling of contentment.
 5. Devil said to himself because all the people in the Hell will turn good by this and then he will go to God & befriend him.
- D.**
1. Satya was gentle, kind & honest. He spreads happiness. But Devil was opposite. He hated Satya and lived in hell.
 2. Devil hated Satya because he symbolised evil but Satya was epitome of God. Differences between them were that Satya spreads happiness and devil spreads hatred.
 3. Devil wanted to send the soul of Satya to heaven and also turn him into a pebble and throw him into the beach. He told Satya with a wicked smile that he would forget about being good and start following his evil ways in few days.
 4. It was sparkling white and silky smooth. He placed it against his cheek. It was cool & gentle. He felt all his anger & frustration went away.
 5. He thought that Satya is such a good man, he might even turn Hell into heaven. So he should get him up there and send him to his Lord.
 6. He decided to sent it to Hell at the end as such. So that people in the Hell would turn good. And he would go and make friends with God.

Tie up with Grammar

- | | | | |
|---------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1. An | 2. The | 3. The | 4. This |
| 5. a | 6. the | 7. the | 8. the |
| 9. many | 10. no | | |

Vocabulary Maker

- A.**
1. furious
 2. deface
 3. acute
 4. grow

- B.**
1. Pass
 2. to have something
 3. to roam
 4. to go away

Writing

Be Kind to Poor

As a human, it is our basic instinct, to be kind to poor. Today I am speaking to support this topic.

Benovelence is a quality which we all should possess. We should always try to emphathise with poor and destitute. Our life is worth living only when we live for others. Bringing smile on the face of others is the kindest act. If we are capable of helping poor and needy with any thing like food, clothing or any other basic necessity, then we should always do it. God's every creation is beautiful so we should respect it.

Speaking

Do it yourself.

Reading

- A.**
- | | |
|------|------|
| 1. c | 2. b |
|------|------|
- B.**
- | | |
|-----------|---------|
| 1. below | up |
| 2. lucky | curse |
| 3. thirty | content |
| 4. clear | unclear |
- C.**
1. When the land is dry.
 2. To be used when the land is dry.
 3. Land turns dry and rivers are parched.
 4. Water.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 8 The Liar

Go with Comprehension

- A.**
- | | | | |
|------|------|------|------|
| 1. b | 2. a | 3. c | 4. a |
| 5. d | | | |
- B.**
- | | | | |
|----------|---------|---------|----------|
| 1. True | 2. True | 3. True | 4. False |
| 5. False | | | |
- C.**
1. little man, lance arrow
 2. vision, vouchsafed God
 3. eagerly, confirm, incompetence, incredulous, scandal, frenzy, chagrin, dismissal
 4. relate, beautiful, resolved, reading incantations

- D.**
1. This story is about Labhu who was famous for his stories which were very interesting.
 2. Because he was the best story teller.
 3. He called him a foel and liar.
 4. He told him the story of his venture with Kuldeep. He went on a hunting tour in the party of the subedar's son Kuldeep and his friends. They went to Nepal.
 5. Yes, he used to exaggerate about all events. The princess and a huge giant story was an exaggeration.
 6. On the eight day they saw a monster which had the body of a bear, his head of a reinder, feet of goat, tail of wild bull.
 7. Labhu ended his story by saying that his foot got sprained as he landed other side of the mountain.

Tie up with Grammar

- A.**
- | | | |
|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 1. Transitive | 2. Transitive | 3. Transitive |
| 4. Intransitive | 5. Intransitive | 6. Transitive |
| 7. Transitive | 8. Intransitive | 9. Transitive |
| 10. Transitive | | |

Vocabulary Maker

- A.**
- | | | |
|---------|---------|---------|
| 1. Verb | 2. Verb | 3. Verb |
| Noun | Noun | Noun |
| 4. Noun | 5. Verb | |
| Verb | Noun | |
- B.**
- | | | | |
|------|------|------|------|
| 1. d | 2. c | 3. a | 4. e |
| 5. b | | | |

Writing

4th June xxxx

Dear Raju

I am doing wonderfully good here and hope same for you. How is everyone in the village? I have come here to Nepal for a month's trip. It is actually a hunting trip.

I have shot ten leopard, five panthers and 20 deer till now. I saw a devil in the forest last night. He was ferocious and wild. He had three eyes and four hands. As soon as he saw me, he started chasing me. He was making roaring sound. I got scared but I decided to kill him. That monster followed me. I fooled him and shot him on his head from behind the tree. As soon as he fell down on the ground, he turned into a charming princess. I felt so bad to kill such a pretty princess. I will be back in a month.

Give my regards to all.

Yours lovingly

Labhu

Speaking

Do it yourself.

Reading

- A. 1. a 2. c 3. d
- B. 1. The ability to look at the mundane and see something extra ordinary.
2. His imagination & thirst for the exciting.
3. Taking the transcendent sense of wonder and compressing it into a delightful adventure game.
- C. 1. originally
2. beyond good
3. happy
4. illusion
5. to wrap for burial

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 9 Boots and His Brother

Go with Comprehension

- A. 1. b 2. d 3. c
- B. 1. Boots to Peter & Paul
2. Boots to Peter & Paul
3. King to Town's people
4. Boots to King
5. Boots to Shovel
6. King to boots
- C. 1. to the wings
2. The axe, shovel, walnut, axe, brothers
3. laughed
4. man, walnut
5. failed, made them prisoner
- D. 1. Boots was an inquisitive man.
2. Peter and Paul failed to chop the tree and dig the well, so they were put in the prison by the King.
3. With the help of shovel, the axe and walnut.
4. Walnut pulls several handfulls of blue confetti and glitter and tosses it into the air.
5. He asked the king to set his brothers free.

Tie up with Grammar

- A. 1. Could 2. May 3. Can
4. Can 5. Will 6. Can
- B. 1. Already done.

2. We should not smoke.
3. It is your friend's birthday so you can give her a card.
4. You ought to keep your house locked well, if you are going to watch the movie.

C. unlocked

was

tiptoed

came

found

was

Vocabulary Maker

- A.** 1. picture 2. fast 3. annoyed
4. loudly 5. was terrified

- B.** 1. action
2. cunning
3. action of getting rid of unwanted
4. speak slowly
5. Red-faced

Writing

8 July xxxx

Dear Dora

Hello! How are you? I am doing good and hope you are in the best of your spirits. I am writing this letter to tell you about how wrong I was to think bad about Boots. He is a wonderful brother.

I used to think that he is crazy but he only helped me to get freedom from prison. I was surprised that he asked the king to get me free. Now I am enjoying royal luxuries due to him. I used to make fun of him all the time. But I was wrong. He is a good-hearted man and a caring brother.

It has been long since we have met. When are you coming to home?

Yours lovingly

Peter

Speaking

Do it yourself.

Reading

- A.** 1. Gerard and Denys.
2. axe and crossbow.
3. to defend against wild animals.
4. He felt safe.

5. He was lost in day dreaming.
6. When Denys said in low whisper that there is something in the bushes.
7. rustling noise.
8. Run

B. Synonyms Antonyms

- | | |
|---------------|-----------|
| 1. protect | fight |
| 2. opposition | favour |
| 3. obvious | not clear |
| 4. friend | enemy |
| 5. murmur | shout |

Chapter – 10 Robin Hood

Go with Comprehension

- A.** 1. c 2. b 3. c 4. b
 5. b

- B.** 1. False 2. True 3. False
 4. False 5. False 6. False
 7. True

- C.** 1. King Richard
 2. King John
 3. Sherwood forest, Earl
 4. Leadership, courage, Cheerfulness
 5. Social activities
 6. beggar

- | | |
|------------------------|-------------|
| D. Who | Whom |
| 1. Outlaws | Robinhood |
| 2. Robinhood | Outlaws |
| 3. Robinhood | Outlaws |
| 4. Robinhood (soldier) | Sheriff |
| 5. Soldier | Sheriff |

- E.** 1. to fight great wars.
 2. Robin Hood was famous for his leadership, courage & archery, so Sheriff hated him.
 3. Shooting, wrestling, climbing slippery poles, baking the best cakes, jams pickles.
 4. Robin Hood disguised himself as a soldier and told Sheriff that a beggar had told him that King Richard had come back from England.
 5. Courageous, brave, leader, archer.

Tie up with Grammar

- A. 1. b 2. c 3. a 4. e
5. d
- B. 1. If she does not practice her English, she won't be able to go to England.
2. If she does not go to France, her family won't be happy.
3. If he has time, he will help you.
4. If I see Kavita, I would give her the letter.
5. If she does not lend her the money, she will not be happy.
6. If I go to Paris, I will visit Eiffel Tower.
7. If it is hot, I shall go to the beach.
- C. 1. am 2. meet 3. will break 4. will fail
5. have

Vocabulary Maker

- B. live, gang
wicked, friend
tall, tricks, girlfriend
village, takes, rich
fight, clever
stranger, asks
Lionheart, merry, love

Writing

Robin Hood was born in 12th century in England. He was a nobleman and a robber. He lived in Sherwood forest near Nottingham. He was generous. He robbed rich people and gave money to poor people. He was an excellent archer. He loved maid Marian. His friends liked him and they were called the Merry men. He hated The Sherriff of Nottingham.

Listening

Do it yourself.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 11 The Kite Maker

Go with Comprehension

- A. 1. a 2. c 3. c 4. b
- B. 1. never, vivid, living
2. little Ali, leave
3. bamboo, silk
4. amusement, play things
5. fixtures, humanity

- C.
1. Mahmood was a kite maker, had been well-known throughout the city. He made kites for Nawab and common people.
 2. Ali was the grandson of Mahmood. He came to the old man because his kite was gone as it got stuck in the banyan tree.
 3. The shop was closed down as nobody has time to fly kites and Nawab had died years ago. His premises had been sold to a junk dealer.
 4. Mahmood made a 'dragon kite' which possessed supernatural powers. It was very heavy. It looked like a crawling serpent.
 5. When Mahmood was young everyone used to come and ask about his health if he was sick. But now, noone visited him. Most of his friends were dead.
 6. Mahmood had two sons and one of them was living with him and the other was settled in Pakistan.
 7. Mahmood was like a Banyan Tree. His hands gnarled and twisted like the roots the ancient tree.
 8. Ali was like the young mimosa plant. In two years, both he and the tree, would acquire the strength and confidence that are the characteristics of youth.
 9. Mahmood did not answer and when Ali put his hand on his shoulder, he still was quiet and Ali heard a faint sound.
 10. He wanted to make a wonderful new kite for Ali.

Tie up with Grammar

- A.
- | | | |
|----------------|---------|---------------|
| 1. in front of | 2. up | 3. Inspite of |
| 4. from | 5. from | 6. instead of |
- B.
- | | | |
|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. delicate | 2. elaborate | 3. permanent |
| 4. competitive | 5. abandoned | |
- C.
- | | | |
|-------------------|---------|-----------|
| 1. many | 2. many | 3. oldest |
| 4. most important | 5. last | |

Vocabulary Maker

- A.
1. Choreographer
 2. Astronaut
 3. Mosque
 4. Junk dealer
- B.
- | | | | |
|-----------|----------|-------|----------|
| 1. at | 2. went | 3. us | 4. which |
| 5. packed | 6. could | | |

Writing

1. Spending time with them
2. Talking to them
3. Playing with them
4. Feeding them

Speaking

Do it yourself.

Reading

- A.
1. They were very poor.
 2. There were too many people in the gali and nobody could be bothered about neighbours.
 3. Everybody used to come and ask about his health.
 4. Nobody has time to fly kites.
 5. They were struggling for a living.
 6. World was changing fast.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 12 A Drop Fell on the Apple Tree

Go with Comprehension

- A.
1. b
 2. c
 3. b
 4. b
- B.
1. put out a single flag
 2. happy
 3. brook, sea
 4. eaves, gables
 5. Spring
- C.
1. Emily Dickinson.
 2. Sunshine threw its hat away.
 3. Sunrise has brought happiness and orchards are full of fruits.
 4. sprangles.
 5. hung.
- D.
1. Apple has dropped from the tree to the roof.
 2. Because they received rain.
 3. He can get the apples from the roof of his house.
 4. People who are helpless, sad and miserable.
 5. This poem showcases the beauty of the afternoon rain storm. The rain is picking up speed. Rain helps a brook and a sea to be the same as before. Elements in the nature are affected by the rain. The birds are singing, bushes are sparkling and sun is still present. Wind is bringing melodic sounds.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 13 The Lost Letter-I

Go with Comprehension

- A. 1. a 2. d 3. c
- B. 1. False 2. True 3. True
4. True 5. False
- C. **Who** **Whom**
1. Liza Gatekeeper
2. Gate keeper Liza
3. Liza Gatekeeper
4. Secretary Guard
5. Liza Secretary
6. Secretary Liza
7. Liza Secretary
- D. 1. Liza was a poor girl who used to wait on the sidewalk in front of her house for royal carriage.
- On sunday morning, royal carriage rolled towards her with Princess Margret in it.
2. A letter which Princess Margaret was reading flew away from her hand.
3. It was in French written by the King of France.
4. Liza wanted to return the letter to the Princess.
Gatekeeper asked her for the pass to enter the gate.
5. Secretary treated Liza badly.
He didn't allow her to met the Princess.
He allowed her when she agreed to give half of the reward to him.

Tie up with Grammar

- A. 1. fast 2. happily 3. quickly
4. finally 5. slowly 6. unexpectedly
- B. had, had, carried
was,
came tried
broke, snatched
combined
caused
fell, flew
- C. 1. Bheem was a Pandava but Duryodhan was a Kaurav.
2. Both Pandavas and Kauravs fought Mahabharat.
3. Although Shri Krishna was a friend of both Pandavas and Kauravas, he fought from Pandavas side.

4. Both Kauravas and Pandavas were equally brave but the Pandavas won the war.
5. The Kauravas post the war because the truth was on Pandavas side.

Vocabulary Maker

- A.
 1. vehicles or people moving in an orderly manner
 2. look at
 3. start
 4. welcome
 5. to pay in recognition of loss
- B.
 1. serious
 2. mount
 3. elaborate
 4. harm
 5. city

Writing

APJ International School
 Karnal.
 11th Jan. xxxx

The dealer
 National Apparatus House
 Karnal

Subject - replacement of the faulty instruments

Sir

This is to bring to your notice that the order received on 10th Jan. xxx, of Chemistry lab apparatus.

When order was opened, we found that many instruments were broken and some were not in a standard condition. We have been your customer for more than a decade now. This kind of response is unacceptable.

We request you replace the faulty instruments as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely

Suman

(Lab In-charge)

Listening

Do it yourself.

Reading

- A.
 1. a
 2. b

- B. 1. By dissolving it in a cooking liquor so that it may be washed from the cellulose fibers.
 2. Pulping.
 3. inorganic.
 4. Pulping processes, how paper is made.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 14 The Lost Letter-II

Go with Comprehension

- A. 1. a 2. c 3. a 4. a
 5. c
- B. 1. False 2. True 3. True
 4. False 5. True
- C. 1. French, King of France
 2. letter, reward
 3. guard & secretary, reward
 4. give her second reward
 5. the letter to her
- D. 1. All the employees were greedy.
 2. She promised the guard and the secretary to share her half reward with them.
 3. Princess was extremely delighted.
 4. Liza asked for an imprisonment of two weeks.
 5. Princess rewarded Liza with one more reward. She asked Liza to accompany her on the next royal ride through the city dressed in a brand new gown.

Tie up with Grammar

- A. 1. Noun 2. Noun 3. Adjective
 4. Adjective 5. Noun 6. Adjective
 7. Noun 8. Adjective 9. Adverb
 10. Adjective 11. Adverb
- B. 1. The patient has been injected by the nurse
 2. The opposite team has won the match.
 3. By how many people this birdge was built?
 4. Can your pen be used by me?
 5. All the arrangements were made by Hari for the marriage.
 6. Football was being played by both the boys in the ground.
 7. My new shirt had been spoilt by the tailor.
 8. Shruti slapped Manish.

Vocabulary Maker

- A. 1. wonderfully
2. humbly
3. curiously
4. anticipatngly
5. generously
6. politely
7. personally
- B. 1. Punishing
2. service
3. thanked
4. great
5. glowing

Writing

Hurray! My dream come true. I am delighted to meet the Princess. She is so beautiful and charming. She is good-hearted person. When I saw her sad face due to loss of her letter, I decided to give it back to her. The guard and secretary are so greedy people I never expected such behaviour from them. But somehow I used my Brain and fooled them. Finally when I met the princess I was so excited and happy. My elation knows no bound.

Reading

- A. 1. a 2. a 3. c
- B. 1. use
2. prominent
3. disputed
4. to exhibit
5. gather

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 15 A Holiday Task

Go with Comprehension

- A. 1. a 2. d 3. b
- B. 1. False 2. True 3. True
4. False 5. True 6. True
- C. 1. Jerton met the lady in the dining hall of the Golden Galleon Hotel. He asked the waiter about the roses' name and the lady told him the name.
2. Lady had a problem of short term memory loss.

3. She said that she was sure that she belonged to Pivot Club. So she would go back to town and ask the hall porter there about the letters for her. Porter knows all the members by sight, so letters will solve the problem and if no letters would be there, then porters could tell her identity.
4. She saw her ticket which told her that she had come from Victoria and was bound for that place.
5. Jerton got to know about the lady from the two men who were strolling past Jerton.

Tie up with Grammar

- | | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. Noun | 2. Adjective | 3. Adjective | 4. Noun |
| 5. Adjective | 6. Noun | 7. Adjective | 8. Adjective |

Vocabulary Maker

- | | | |
|---------------|-------------|------------|
| A. 1. e | 2. a | 3. d |
| 4. b | 5. c | |
| B. 1. failing | 2. waiting | 3. to live |
| 4. to go | 5. to visit | |

Writing

I am really worried about this lady. She has this problem of short term memory loss. I want to help her know her identity. I saw two men who were constantly looking at her. I think they know her. So I would try to follow them and enquire about the lady's identity.

Listening

Do it yourself.

Speaking

Do it yourself.

Reading

- | | | |
|---------|------|------|
| A. 1. c | 2. b | 3. a |
|---------|------|------|
- B. 1. Genius mind Einstein.
 2. His favourite song
 3. After three or four phrases
 4. What they had just heard

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 16 Messy Room

Go with Comprehension

- | | | | |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| A. 1. c | 2. b | 3. b | 4. c |
| B. 1. True | 2. False | 3. False | 4. False |
| 5. True | | | |
| C. 1. wedged in the window | | | |
| 2. Robert or Donald or Wilie | | | |

3. be ashamed
 4. mucky, damp, was there on the overstuffed chair
 5. has been stuck to the wall
- D.
1. A Messy room
 2. It was narrator's room
 3. The room was messy and mucky
 4. Books were jammed into the closet
 5. Ed

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 17 The Happy Prince

Go with Comprehension

- A.
- | | | | |
|------|------|------|--|
| 1. b | 2. d | 3. a | |
|------|------|------|--|
- B.
- | | | | |
|----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 1. False | 2. True | 3. True | 4. True |
| 5. True | 6. False | 7. True | |
- C.
1. on
 2. were
 3. between
 4. stay with him always
 5. shabby, pull down the statue, his heart
 6. precious, swallow, happy prince, garden of paradise
- D.
1. To get fresh air and a place to sleep.
 2. It was of gold, eyes were sapphires and a large red ruby was on his sword hilt.
 3. Because people whom it helped were so touched and grateful.
 4. Swallow was filled with pity.
 5. He gave his sapphire eyes, ruby on his sword, gold on his body.
 6. Swallow followed whatever Prince asked it to do. Prince asked the little bird to help others by giving his ruby, sapphires and gold.
 7. In the end, both bird and the prince were taken by angels to God and they were given place in the garden of Paradise.

Tie up with Grammar

- A.
1. Is a song being sung by Madhu?
 2. Is a nice frock being worn by her?
 3. Why was an umbrella being stolen by his brother?
 4. Is the food being cooked in the kitchen?
 5. Will an essay be written by Sita?
 6. Has your home work been done by you?

- B. 1. He teaches English.
2. The master punished the servant.
3. He wore a blue shirt.
4. They are building a house
5. I have finished the job.
6. He was writing a book.

Vocabulary Maker

- A. 1. My friends are my companions.
2. Corona has made the situation dreadful.
3. I was drenched as it was raining outside.
4. My teachers always appreciate me.
5. On Annual day, the whole environment was marvellous.
6. The marriage preparations were at the peak.
- B. 1. decree 2. alright 3. bind 4. shabby
5. gold plated

Writing

Student will create their story and discuss with the teacher.

Speaking

Do it yourself.

Reading

- A. 1. c 2. c 3. d 4. c
- B. 1. Contamination of water or environment is pollution.
2. Author is talking about water pollution.
3. To drink, for personal cleanliness and hygiene at home.
4. So that they drink clean and bacteria free water.
5. Because there is inadequate supply of water.
6. Clean water is essential for good health and cleanliness. Lots of water borne diseases are caused by polluted water. We should drink boiled water.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 18 The Invisible Scientist

Go with Comprehension

- A. 1. c 2. b 3. b 4. c
- B. 1. True 2. True 3. False 4. False
5. True
- C. 1. The two boys were surprised to see muddy footprints but nobody was around.

- Griffin invented a way to become invisible.
2. To find not only clothes but something that would hide the empty space about his shoulders.
 3. He broke open boxes and wrappers and fit himself out with warm clothes. He became fully dressed.
 4. He was smart and intelligent scientist. He was brilliant but lawless person.
 5. The arrival of a stranger at in Inn in winter was a case of an unusual event. A stranger of such uncommon appearance set all tongue wagging. Mrs. Hall made every effort to be friendly. But Griffin did not talk. She was out of her wits when she heard the chink of money being taken away from the clergy man's desk.
 6. Mrs. Hall heard a sniff sound. The hat on the bed post leapt up and dashed itself into her face. The bedroom chair became alive.

Tie up with Grammar

- A. 1. where 2. if 3. unless 4. whether, or
 5. Neither, nor 6. either, or 7. otherwise 8. so
 9. or 10. though
- B. 1. I would go out.
 2. I would reach in time.
 3. I would have gone for jogging.
 4. I would buy BMW car.
 5. I would have the destination
- C. Forteen - fourteen
 go - to
 have - play
 in - on
 haven't - don't have
 brothers' - brothers
 buses - bus
 form - at
 visit - reach
 become - get
 I' - I
 a - an
 yours - yours lovingly

Vocabulary Maker

- A. 1. attracted 2. unique 3. unseen 4. helpers
 5. moving

- B. 1. c 2. b 3. e 4. a
5. f 6. d

Writing

LAWLESS SCIENTIST

-Staff correspondent

Chandigarh : An unbelievable incident took place yesterday in KYG Bar in the midnight. It was 12.30 a.m. When a man with a strange appearance entered the bar. He was dressed up shabily and wearing shades. He was not following any rule in the bar. All of a sudden, he took off his hat and his head became invisible. Slowly and gradually he took off most of his clothes and he became in invisible man. People were all shocked. They could not believe their eyes. He wore them again. Somebody called the police. Mr. Jaffers, a had constable arrived at the bar. He arrested Griffin for his lawlessness. Griffin acted smartly. He took off all his clothes and became invisible. He ran away.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Chapter – 19 Now the Day is Over

Go with Comprehension

- A. 1. a 2. d 3. a
- B. 1. Sabina Baring
2. Bright vision. Poet is asking for a bright vision from God.
3. The poet wants to give bright views and good thoughts to the children.
4. The poet wants to say to God to give good thoughts and bright vision to guard the sailors tossing in the sea.
5. Oceans and Seas
6. Bright
- C. 1. Calm & sweet repose
2. Tired
3. Children, Comfort
4. Whose watching round, sleeping
5. Began to peep, beasts and flowers soon, will be asleep
- D. 1. Poet wants good thoughts and vision for the children.
2. The poet prays to Jesus to give rest to all who are tired.
3. The poet prays for the children to grant them good thoughts & tell them what is right & wrong.
4. Poet wants to comfort every sufferer who is in pain and whose plan is hampered by evil.
5. The poet is asking God to comfort who are in pain for long.
6. Sailor are tossing in boats in the ocean.

Fun Ahead

Do it yourself.

Life Skills

Do it yourself.

Model Test Paper - 1

Reading

- A. 1. iii 2. ii 3. ii
2. a) national
b) heroism
c) Gandhi
d) Gorakhpur
e) humanity
f) Chandershekar Azad
3. a) He was a revolutionary who fought for our independence.
b) to drive british out.
c) Lathi charge while raising the slogan of 'Go back Simon'

Writing

- B. Do it yourself.
C. Do it yourself.

Grammar

- D. 1. Family is celebrating
2. My teacher thinks
3. The story is told me
4. The kidnappers
5. The murder
- E. 1. tall
2. hotter
3. easy
4. prettier
5. most intelligent
- F. 1. An 2. The 3. The 4. This
5. a
- G. 1. Could 2. May 3. Can 4. Can
5. Will

Literature

- H. 1. a 2. c 3. a 4. d
5. d
- I. 1. because the, nature
2. every vein
3. awash, brilliant blue breast of the sky.
4. person, life long love
5. the best things, greenery through growing grass fields.
- J. 1. The thief was Deepak. He met Arun at the wrestling ground.
2. The boy went with Arun to his house because he wanted to make money, feed and write.
3. to fight great wars.
4. Robin Hood was famous for his leadership, courage & archery, so Sheriff hated him.
5. Shooting, wrestling, climbing slippery poles, baking the best cakes, jams pickles.

Model Test Paper - 2

Reading

- A. 1. iii 2. iii 3. iii
2. a) To maintain personal cleanliness and general hygiene at home.
b) Boiled water is clean and free from bacteria.
c) To reduce the number bacteria in the water.
d) Water Pollution.
e) Contamination of water is called water pollution.
f) Diarrhoea, Cholera, Typhoid.

Writing

- B. Do it yourself.
C. Do it yourself.

Grammar

- D. 1. in front of 2. up 3. Inspite of 4. from
5. from
- E. 1. fast 2. happily 3. quickly 4. finally
5. slowly
- F. 1. Noun 2. Adjective 3. Adjective 4. Noun
5. Adjective
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Literature

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5. c
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