

Standard : V

- ◆ 15 minutes is given as cool off time.
- ◆ Read the questions carefully during this time.
- ◆ Attending Activity 1 is compulsory.
- ◆ Attend **ANY four** activities from Activity 2 to Activity 7.

Activity – 1 Reading Comprehension

Read the following passage and choose the correct answer from those given below.

Lakshadweep is a group of islands. It includes islands such as Amini, Minicoy, Bitra and Kavaratti. Kavaratti is its capital. Bitra is the smallest island in Lakshadweep where people live. It is located in the Arabian Sea. Bitra is 483 kilometers away from Kochi. It is the least populated island. Nearly 280 people live here. The climate is warm throughout the year. Coconut trees grow in large number. A lot of sea-birds live in this island. We could also see multi-coloured fishes here. Scuba diving is a popular water sport activity in Bitra.

1. Which is the least populated island in Lakshadweep?
a) Kavaratti b) Bitra c) Amini d) Minicoy
2. Which tree grows in large number in Bitra ?
a) palm tree b) neem tree c) coconut tree d) mango tree
3. Which one is not related to Lakshadweep?
a) group of Islands b) lots of palm trees can be seen
c) scuba diving is popular d) climate is warm
4. The word used instead of 'a little hot' is
a) warm b) climate c) least d) nearly
5. Lakshadweep is beautiful because...
a) it is full of coconut trees b) there are multi coloured fishes
c) there are water sport activities d) a,b and c are correct

Activity – 2 Conversation

You have read the story 'The Mirror, haven't you?' The fisherman in the story was thrilled after seeing the mirror. He held the mirror close to his heart and went home. Imagine that on his way, he met one of his friends.

What would be the likely conversation between the fisherman and his friend?
(Write at least three exchanges.)

Activity – 3 Making Riddles

Here is a simple riddle made by Raju. Read it...

I work on electricity.

I am a tall box.

I make ice.

Who am I ?

- Can you guess and write the answer?
- Now, try to make a riddle on any one of the following.**

Mobile phone

or

Fan

You may use the hints given in the box below.

rotate song watch photo cool speak leaf electricity

Activity – 4 Framing questions

Here is a picture of a boy coming to school.

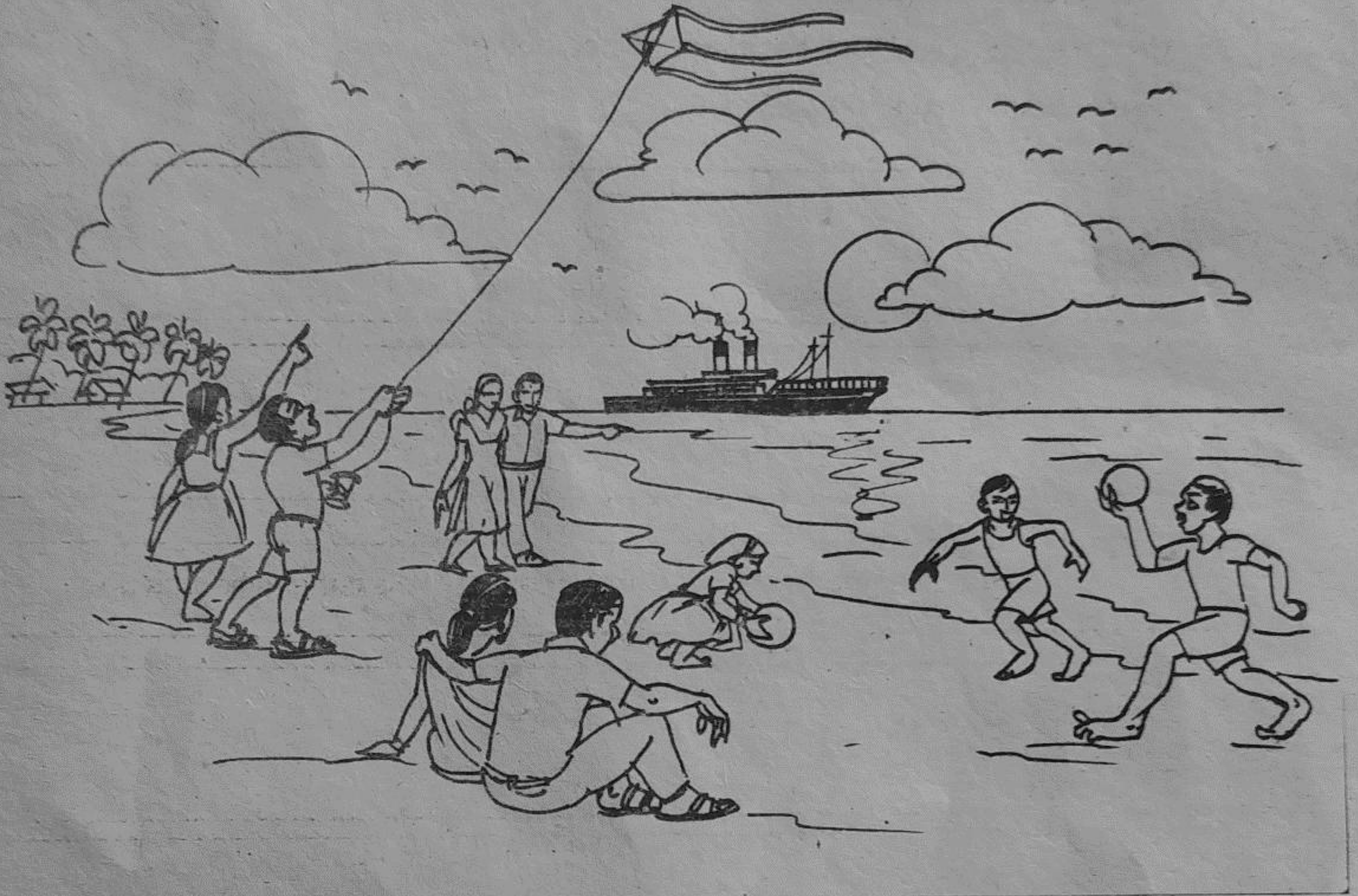


Write any five questions that you wish to ask the boy.

Beign with 'Wh' questions (What, Who, Where, Why, Which, When...).

Activity – 5 Picture Description

Describe the following picture in your own words. (A minimum of five sentences)



Activity – 6 Editing

Edit the passage choosing the correct word from the bracket.

The fisherman picked it up and (a) _____ (look / looked) at it. (b) _____ (She / He) had never seen such (c) _____ (a / an) thing before. He saw a face (d) _____ (on / in) it. He was scared. He threw it away. But after a while he (e) _____ (walked / waked) towards it again.

Activity – 7 Rearrange the story 'The Mirror' in correct order

- 1) The fisherman and his wife quarrelled.
- 2) The fisherman thought the image of him as that of his father who was dead.
- 3) A fisherman got a mirror from the seashore.
- 4) The mirror fell down and was broken into pieces.
- 5) The fisherman's wife took her image as her mother's.
- 6) The fisherman saw his image on it.

1.

2.

3. The fisherman thought the image of him as that of his father who was dead.

4.

5.

6.