

**FIRST TERMINAL EVALUATION 2015-16**  
**ENGLISH**

Std : V

Time : 2 Hrs

**Activity : I**

*Read the following passage and answer the questions given below.*

Dr.A.P.J.Abdul Kalam, is known as the 'Missile Man of India'. He became the 11<sup>th</sup> President of India. He was born in a poor family at Rameswaram in Tamil Nadu. 'Avul Pakir Jainulabdeen Abdul Kalam' is his full name. He worked for a long time in Thiruvananthapuram as a scientist in ISRO. The nation honoured him by giving Padma Bhooshan, Padmasree and Bharat Ratna. His autobiography "Wings of Fire" inspires the readers all over the world. His other major works include "Ignited minds", 'India 2020', 'Target Three Billion', 'Turning point' etc. The great son of India had his last breath while speaking at IIM Shillong on 27<sup>th</sup> July 2015.

- Who is known as the 'Missile Man of India'? (1)
- What is the name of his autobiography? (1)
- Where did he work in Kerala? (1)
- How did the nation honour him? (1)
- Find out the word which means 'not rich' (1)

**Activity : II**

*Read the following poem and answer the questions given below.*

Mirror, mirror by the sink  
Tell me what you truly think  
Am I fat or am I thin?  
Will I lose or should I win?  
Am I weak or super strong?  
Is my hair too short or long?  
Am I smart or rather dumb?  
Can you say what I will become?

- Where is the mirror? (1)
- Write any two questions that the boy asks the mirror. (2)
- Give a suitable title to the poem. (1)
- 'Fat' and 'Thin' are opposite words. Find out two other opposite pair from the poem. (1)

**Activity : III**

Lencho was waiting for rain. Wasn't he? When it rained, he became very happy. But after sometime the condition was worsened. Strong wind and hailstones began to fall. He thought of his crops. He was totally disappointed. His wife consoled him.

*Write the possible conversation between Lencho and his wife.* (5)

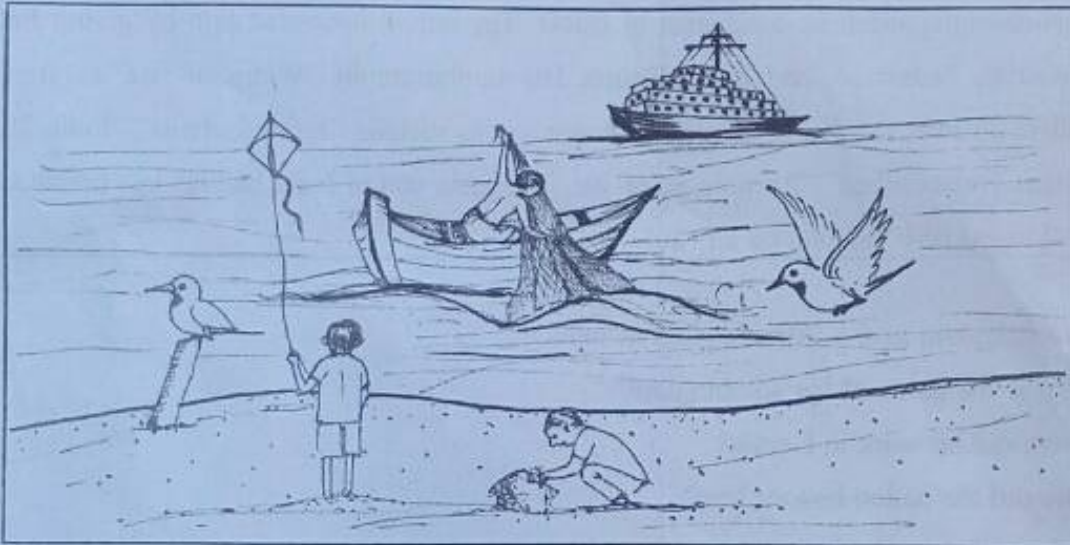
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Lencho : Oh ! God...my crops... my crops !

Wife : .....

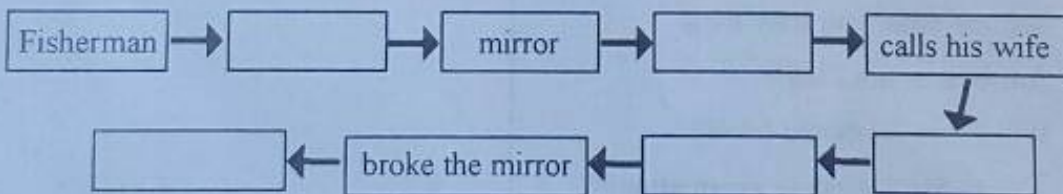
**Activity : IV**

*Describe the given picture.* (5)



**Activity : V**

*The fisherman's story has been split into certain hints. Complete the flow chart given below by arranging the hints in proper order.*(select suitable words/phrases from the box) (5)



mother's face, sea shore, realise the truth, quarrel, father's face

**Activity VI : Editing**

*Edit the following passage.* (5)

the fisherman's story tells us the life of people in a island. They life in the island was miserable. They no had modern gadgets that we have. They collected things which were thrown by the sailers