

Standard: VI

Time: 2 Hrs

- 15 minutes is given as cool-off time.
- Read the questions carefully before answering them.
- Activity I is compulsory.
- Attempt any four activities from Activity II to VI.

Activity I Reading Comprehension

Read the following story and answer the questions given below.

'Aranya' is a big forest. All animals lived here. Pappu, the elephant lived here with his parents. Everyone loved Pappu.

One sunny morning, Pappu went in search of food. Suddenly, he saw a group of hunters. They were setting up traps to catch animals. "Oh! My friends are in danger. What shall I do?" Pappu thought. He soon trumpeted loudly. All the animals heard Pappu's trumpet. They knew the danger and hid themselves. Pappu ran back home. On his way back, he accidentally fell into a big pit. "Oh no!... I am trapped. Who will save me?" Pappu began to cry. Chinnu, the squirrel heard the cry from the tree top. "Help! help. Pappu has fallen in a pit."



Chinnu cried loudly. All animals came to help Pappu. Pappu's parents also reached there. All of them together pulled Pappu out. Pappu waved his ears to show his love and gratitude.



1. Where did Pappu live? *Aranya*
2. What did Pappu see on his way in search of food? *Group of hunters*
 - a) a bunch of bananas.
 - b) a group of hunters.
 - c) a river flowing.
3. What happened to Pappu on his way back home? *അയാൾ ഒരു കുഴിയിൽ വീണു.*
4. Find out the word from the passage that means 'a loud sound made by an elephant'. *തമ്പുര*
5. At the end of the story, Pappu was *എന്നിട്ടു.*
 - a)
 - b)
 - c)

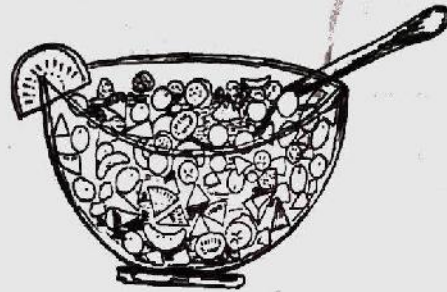
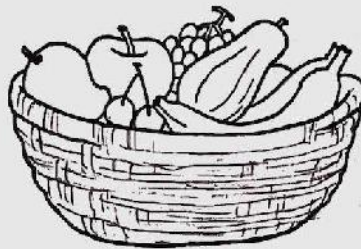
Activity II Description

Hope you remember Apu in the story 'Making a Mango Pickle'. It was Apu's birthday. Amma thought of making some fruit salad. Let's help her prepare it.



Describe the process of making fruit salad.

Take some fresh fruits like
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Activity III Rearrange the Events

Some events of the story 'Cinderella' are given below in a jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order.

- 3 The fairy good mother made a red coach for Cinderella.
- 4 The fairy changed the lizards into footmen.
- 1 Cinderella's sisters joined the ball.
- 5 Cinderella reached the ball dressed in wonderful clothes.
- 2 All mice were turned into six white horses.
- 6 Fairy touched Cinderella with her magic wand and the rags changed into beautiful clothes.

Rearrange the events in the correct order.

- ◆
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- ◆ Cinderella reached the ball dressed in wonderful clothes.

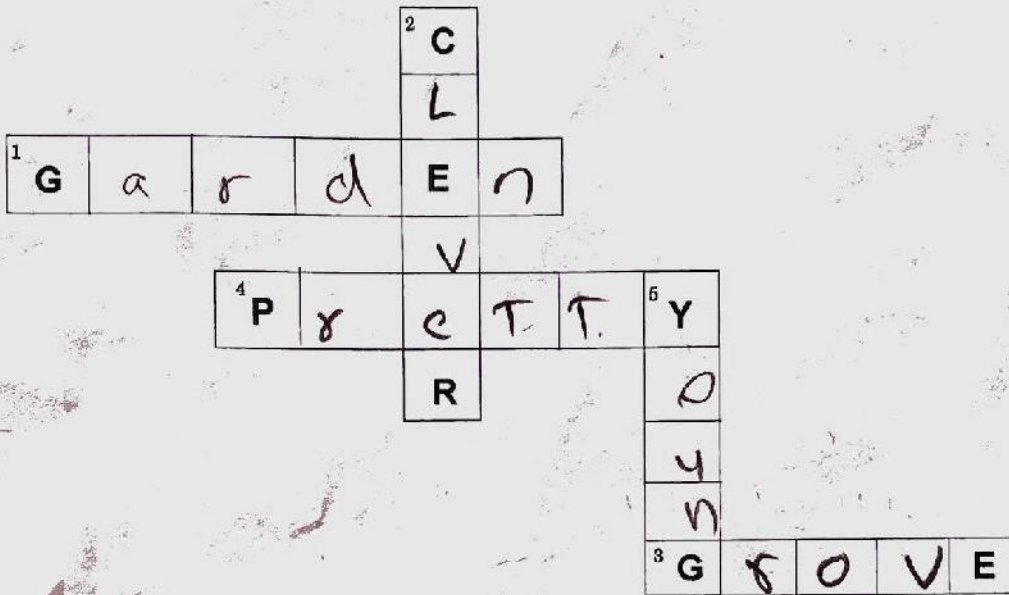
Activity IV Word Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Place near a house where flowers, fruits or vegetables are grown.
3. Group of trees.
4. Something large in quantity.

DOWN

2. Intelligent.
5. Opposite of 'Old'



Activity V Thoughts

Raja was missing. Grandfather was upset. The servants could not find Raja. Grandfather started walking up and down the courtyard. He became silent and started to pray. A lot of thoughts came to his mind. What would be the thoughts of Grandfather?

Write down the thoughts of Grandfather.



Activity VI Editing

Read the passage and edit the underlined words.

Durga hold a half coconut shell in his hands. She lowered it to show apu its contents - slices of tendar green mango before the had seed hardened.