

DOON PUBLIC SCHOOL BHUJ

Home Assignment

Dear students,

This is your home assignment which you have to complete in your English notebook as instructed. Complete both the chapters as well as Writing section in English notebook. In writing section, one paragraph has been given to you and the other one you have to write on your own. I wish you to have great time with your family during vacation. Take care and stay safe.

Sub: English

Class: IV

Ch-1 The Mystery of the Haunted House

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New words

1. overjoyed
2. enthusiastic
3. ancestral
4. haunted
5. delighted
6. shimmering
7. opinion
8. impatient
9. trembling
10. skinny
11. screech
12. shrieked
13. overheard
14. hesitantly
15. vague

Answer the following questions

Q1. What did Raja remember about Nandi from his last visit there as a small child?

Ans Raja remembered the long walks in the hills and boating in the Chandni river. He also remembered seeing a peacock.

Q2. What did Ajay plan to do in Nandi?

Ans Ajay planned to climb the mango tree and sit there all day eating mangoes.

Q3. Why did Lily tell Ajay to sleep on the tree?

Ans Lily jokingly told Ajay to sleep on the tree so that the ghost would keep him good company.

Q4. How did the family travel to Nandi?

Ans. The family travelled to Nandi by bus.

Q5. What tells you that they enjoyed the journey?

Ans. This sentence- The journey in the old bus was pleasant.

Q6. Describe the room on the first floor. Why was it kept locked?

Ans On the first floor, there were two large bedrooms and mirrors were fitted on the walls of both rooms. It was kept closed because the ghost was said to appear at night.

Q7. How did Raja plan to look for the ghost?

Ans. Raja planned to go to the first floor room with Gopal when Raja's parents went out in the evening.

Q8. What did the two boys see when they entered the room?

Ans. When they entered the room, they saw someone entering the room with a lantern.

Q9. When did Raja realize that there was no ghost in the room?

Ans. When the lantern in Gopal's hand shook, the light in the other room also started to swing. Then Raja realised that it was only their reflection in the mirror in the other room.

Q10. Why did the father tell the children that they would soon get fed up?

Ans. The father said that the house was old fashioned and there were no fans and electricity.

Q11. What made the people think that there was a ghost in the old house?

Ans. At night whenever anyone went to the first floor, they would see a reflection in the other room and think that it was a ghost.

Q12. Explain why Raja wanted to come back to Nandi every summer.

Ans. Raja wanted to come back every summer because the village was very cool and the surroundings were very beautiful.

Ch-2 Trees (Poem)

New words

1. Kindest
2. Bough
3. Halloween
4. Drowsy
5. Lullaby
6. Beams
7. Buds
8. Floats
9. Sleepy
10. Spread

Answer the following questions

Q1. List out the different uses of trees as described by the poet.

Ans. Trees give us shade, fruits, wood to build house and leaves to burn.

Q2. Complete the sentence given below.

Trees are the first to touch the rays of the sun.

Q3. What kind of feeling does the poem bring out in you?

Ans. It brings out a feeling of gratitude and wonder. We think of trees as nature's gift to us.

Q4. Pick out the rhyming words from the poem.

Ans. Know-grow, cows-boughs, Halloween-green, light-night, sky-lullaby, begun-sun.

Paragraph Writing

Q1. Write a paragraph on the given topic- Importance of Trees

Importance of Trees

Trees are a part and parcel of earthly life. Trees release oxygen which we need for our life. They also absorb the carbon-dioxide. Many living species live in trees. Trees form the natural habitat of many animals, birds and insects. They are the sources of the fruits and flowers. They offer us cool shade during summer. They prevent soil erosion and guard us against pollution. Thus, trees play an important role in our life. Felling of trees disturbs the eco-system. We should preserve trees and plants with great care.

Q2. Write a paragraph on the given topic using the clues given in the brackets.

Benefits of Morning Walk

(best form of exercise - refreshes mind – strengthens body – habit of rising early – love for nature – contact with beautiful surroundings – rising sun – chirping birds - fresh air – costs nothing – equally good for young and old)