

UNIT 1-EIADGAH (prose)

Class: VII

Subject: English

A. Choose the correct answer and fill in the blanks:

1. 'Finally the day had come'. Here the day refers to _____
- a. Pongal b. Christmas **c. Eid**
2. With their treasure, the boys would buy _____ in Eidgah.
- a. pens and pencils
- b. toys and rubber balls**
- c. chocolates and cakes
3. Hamid's friends are _____
- a. Mahmood, Mohsin, Noorey and Sammi.**
- b. Raghul, Preethi, Sam and Mufeed.
- c. Rani, Verghese, Sita and Zahir.
4. 'If only her son were there, it would have been a different kind of Eid'!
What had happened to her son?
- a. Her son had died.
- b. Her son had gone abroad.**
- c. Her son had gone on a tour.
5. Hamid was like one with wings on his feet. This means _____
- a. He ran fast. b. He ran slowly. **c. He was an angel.**

B. Tick the correct answer.

1. Hamid thought that his grandma would be pleased if he bought_____

- a. **a pair of tongs.** b. sweets for himself. c. toys.

2. Hamid's heart sank because the price of the tongs was _____ for him.

- a. **too high** b. too low c. affordable

3. 'My tongs are like a tiger among toys.' It means _____

- a. Hamid valued his toy.
b. **Hamid bought a tiger toy.**
c. Hamid wanted to exchange his toy.

4. Hamid's granny scolded him for buying iron tongs. Then she understood that Hamid had bought it _____

- a. out of compulsion.
b. **out of love and concern.**
c. out of interest.

Read and Understand

A. Answer the following questions.

1. What did Granny say about Hamid's parents?

Granny told that Hamid's father had gone to earn money and his mother had gone to Allah to get lovely gifts for Hamid.

2. Write about Hamid in one or two sentences.

Hamid was happy, four year poor and thin boy. His parents had died. He lived with his Granny.

3. How did Hamid's friends enjoy the games in the fair?

Hamid's friends mounted on the wooden horses and camels in the merry-go-round and enjoyed twenty five rounds of fun in the fairs.

4. What did Hamid buy at the fair? And for whom?

Hamid bought a pair of tongs at the fair for his granny.

5. Why did Granny scold Hamid?

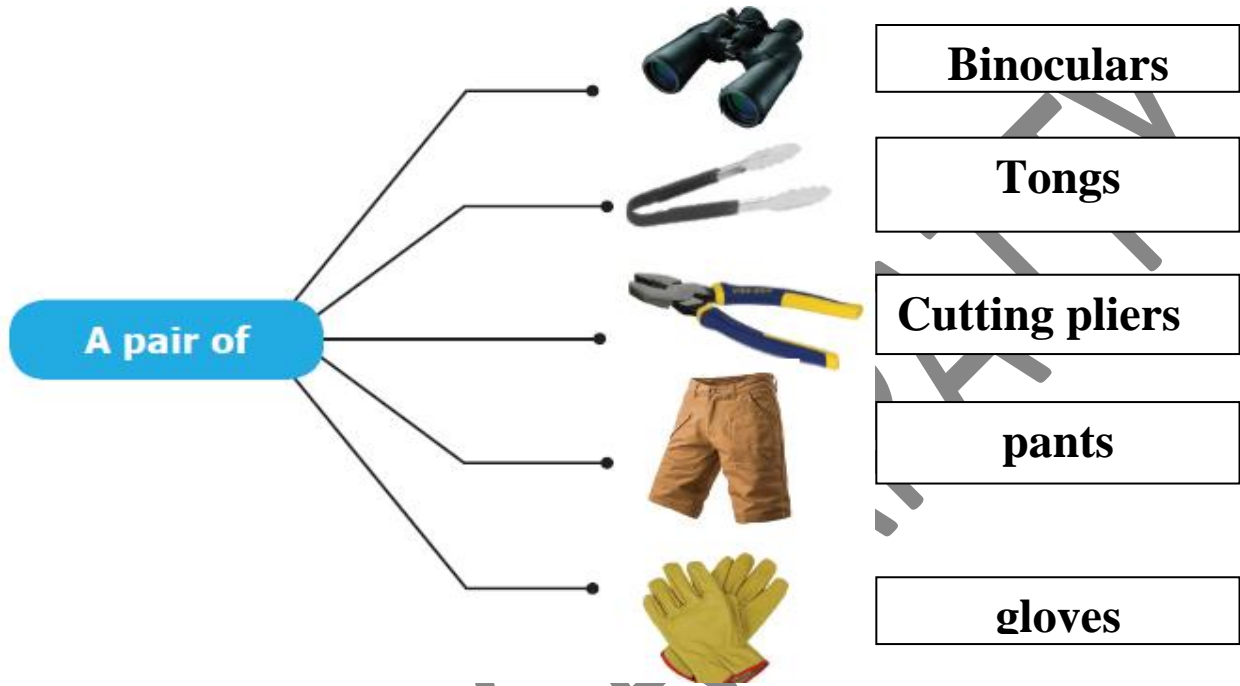
Granny scolded Hamid for not eating or drinking anything till almost noon.

B. Rearrange the jumbled sentences and write them in the correct order.

- But Hamid bought a pair of tongs. 4
- Granny Ameena felt proud of her grandson. 6
- Hamid's friends bought different toys of their choice. 3
- Hamid proudly compared his tongs with a brave tiger. 5
- Hamid had less money than his friends. 2
- Granny Ameena was worried as he had to go to the Eidgah alone. 1

VOCABULARY

C. Fill in the blanks with the help of the picture clues.



D. Who am I? (Use a pair of ...)

1. We wear this on our face to see clearly a pair of spectacles.
2. We wear this on our ears a pair of earrings.
3. We wear this on our face when it is sunny a pair of cooling glass.
4. We cut things with a pair of scissors.
5. We wear this on our feet a pair of shoes.

E. Add a suitable prefix or suffix and make new words.

- ship -hood un- after- -ion
- less - ful -ment im- -ous

Answer:

child <u>hood</u>	wonder <u>ful</u>
<u>after</u> noon	count <u>less</u>
relation <u>ship</u>	<u>im</u> patient
<u>un</u> happy	excite <u>ment</u>
danger <u>ous</u>	perfection <u>ion</u>

F. Match the following and write them in Column C

A	B
a cupful of	money
a bagful of	sugar
a spoonful of	coffee
a pocketful of	silver

Answer:

a cupful of coffee

a bagful of silver

a spoonful of sugar

a pocketful of money

G. Fill in the blanks with suitable words from the box.

[Cupful handful spoonful mouthful pocketful bagful]

1. The thieves came out of the house with a **bagful** of gold and silver.
2. My mother throws a **handful** of grains for the parrots every day.
3. He took a **mouthful** of the cake.
4. Ram takes a **cupful** of soup before food.

5. John added a **spoonful** of sugar to the lemon juice.
6. The child was happy with his **pocketful** of chocolates

H. Listen to the teacher read the passage. Read the questions given below. Then listen to the passage again and tick the correct answers.

1. The three boys went for bathing / **swimming** in the sea.
2. They watched the **waves** / dolphins tumbling towards the shore.
3. The gulls were flying over the sea / **oyster catchers**.
4. When the sea was **calm** / rough they would skim stones.
5. **Twenty six** / thirty six was Gopal's record.

USE GRAMMAR


J. Tick the correct option.

1. There are **many** (many/much) apples in the basket. Only **a few** (some / a few) are green.
2. There isn't **much** (many/much) traffic on Sundays.
3. There isn't **any** (some/ any) water in the glass.
4. There aren't **any** (some/any) eggs in the basket. But there are **a few** (much/a few) near it.

K. Fill in the blanks with some/ any/ much/ many. Some options can be used more than once.

1. There is some coffee left in the pot. Do you want?
2. Do you have any coins with you? I need some.
3. She asked me for some magazines, but I could not find any.
4. I can't carry the luggage any more. I need some help.
5. There are many places to visit but we don't have much time to visit them.

L. Describe Kandan's family in about 60 words using the pictures and clues given. One is done for you.



Kandan's grandmother is short and fat. She wears glasses. She likes to eat sweets.

short - fat - wears glasses - sweets



Kandan's elder brother is a foot ball player. He loves his brother. He wears a blue short

football player - loves his brother - blue



Kandan's Youngest sister has big eyes she likes pink dress.

youngest - big eyes - likes pink



Kandan's father is a tall man. He is a hard working person. He is the only bread winner in the family.

tall - hard working - bread winner



Kandan's mother is a kind lady. Her hobby is singing. She is also good in painting.

kind - hobby - painting

M. Read the telephonic conversation between Malar and Selvi. Malar needs to leave a message for her father.

Message

18-06-2020 (Date)

8:00AM (Time)

Dear Papa

Your colleague Mr. Ram will inform in your office that you will not be able to come to work for a few days, How is grandpa? Kindly take care of him well.

Your dear daughter

Rani.

O. Here are some words that express feelings. Read the situations and write the suitable one in the blanks.

[Anxious worried thankful excited dejected joyous proud]

1. Your mom made your favourite dinner. Joyous
2. You lost your geometry box, and someone returns it to you. Thankful
3. You are waiting for your exam results. Anxious
4. It is very late at night and your father hasn't returned from the office. Worried
5. You have won the first prize in the essay writing competition. Proud
6. The first day at school. Excited
7. You find it tough to learn a new language. Dejected

UNIT 1- THE COMPUTER SWALLOWED GRANDMA(POEM)

A. Read the poem aloud in pairs.

B. Read these lines and answer the questions given below.

1. The computer swallowed grandma.

Who swallowed Whom?

The computer swallowed grandma.

2. She pressed 'Control' and 'Enter' And disappeared from view.

How did Grandma disappear from view?

Grandma disappeared from the view on the computer screen when she pressed the control and the enter keys.

3. It devoured her completely.

Who does 'it' refer to?

It refers to the computer.

4. She must have caught a virus Or been eaten by a worm.

What happened to Grandma?

Grandma was affected by computer virus.

5. I've searched through the recycle bin And files of every kind; I've even used the Internet, But nothing did I find.

Where did the author search for grandma?

The author searched grandma in the recycle bin ,files and on the internet

C. Work in pairs. Read the last two stanzas of the poem and answer the following questions.

1. Who did the author ask for grandma?

The author asked Jeeves

2. Did the author get a positive reply?

No , the author did not get a positive reply.

3. What is the author's plea?

The author pleads to send grandma back to him by an email, if anyone sees her in their inbox.

D. Pick out the rhyming pairs and write them in the blanks given.

Stanza 2 - **squirm, worm**

Stanza 3 - **kind, find**

Stanza 4 - **Refine, online**

Stanza 5 - **see, me**

UNIT-1 ON MONDAY MORNING(SUPPLEMENTARY)

A. Name the speaker.

1. "No never mind. It'll be over by and by, maybe. Don't call anybody."

Tom sawyer

2. “It makes my flesh crawl to hear you. What is the matter?” Sid

3. “Your tooth indeed! What’s the matter with your tooth?” Aunt polly

B. Write True or False against each statement.

1. Tom enjoyed Monday mornings as he had to go to school. False

2. Tom’s first groan woke up Sid from his sound sleep. False

3. Tom wanted to give his dog with one eye to the new girl who had come to town. False

4. Aunt Polly sent Sid to fetch the dentist. False

C. Read the following passage and answer the questions.

Tom lay thinking. Presently it occurred to him that he wished he was sick; then he could stay home from school. He examined himself. He found no symptoms or sickness, and he investigated again. This time he felt he had a stomach ache, but it soon grew feeble, and presently died wholly away. He reflected further.

1. Why did Tom wish that he were sick?

He wished he was sick; then he could stay home from school.

2. What was the result of Tom’s self-examination?

He found no symptoms or sickness, and he investigated again.

3. What did he detect?

He detected he had a stomach ache.

D. Think and answer

1. How did Sid show his affection towards Tom?

Tom's groans made Sid's flesh to crawl. When he thought that Tom was dying and flew to call Aunt Polly quickly.

2. Did Aunt Polly believe Tom's groaning? Why?

No, she didn't believe Tom's groaning.

3. What did Aunt Polly do to relieve Tom's toothache?

Aunt Polly pulled out his loose tooth to relieve his toothache.

E. Choose the correct answer.

1. Tom pretended his toe was dying in order to _____

- a. miss school. b. scare Sid. c. make Aunt Polly feel bad.

2. Aunt Polly pulled Tom's tooth out with _____

- a. her fingers. b. a pair of pliers. c. a piece of thread.

3. Tom was miserable on Monday morning because _____

a. he was sick. **b. he hated going to school.** c. Aunt Polly was sick.

H. Give a relationship term for the clues given.

1. Siblings – **a brother or a sister**
2. kith and kin – **friends and relatives**
3. a chip of the old block – **similar to father or mother**
4. two peas in a pod – **twins similar in appearance**
5. bread winner – **the family member who earns money to support the family**
6. fore fathers – **an ancestor or a member of the past generations of one's family.**

I. Arrange the words according to their degrees of meaning.

1. Eager, thrilled, excited **excited, thrilled, eager**
2. Shiny, glow, dazzling **glow, shiny, dazzling**
3. Small, tiny, minute **small, tiny, minute**
4. Guffaw, smile, laugh **smile, laugh, Guffaw**

J. Think and Answer

1. X and Y are parents to Z. But Z is not the son of X. Then what is Z to X? Daughter

2. Meera's brother is tSSSShe father of Aakash. Then how is Aakash related to Meera? Aunt

AAMS KOSAVAPATTY