UNIT: Jack and the Beanstalk

CLASS : VIII

SUBJECT : ENGLISH (PLAY)

A. True or false.

The magic beans grew into a huge beanstalk.
 The beanstalk reached high into the sky in the evening.
 Everything is so big in the castle.
 True
 The hen laid a perfect iron egg.
 Jack picked up the Giant's hen.

True

True

B. Fill in the blanks.

- 1. The Giant smells the blood of an Englishman.
- 2. Jack asked his mom for an axe.
- 3. Jack chopped down the beanstalk.
- 4. As soon as the giant was full, he fell fast asleep.

C. Answer the following questions.

1. Why was Jack's mother angry?

Jack's mother was angry because she thought he was foolish in getting five magic beans for their cow.

- 2. Why was Jack surprised when reaching the sky?

 The wild beanstalk, that grew sky high and huge, surprised Jack
- 3. What did Jack find when he reached the top?

 Jack found a huge castle when he reached the top of the beanstalk.
- 4. What did Jack see in the castle?

 Jack saw a giant in the castle. Everything was so big in the castle.
- 5. What did the Giant eat for meal?

The giant ate five sheep for his meal. He also had a golden egg from a hen.

6. Where did Jack hide when he saw the Giant?

Jack hid himself in a cupboard.

7. What did Jack intend to take when the Giant asleep?

Jack intended to take away the hen that laid a golden egg, when the giant was asleep.

8. What did the hen do when Jack picked it up?

The hen squawked and tried to fly when jack picked it up.

9. What did Jack do when the Giant woke up?

Jack hurried and climbed down the beanstalk as fast as he could, when the giant woke up.

10. Why did Jack ask for an axe?

Jack asked for an axe to cut down the beanstalk, on which the giant was climbing down.

Punctuation

- A) Punctuate the following sentences. (Text Book Page No. 223)
- 1. I like playing with my friends sandy sunny sameer I like playing with my friends, Sandy, Sunny, Sameer.
- 2. we went through the smoky mountains, near shimla on our way to leh We went through the smoky mountains, near Shimla on our way to Leh.
- 3. my favourite soap is pears and my favourite toothpaste is pepsodent. My favourite soap is Pear and my favourite toothpaste is Pepsodent.
- 4. my friend Priya speaks German and she is teaching me some words
 My friend Priya speaks German and she is teaching me some words.
- 5. He was honest sincere hardworking He was honest, sincere, hard-working.
- 6. Hindus Muslims Sikhs Christians live together in India Hindus, Muslims, Sikhs, Christians live together in India.
- 7. long ago in a town in Switzerland there lived a famous man called William Long ago in a town in Switzerland there lived a famous man called William.
- 8. Akbar the greatest of the Mughal emperors ruled wisely Akbar, the greatest of the Mughal Emperors, ruled wisely.
- 9. Tanya said to Ilarahul is a nice guy
 Tanya said to Ilarahul, "Babu is a nice guy."
- 10. when is your birthday When is your birday?

[Period (.) Comma (,) Exclamation Mark (!) Question Mark (?) Inverted Commas (" ")]

- B) Write the correct punctuation mark that best completes each sentence.
- 1. Where is an exciting place to visit ?
- 2. Make sure to complete all your homework on time •
- 3. Priya asked," when are we going on a vacation?"
- 4. Terry Sam and Jeremy went to the movies together •

- 5. Wow! What a wonderful event •
- 6. I am so excited to see my family for Christmas •
- 7. What day of the week is your favourite?
- 8. You need to do your homework right after dinner.
- 9. Please take out the trash when you get home $\underline{\ }$
- 10. My favorite team won the game •
- 11. What did you want to eat for lunch ?
- 12. I had a great time at your party •
- 13. Do you know what time it is ?
- 14. How do we get to the amusement park?
- 15.1 can't wait to go on summer vacation •

