

CLASSROOM CARNIVAL

Worksheet - III (Chapter 9 to 12)

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A. Multiple Choice Questions. Tick (✓) the correct option:

1. What kind of a dog did the old couple look after?
(a) Loyal (b) Funny (c) Silly
2. Who killed the dog?
(a) The couple (b) The daimyo (c) Neighbour
3. What did the young man repeatedly say to Father William?
(a) I fear for you (b) You are old (c) Be off
4. What was the task assigned to Jim?
(a) Whitewashing the fence (b) Fetching water in a pail
(c) Keeping an eye on Tom
5. Which among these personalities inspired Kalpana Chawla?
(a) JRD Tata (b) Warren Buffet (c) Nelson Mandela

B. Answer the following questions.

1. How did the old couple treat their dog?
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2. Describe the physical characteristics of Father William based on what you read.
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3. What important lesson did Tom learn from the whole incident?
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4. How did Kalpana prepare to be an astronaut right from her childhood?
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C. Answer the questions in reference to the context.

1. **“Quick, wife, hand me the spade and hoe!”**

(a) Whose words are these?
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(b) For what purpose does he ask for a spade and a hoe?
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(c) What does he find upon digging? Did he get what he was hoping for?
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2. **“Do you think I can listen all day to such stuff?**

Be off, or I’ll kick you downstairs!”

(a) Whose words are these?
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(b) What does ‘stuff’ refer to here?
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(c) What can you tell about Father William based on these lines?
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3. **“And besides, if you will I’ll show you my sore toe.”**

(a) Whose words are these and to whom is it addressed?
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(b) What task does the speaker refer to in ‘if you will’?
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(c) Did the other person get a chance to see the sore toe? What happened?
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4. **“She was a heroine. It takes enormous ability to become an astronaut. You need to know a lot about everything.”**

(a) Whose words are these?
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(b) Why does the person say ‘was’ and why is she referred to as a ‘heroine’?
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(c) What are the qualities and knowledge that an astronaut needs?
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D. Mark the statements from 1 to 7 in the order they happened.

1. Ben remarks to Tom that he was going to swim.

2. Tom was rolling in wealth.

3. Aunt Polly drove Jim away.

4. Tom persuades Jim to whitewash while he’d go and fetch water instead.

5. Billy Fischer parted with his kite so that he might whitewash.
6. Aunt Polly instructed Tom to whitewash the fence on Saturday.
7. Ben offers Tom his apple for a chance to whitewash the fence.

E. Fill in the blanks with the correct tense of the verbs:

1. John usually (**drink**) tea in the morning, but today he (**drink**) coffee.
2. By this time next year he (**complete**) the construction of his office.
3. Time and tide (**wait**) for none.
4. He (**love**) her for two years now, but he (**not propose**) to her yet.
5. A good player (**practice**) every day.

F. Underline the stressed word in the sentences below and also mention the emotion involved in each sentence.

1. He's here!
2. Is that where you live?
3. Stop that and sit down!
4. What a terrible noise!
5. He's insane to give up that offer!
6. How nice of you to bring me a gift!

G. Identify the stressed syllable in each of the below words.

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| 1. whitewash | 2. marvel | 3. thimble | 4. melancholy |
| 5. bandage | 6. expedition | 7. discouraged | 8. alacrity |

H. Listen to a few lines about Kalpana Chawla and answer whether the statements below are true or false.

1. Kalpana Chawla was born on 17 March 1963.
2. She completed her bachelor's engineering degree in Chandigarh.
3. Kalpana earned a master's degree in mechanical engineering at the University of Texas.
4. Kalpana joined the NASA in 1988.
5. Kalpana's first space mission was in the year 1997.
6. She spent 372 hours in space during her first trip.
7. Kalpana's second space trip was on 29 January 2003.
8. The name of the space shuttle was Columbia.