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Realization of True Knowledge

Sonu came from school and told his father, that they were told in school about forthcoming Diwali festival and how to celebrate it. On being asked by his father he told that they wear new clothes, light lamps, decorate the house, eat sweets, worship and have holidays. Father further enquired if they were told something else about Diwali. Sonu answered that they were also told, this is the day of victory of truth over falsehood. Shri Ram returned to Ayodhya and the people welcomed him by lighting lamps and distributing sweets etc. Father said why he acted to contrary. Sonu answered that they all overcome truth and the truth itself becomes helpless. Truth goes unheard.

Hearing this, father was stunned and made Sonu understand lovingly that truth

is the light of knowledge which enlightens the life of people who come in its contact. One who lights the lamp he gets the light as well as brings light to others. The darkness disperses and everything can be seen clearly. Truth prevails; truth is immortal, ever lasting and indestructible. Truth remains the same in all times. The realization of truth is called knowledge. One who realizes this phenomenon gets filled with inner light and sees everything in a clear way.

Dear friends! We have to enlighten our inner-self. This world is only our reflection. If we want we can beautify it more by keeping our houses, cities as well as our minds clean and pure. Let us always translate the feeling of truth in our lives, then we don't have to wait for Diwali, every day will be Diwali. To impart this true knowledge, the Annual Nirankari Sant Samagam is being celebrated on 19-21st November in Delhi. We must enlighten our minds and souls and see the formless God in form and make our lives worthy.

—Vimlesh Ahuja •



Let Me Play

I'm a child I want to play,
Morning, evening, night and day
But my mummy and my teacher
Tell me often, " Don't play ",
Read and read, and read and read
Go to tuition, do your home-work,
Waste no time in fun and play".
My dear God, I want to pray
With heart and soul I beg to say
Let me live like a child
Let me have my time to play





Maternal Uncle's Counsel

Story:

Kanchan Sharma

During summer break Rahul came to his maternal uncle's house. He used to play throughout the day in open fields. There was a mango garden near the fields. Rahul was delighted by the sweet voice of the Cuckoo throughout the day. Rahul couldn't find all this in the city. A cool breeze in the summer evenings made Rahul chirpy.

Rahul studied in 5th Std. He brought his school bag also along with to finish his home-work. A cool breeze was blowing that day. After doing home-work for some

time, Rahul thought of playing. He immediately started taking out pages from his school note-books, prepared paper planes and started flying.

"Hey, hey, look!" Rahul started shouting in enthusiasm while flying the paper planes. Since the paper planes prepared had already finished, as Rahul started tearing pages further, his maternal uncle reached home from the office.

"Oh Rahul! Stop! What are you doing?" As uncle asked Rahul to stop taking pages, Rahul got perplexed.



“What happened, uncle?” Rahul asked.

“Dear son! Why are you tearing this note-book?” Uncle asked.

“I am preparing paper planes.” Rahul replied.

“My dear, you should not do like that. See how many pages you have wasted. Do you know that many children cannot go to school because they do not get note-books and pencils for writing.” The maternal uncle told Rahul taking him in his lap.

Rahul started listening to his uncle silently. The uncle while giving chocolate to Rahul said, “These green trees in the village that give you happiness here are responsible for producing paper. Just think, if you and other children keep on flying new papers in the air without performing any other job, it will be a big loss to the environment.”

“But uncle, we children play like this only, sometimes by making paper planes and other times paper boats.” Rahul spoke while taking chocolate.

“This is what wrong you people do. We also used to play with papers, but that was from used note-books from our previous class. Not only this, but

we used to use our previous class note-books for rough work in our next class. Our teacher used to punish us if anyone of us misused the paper.” The uncle advised Rahul.

“This is very useful thing you have told me uncle. It’s really a loss to the nature that so many note-books we waste every year.” Rahul said to his uncle seriously.

“That’s there, but when we sell these used note-books to scrap dealer, who sells it in turn to a recycling factory, where the used paper is recycled and circulated in the market and is cheaper too, it doesn't go waste.” When uncle told this, Rahul astonishingly said, “Yes, uncle! My teacher was also telling me about recycling. This means that we should purchase recycled paper only. It’s cheaper and at the same time practical also. Now, I shall stop all the children from doing so and advise them accordingly.”

“Bravo! This is what I want. Take some old newspapers, make planes and fly in the air, higher and higher.” The uncle said happily and Rahul ran dancing to the corridor to fly the planes. Uncle’s advice was fruitful.





Sant Samagam

After celebration of ongoing festivals of Dussehra and Diwali that mark the victory of truth over evil, there lies ahead a unique international 69th Annual Nirankari Sant Samagam in Delhi fixed for November, 19 to 21.

Dear children, you must all be preparing yourselves for this spiritual mega-event, as you have been doing in the past. Needless to say, none of you would miss the occasion, but would rather inspire your friends as well as the neighbours too to avail this opportunity of attaining spiritual bliss.

So, welcome to the Samagam. As usual, lakhs of saints from all over the world would grace the occasion. On entering the celebration ground, there would be attractive Nirankari Exhibition depicting the ideology and history of the Mission. The establishment of tentage spread in vast grounds will illuminate the

venue like a town that would accommodate the visiting devotees. All sorts of civic amenities are provided all over the samagam premises. The arrangement of community meal and canteens is also well made at the venue.

Patrika Vibhag will have a special enclosure in the celebration ground to enrol subscribers for the Nirankari Magazines. The Vibhag will also release a Samagam Souvenir on 'Satguru' which will be special attraction for the devotees.

There will be revealing lectures from a galaxy of saints across the country and overseas. The enlightening discourses of Her Holiness Satguru Mata Savinder Hardev Ji Maharaj will be there on all the three days. You will miss a lot if you miss the Samagam. ●



SAMPURAN AVTAR BANI

Ik Tu Hi Nirankar - 122

REHNDA KACHI KULLI ANDAR RUKHI MISSI KHANDA EY;
 SARA DIN MAZOORI KARDA PAATE KAPDE PANDA EY.
 KOI NAHIN USDA ADAR KARDA JITHE VI OH JANDA EY;
 DHAN ROOP TON HEENA EY TE NAHIN KISE NOON BHANDA EY.
 KOI NA SANGI SATHI USDA KOI NA RISHTEDAR BANE;
 KAHE AVTAR DUNIA DA RAJA JE RAB NAL PIAR BANE.

Gist : Thou Formless One

No matter if one lives in a thatched hut and has frugal meals;

No matter if one does manual labour the whole day and wears torn clothes.

No matter if one does not find respect wherever one goes;

No matter if one does not possess wealth and physical charm and is not liked by anyone.

No matter if none is his friend, companion or relative;

Avtar says, even such a person can be the king of the world, if he loves God.





SELF-SUFFICIENCY

Story: Anju Ahirwar

Greatest Human Quality

Once, a king in disguise used to make rounds of his kingdom to know the welfare of his people. Once, while passing through a village, he saw an old and weak wood-cutter carrying load of wood on his head. The king felt pity on his weak physique. He said to the wood-cutter, "Baba, you have grown so old, still you do so much labour. Don't you feel stressed?"

The wood-cutter replied- "What stress? What for the God has given me these two hands? These have been given for doing labour only and if I don't do labour, how would I survive?" The king said, "Why don't you take someone's help?"

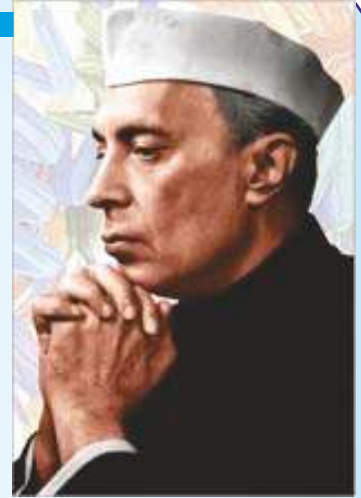
The wood-cutter said, "I am a poor man, neither, I have a son nor a daughter. After all who will help me?"

The king asked, "Don't you know that the king of this kingdom helps the



Children's Day

We celebrate children's Day on 14th, November. It happens to be the birthday of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, the first Prime Minister of India. He loved children dearly and was lovingly called 'chacha Nehru'. We all know chacha (paternal uncle) is very fond of his nieces and nephews, so was he. The children are the future of a country and they should have all the virtues of a good human being. Panditji wore a jacket which is called 'Nehru Jacket' after him. It still rules the fashion world and goes well with Indian as well as western outfits. A rose was always tucked in the button hole of the jacket. It stands for delicacy and fragrance. The children are delicate and fragrant like flowers. They should be nurtured and handled with love.



Written by : Ankita Rai

→ poor and the needy by providing them the money?"

The wood-cutter said, "I know, I know it well but so long as there is strength in my body, why should I depend on the mercy of the king. It is against my principles to depend upon others."

The king was impressed with the self-respect, self-dependence and hard-working attitude of the old man.

The king said, Alas! had there been more such self-dependent people in my kingdom, half the problems of the king would have been

solved. Then he could have devoted more time to plan for the welfare of his people, and there would have been manpower and resources available to work on those plans. Our empire would definitely have progressed much more.

Self-sufficiency is the greatest quality of a person, he leads his life fearlessly. Self-sufficient or self-dependent person is the greatest asset to him-self and the society. Such a person instead of taking help from others, renders it to them.





Grandpa

Story & Illustration


— Ajay Kalara

Once a goat lived with her kid in a forest. His name was Golu. He was very naughty.

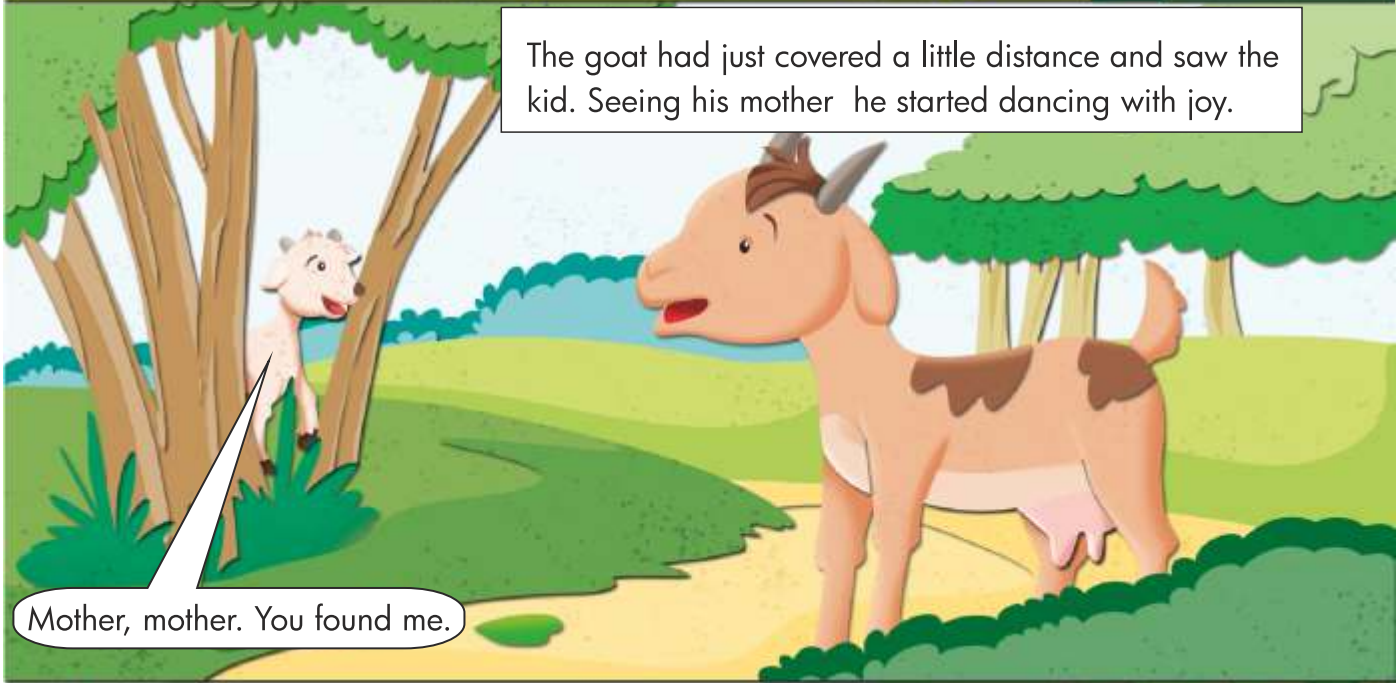


He liked playing a lot. One day while playing it went towards the forest.



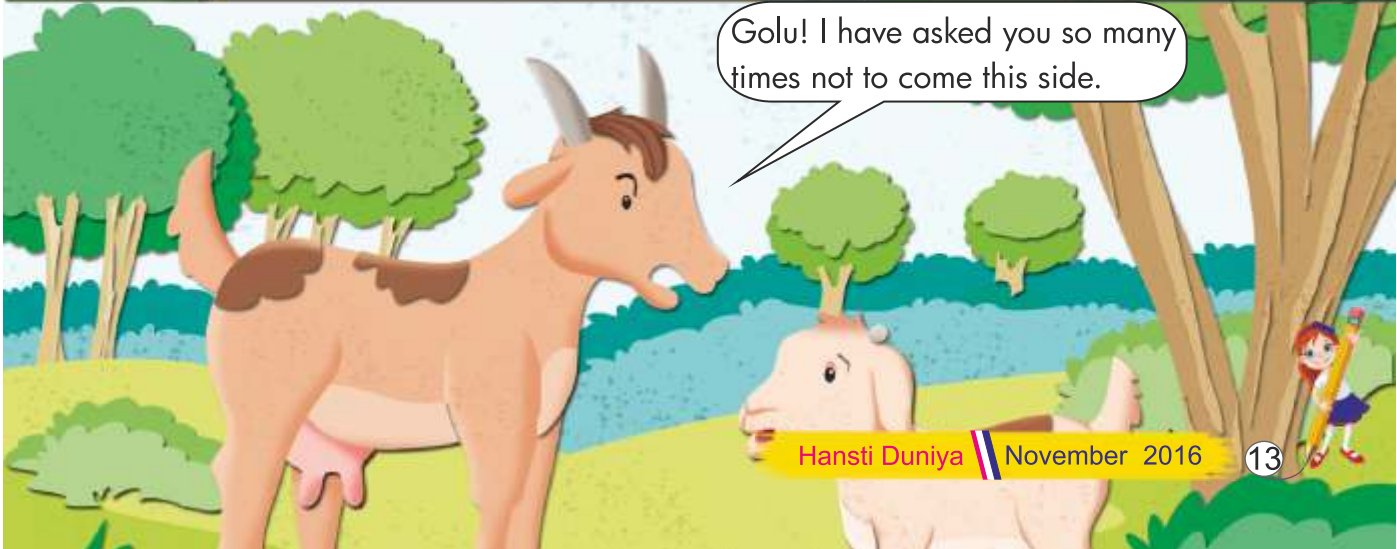


When the goat did not see the kid outside, she got worried. She quickly ran towards the forest. She was scared that Golu might go towards the forest where many wild animals are always on the lookout for a prey.



The goat had just covered a little distance and saw the kid. Seeing his mother he started dancing with joy.

Mother, mother. You found me.



Golu! I have asked you so many times not to come this side.

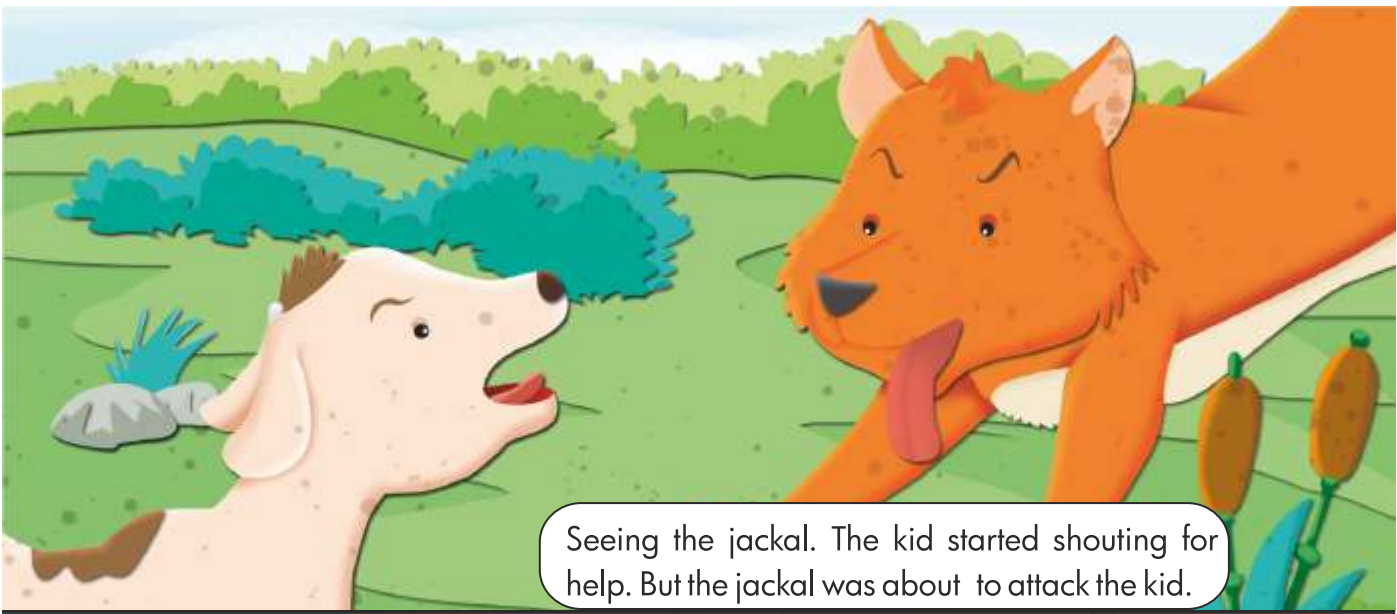


But Golu would not listen. The next day he again went towards the forest ignoring the mother's warning.



As soon as he entered the forest, a jackal saw him. Seeing the kid alone, the jackal went towards it quickly.

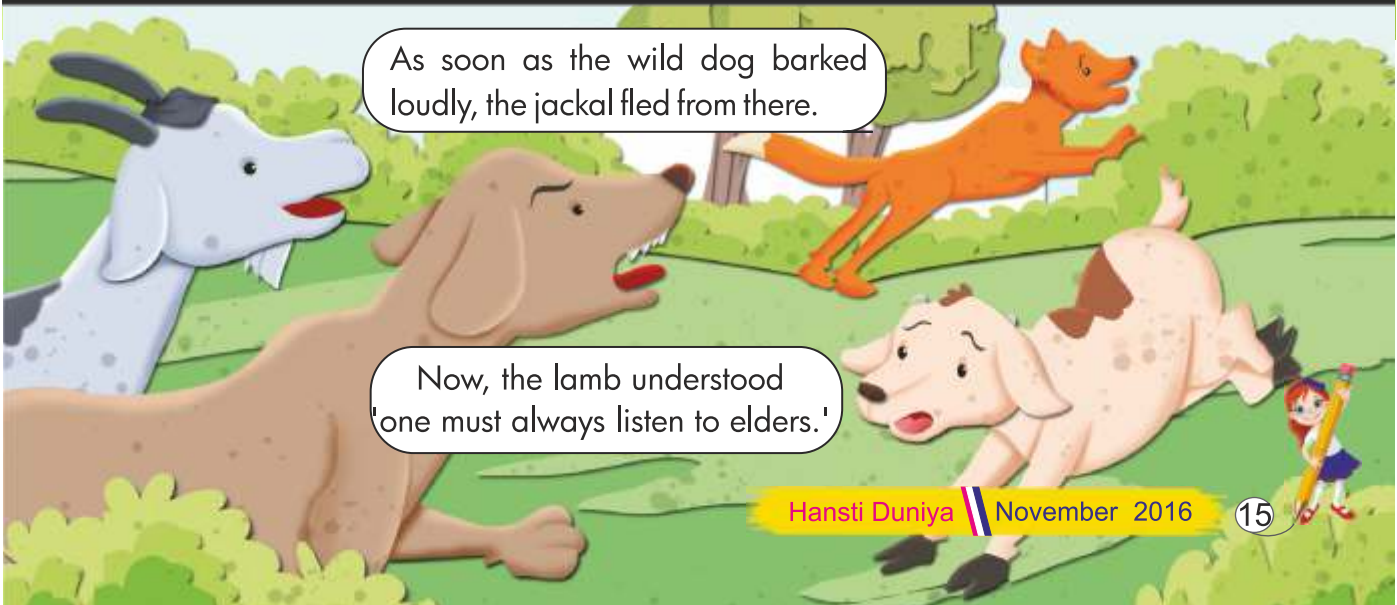




Seeing the jackal. The kid started shouting for help. But the jackal was about to attack the kid.



As he ran to attack, the goat reached there with her friends. One jackal was also her friend. He also reached there.



As soon as the wild dog barked loudly, the jackal fled from there.

Now, the lamb understood 'one must always listen to elders.'

Improve your



Choose the right option –

1. What is the plural of Zoo?
a) ZOOS b) ZOO
2. The criminal can easily be recognised by the _____ scar on his cheek.
a) CURABLE b) NOTICEABLE
3. I, WE, YOU, HE, SHE and THEY are examples of Subject Pronouns.
a) TRUE b) FALSE
4. The thieves tried to come _____ through the back door but it was locked.
a) OVER b) IN
5. Which one of the two is a synonym of ODOUR ?
a) SMELL b) DISORDER
6. Grandpa could not hear, so he turned _____ his hearing aid.
a) UP b) DOWN
7. As a witness in the court, you have to be _____ in your statement.
a) SHORT b) EXACT
8. Three forms of verb:
Present: ARISE, Past: AROSE, Past Participle: _____
a) AROSE b) ARISEN

Answer Sheet	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8



Judge your position from the table given below:
 All correct – Excellent Grammar
 5 – 7 correct – Average Grammar
 Below 5 correct – Go through the Grammar book everyday.



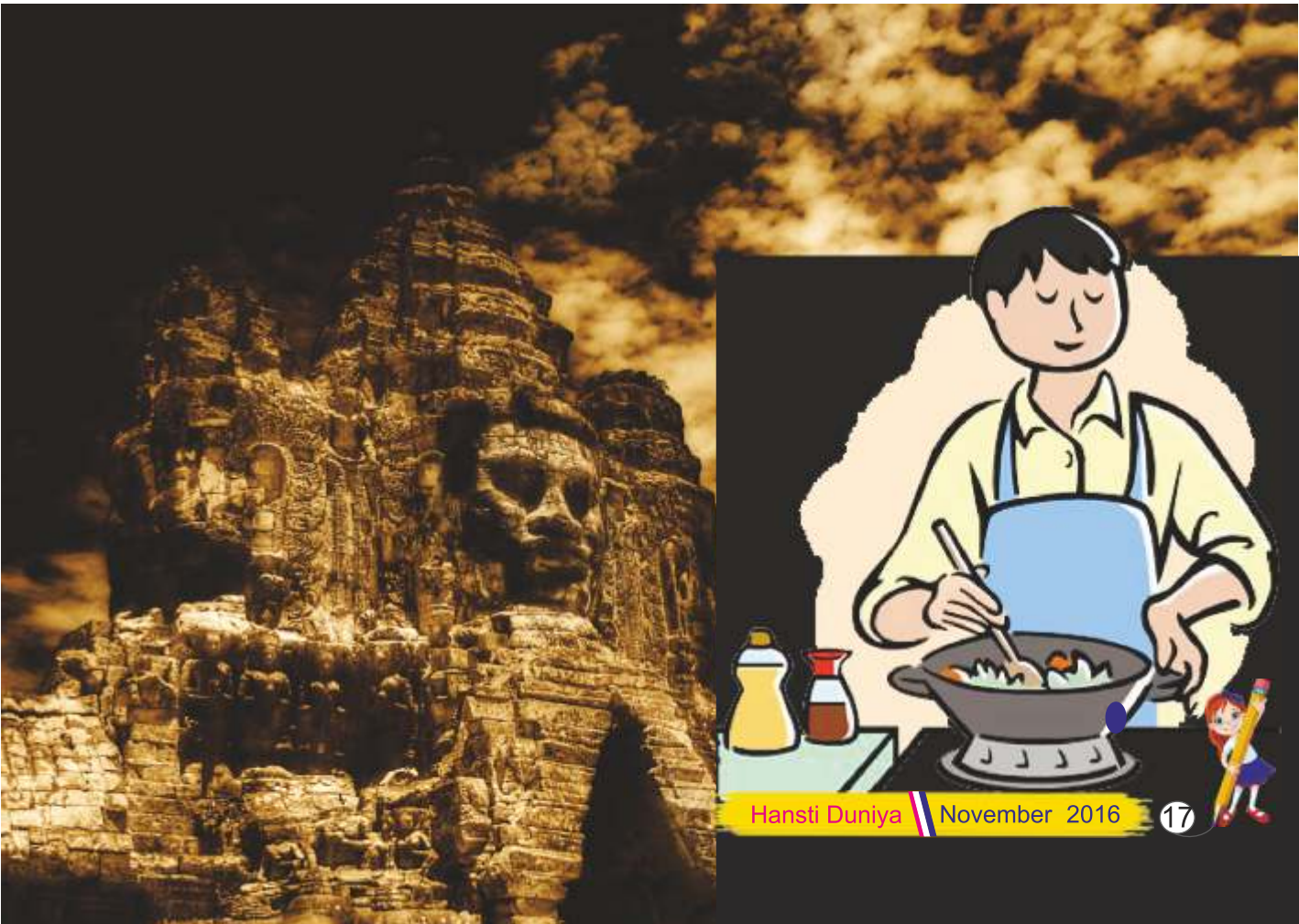
Love of Motherland

A painter from Japan came to Sarnath with the purpose of sketching important incidents of the life of Bhagwan Buddha. The whole day, he was immersed in depicting the incidents of Buddha on walls. In the evening he used to cook rice, dal and potato in a pan to prepare khichadi for himself.

One day a Buddha-disciple saw him mixing few grains of rice from a box to the rice preparing for self. The disciple said, "Is there something special in these grains of rice that you have mixed from the box?"

The painter said, 'Dear, these rice grains are grown in my country, Japan.' I consider these to be the sacred grains of my motherland, so I mix these to my food daily. This way I feel myself connected to my motherland.

Buddha-disciple was amazed to see the love of the Japanese painter for his motherland.



The Fourth Largest Sea of the World

Aral Sea (almost dry)

— Kamal Sogani

The fourth largest sea of the world is 'Aral sea.' But 93% of the sea has now dried, and in the coming decade it will dry completely. In other words, the age of this sea is complete.

This sea is situated in Kizilkum desert between Kazakistan and Uzbekistan in central Asia. This sea has completed 55lac years of its age.

However, in the beginning decade of the year 1900, it used to be the fourth largest sea of the world. According to Phillip Maclin of Western Michigan University, in 1960 decade, the Aral Sea completely dried due to the project of diversion of main river 'Amudaria' to Caspian Sea under the Soviet Union water diversion project. The reason for this is the slowing down of the



Answers:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
A	B	A	B	A	A	B	B

Q.No. Explanation

1. The plural of Zoo is ZOOS, not ZOO.
2. NOTICEABLE is something that is very obvious or easy to see. CURABLE means that can be cured.
3. It is true that I, HE, SHE, YOU, WE and THEY are examples of Subject Pronouns.
4. COME IN means to enter and COME OVER means to visit.
Example: The children promised to come over but they never do.
5. The synonym of ODOUR is SMELL, not DISORDER.
6. The phrasal verb TURNED UP means to raise the volume and TURNED DOWN means to reject.
Example: He applied for a promotion twice this year but he was turned down both times.
7. EXACT means correct in every detail. Being exact is necessary for a witness in the court.
8. Here, the three forms of verb are ARISE, AROSE, ARISEN.

snow deposits on the mountains, the melting of which was the source of water in the Aral Sea. The experts fear that after 8-10 years this sea will completely extinct.

After getting dried up, this sea will acquire the status of a big and deep ditch of the world. There was a time when there used to be a huge number of water animals in it and the scene of rising waves was very attractive.

If the weather changed its approach and there remained the possibility of good rain or snow-fall, then this sea can again come to its existence after some four decades.

For the time being, drying of a sea is a setback for the environment also, because this sea was a source of water for millions of tree-plants and now these tree-plants will also start drying up in the absence of water.





1		2		3		4
5	6		7		8	
9						
10		11		12		13
14						

Left to Right →

Up - Down ↓

1. Name of the oldest Veda.
5. An infectious viral disease causing fever and a red rash, typically occurring in childhood.
9. A radioactive substance having the symbol 'U'.
10. Singular of Trollies.
14. The capital of Thailand.

1. A male sheep shown in that DIAGRAM.
2. An Indian state hidden in this sentence: Bhagyesh sold seven goats.
3. Name of a fish made by using alphabets E, L and E.
4. A domestic animal hidden in PASSPORT.
6. A synonym of MISTAKE.
7. The writer of the book 'Sunny days' is _____Gavaskar.
8. He tried to _____ the security men by sneaking through a back door.
10. The word that comes first in the dictionary: TUG, TWO, TUB.
11. Belonging to oneself in TOWN hall.
12. The basic monetary unit of Albania. (LEK/LEP)
13. A kind of Tibetan ox covered with long silky hair.



Shipping Canals

—Harjit Nishad

Kiel- This canal shortens the mileage between London and Baltic ports by about 250 miles. This was opened in 1895 and is 61 miles long with depth of 40ft. It links North Sea with Baltic sea. Germany, which is cut off from the main sea, depends for navigation on this canal.

Panama- This canal constructed above sea-level with locks, has linked the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans with Colon and Panama ports on the coastal ends respectively. The credit for the engineering feat goes to U.S.A .

This has shortened the distance by 6000 miles between London and San Francisco. 9,000 miles between New York And San Francisco , and upto 4000 miles between New York and Japan.

It is 50.72 miles long, 500 ft wide and about 45 feet deep and was opened in 1914. Lately, there has been a dispute between U.S.A and Panama , and there is a proposal to construct an alternative canal. ●



—S.S. Randhawa



Pandamonium

The giant panda may have been taken off the endangered species list . but the black and white bear still faces plethora of risks including climate change. Chinese breeding centres say.

Global Warming Risk

Bamboo reserves were first established in China only in 1992, and there are now 67, protecting nearby 70% of the 1.4 million hectares of wild bamboo forest, according to the Forestry Administrates .

But with climate change, more than a third of bamboo forests could disappear within 80years, the ICUN warns. The plant itself can be a risk factor, with a life cycle that sees our flowering and dying off every 20 to 40 years-and they can take years to start re growing.

What's so special about Pandas

Anti-social with a highly developed sense of smell. Used to buy makes to avoid each other.

Insatiable appetite for bamboo

Eats 12 hours a day

Adult requires 12.5 kg of bamboo daily

Sometimes eats birds and rodents

A sixth finger used for holding bamboo stalks

Developed from an adapted wrist bone.

Where they are found Climate change threatens 35percent of its habitat with destruction within 80 years.

Excellent mountain climbers

Known to climb up to 3900m. They are also skilled swimmers and good tree climbers.

Appeal of the panda

Why conservationists choose the panda logo-

Beauty and universal appeal

Endangered status

Good impact in black and white, this saving printing costs.



Flying Carpet

Just like Aladdin's carpet a small carpet has taken a flight in Preston University laboratory. This carpet is made of plastic instead of wool. This carpet has been made by Noah Jafferis who has been doing PhD in physics. According to Noah it has taken two years to complete this carpet. This moves with changes in unwanted waves coming in electric current. These changes are called ripple power. Sensor has been applied to it. At present it cannot fly high from the earth level.

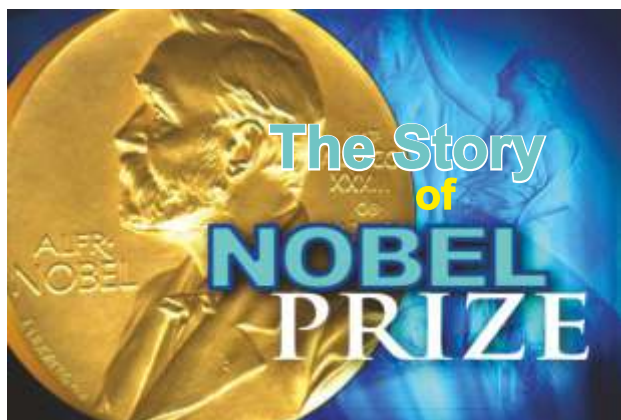
An electronic device has been kept on the earth which generates current. The plastic on the carpet is the mediator

of electricity. The carpet takes the flight due to changes in the waves of current in the device. Lakshmi Narayan Mahadevan of Harvard University wrote an article in 2007. This article was published in "Physical Review Letters." Taking inspiration from this, Noah determined to make this carpet.

According to scientists, this can be utilised for studies on Mars. They are now trying to fly a bigger size carpet with the help of solar energy. At present, it is difficult for the people to sit on such a bigger carpet. It will be necessary to have 50 meter wings on both sides of this carpet.



One day a man saw his obituary in the newspaper. He was shocked thinking 'I am very much alive'. The heading of the obituary read 'The



merchant and prince of death dies'. That man was Alfred Nobel a Swedish chemist, engineer, businessman known for inventing dynamite a destructive thing.

So, he was called the prince of death. This made him introspect "Will I be remembered this way after my

death" It shook him rudely. After reading the premature obituary which condemned him for making money from sales of arms. He bequeathed his fortunes to institute the Nobel prize. He turned a new leaf in his life. He became a philanthropist

Indians Nobel Laureates

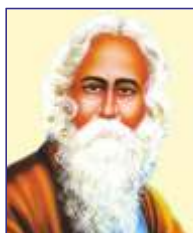
1913 Rabindranath Tagore Literature

1930 C.V.Raman Physics

1979 Mother Teresa Peace

1998 Amartya Sen Economic Studies

2014 Kailash Satyarthi Peace



Positivity

FAIL-

Never feel defeated if you fail.

FAIL-means

First Attempt in Learning.

END-

End is not end but it means

Effort Never Dies.

NO-

If you get a no, it means

Next Opportunity.

So, Always be Positive.

Three things are important in life.

- Truth
- Contentment
- Contemplation

Written by : Sunil Nagpal, Delhi



Eagles Vs Drones

Compiled by : Anjali, Delhi

After months of tests Dutch police will be the world's first force to train and employ an army of eagles after centuries old skill of falconry against the modern day scourge of unauthorized drones recruited. American bald eagles showed 80% success rate in training.

Eyesight: Four times sharper than human perfect vision. Can spot a fish from 1.6kilometeres.

Beak : Hooked for tearing flesh. Upper mandible overlaps lower to create scissor effect.

Wings: Upto 2.4 m across . Known to fly higher than 3,000m

Feet : Main killing tools for powerful talons on each foot, up 6 cm long.

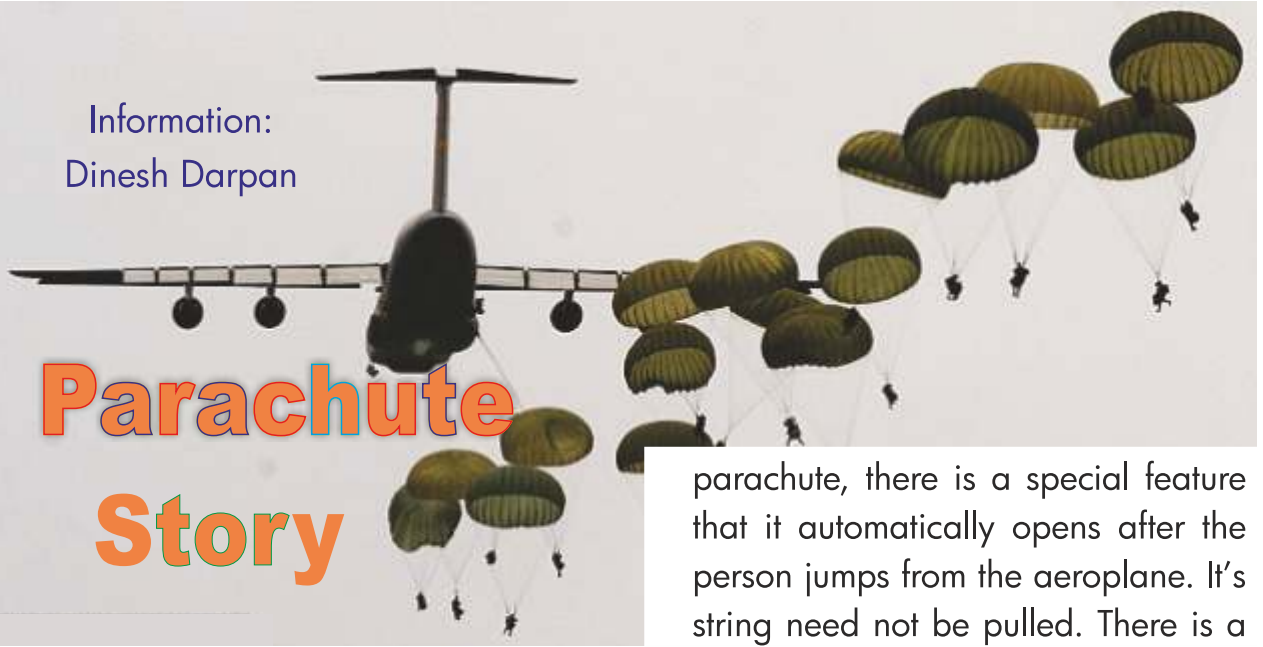
Potential Deployment :

1. Air ports
- 2 Public Events
3. Prisons
4. Critical Infrastructure (nuclear Facilities)
5. Military facilities



Information:
Dinesh Darpan

Parachute Story



Parachute generally looks like an umbrella. After opening, its diameter is approximately 35ft. After opening, it is inflated and air can't come out easily and the parachute takes humans or load swinging like a swing and easily comes down on the earth.

The parachute cloth is woven with strong threads of silk or nylon. When some person is to be dropped down from an aeroplane, the parachute is specially wrapped to form a bundle. It's then tied with the help of a belt on the back of the person jumping. When a person jumps down an aeroplane, after coming little down he opens the parachute by striking its string. Before jumping from the aeroplane or immediately after jumping, the parachute is not opened because of the fear of string being entangled in the wing of the plane. In a special type of

parachute, there is a special feature that it automatically opens after the person jumps from the aeroplane. It's string need not be pulled. There is a small hole in the upper part of the parachute, through which its inner air keeps on leaking. Thus, there is no fear of turning of the parachute due to air pressure.

Possibly, the idea of parachute first struck the mind of the world famous scientist and painter Leonardo Da Vinci, but its credit goes to a French person named Sebastian Lenora. The principle of parachute was first initiated by Vinci, but there is no such proof that any experiment was done on this. Lenora demonstrated his self-made parachute in 1783 by jumping from a tower.

The first successful experiment /demonstration was done by a French pilot J.P. Blanchard in 1785. He tied a basket with the string of the parachute, made a dog sit in that basket and dropped it down with the help of the



balloons. In 1793, Blanchard flew very high in the sky with the help of a balloon and then came down with a parachute and in this process he broke one of his foot. A person named Robert Kaaking brought some important changes in parachute. A courageous person named Capt. Albert Beri successfully landed on earth for the first time in 1912 by jumping from a flying aircraft.

It doesn't require a special place to jump through a parachute. Life can also be saved by jumping with the help of a parachute from a crashed aircraft.

Parachute is also used for the help of flood-stricken and snow-bound people. Food, clothes, medicines and other important items can be dropped through the parachute by tying these items in it. Also, at the time of war, our army can be dropped through parachute to cordon the enemy soldiers. Sometimes, parachute is also used to land the jet plane or to reduce its speed. The devices sent above in the sky through balloons to study the weather condition are brought back on earth after examination through parachute only. ●

Deepavali

The clear blue sky,
The scent of flowers,
The colours of Rangoli,
And the sound of crackers.

The gifts and sweets
from dear ones,
And the getting of their love,
The light of the candles below,
And the dazzling
fireworks up above.

Lighting lamps at our homes,
Making the less fortunate smile,
Putting on new apparels,
Show our friends some style.

Paying respects to the gods,
And decorating for them the thali,
This is what the occasion is all about,
This is the spirit of Deepavali.



H.D. Answers

Q: When we tread the path of truth, and if someone tries to mislead us, then what should we do?

A: We should tread our path with full faith. Other's interference we should take as if they are testing our faith or making our faith more firm.

—Bharat Bhushan(Khalilabad)

Q: Who can be the strongest and weakest in this world?

A: Man himself.

Anil Somani (Balghat)

Q: Who is happy in this world?

A: Whosoever possesses contentment.

—Prahlad Jaswani (Mandla)

Q: If someone points out our faults, what should we do?

A: We should start mending ourselves carefully and be thankful to them to improve ourself.

—Geetu Khaneja (Kalanaur)

Q: What is the real form of human?

A: Humanity.

—Jaya (Mumbai)

Q: What is bigger than fate?

A: Actions that form the fate.

—Bhuvneshwar Dubey (Raipur)

Q: What is the most difficult work in the world?

A: To lead a gentleman's life.
Anand Jaswani (Datia)

—Bharat Bhushan(Khalilabad)

Q: What is the difference between a human and humanity?

A: One is the doer and the other is the deed.

— Chhinder Paul (Pandoh)

Q: What to do if one gets tired of continuous hard-work?

A: Have a break and start again.



Story of a Candle

On Diwali, along with lamps, candles are also lit in good number. The candles lit on this occasion are available in different attractive styles, colours and shapes in the market.

The history of candles is five thousand years old. During those days, in some parts of Greece, the inner part of tree branches dipped in animal fat was used as a candle. Afterwards, cotton thread was used in place of tree branches and wax produced from honey comb was being used in place of animal fat. With the passage of time various chemical processes developed and in that context paraffin wax was also invented.

For different shapes and sizes of candles different type of moulds are available. Oil is applied in the inner parts of these moulds, which facilitates the coming out of the candles. After this a thread is put with the help of a clip in the middle of these moulds. For candles, paraffin wax is taken that melts at a temperature of 99°F. This wax is put in these moulds and taken out after sometime. Thus the candles are ready. After this these are packed in different type of attractive boxes and sent to market. From there, these reach our homes and change the pitch darkness of Amavas to brightness of Diwali.





Riddles

1

Invite me or not, I will come on my own,
Will not pay any rent, Will stay in every room of the house,
You will not be able to catch me, You will not be able to live without me,
Tell, me who am I?

Compiled by
—Archana Garg, Delhi



4

Flow from top to bottom,
Accept every utensil,
Look! Don't let me fall,
Otherwise it will be difficult to refill.



2

Eat me during summer, Want to drink me all the time,
Love me most, fear, if I become steam.



5

Attract iron, such is my power,
But rubber defeats me,
Misplaced needle, I trace,
Strange is my game.



3

I always carry weight,
Know how to cover space,
Deep relation with everything,
Available at every place.



6

Lives without a body,
Hears without ears,
Speaks without a mouth,
To which the air alone gives birth?

Riddles answer on other pages No. 37



Thoughts TO PONDER



- ★ Some men are born great, some achieve greatness and some have greatness thrust upon them.
— William Shakespeare
- ★ People generally quarrel because they cannot argue.
— G.J.C. Chesterton
- ★ The real test of power is not capacity to make war but capacity to prevent it.
— Anne O Hore McCornick
- ★ It is by acts and not by ideas that people live.
— Anatole France
- ★ We are more troublesome to ourselves than anyone else is to us.
— St. Francis de Sales
- ★ Man's highest life does not consist in self-expression, but in self sacrifice.— R.H. Benson
- ★ There is nothing which we receive with so much reluctance as advice.
— Joseph Addison
- ★ Love is a thing that increases by distributing.
— Nirankari Baba
- ★ The weak can never forgive, forgiveness is the attribute of the strong.
- ★ Character, not brain will count at the crucial moment.
— Rabindranath Tagore
- ★ The greater the will, the greater the flow of energy. If you can imagine it, you can achieve it too.
— Prof. J.S. Puri
- ★ Small opportunities are often the beginning of great enterprises.
— Demosthenes
- ★ Success without honour is an unseasoned dish, it will satisfy your hunger, but it won't taste good.
- ★ Man's greatness lies in behaving as a man.
— Nirankari Baba





Kitty

Story & Illustration — Ajay Kalara

Tomorrow it is Diwali, we shall all go to see Diwali-fair.



Oh yes! Tomorrow its Diwali , but I won't be able to go to see Diwali-fair. There is some problem.






Why Chintu, why would you not go? Don't you have enough money to go to fair and enjoy?




Oh! Kitty, you are making fun of me.




Kitty, you must not make fun of anyone like this.



See, my new purse. It has lot of money. We shall enjoy a lot in the fair.



Kitty, You keep your purse carefully, There is huge crowd in the fair.



Don't worry, I know how to keep my purse safe. We shall first eat ice cream.



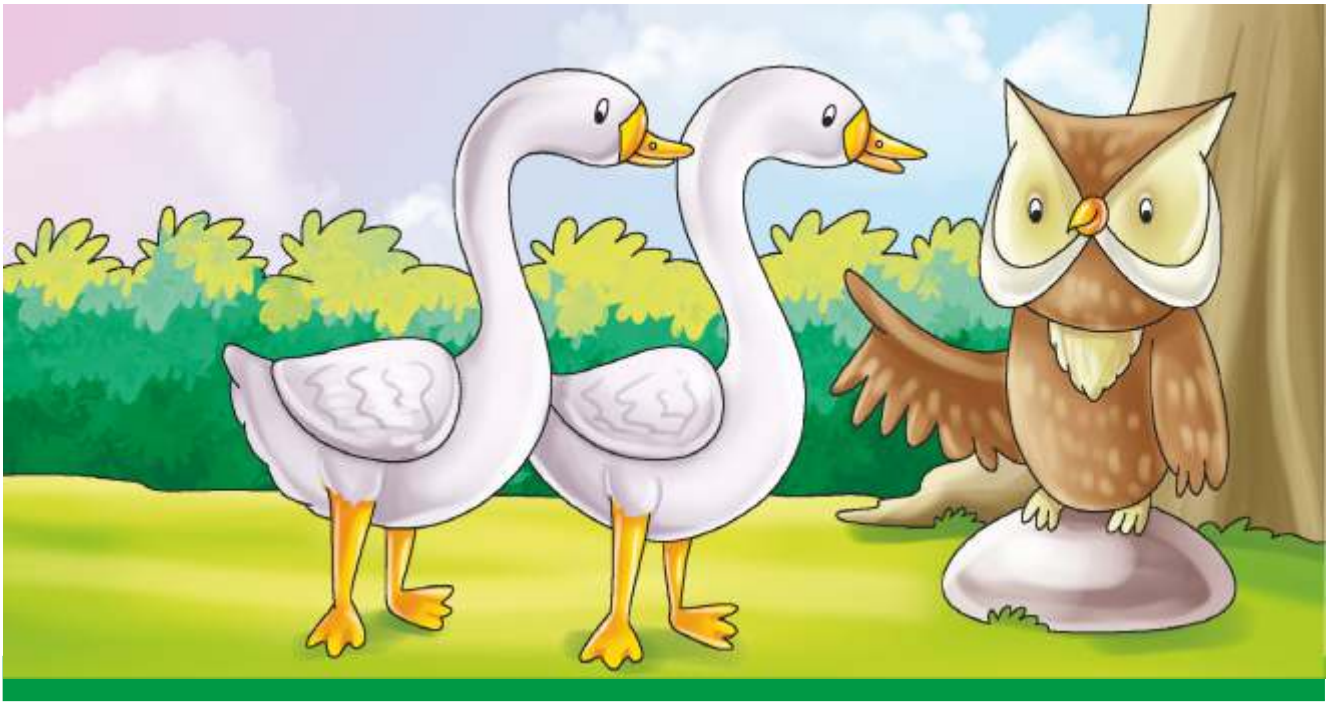
Brother, You give one ice-cream each to all. Oh! Where is my money? Somebody has taken all the money from my purse. What will happen now?



Yes, Yes! Montu, you are right , I don't know how to keep my purse safe.



I have learnt a lesson- *"not to make fun of anyone's poverty."*



Justice of the Fools

Story by: Rajender Pardesi

Once upon a time a pair swans lived in a beautiful surrounding of the 'Mansarovar', They lost way and reached a deserted place. Looking to such deserted site, the pen (she swan) said, "Where have we come?" Here there is no food or water to take and our life will be very tough.

They kept on wandering and now it was all dark. So the cob (he swan) said, "Somehow pass the night here and early morning we shall move back to our place."

As the night deepened, the pair of swans was resting under a tree, an owl

which lived on that tree, suddenly started hooting. The pen said, "I am not able to sleep because of this owl."

The cob convinced her to pass the night some-how and in the morning itself we shall leave this place. I think now you must have learnt why this place is so deserted. Where such a foolish owl lives, that place will definitely be deserted.

The owl sitting on the tree was listening to both of them. Early morning the owl came to the swan and said, "I regret very much as you spent a restless night because of me."

The swan said, "No problem." As soon as the pair of swans started



moving, the owl shouted, 'Why are you taking my wife along with you?'

The swan wondered and said, "Oh dear, this pen is my wife, she had come along with me, and now we are going back to our place."

The owl said, "You are telling a lie, at night I provided you the accommodation out of courtesy and in return in the morning itself you started moving along with my wife."

When the dispute between the two took an ugly turn, then the council was called. All heard the arguments of the owl and the swan with great attention. Then all the council members discussed the things separately too. All the members reached the conclusion that pen only is the wife of swan, but he will leave the place ultimately and they will have to put up with owl only. So, it will not be proper to pass the verdict against owl. Thus a unanimous decision was passed by the council that pen is the wife of the owl only. The swan should accept the decision and should leave the place immediately.

The swan was very much perturbed and depressed at the unjust decision of the council. It protested a lot but in vain, so it went away crying.



Compiled by : Lakshita, Delhi

Sister Theresa had a dream one day. She told her superiors, 'I have three pennies and a dream from God to build an orphanage.'

'Sister Theresa,' her superiors chided gently, you cannot build an orphanage with three pennies. With three pennies, you can't do anything.'

'I know,' she said, smiling, 'but with God and three pennies, I can do anything!'

Riddles

Answer

- 1) Air
- 2) Water
- 3) Gas
- 4) Liquid
- 5) Magnet
- 6) Echo

Happy Birthday



Khushi (Bikaner) Kayra (Amhedmedabad) Nikita (Jaipur)



Niharika (Noida) Ashwina (Delhi) Manvi (Hoshiarpur) Heaven Suman (Phagwara) Nisha (Fatehgarh)



Shashank (Mirzapur) Kanika (Indri) Ayush (Sehjoli) Akashdeep (Khambar) Gurman (Bhilai)



Arshnoor (Delhi) Saloni (Datia) Pranjal (Ghronda) Har Sehej (Dhamia) Mrinal (Mahasumand)



Priyanshu (Delhi) Arpit (Lucknow) Payal (Tiroda) Ranjana (Thane) Dev Bansiwala (Delhi)



Santusht (Sri Ganganagar) Hardik (Paudhi Garwal) Surkhhab (Gurdaspur) Kavyansh (Sahranpur) Manthan (Nagpur)





Gagandeep (Dadri)



Navpreet (Kashipur)



Navkaran (Kapurthala)



Udantika (Panchkula)



Dhruven (Bhayandar)



Kirteeka (Tiroda)



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Ashmita (Delhi)



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Kundan (Jagadhri)



Aayush (Maroli Bazaar)



Samdeesh (Saardulgarh)



Ekta (Ahmedabad)



Tehjeeb (Baagria)

❖ Under this column, photographs of children up to the age of 10 years only are entertained. Please send passport size photographs only, Which should reach us at least two months before.

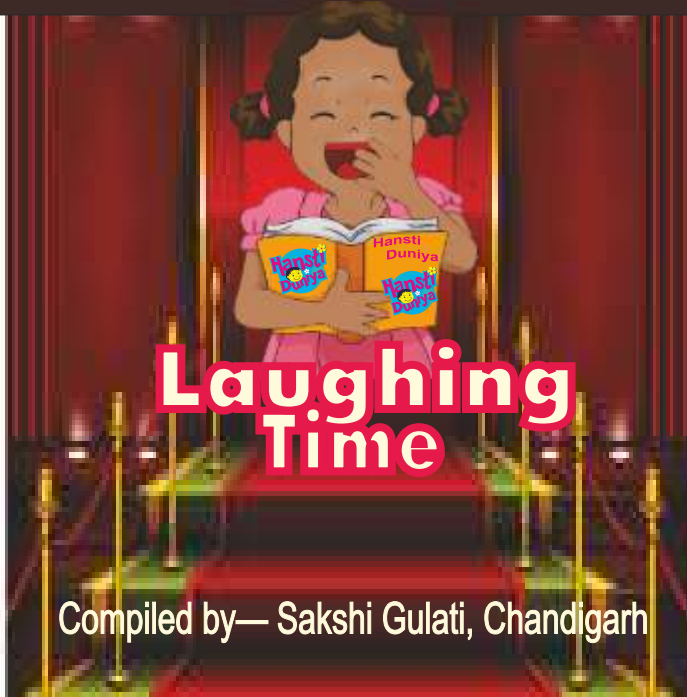


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HAPPY BIRTHDAY
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Name..... Date of Birth.....Year.....
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SCHOOL-LIFE

- i) Most Irritating Moments:-
 - Morning Alarm.
- ii) Most Difficult Task:-
 - To find Home-Work Note-Book.
- iii) Most Dreadful Journey:-
 - Way to Class-Room.
- iv) Most Lovely Time:-
 - Meeting Friends
- v) Most Tragic Moments:-
 - Surprise Test in First Period.
- vi) Most Wonderful News:-
 - TEACHER IS ABSENT.



After English Exam



Teacher : How was the paper?

Student : It was easy, but question 5 confused me.

Teacher : What was the question 5?

Student: Write the past tense of "Think".

Tacher : What did you write?

Student : I thought and thought and thought and then Ended up With Writing **"Thought"**

Teacher : What Happened in 1869?

Student : Mahatma Gandhi Ji was Born.

Teacher : What Happened in 1873?

Student : Gandhi Ji was 4 years old.

Thought of A Student

If a Single Teacher Can't Teach us All the Subjects

THEN How Could You Expect A Single Student to LEARN ALL SUBJECTS?`

Child's Attitude

I don't always study,
But when I do, I make sure
"My parents notice."



Student : "You know, it's time like this, I wished, I had listened to what my mother always told me."

Teacher : "What did she say?"

Student : "I don't know, I was not listening."

One boy : If you ever get cold, what will you do?

Other boy : Just stand in a corner for a bit, they are usually around 90 degrees.

Wife : Wherever, I keep the money, our son steals it. I don't know what to do, where to keep money?

Husband: It's so simple. Keep in his books, because he never touches them.



First Child : Why is Prime Minister not seen in the morning?

Second child: Because: - he is PM and not AM

One Boy: Did You hear What Happened to those two Guys, that stole a calendar?

Other Boy: They got six months each .

Teacher : Do you obey your mother?

Student : Yes, Sir, much more than she asks me to do.

Teacher : How is it?

Student : When mother asks me to take half the sweets, I finish the whole.

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

1 R	I	2 G	V	3 E	D	4 A
A		O		E		S
5 M	6 E	A	7 S	L	8 E	S
	R		U		L	
9 U	R	A	N	I	U	M
	O		I		D	
10 T	R	11 O	L	12 L	E	13 Y
U		W		E		A
14 B	A	N	G	K	O	K





★ A good name is better than riches.
—Ravneet, Delhi.

★ The problem is not the problem.
The problem is our attitude about
the problem.
— Avneesh Gulati, Chandigarh

★ If honesty gave you the power to
win, surely, then you would never
sin.
— Anmol, Canada

★ Turn to God, before you return to
God. —Sukhbir Shah, Toronto

★ Had it not been for the saints, this
world would have long perished.
When you stop expecting people
to be perfect, you can like them for
who they are.
—Pooja Chawla, Kolkata

★ Remember! A wound caused on
the tongue heals the fastest, but a
wound caused by the tongue will
never heal at all.

— Narinder Singh, Gurgaon

★ **If** there is light in the soul, there
will be beauty in the person.

If there is beauty in the person,
there will be harmony in the
house.

If there is harmony in the house,
there will be order in the nation.

★ **If** there is order in the nation,
there will be peace in the world.

— Abhilasha, Delhi

★ The one, who receives God
knowledge, imbibes the feeling of
love.

★ There is always one thing to be
thankful everyday to see the beauty
of being alive under God's grace.

★ Beauty attracts the eye but
personality captures the heart.

—Utesha, Allahabad

★ Happiness starts with you not with
your relationship, not with your job,
not with your money

but with you.

—Shailesh Pandey Lucknow



Result for the month of **September** Issue

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Age : 11

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Gurleen

Age : 9

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Patiala(Punjab)



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(Bathinda)

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"Colour it" for November Issue

On page 44, a beautiful picture is given; colour it and send it to us latest by **December 20, 2016**. Office address: **HANSTI DUNIYA**, Nirankari Complex, Near Nirankari Sarover, Nirankari Colony. Delhi - 110009

The result will appear in **January 2017** issue. Full name and address should be mentioned clearly at the prescribed place. Children up to the age of 15 years only will be eligible to participate.



Colour it



NameAge.....

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C. V. Raman

By - Dimple Bawa, Delhi

One day in 1903, Professor Eliot of Presidency College, Madras, saw a little boy in his class. Thinking that he might have strayed into the room, the Professor asked, "Are you a student of this class?"

"Yes Sir," the boy answered.

"What's your age?"

"14 years"

"Your name?"

"C.V. Raman."

This little incident made that boy well known in the college because normally 14-years-old students are in 9th or 10th standard. The youngster later became a world famous scientist who won the 1930 Nobel Prize for Physics with simple equipment barely worth Rs.300. His full name was Chandrasekhara Venkata Raman.

He was the first Asian scientist to win the Nobel Prize in Science. His spirit of devotion to science laid the foundation for the scientific research in India. He was also the first person to investigate

the harmonic nature of the sound of the Indian drums, such as Tabla and Mridangam. He was honoured with the 'Bharat Ratna', India's highest civilian award in 1954.

His father was a lecturer in Mathematics and Physics. He entered Presidency College, Madras in 1902. In 1904, he topped the graduation exams and won a gold medal in Physics. In 1907, he earned his Post graduate degree with high distinction. He published his work on the



'Molecular Diffraction of Light'. It ultimately led to his discovery of the 'Raman Effect' which won him the Nobel Prize.

In 1933, Raman became the first Indian Director of the Indian Institute of Science, in Bangalore. Later on, he became independent India's first National Professor. In 1948, he founded the Raman Research Institute in Bangalore where he worked until the end of his life. He died, aged 82, of heart disease on November 21, 1970 in Bangalore.



A Poor and A Rich Man



A poor cobbler and a rich businessman were neighbours. The cobbler's house was also his workshop. He sang merrily while he mended shoes. He never felt it necessary to shut and bolt the door and windows of his house. At night he would say his prayers and go to bed. He enjoyed sound sleep all through the night.

The rich man always saw the merry cobbler. He saw that there was nothing that worried his poor neighbour. But the rich man was full of worries in himself. He could neither sing nor smile. He always shut and bolted each and

every door and window of his house at night. He could never sleep peacefully. He was always worried about the safety of his wealth.

One day the rich man called the cobbler to his house. He gave him five thousand rupees and said, "I don't need this money. Please keep it with you."

At first the cobbler was happy to receive the money. But soon the big amount of money disturbed his carefree and peaceful life. For the first



time he closed and bolted the door and windows of his house. He woke up several times during the night to make sure that the money was safe.

The very next morning the cobbler went to his rich neighbour's house. With folded hands, he said to the rich man, "Sir, please take back your money so that my merry songs and sound sleep can come back to me."

Moral :

Wealth does not always
bring happiness



Perfect Life

It is not growing
like a tree
In bulk doth make
Man better be;
Or standing long an oak,
three hundred year,
To fall a log at last,
dry, bald, and sere:
A lily of a day
Is fairer far in May,
Although it fall and
die that night
It was the plant and
flower of light.
In small proportions
we just beauties see;
And in short measures
life may perfect be.

— Ben Jonson



The Available and The Unavailable

When the earth looked at the firmament, it was bewitched by the glory of the numberless stars.

When the sky looked at the earth, the colourful wonder of its flowers stunned it.

I addressed myself to the earth—The stars that bewitch you are like your flowers that grow on the sky.

I also communicated to the sky—The flowers that fascinate you are like the stars of the earth.

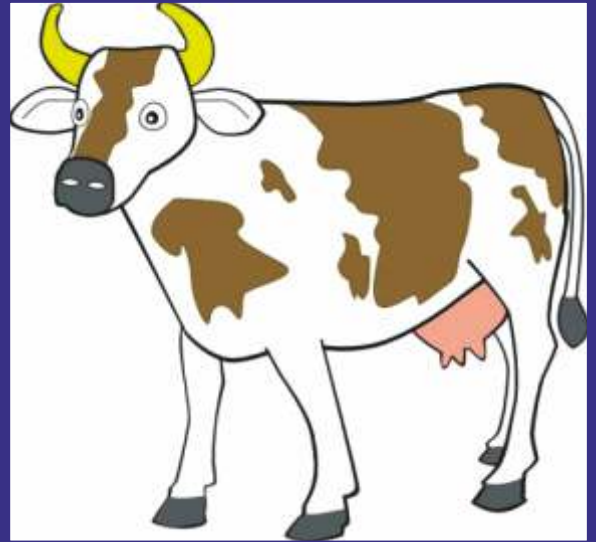
My advice was unheeded by the earth and the sky. They kept on watching, wishfully, each other.

I saw for myself that the ailment of cherishing the inavailable and shunning the available ranges—from earth to heaven.

Compiled by :Sandeep, jhunjhunu

Kamdhenu

By : Aditi, Nirankari Colony, Delhi



Every culture has wish fulfilment instrument, Europe evolved wish well where spoken wishes are fulfilled. Chinese have wishing trees. Buddhists have jade ring, Hindus have kamdhenu the sacred cow which grants all wishes, Kalpvriksh also grants all wishes Sadhsangat is both Kamdhenu and Kalpvriksh.

LOVE : A complicated theory

Love is a complicated theory
Yet, a beautiful story.

It is not told to everyone, but
Happens with few lucky ones.

It is the feeling that can mesmerize you
It is the feeling that can surprise you.

In this theory

Love is directly proportional to trust and
Inversely proportional to hurt.

It is as firm as a dome

And as cosy as a home

So, enjoy this lovely feeling of love

Pure like a beautiful dove.

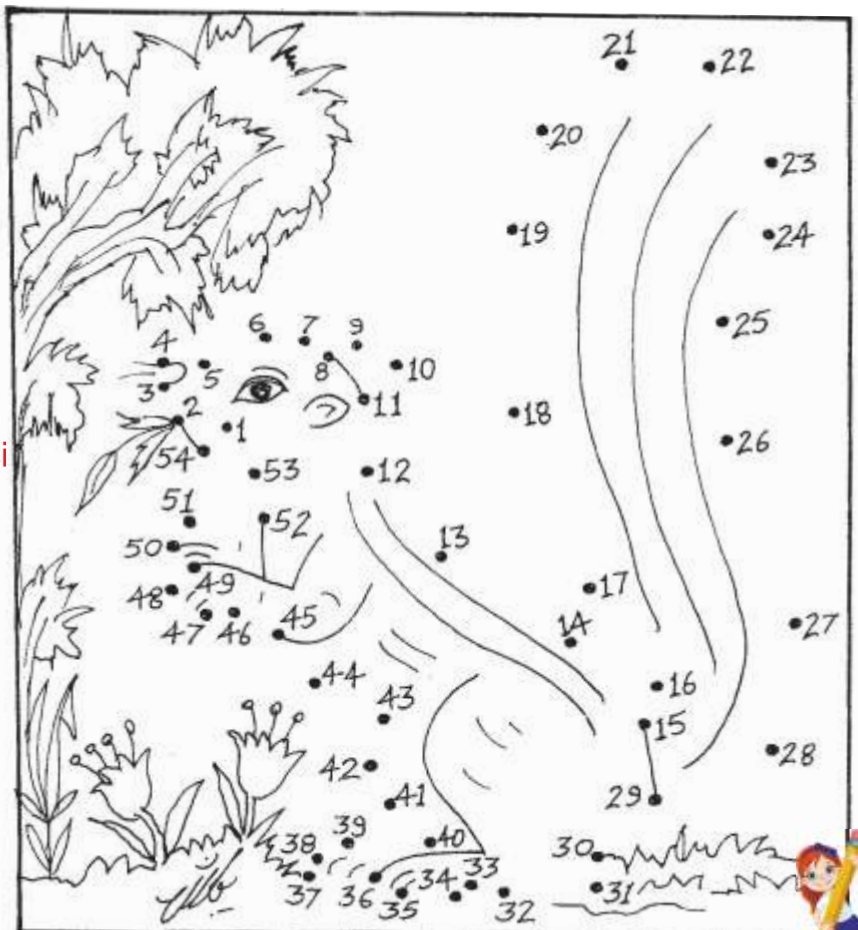
—Nishtha kawrani, Vasant-Kunj, Delhi

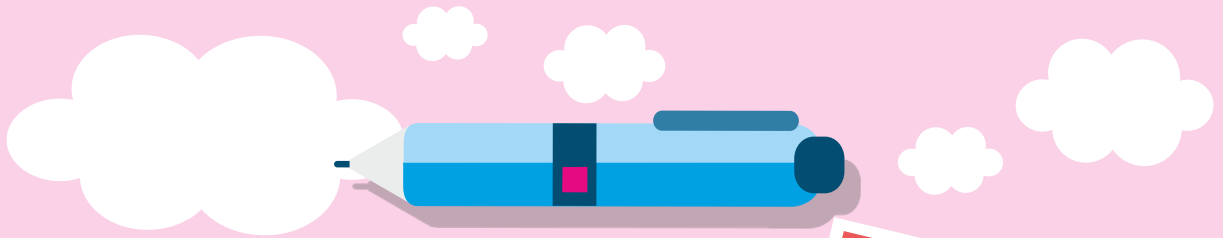


Make the Picture and Colour it

— Chand Mohammad Ghosi

Join the points and
find out the animal
eating the leaves





Have your say

The editorial “Hail the soldier—Hail the man” is a unique article. According to Mahatma Gandhi 'See no evil, hear no evil and speak no evil' is a good lesson for young readers. Worthy editor has given us a very good advice that we must make efforts to do good things for our society and the nation as our leaders did. The slogan of 'Jai Jawan Jai Kissan' given by Late Prime Minister Sh. Lal Bahadur Shastri is very meaningful.

'Youth and the mission' is very useful article. Unforgettable teachings of Mahatma Gandhi is really very inspirational article. Children are very happy to read Grandpa and Kitty stories with nice attractive photos. It is very interesting and new story which give good lesson and entertainment to children. Stories selected in the October issue are very knowledge giving. e.g. Ravana Still Alive and Benevolent Butterfly..

'Shrines and temples of India' gives us good information about important temples of India.

It is good that style of Riddles has been modified and it is very attractive and gives good information.

Poems selected are also very nice.



It is good that Hansti Duniya is now printing new stories, articles and poems .It is improving in every issue

—Ankit, Amarawati

I am a regular reader of Hansti Duniya since its inception. Material given in it is very useful. 'The way in which God uses troubled times' and small stories are very useful and interesting. Belapur's Doctor is worth adopting in life. Front page of August issue is very impressive. Every month matter is printed and chosen according to the festivals and important events. Photos accompanying stories are relevant and impressive.

Hansti Duniya is really giving good knowledge to improve the life standard of readers and children improve English also.

—Amita Mohan Bathinda





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