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Year- III

Topic : Reading Skill

Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow:

Dana loves flowers. Her favourites are daisies, tulips, and daffodils. Tulips and daffodils come up every spring, and daisies come up later in the summer. These plants are perennials; they come up year after year.

Dana loves the spring because she can go to the flower market to buy her annuals. The annuals only last one season, but they add a lot of colour to the garden. Dana got up Saturday morning very early. She wanted to get to the market early so she would have time to plant everything when she got home. Off she went to Barton's Flower Market. She ran into some friends.

"Hi, Dana," they called out to her.

"Hi," said Dana with a big smile. "Let's look around together!" Dana and her friends saw pansies, geraniums, periwinkles, and petunias.

"Oh, so many pretty flowers!" exclaimed Dana. "I love them all."

Dana decided to buy red and yellow pansies, blue periwinkles, and purple petunias. That will add a lot of colour to my garden, thought Dana. She said goodbye to her friends and went home.

Dana happily began planting her new flowers around the tulips and daffodils. Dana was so happy. She loved her flower garden, and she knew she would enjoy it all summer long. Dana had a perfect day.

1. According to the story, Dana liked to

- a. cook food from the garden
- b. plant flowers in the garden
- c. pull weeds from the garden
- d. none of the above

2. Daffodils and tulips are

- a. perennials

- b. annuals
- c. need to be planted each year.
- d. none of the above

3. Annuals are flowers that

- a. come up year after year
- b. add colour
- c. must be planted each spring
- d. both b and c.

4. Dana bought

- a. every flower at the market
- b. tulips and daffodils
- c. pansies, petunias, and periwinkles
- d. none of the above

5. In this story, Dana's mood was

- a. sad
- b. surprised
- c. happy
- d. all the above

Read the passage below and answer the following questions:

Plants need sunlight and water to make their own food. You can do an experiment to test if this is true. Place a bucket over a patch of green grass. After a few days, lift the bucket. You will see that the grass is not as green anymore. If you leave the bucket in place for a week, the grass will become very dull. This happens because the grass cannot make food in the dark. Remove the bucket. In a few days, the grass will start turning green again.

1) What is the central idea of this passage?

- A. Buckets are bad

- B. Plants need sunlight
- C. Grass is not pretty when it is dull
- D. Green anymore

2) What is an experiment?

- A. a way to grow grass
- B. a way to test an idea
- C. a way to use a bucket
- D. a way need water

3) What happens after a few days?

- A. The grass turns brown
- B. The grass gets very dull
- C. The grass is not as green
- D. The grass becomes small

4) What is the opposite of dull?

- A. bright
- B. brown
- C. sunlight
- D. ray

5) According to the passage, how long does it take for the grass to become dull?

- A. a month
- B. a week
- C. a few days
- D. a year

Read the passage below and answer the following questions:

Under a hill, in a village called Ramgarh, cows roamed in the nearby forest to graze on green grass. One day, Cow Lakshmi wandered near a lion's cave. The hungry lion woke up and was planning to make it his meal.

Trembling with fear, Lakshmi did not see any other cow nearby. She pleaded with the lion, saying, "Please spare me. I have a small calf that depends on my milk and cannot eat grass yet."

The lion agreed but warned her to return the next day or face dire consequences. Lakshmi returned to her calf, promising to come back.

The next day, she returned to the lion, keeping her word. The lion, impressed by her honesty, revealed his true form, blessed her, and declared her "Mother Cow". From then on, all the cows respected him as their protector.

Carefully read the questions from the unseen passage for class 5 and answer them.

1. What is the name of the cow in the story?

2. Why did Cow Lakshmi plead with the lion?

3. What did Cow Lakshmi encounter near the lion's cave?

A. A friendly rabbit

B. Other cows

C. A hungry lion

D. The village children

4. Why did the lion let Cow Lakshmi go the first time?

A. Because he was full

B. Because she made him laugh

C. Because she promised to bring more cows

D. Because she had a calf that depended on her milk

5. Cow Lakshmi was declared " _____ " by the lion after she returned to keep her promise.

Read the passage below and answer the following questions:

Once upon a time there were so many animals in a village. They lived happily. But one day an old wolf came there. He scared everyone. The animals decided

to work together. The clever rabbit had a plan. The strong lion helped them. The deer ran around the wolf fastly. Their teamwork surprised the wolf. He got scared and ran away. The animals realized their strength in unity. From that day on, they always lived together.

Carefully read the questions from the unseen passage for class 5 and answer them.

1. What was the problem in the village?

- A. Too many animals
- B. An old wolf scaring everyone

2. Who had a plan to deal with the wolf?

- A. Strong lion
- B. Clever rabbit

3. What did the clever rabbit contribute to solving the problem?

4. Who helped the animals by executing the plan?

Tick the True/False

5. The wolf left the village scared. (True/False)

6. The animals didn't realize their strength in unity. (True/Fal