The Sun And The Wind

Once, the wind and the Sun had an *argument*. "I am stronger than

you" said the wind. "No, you are not", said the Sun. Either of them claimed to be stronger. At last they decided that who would proof oneself stronger, would be stronger. Just then, they saw a traveller wrapped in a blanket was

> passing by. The Sun and the wind agreed that whoever could separate the traveller from his blanket would be stronger. The wind took the first turn.

The wind started blowing with all his might. The traveller hold his blanket tightly. The wind



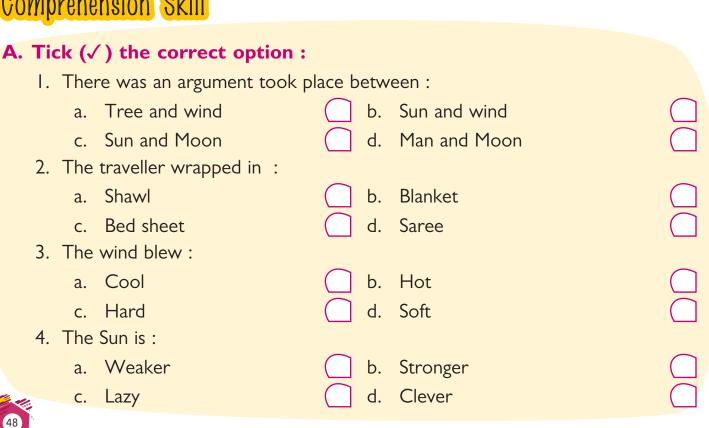
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blew still harder. The traveller hold his blanket more tightly. The struggle went on till the wind's turn was over. The wind failed. It was the Sun's turn.

The Sun smiled gently. The traveller felt warmth of the smiling Sun. Soon he let the blanket open. The Sun's smile grew warmer and warmer. Now the traveller took the blanket off and took it in his hand.

achieve : gain

And finally the Sun was declared stronger than the wind.



New Words gentle : kind argument : discussion in which two or more people disagree

struggle : make strong efforts

EXERCISE TIME

Comprehension Skill

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B. Fill in the blanks with the correct option :

Sun, blew, stronger, wind, Sun

- I. Either of them claimed to be _____.
- 2. The wind ______ still harder.
- 3. The ______ smiled gently.
- 4. The ______ is stronger than the ______.

C. Answer the following questions :

- I. What was the reason of the argument between the Sun and the wind?
- 2. Why did the traveller wrap his blanket tightly?
- 3. What did the Sun do to show his power?
- 4. Why did the traveller uncover his blanket?

Essential Grammar

D. Read these sentences :

I. This is a good book.



3. An Aeroplane is <u>blue</u>.



2. This is **pretty** cat.





The underlined words tell something more about the noun. Such words are called 'adjectives' or describing words.

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- E. Look at the pictures and fill the suitable describing word in the given blanks :
 - I. Rachna is wearing _____ frock.



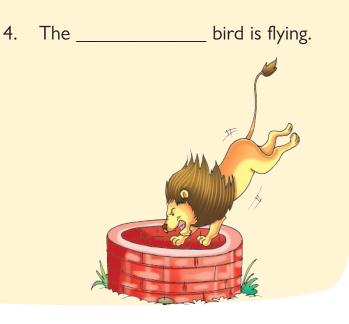
- 2. Mohan is going to the ______temple.

3. The bed is _____.



5. A _____ lion jumped into the well.







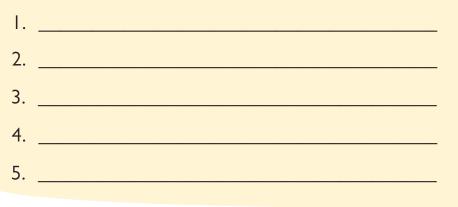
Fun with Words

F. Give one word for the following group of words :

- I. Winter, Summer, Rain, Autumn.
- 2. Sun, Wind, Water, Sand.
- 3. Table, Chair, Bed, Couch.
- 4. Cricket, Ludo, Carrom, Football.

Essential Writing

G. Write any five qualities of Sun :





Essential Speaking

For Teacher : Tell the students about different types of laughing.

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- Ananya : Where is my pencil box?
- Nidhi : It is in the table drawer.
- Nidhi : What are you doing?
- Ananya : I am writing a letter.
- Jeet : Why are you looking sad?
- Vinit : Because I got bad marks in test.

Ask the children to practice such type of questions in their conversation.

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