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English Text

Revision

Q1. Tick the correct option.

1) Abdul had a _____

- a) boat b) camel c) tonga

2) _____ had always been a thoughtful boy.

- a) Shuddodhana b) Siddhartha c) Surendra

3) Once Abdul was invited to two _____

- a) parties b) feasts c) anniversary

4) Gautam Buddha gave first sermon to five disciples at _____

- a) Sarnath b) Gujrat c) Haryana

5) Abdul used his boat to travel to _____

- a) towns b) villages c) cities

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6) When was Gautam Buddha born?

- a) 550 BC b) 560 BC c) 563 BC

7) What was the real name of Gautam Buddha?

- a) Siddhartha b) Ravi c) Raju

8) Abdul lived on the bank of _____

- a) fort b) ocean c) river

9) What was the name of Buddha's father?

- a) Rajyavardhan b) Shuryodhana
 c) Shuddhodhana

10) Gautam Buddha was married to a beautiful princess named _____

- a) Yashochhara b) Yashochha c) Mayya

11) A crowd of _____ stood at the door.

- a) people b) guests c) animal

12) _____ washed his hands and sank down on the floor with a deep sigh of contentment.

- a) Akbar b) Raj c) Abdul.

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Q1 Give meanings :-

- ① Counterpane - bed spread or bed cover
- ② Trusty - faithful
- ③ Contentment - satisfaction
- ④ Embarrassed - perplexed
- ⑤ Warrior - soldier
- ⑥ Sorrow - grief
- ⑦ Disciples - pupils
- ⑧ Enlightenment - knowledge
- ⑨ Comfort - console, soothe

Q2 Fill in the blanks :-

- ① To keep me happy all the day.
- ② The pleasant land of Counterpane.
- ③ Abdul Bhai, the feast is over.

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- (4) Abdul decided to go first to the one upstream.
- (5) Gautam Buddha felt that he had become Buddha.
- (6) I watched my wooden soldiers go
- (7) Gautam Buddha's own name was Siddhartha.
- (8) Gautam Buddha concluded that the world was a house of sorrow.

Q3 True or False:-

- (1) Gautam Buddha was born in 563 BC at Lumbini. [True]
- (2) Gautam Buddha gave his first sermon to ten disciples. [False]
- (3) Abdul got invitation for three feasts. [False]
- (4) Abdul had a new boat. [False]
- (5) Gautam Buddha's own name was

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Liddhartha [True]

6) Gautam Buddha was the kindest man who ever lived. [True]

7) Gautam Buddha passed seven ^{long} years in various countries. [False]

Q4 Answer the following questions:-

1) Where did Abdul live? What was his profession?

Ans: Abdul lived on the bank of a river. He was a boatman.

2) What is the name of the writer of this poem?

Ans: The name of the writer of this poem is Robert Louis Stevenson.

3) What did Abdul eat in the end?

Ans: Abdul ate in the end the platter full of rice with fish pickle and green chilli chutney.

4) What lesson do we learn from the story?

Ans: We learn from the story that we should reach at time whenever needed. We should

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get late.

(5) When and where, was Siddhartha born?
Ans. Siddhartha was born in 563 B.C. at Lumbini near Kapilvastu in modern Nepal.

(6) What were the name of the parents of Siddhartha?
Ans. The name of father of Siddhartha was Shuddhodhana and mother was Maya.

(7) Where did Gautam Buddha give his first sermon?
Ans. Gautam Buddha gave his first sermon at Sarnath which is called Varanasi in these days.

(8) Where and when did Buddha pass away?
Ans. Buddha has passed away at the age of eighty in 483 B.C. at Kushi Nagar in U.P.

(9) How long did his religion remain the chief religion in India?
Ans. Buddhism was the chief religion in India in quite six hundred years.

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10) When you are sick what do you do to pass the time?

Ans: When we get sick we want to take rest and want care of our closed persons.

Q5 Complete the following line:

When I was sick and lay in bed,
I had two pillows at my head,
and all my toys beside me lay
to keep me happy all the day.

→ Robert Louis Stevenson