A Kabaddi Match

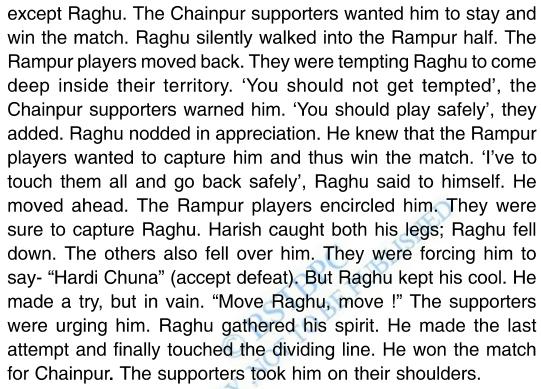
A. Warmer

(i) Which is your favourite game? When do you play it? How much time do you spend playing it? Have you ever won any medal?

Kabaddi! Kabaddi! Raghu walked into Rampur territory in the other half. The players of Rampur team tried to catch him. They came around him. But Raghu was careful. He moved cautiously. Mangla moved behind him. He wanted to catch him by his waist. But Raghu ducked. Mangla could only touch him. He could not hold Raghu. The latter went quickly in his own territory-quite safe. The supporters of the Chainpur team were delighted. Mangla was out. He had to wait till a player of the Chainpur team was out.

Now it was turn of the Rampur players to walk into the Chainpur territory. Aslam took the charge. "Touch at least two players", the Rampur supporters demanded. Aslam did not disappoint them. He touched Sheru and quickly went back to the territory. Sheru was out. Mangla was back into the game.

After an hour, all the players of the Chainpur team were out,



Glossary and notes

territory(n) area, क्षेत्र

cautiously (adv) carefully, सावधानीपूर्वक

ducked (v) moved quickly down, तेजी से झुककर बचा

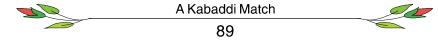
capture (v) seize, कब्जे में करना

disappoint (v) make hopeless, निराश करना

accept(v) agree to, राजी होना, स्वीकार करना

gather (v) collect, जमा करना, इकट्ठा करना

supporter (n) one who favours, समर्थक



B. Let's comprehend

B.1.1. Think and Tell

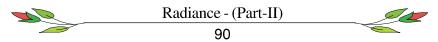
Answer the following questions orally:

- (i) Who walked first into the Rampur territory?
- (ii) Who was Mangla?
- (iii) Who made Mangla out?
- (iv) What did Raghu say when he moved into the Rampur territory?

B.2. Think and Write

B.2.1. Write 'T' for true statement and 'F' for false statement:

	Annal Territoria	
(i)	Raghu walked into Rampur territory saying -	
	Badi Badi Badi.	
(ii)	Mangla could not hold Raghu.	
(iii)	Aslam was the player of the Rampur team.	
(iv)	After an hour, all the players of the Chainpur	
	team were out, except Raghu.	
(v)	To say "Hardi Chuna" is the sign of defeat.	
(vi)	Raghu did not touch the dividing line of	
	the territory.	
(vii)	The Chainpur team won the match.	



B.2.2. Answer the following questions in a phrase or sentence:

- (i) What was Raghu being forced to say?
- (ii) Who took Raghu on their shoulders?
- (iii) What was the demand of the Rampur supporters?

B.2.3. Answer each of the following questions in not more than 50 words :

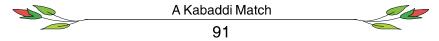
- (i) There is no need of any sports-item in Kabaddi. Do you agree ? If yes, explain.
- (ii) How did Raghu become the most important player of the Chainpur team ? What did the supporters of the Chainpur team do after the match ?
- (iii) Raghu was being forced forcing to say "Hardi Chuna". Why?
- (iv) Which game do you like most? Give reasons.

C. Word Study

C.1. Correct the spelling of the following words:

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C.2. Match the words in Column 'A' with the words given in Column 'B'.

	Α		В
(i)	cautiously	(a)	to seize.
(ii)	delight	(b)	to agree to
(iii)	accept	(c)	area
(iv)	duck	(d)	high pleasure
(v)	capture	(e)	carefully
(vi)	territory	(f)	avoid being caught.
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D. Grammar

D.1. Read the following sentences from the text:

You should not get tempted.

You should play safely.

In both the sentences given above the 'should' has been used for suggestion / advice.

'Should' is also used:

- (a) to give warning and threat
 - eg. If you come late, you should be fined.
- (b) in the sense of 'offer'
 - eg. Should I carry your bag?
- (c) in the sense of moral obligation
 - eg. You should respect your elders.

Find out the purpose for which 'should' has been used in the following sentences and write them in the space provided. One has been done for you:

	You should speak the truth.	suggestion
1.	We should help the helpless.	
2.	You should be punished if you tell a	ı lie
3.	We should always walk along le road.	ft side of the
4.	Everyone should love his/her moth	erland.
5.	One should not waste one's time.	
6.	You should not get ill-tempered.	

Look at the following sentences from the lesson: **D.2.**

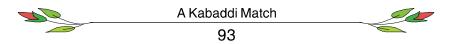
- After an hour, all the players of the Chainpur team (1) were out, except Raghu.
- (2) He made a try but in vain.

In example (1) 'an' is used before 'hour' which starts with a vowel sound.

In example (2) a is used before 'try' which starts with a consonant sound.

Remember:

'A' and 'an' are used before singular countable nouns. Ex. a boy. a dog, an egg. an M.L.A., a uniform, an ant.



'A' is used before a noun beginning with a consonant sound and 'an' is used before a noun beginning with a vowel sound.

Now fill in the blanks with 'a' or 'an':

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- (ii) Gandhiji was great man.
- (iii) Rekha is good girl.
- (iv) He is M.A.
- (v) Mukul is N.C.C. Officer.
- (vi) Raghu is active player.
- (vii) Tom is European.
- (viii) I reached there in hour.
- (ix) She is B. A.
- (x) This is one act play.

E. Let's Talk

Work in groups

Talk to your friends about any match you may have watched.

F. Composition

Describe in about 100 words a cricket match that you may have watched.

G. Translate the following sentences into English:

- 1. रघु चैनपुर का तेज खिलाड़ी था।
- 2. वह फुर्तीला और मजबूत था।



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- असलम रामपुर का लोकप्रिय खिलाड़ी था। 3.
- वह मेहनती था । 4.
- विनय अपने मित्रों के साथ रोज कबड्डी खेलता है। 5.
- खेल शरीर को मजबूत बनाता है। 6.
- हमें नियमित खेलना और पढ़ना चाहिये। 7.
- स्वास्थ्य ही धन है। 8.
- स्वस्थ शरीर में स्वस्थ मस्तिष्क रहता है। vity 9.

Activity Н.

Find out the differences between the Kabaddi match 1. played in your locality and the Kabaddi match played at the national or international level.

Work in groups 2.

Discuss in your group the game most of the members like . List the items/equipments required to play it.