# MP Board Class 7th General English Solutions Chapter 2 The Wise Man-I

### Comprehension (बोध प्रश्न):

(A) Answer the questions given below:

(नीचे दिये प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए)

#### Question 1.

Why did the horse trainer and his wife decide to sell the horse? (व्हाय डिड द हॉर्स ट्रेनर एण्ड हिज़ वाइफ डिसाइड टू सेल् द हॉर्स ?)

अश्व – शिक्षक व उसकी पत्नी ने घोड़े को बेचने का फैसला क्यों किया?

#### Answer:

The horse trainer and bis wife decided to sell the horse because it ate a lot of fodder and it was expensive to feed it.

(द हॉर्स ट्रेनर एण्ड हिज़ वाइफ डिसाइडिड टू सैल् द हॉर्स बिकॉज़ इट ऐट अलॉट ऑफ फॉडर एण्ड इट वॉज़ ऐक्सपेंसिव टू फीड इट।)

अश्व – शिक्षक व उसकी पत्नी ने घोड़े को बेचने का फैसला इसलिए किया क्योंकि वह बहुत सारा चारा खाता था और उसका भरण-पोषण बहुत महँगा था।

#### Question 2.

Where did Bhola go to sell the horse ? (व्हेअर डिड भोला गो टू सैल् द हॉर्स ?) भोला घोडा बेचने कहाँ गया ?

#### Answer:

Bhola went to the market to sale the horse. (भोला वेन्ट टू द मार्केट टू सेल द हॉर्स।) भोला घोडे को बेचने के लिए बाजार गया।

#### Question 3.

Whom did he meet first? (हम डिड ही मीट फट ? वह सबसे पहले किससे मिला ?

#### Answer:

He first met a man with a donkey. (ही फर्स्ट मेट अ मैन विद अ डौंकी।) वह सबसे पहले एक आदमी से मिला जिसके पास गधा था।

#### Question 4.

Why did Bhola think of buying a sheep? (व्हाय डिड भोला थिंक ऑफ बाइंग अ शीप ?) भोला ने एक भेड खरीदने के बारे में क्यों सोचा?

#### Answer:

Bhola thought that his wife would like to have a sheep in place of a donkey. Therefore, he thought of buying a sheep

(भोला थॉट दैट हिज़ वाइफ वुड लाइक टू हैव अ शीप इन प्लेस ऑफ अ डौंकी। देअरफोर, ही थॉट ऑफ बाइंग अ शीप।)

भोला ने सोचा कि उसकी पत्नी गधे के बजाय भेड लेना चाहेगी। इसलिए उसने एक भेड खरीदने के बारे में सोचा।

#### Question 5.

What did the girl having green mangoes ask the horse trainer? (व्हॉट डिड द गर्ल हैविंग ग्रीन मैंगोज़ आस्क द हॉर्स ट्रेनर ?) हरे आमों वाली लड़की ने अश्व-शिक्षक से क्या पूछा ?

#### Answer:

The girl having green mangoes asked the horse trainer, whether his hen laid eggs. (द गर्ल हैविंग ग्रीन मैंगोज़ आस्क्ड़ द हॉर्स ट्रेनर, व्हेदर हिज़ हैन लेड ऐग्स्।) हरे आमों वाली लड़की ने अश्व-शिक्षक से पूछा कि क्या उसकी मुर्गी अण्डे देती है।

- (B) Tick the correct answer true/false : (सही उत्तर पर सत्य/असत्य का चिन्ह लगाइए)
- 1. Bhola's wife was Asha. (भोलाज़ वाइफ वॉज़ आशा।)
- 2. Bhola spent little money for feeding his horse. (भोला स्पैन्ट लिट्ल मनी फॉर फीडिंग हिज़ हॉर्स।)
- 3. His wife loved to eat mango chutney. (हिज़ वाइफ लव्ड् टू ईट मैंगो चटनी।)
- 4. The girl had a basket full of green mangoes. (द गर्ल हैड अ बास्केट फुल ऑफ ग्रीन मैंगोज़)।
- 5. Bhola gave the sheep to the girl in exchange for her green mangoes. (भोला गेव द शीप टू द गर्ल इन ऐक्सचेन्ज फॉर हर ग्रीन मैंगोज़।)

#### Answer:

- 1. (F)
- 2. (T)
- 3. (T)
- 4. (T)
- 5. (F).

Word Power (शब्द सामर्थ)

- (A) Write one word for these : (इनके लिए एक शब्द लिखिए)
  - 1. One who trains a horse.
  - 2. One who looks after sheep.

- 3. One who rides and controls an elephant.
- 4. The person who controls wild animals in a circus.

#### Answers:

- 1. Horse-trainer
- 2. Shepherd
- 3. Mahout
- 4. Ring master.
- (B) Match the two columns:

# A B 1. a herd of (a) cattle 2. a bunch of (b) soldiers 3. a heap of (c) bees 4. a bouquet of (d) flowers 5. a swarm of (e) grapes 6. an army of (f) stones

#### Answer:

- $1. \rightarrow (a)$
- $2. \rightarrow (e)$
- $3. \rightarrow (f)$
- $4. \rightarrow (d)$
- $5. \rightarrow (c)$
- $6. \rightarrow (b)$

# Grammar in Use (व्याकरण का प्रयोग) :

- (A) Combine the pairs of sentences given below using 'who':
- ('हूँ' का प्रयोग करते हुए निम्न वाक्यों को छोड़िये)
- 1. (a) The girl is wearing a red sweater.
- (b) The girl is Sarita.

#### Answer:

The girl, who is waring a red sweater, is Sarita.

- 2. (a) The boy is wearing a blue cap.
- (b) The boy is the tallest boy in the class.

Answer:

The boy, who is wearing a blue cap, is the tallest boy in the class.

- 3. (a) Seema studies in class VIII.
- (b) Seema is the most brilliant student of the class.

Answer:

Seema, who studies in class VIII, is the most brilliant student of the class.

- 4. (a) John is a good story teller.
- (b) John is telling an interesting story.

Answer:

John, who is a good story teller, is telling an interesting story..

- 5. (a) Gurmeet helps the boy.
- (b) The boy is blind.

Answer:

Gurmeet helps the boy, who is blind.

Let's Talk (आओ बात करें):

(i) Sit in groups of 4-5 and make a list of domestic animals and birds. (चार-पाँच के समूह में बैठकर पालतू जानवरों और पक्षियों की सूची बनाइए)

Answer:

Domestic animals:

Cow

Dog

Rabbit

Mouse

Birds:

**Pigeon** 

**Parrot** 

Cat

(ii) Compare your lists and discuss about their usefulness. (अपनी सूचियों का मिलान करें और इनकी उपयोगिता के बारे में चर्चा कीजिए।)

Answer:

On comparing the lists you may discuss about their following uses:

- 1. Cow gives us milk which is used in making several food products like curd, ghee.
- 2. Cow-dung is used in making dung cakes (kandas) which are used as fuel.
- 3. Dog guards our house.
- 4. It can detect thieves.

- 5. They also keep a watch on the house.
- 6. Cats eat rats and drive them away from the house.
  - 7. Parrot entertains us.
  - (iii) Ask the following questions and fill up the table : (निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों को पूछिए और तालिका में भरिए)
    - 1. Which is most commonly seen bird in your neighbourhood?
    - 2. How many birds visit your neighbourhood regularly?
    - 3. Do you know their names? Write at least two.
    - 4. Which animals are seen near or in your home?
    - 5. How are these useful to you? Write two things.

#### Answer:

S. No.	Birds	Animals
1.	Crow	
2.	Several	
3.	Yes, sparrow, pigeon, crow, parrot.	
4.		Dog, cow, cat, monkey,
5.	Add to the beauty of nature.     Parrot entertains us.	Dog keep a watch on the house.     Cow gives us milk.

# Let's Write (आओ लिखें):

(a) Write a paragraph using the group of words given below:

(निम्न शब्दों का प्रयोग करते हुए एक अनुच्छेद लिखिए)

- 1. The horse trainer, market, sell, horse, buy, donkey.
- 2. Bhola, exchange, donkey, sheep, hen.
- 3. a girl, hen, buy, green, mango.

#### Answer:

The horse trainer, called Bhola took his horse to sell in the market. He first exchanged his horse for a donkey then he exchanged donkey for a sheep and then sheep for a hen. When he

saw a girl selling green mangoes he exchanged his hen for the green mangoes as his wife loved to eat mango chutney. Thus, finally with green mangoes in exchange of a horse he went back to his way home.

(b) Write a paragraph about mangoes using the following clues : (निम्न संकेतों का प्रयोग कर आम पर एक अनुच्छेद लिखिए) shade, fruit, green, ripe, sweet, sour, jelly, jam, pickle, juice,

#### Answer:

A mango is a delicious fruit. It is sweet in taste. Its tree provides us shade. Unripe or raw mangoes are green in colour and sour in taste. Unripe mangoes are used in making pickle whereas ripe mangoes are used in making jelly, jam and juice.

## Let's Do It (आओ इसे करें):

(A) Read the following sentences and rewrite them using 'should should not: (निम्नलिखित वाक्यों को पढ़िए और उन्हें 'should'/ 'should not' का प्रयोग कर पुनः लिखिए) Answer:

S. No.	Sentence	using "should"/'should not'
1.	Plant new trees.	We should plant new trees.
2.	Never cut green trees.	We should never cut green trees.
3.	Do not hurt animals and birds.	We should not hurt animals and birds.
4.	Dont' be cruel to animals.	We should not be cruel to animals.
5.	Feed our pets properly.	We should feed our pets properly.

(B) Now write more sentences using "We should do" and "We should not do".

(अब 'We should do' और 'We Should not' का प्रयोग कर कुछ वाक्य लिखिए।) Answer:

S. No.	We should do	We should not do
1.	We should get up early in the morning.	We should not get up late in the morning.
2.	We should obey our elders.	We should not disobey our elders.
3.	We should respect our teachers.	We should not disresect our teachers.
4.	We should take care of our cleanliness.	We should not be dirty.
5.	We should be polite.	We should not be rude.