

NCERT SOLUTIONS

CLASS - 4th



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Q1 Who was Hiawatha ?

Answer. Hiawatha was a young little Red Indian boy.

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Q2 Who was Nokomis?

Answer. Nokomis was Hiawatha's grandmother.

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Q3 What did he learn about the birds?

Answer. Hiawatha learned the language of the birds. In this way, he got to learn a lot of things about birds like:

- (i) the names and secrets of animals
- (i) how did animals built their homes/shelters
- (ii) the places they hide themselves in winter.

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Q4 What secrets did he learn about beasts?

Answer. Hiawatha kamed the language Of beasts. Due to this. he karned many about the beasts such as:

- (i) their names and secrets
- (i) how beavers built their lodges
- (ii) where the squirrels hide their acorns
- (iv) how the reindeer ran so swiftly
- (v) and why was the so timid.

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Q1 Do you think that –

- (a) Hiawatha liked learning new languages?
- (b) Hiawatha called the birds 'chickens' and the beasts 'brothers'? What do you think this shows?
- (c) Do birds have secrets?
- (d) Do you know the secret language of any animal? Tell the class about it.

Answer. (a) Yes, Hiawatha liked learning new languages.
(b) This shows that Hiawatha was friendly to birds and animals.
(c) Yes, birds have their secrets.
(d) No, I don't know the secret language of any animal.

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Q1 This is a park where children talk to different animals and birds. Write four sentences about the picture. Use capital letters where required, complete sentences and punctuation.



Answer. In the village, there lived a girl named Radhika- She was very kind to animals, She would care for them and feed them She grew up with them and learned to understand their feelings. This was a unique quality that only she had.

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Q2 Where do the following live ?

- (a) Birds live in _____
- (b) Rabbits live in _____
- (c) Beavers live in _____

Answer. (a) Birds live in nests.
(b) Rabbits live in underground burrows or warrens.
(c) Beavers live in lodges made in ponds.

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Q3 Describe 'Hiawatha', his home and friends in ten lines.

- Answer. (i) He was a young little Red Indian boy.
(ii) He lived with his grandmother, Nokomis.
(iii) He learned the languages of birds and beasts.
(iv) By nature, he was kind and loving.
(v) He lived in Wigwam. It was a dome-shaped hut made by fastening mats, skins or bark over a framework of poles.
(vi) He called the birds 'Hiawatha's chickens'.
(vii) all the beasts, beavers, squirrels, reindeer and rabbit were his best friends.
(viii) Hiawatha used to talk to the birds and animals whenever he wanted to.
(ix) He got to know their names and all their secrets.
(x) He considered beasts as his 'brothers'.

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Q4 What did Hiawatha love?

Answer. Hiawatha loved birds and animals.

Q5 Match 'A' with 'B' and write the complete sentences below

A	B
Whenever	I go, I have friends.
Whoever	I am hungry, I eat.
Wherever	comes first, wins.

- Answer. (i) Whenever I am hungry, I eat.
(ii) Whoever comes first, wins.
(iii) Wherever I go, I have friends.

Q6 Complete the following stories by using an appropriate word from the box given below —

my, his, he, your

(A) Ram was a farmer. _____ wanted to sell _____ goats and sheep. so he went to the market. There _____ sold all _____ animals to a rich man and got a lot of money. When he was going back to _____ village. Three thieves stopped him. "Stop! Give us all _____ money." Ram was very clever. He said, "I'll give _____ money to the strongest of you." On hearing this, the thieves started fighting amongst themselves. Ram slipped away quietly.

(B) Sitting on a tree a crow was enjoying a piece of bread. A hungry fox wanted to have that bread. _____ said very sweetly, "Dear brother, I've heard that _____ voice is very sweet. Please sing a for me." The foolish crow opened _____ beak and the piece Of bread fell down. The fox picked it up in _____ mouth and ran away.

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Q7 Some words have similar sounds, but different meanings. Choose the correct word from the box and fill in the blanks.

- (a) The bird sits on a _____ .
(bow, bough)
(b) The squirrel has a long _____ .
(tail, tale)
(c) I have to leave at _____ .
(too, two)
(d) This sum is _____ .
(right, write)
(e) I can _____ the bird's song.
(hear, here)
(f) Do you _____ a secret?
(no, know)
(g) The King sits on the _____ .
(thrown, throne)
(h) He is our school _____ .
(principal, principle)

- Answer. (a) bough
(b) tail
(c) two
(d) right
(e) hear
(f) know
(g) throne
(h) principal

Q1 Who came to Akbar's court?

Answer. A learned Pundit came to Akbar's court.

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Q2 What did he claim to know?

Answer. He claimed to know many different languages. He could speak them fluently.

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Q3 How did he challenge everybody?

Answer. He challenged everybody to name his mother tongue.

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Q1 What is your mother tongue?

Answer. DIY

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Q2 Tell the class a joke in your mother tongue.

Answer. DIY

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Q3 Do you know any other language? Do you know a joke in English? Tell your friends.

Answer. DIY

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Q1 Listen to your favourite advertisement on the radio or T.V. Repeat it with stress on the words. Act, draw and write the advertisement.

Answer. DIY

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Q1 Make a class dictionary with words from the story. Try to find suitable words for them in your mother tongue. Say these words aloud. Then make sentences with those words in your class dictionary.

Answer.

- Words in English ----- Sentences
- Converse ----- I can converse in English fluently.
- Tickle ----- I tickled the baby to make him laugh.
- Mastery ----- My father has mastery over mathematics.
- Challenged ----- I challenged him to solve the riddle.
- Feather ----- The wind blew the feather far away.
- Accepted ----- My father accepted my decision.
- Difficulty ----- I faced a lot Of difficulty during my return journey.
- Truth ----- No one can overlook the truth for long.

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Q2 Write all the words that show you are happy.
For example: Hurray, Ha! Ha! Add more

Answer. That's great! Wow! Yahoo! Yahl Whooo! Yeah! Bam! Youza!

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Q3 Tick the right answer.

(i) 'I visited the court of Akbar' means

- (a) You always live there.
- (b) You came there for a short time.
- (c) You were born there,

(ii) To imitate someone means to

- (a) copy someone
- (b) tease someone
- (c) make someone angry

Answer. (i) You came there for a short time.

(ii) copy someone

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Q4 Look and fill in the columns. One has been done you.



Answer.

quiet quietly

fluent fluently

angry angrily

sad sadly

fierce fiercely

gentle gently

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Q5 Match the words in Column 'A' with words in Column 'B' .

A	B
king	children
teacher	patients
doctor	courtiers
bus	driver clients
lawyer	passengers
mother	students

Answer.

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Teacher	Students
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