

Listen to the story:

Friends Forever

Raghu and Madhav were close friends. Once both were walking through the village side. Suddenly, they argued over something and Raghu slapped Madhav. Madhav was deeply hurt by Raghu's misbehaviour. But he did not react. Madhav just wrote on the sand, "Today my best friend slapped me."



After sometime, they found a clean and beautiful lake. They started taking bath in the lake. Suddenly Madhav started drowning. Then his friend Raghu came to his rescue and saved him. When Madhav was saved from the drowning, he engraved on a stone, "Today my best friend saved my life."

Seeing this, Raghu asked Madhav, "You wrote on the sand when I slapped you and now as I saved you, you wrote on a stone, why so?" Madhav replied, "I wrote it on the sand because we should not keep bitter experiences in our mind for a long time. But if someone does something good for us, we must remember it forever like a message on a stone."



Fill in the blanks:

1. After sometime, they found a clean and _____ lake.
2. _____ started drowning in the lake.
3. If someone does something good for us, we must _____ it.



4. Madhav was deeply hurt by Raghu's _____ .
5. Madhav engraved on a _____ .



Answer the questions:

1. Who were close friends?
2. Where did Raghu and Madhav start taking bath?
3. Why did Madhav write on the sand when Raghu slapped him?
5. Madhav slapped Raghu. True or False?
6. What will you do if your friend hurts you?

READING

Read the passage and answer the questions:



Samsheer and Kuldip were childhood friends. They had a dream to serve the nation by joining the army. Both fulfilled their dream and joined the army. Very soon they also got an opportunity to serve the nation. The war broke out and they were sent to battle. Going there, both bravely faced the enemies. Samsheer was badly injured during the battle. When Kuldip came to know about this, he was about to run and save his injured friend. Then another soldier stopped him and said, "There is no point in going there now. By the time you get there, your friend will be dead."

Kuldip did not agree and went to save his injured friend. When he came back, he had his friend on his shoulder but he was dead. Seeing this, the other soldier said, "I told you there was no point in going there. You could not bring your friend safely. Your effort was in vain." Kuldip replied, "No sir, it was not in vain. When I reached him, he said to me with a smile – friend, I was sure, you would definitely come." These were his last words. I could not save him. I lost my friend but I saved the faith he had in me.

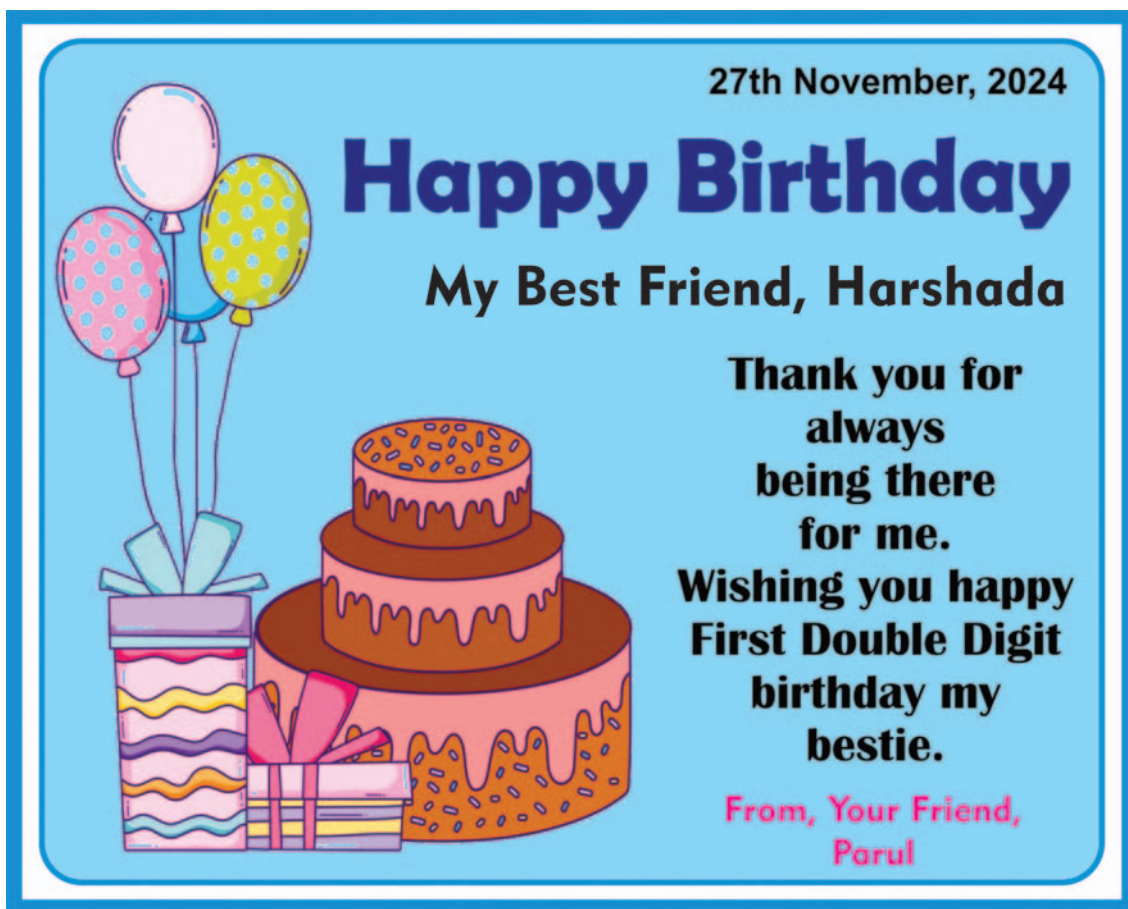


1. Who were childhood friends?
2. What were Samsher's last words?
3. Could Kuldip save his friend?
4. Finally what did Kuldip save?
5. Give similar words of the following from the passage:
 - a. war: _____
 - b. useless: _____
 - c. country: _____

Read the sentences and write 'True' or 'False':

1. Samsher wished to save his injured friend. _____
2. Samsher and Kuldip wanted to join the army. _____
3. Kuldip was badly injured in the battle. _____
4. When Kuldip approached Samsher, he was dead. _____
5. The other soldier stopped Kuldip. _____

Study the birthday card and fill in the blanks:



1. Harshada's birthday is on _____ .
2. It is Harshada's _____ birthday.
3. _____ and _____ are the best friends.
4. Do you wish your friends on their birthday?
5. Who sent the birthday card to Harsha?

WRITING



Study the picture and write 8 to 10 sentences about it:



Write a paragraph about 'My Best Friend' using the clues:

(name, age, lives in, nature, favourite food-sports-subject-hobby)



LANGUAGE FUNCTION

Fill in the blanks using the words given in the brackets:

(Who, What, Where, When, How many, How much)

- (1) _____ is your English teacher?
- (2) _____ do Anushka and Kenisha work?
- (3) _____ does Vedant come home?
- (4) _____ pens do you have?
- (5) _____ water is there in your bottle?
- (6) _____ does Paresh like?



Study the picture carefully and answer the questions:



- (1) Who is playing with a doll?
- (2) What is Dev doing?
- (3) How many flowers are there in the flower vase?
- (4) What is the colour of the curtains?
- (5) What time is it?
 - a. 9:00 a.m.
 - b. 11:45 p.m.
 - c. 9:00 p.m.
 - d. 11:45 a.m.

VOCABULARY

Here is a paragraph about good friends. Fill in the blanks choosing appropriate words:

(good, supportive, comfortable, difficult, best, bad, lucky, loyal)

We all have friends but choosing good friends is always a very _____ task. We are _____ with our _____ friends. We can easily share our thoughts and feelings with them. They trust us and we trust them. Good friends are there for us during _____ and _____ times. Good friends are _____ and _____. Friends help in our difficult times. I am _____ I have many friends.

Make new words from the given words:

Example:	Helpful	–	fuel,	full,	help
1.	generous	–	_____	_____	_____
2.	honest	–	_____	_____	_____
3.	hardworking	–	_____	_____	_____
4.	aeroplane	–	_____	_____	_____
5.	vegetable	–	_____	_____	_____

ACTIVITY

Use the following instructions to play the game:

Musical Chair – In a New Way.

- શિક્ષક વિદ્યાર્થીઓને સંગીત ખુરશીની રમત રમાડશે.
- સંગીત બંધ થાય ત્યારે વિદ્યાર્થીઓ ખુરશી પર બેસવાને બદલે થોભી જશે.
- ત્યાર બાદ શિક્ષક સૂચના આપશે – Go and bring a pencil.

- શિક્ષક દ્વારા જણાવેલ વસ્તુ વિદ્યાર્થી પોતાના મિત્રો પાસેથી ઝડપથી મેળવી ખુરશીમાં બેસી જશે.
- જે વિદ્યાર્થી શિક્ષકે કહેલી વસ્તુ લઈને છેલ્લા આવશે તે રમતમાંથી out ગણાશે.
- શિક્ષક અલગ અલગ વસ્તુના નામ બોલશે અને રમત આગળ વધારશે.
- જેમકે, Go and bring a pen.
(Go and bring an eraser, a sharpener, a chalkstick, a notebook etc.)
- રમતના અંતે કોઈ એક વિદ્યાર્થી વિજેતા બનશે.
- આ રમત જૂથમાં પણ રમાડી શકાય.

SPEAKING

Read the dialogue and enact it (Role play):

Montu : Tomorrow is holiday, let's plan a picnic.

Hemu : But what shall we do?

Payal : We shall go to Deval's farm and enjoy mangoes.

Deval : Good idea! But it is too hot nowadays, so it is better to go for a beach.

Montu : Wow! What an idea! We shall enjoy boating there.

Payal : We shall enjoy swimming too.

Hemu : And what's about 'pet puja'?

Montu : Cool down 'hungry bird'. We shall enjoy 'khichu' and 'bhungala bataka' there.

Deval : That's great! I am excited for tomorrow's plan.

DO IT YOURSELF

1. Make a birthday card for your friend from the chart paper or used invitation cards.



2. Write a short message of thanks to your best friend, for a lovely birthday gift.