

SANSKAR SCHOOL

GRADE - 5

Assignment - 24

Date:13th January, 2021 Thursday

ENGLISH:

TASK: Read the given comprehension carefully and answer the questions in your notebook.

KING SOLOMON AND TWO MOTHERS

In olden times, there ruled a great and powerful king, whose name was Solomon. The whole kingdom was under his sway, and there was no one as rich on the face of the earth. When Solomon came to the throne, he had been worried about the greatness of the task before him, and he hoped that he would rule his people justly.

His wish was granted. More than his wealth and honor, Solomon was known throughout the land for his wisdom. One day, two women came before him. They carried with them a little baby which they set down at the foot of Solomon's throne.

'My lord,' said one of the women, 'five days ago I gave birth to a child. This woman and I live in the same house, and three days later she also had a child, but that same night her child left this world. At midnight she arose and while I was sleeping, took my son and laid her lifeless child in its place. When I awoke in the morning, I thought at first that my son was no more, until I realized that it was not my child.'

'No,' interrupted the second woman, 'she is lying, my lord! This child is mine!'

'No,' cried the first woman. 'This child is mine.' King Solomon raised his hand for silence.

'One of you says "My child lives and yours is no more." and the other says "Your child is no more and my child lives". There is a simple way to resolve the matter. Bring me a sword.' A sword was brought and the gathering of people waited to see what the king would do.

"Very well,' he said, 'cut the child in two. Give half to one mother, and half to the other.' The first woman turned pale. 'My lord,' she said in a shaking voice, "please give her the child. I do not want any harm to come to it".

However, the other woman was unmoved. 'Let it be neither mine nor yours,' she said. 'Do as the king has said.

'Then Solomon arose and pointed to the first woman. The child belongs to her,' he said. 'Give her the child. She is the real mother.'

'Word of this judgment spread throughout the land and people marveled at the wisdom of King Solomon.'

A. Answer the questions.

1. What kind of a king was Solomon?

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2. What was the story which one of the women narrated to King Solomon?

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3. What did each of the two women claim?

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4. How did King Solomon solve the problem?

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5. How did the people of his kingdom react to his judgment?

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B. Find words from the story which mean the following:

- 1. got up
- 2. in the right way
- 3. find a solution.....
- 4. verdict of the court.....

C. Write two adjectives used to describe King Solomon in the passage.

1.

2.

MATHS:

TASK: Fractions (Multiplication of fractions) Ex 7A Q 1 to 5 in notebook.

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TASK: अपनी पाठ्य पुस्तक में पृष्ठ संख्या 66 पर प्रदत्त कविता "सुमन एक उपवन के" वाचन कौशल हेतु याद कीजिए।

UOI:

TASK: Frame the **Timeline** for the Exhibition topic (Group wise)

ART:

TASK: **COLORING ACTIVITY** – Color the picture on page 2 in art book as indicated.

DANCE:

TASK: Watch and learn dance warm up exercise

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