

St. Thomas School , Dhurwa , Ranchi..4

SECOND TERM (2021-22)

Subject ---English Literature (English 2)

BOOK----NEW ASTER ADVANCED

CH-10 The Elephants and the Mice

A. New words :

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| 1. forest | 4. promise |
| 2. trampled | 5. trapped |
| 3. request | 6. loyalty |

B. Write the meaning of the given words:

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| a. nibbled | - | chewed |
| b. rescue | - | save |
| c. loyalty | - | faithful |

C. Make sentences with:

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| a. king | - | Ashoka was a great king . |
| b. help | - | I help my mother in her work . |
| c. week | - | There are seven days in a week . |
| d. heavy | - | The table is very heavy . |

D. Fill in the blanks :

- 1) The water is so cool and fresh.
- 2) The elephants are big land animals .
- 3) The mice proved their loyalty.
- 4) The chief of the elephants was very kind- hearted.

E. Answer these questions .

Q1 Why did the king of mice request the chief of the elephants to take another route to the lake?

Ans The king of mice requested because the elephants killed many mice on the way to the lake.

Q2 . What did the king of mice promise to the chief of the elephants?

Ans. The king of mice promised to help the elephants in the hour of their need.

Q3. Why did the chief of elephants laugh on hearing the promise?

Ans. The thought of small mice helping giant elephants made the chief of elephants laugh.

Q4. How did the mice help the elephants?

Ans. The mice quickly chewed the thick net to help the elephants.

Q5. What lesson did the chief of the elephants learn?

Ans. The chief of elephants learnt the lesson of humility.

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