

Subject :- English [Grammar]

Chapter 1 :- Using the Dictionary

Practise [Pg 3]

[Do in Book]

- A) Encircle the words which appear immediately before the highlighted words and underline the words which immediately follow them in a dictionary.

1) Iron	insect	industry	involute	irrigate
2) E-mail	echo	eagle	enjoy	essay
3) office	offer	offend	officer	official
4) Radio	Race	Radium	Recover	Recruit
5) valley	Vacant	victim	Vain	Value
6) Morning	Mould	moist	Mountain	Money
7) Home	Heal	hour	Head	Happy
8) Leaf	Ledge	lazy	log	leaky
9) Flower Bed	Flag	flowerpot	flock	funny
10) outfit	Offer	occur	owl	oxygen

- B) Fill in the blanks with letters to form any three words that will follow the highlighted words in a dictionary.

1) Penguin	Permit	Petal	Picture
2) Garden	Gem	General	Goat
3) Kite	Knelt	Knit	know
4) Night	Nat	Number	Nurse
5) Scared	Score	Show	Slow
6) Analysis	Ant	April	Amose
7) Observe	occur	ocean	oil
8) Fan	Fat	fast	Fastly
9) Mango	Mass	meet	most
10) Idea	Igloo	ill	into

D) Do you know the parts of speech of these words? write them down and then check your answers with the help of a dictionary. [Pg -4] (2)

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| 1) Bright | <u>Adjective</u> | 6) Help | <u>Noun</u> |
| 2) Normally | <u>Adverb</u> | 7) Painful | <u>Adjective</u> |
| 3) Evening | <u>Noun</u> | 8) wonderful | <u>Adjective</u> |
| 4) Beside | <u>Preposition</u> | 9) React | <u>Verb</u> |
| 5) Hobby | <u>Noun</u> | 10) Matchstick | <u>Noun</u> |

E) Learn about the difference in the meanings of the words in the brackets and then fill in blanks.

- 1) Let's hire a car and go for a drive in the hills.
- 2) The Banerjees are on a Vacation in Paris right now.
- 3) The teacher gave the class examples and then preceded to explain the concept.
- 4) The Kangchenjunga is the third highest mountain in the world.
- 5) Thomas Edison invented the first electric bulb.
- 6) A flash of lightning struck the tree and burnt it.
- 7) Bait is the food used to catch animals and birds.
- 8) The tourist cottage is beside the bubbling stream.
- 9) Hazel has always been very discreet about her personal life.
- 10) The explicit guidelines helped me complete the report on my own.

F) Look up a dictionary and find the correct meanings of the highlighted words.

- 1) Yesterday's cricket match was a draw.

Ans. A result of a game or competition in which both players or teams get the same score so that neither of them wins.

- 2) I asked Jim to draw a picture of his grandfather.

Ans. To do a picture or diagram of something with a pencil pen etc.

- 3) Mother is anxious about little Toby's Health.

Ans. worried or afraid

- 4) Minnie is working hard to make ends meet.

Ans. Not easy

- 5) A **foul** smell is coming from the dustbin. (3)
 Ans. Very bad or unpleasant
- 6) I can **bank** on my parents for emotional support.
 Ans. Trust
- 7) Father came home straight from the **Bank**.
 Ans. An organization which keeps money safely
- 8) we strolled along the **bank** of the river.
 Ans. Alongside
- 9) last night, I **heard** the pitter-patter of rain on the roof.
 Ans. To receive sounds with your ears.
- 10) A **herd** of elephants crossed our jeep during the jungle safari.
 Ans. A large no. of animals that live and feed together

4) use a dictionary to complete this table

Word	Meaning	Pronunciation	Part of speech
1. Puddle	A small pool of water	Puh-dl	Noun
2. Menace	A damage	Meh-nuh斯	Noun
3. Industrial -ous	Always working hard	in-dun-stree-uhs	Adjective
4. Slither	To move by sliding from side by side	Sli-thur	Verb
5. Bland		Bland	Adjective
6. Monarch	A king or queen	Maw-nak	Noun
7. Oasis	A place in desert where there is water	ow-ei-sis	Noun
8. Protagonist	The main character in a play	Pro-ta-gon-ist	Noun
9. Diligently	Careful way	Dil-i-kuh-juhnt-lee	Adverb
10. Comply	To obey an order	Kuhm-plai	Verb