

Class 4 English

Unseen Passage

Comprehension Passage – Rani Lakshmibai of Jhansi

Rani Lakshmibai (19 November 1828 – 18 June 1858) was the brave queen of Jhansi and one of the most famous heroes of the First War of Indian Independence in 1857. She is remembered for her courage, leadership, and deep love for her country.

When she was a young girl, she was called Manu. She was trained in horse riding, sword fighting, and other skills from a young age. Later, she married the king of Jhansi and became the queen. After her husband's death, she was left to take care of her young son.

The British government refused to accept her adopted son as the next king of Jhansi. They wanted to take control of the kingdom. Rani Lakshmibai strongly opposed this decision and decided to fight against the British army. She bravely led her soldiers into battle to protect her kingdom and her people.

Rani Lakshmibai died fighting bravely in battle in 1858. Today, she is remembered as a symbol of bravery and patriotism. Her sacrifice reminds us to respect the freedom fighters who struggled to win independence for our country.

Questions

Q1. Who was Rani Lakshmibai?

- a) The queen of Delhi
- b) The queen of Jhansi
- c) The queen of Jaipur
- d) The queen of Agra

Q2. What was Rani Lakshmibai called when she was young?

- a) Sita
- b) Manu
- c) Radha
- d) Rani

Q3. Why did Rani Lakshmibai fight against the British?

- a) To become famous
- b) To protect Jhansi and her people
- c) To travel to other countries
- d) To build a new palace

Q4. When did Rani Lakshmibai die?

- a) 1850
- b) 1857
- c) 1858
- d) 1865

Q5. Find the synonym of the word “brave” from the options below.

- a) Courageous
- b) Weak

c) Afraid

d) Lazy

Q6. Why do we remember Rani Lakshmibai even today?

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Answers

1. b) The queen of Jhansi
2. b) Manu
3. b) To protect Jhansi and her people
4. c) 1858
5. a) Courageous
6. Because of her bravery, sacrifice, and love for the country.

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Comprehension Passage

A morning walk is one of the simplest and best exercises for our body. It helps us stay fit, active, and healthy. Walking in the fresh air early in the morning refreshes our mind and fills us with energy for the entire day. The best part is that it does not cost any money and can be done by anyone.

In the early morning, nature looks calm and beautiful. The cool breeze and fresh air make us feel relaxed. Trees and plants give us oxygen, which is important for breathing. The tiny dew drops on the green grass shine like pearls in the sunlight. Walking barefoot on the grass is believed to be good for our eyesight. The pleasant smell of flowers also makes us feel happy and peaceful.

A morning walk also helps us develop the habit of waking up early. This gives us more time to plan our daily activities and complete our work on time. Therefore, we should make morning walk a part of our daily routine.

Questions

Q1. What does a morning walk provide us?

- a) Food
- b) Energy
- c) Clothes
- d) Water

Q2. Why is oxygen important for us?

- a) For eating
- b) For breathing
- c) For sleeping
- d) For playing

Q3. What do trees and plants give us?

- a) Food
- b) Water
- c) Oxygen
- d) Shade

Q4. What habit does a morning walk help us develop?

- a) Sleeping late
- b) Watching TV
- c) Waking up early
- d) Playing games

Q5. Find the synonym of the word “refreshes” from the options below.

- a) Tired
- b) Energizes
- c) Weakens
- d) Stops

Q6. Why should we go for a morning walk daily?

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Q7. Give a suitable title for the passage.

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Answers

1. b) Energy
2. b) For breathing
3. c) Oxygen
4. c) Waking up early
5. b) Energizes
6. Because it keeps us fit, healthy, and active.
7. Benefits of Morning Walk

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