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CLASS : III

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CHAPTER : 14, The Parrot's Message

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Good morning students

Students this lesson is for Class III for the subject of English Literature in which Ch-14, The Parrot's Message is covered and is being submitted to you on 28.10.24

Once upon a time, a merchant lived in the old city of Bokhara. He often went to other countries for business. Once he decided to go to India. Before he started, he asked his family what presents they wanted from India. He asked his Indian parrot also which could talk very well. He told him that he wanted nothing but whenever he came across any wild parrots then he had to say those words. He will say that one of his friends was spending his days in a cage in Bokhara while they were flying about in the sky and enjoying their freedom. He spent several months in India. When he was ready to go back to his country, he saw some parrots in the woods. He gave his message to them. Then something very



strange happened. An old parrot began to shake and suddenly fell off the tree and lay dead at the merchant's feet. After some days, he reached back Bokhara. He gave the message to his parrot. The parrot gave a loud scream after hearing this and then began to shake and after a few moments fell to the bottom of the cage dead. The merchant took the dead parrot out of the cage and threw him into the garden. Instead, he spread his wings and flew to a nearby tree. The merchant's parrot understood the message given by the parrot that if he wanted to be free, he should pretend to be dead. The merchant was left wondering at the cleverness of the two parrots.

### HOMEWORK

Read Ch-14 The Parrot's Message twice.