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BOOK: FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLASS: IV

SUBJECT: ENGLISH LANGUAGE DATE 5.8.24

CHAPTER: 12, WE AND THE EARTH TEACHERS: PAMEL

Good morning students

Students this lesson is for class IV for the subject of English Language in which chapter 12, We and the Earth is covered starting on page number 28 of your textbook titled Friday Afternoon.

Children, read the given comprehension carefully with complete understanding and attempt the questions of the given passage.

We do things to the earth that can change our lives and the lives of plants and other animals that share our world. We cut down forests to make room for roads, dams, farms and towns. When we do this, we kill many beautiful plants and destroy the homes of wild animals. If an animal loses its home, it may die. We dump rubbish on the land. We pollute rivers and seas where fish and other creatures live. Some beautiful animals are killed so that people can have expensive



clothes. Wild cats like the leopard are killed for their skins, which are made into fur coats. Crocodile skins are made into shoes, handbags, and belts. Some animals are 'extinct'. We shall never see them again, except in books. Very often it is people who harm nature. So we are the ones who must think of ways to care for our world. We must learn to live with nature, and not destroy it. In many dry lands, there are very few trees. The number of trees is getting lesser as people chop them down and use the wood for cooking, keeping themselves warm and building homes. But people can plant more trees, use stoves that won't use much wood, and build their homes from other materials instead of wood. You too can help to protect the world's wildlife. Look at plants and animals without disturbing them. You will be helping to make our world a better place to live in.

So children I hope you have understood the story. Now I will give you questions and you will write answers in your book.



Q1. For what purpose do human beings cut down forests?

Q2. What harm do we cause by cutting down forests?

Q3. Why are so many beautiful animals killed?

Q4. What effect does pollution have on rivers and seas?

Q5. Tick the right answer.

a. Some animals have been hunted so much that

i. they are extinct. ☐

ii. they hide from humans. ☐

b. Man has harmed nature

i. so he must put things right. ☐

ii. but he must learn to live with nature. ☐

iii. but he must stop doing so. ☐



c. We should look at plants and animals without

(i) touching them. ☐

(ii) disturbing them in any way. ☐

(iii) destroying them. ☐

Q6. Which of these, do you think, is the most suitable title for this passage?

a. Clean and Green - Our Earth. ☐

b. Live with Nature. ☐

c. Love your Earth ☐

Q7. Find the meaning of these words from the passage.

a. afforestation - \_\_\_\_\_

b. deforestation - \_\_\_\_\_

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