

**Q.I**

1. c) weak
2. c) noun
3. d) are
4. c) rough
5. a) softly
6. c) an
7. c) won
8. a) aren't we?
9. c) agreement
10. c) mate
11. b) hot
12. b) sand castle
13. b) sufficient
14. c) an, a
15. c) 08.00PM
16. d) Mall
17. c) On
18. b) are playing
19. b) hemlock tree
20. a) falling of snow
21. c) The guitar was played by Ravi.
22. b) inside
23. a) Strange animal behaviour.
24. a) Birds screeching and flying about wildly.
25. d) roar
26. If I were Chandana, I would have followed a different course of action. Instead of carrying biscuits that could attract the tiger, I would have avoided carrying anything that might draw the attention of wild animals.
27. **a)** I'd enjoy various activities with my grandparents in my room, like sharing stories from their youth, discussing family history, and indulging in hobbies such as reading, games, or puzzles, fostering a warm and welcoming atmosphere for bonding.  
**b)** Alongside quality time, I'd ensure my room is comfortable for my grandparents by arranging cosy bedding, providing extra amenities like pillows and blankets, ensuring suitable lighting for reading or activities, and adding personal touches such as family photos or decorations, catering to their needs and preferences for a pleasant stay.
28. The mystery in the poem revolves around why the dog wags its tail. Despite pondering, the speaker and their companions cannot comprehend the reason. They consult a "doggy man" who explains that wagging is a natural behaviour in proper puppies, governed by the laws of nature. The tail wags because it can, unlike the dog controlling it directly.
29. On a hot summer day, a woman sold pots in the marketplace. She smiled at customers and showed them her beautiful pots, even though it was very hot outside. She worked hard and did not give up, even in the heat.
30. Once there lived a miser. His neighbours asked him what had happened when one day he made a terrible clatter. The Miser replied that he came every day to see it in the hole where he had kept it. Neighbours laughingly advised him to continue to come to the hole, look into it every day. The Miser told them that his treasure was missing. The neighbours wanted to know what he did with the treasure before it was gone.

31. Knowledgeable, Inspiring, Dedicated, Supportive

32. My summer vacation has begun. I'm now in my grandparents' house. I love to visit them whenever I get holidays. I simply enjoy being with them. They are very fond of me and my sister Lata. Early in the morning I go for swimming with my dear brother Sharan and my cousins. My grandmother makes delicious food for us and tells us a lot of stories. My grandfather takes us to long walks in the evenings. Sometimes we go shopping together on his scooter. He buys whatever we want from the shop, which is near the house. He tells us a lot of jokes. We all are very fond of our grandparents and pray for their long life and good health.

33.

1. mangoes    2. Apples and banana    3. Banana

34.

**Notice**

Date: January 28, 2024

Inter-School Singing Competition

Interested students are invited to participate in the Inter-School Singing Competition on February 15, 2024, at 10:00 AM in the School Auditorium. Register at the school office by February 5, 2024.

Ravi/Radha

Head Boy/Head Girl

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**From,**

Siddant Vibhute

8<sup>th</sup> standard

GHS Aland, Dist: Kalaburagi

**Date:** 29.01.2024

To,

The class teacher

GHS Aland, Dist: Kalaburagi

Respected sir,

Subject: Sharing your experiences of learning English and about cultural diversity.

I hope you're well. I wanted to share my English learning experiences this year. It's been enriching exploring cultural diversity through literature and discussions. Understanding different perspectives has broadened my outlook. Thank you for your guidance.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully

Siddant Vibhute