

# WORKSHEET 1

## COMPREHENSION

### A Trip to Goa

Rita had wanted to visit Goa and see its beaches since she was a little girl. For the past several months she had been saving money to fund a trip to Goa. When she had finally managed to save enough money, Rita bought round-trip flight tickets and booked a hotel room in Goa for a week's stay. Excited about her flight to Goa in the morning, Rita stayed awake till late in the night talking to her friends and discussing with them all that she had planned to do once she got there. As she went to bed late that night, it was hard for Rita to wake up on time the next morning. She took a long while to get up from her bed. By the time she finally got up, she realized that she was running an hour late and might miss her flight. In spite of her getting dressed quickly and rushing to the airport in a taxi, Rita could not make it on time and missed her flight. She chided herself for sleeping late at night and eventually missing her flight to Goa.

### A Write whether the following statements are true or false.

1. Rita had always disliked beaches.
2. Rita intended to spend two weeks in Goa.
3. Rita kept talking to her friends the night before her flight.
4. It was very hard for Rita to wake up in the morning.
5. Rita did things in a hurry and managed to board her plane.
6. Rita had been extremely excited to go to Goa for the past few months.

  
  
  
  
  

### B Answer the following questions.

1. What had Rita wanted since her childhood? What were her plans?

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2. Did Rita board her flight? Why or why not?

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3. How did Rita feel after she missed the flight?

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4. In your opinion, how important is punctuality? Explain.

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# WORKSHEET 2

## VOCABULARY

**A** Fill in the blanks with the correct options. Make necessary changes wherever required.

1. desert/dessert
  - a. Is there any \_\_\_\_\_ for today?
  - b. The film was shot in the Thar \_\_\_\_\_.
2. loose/lose
  - a. These are some \_\_\_\_\_ pearls that can be strung together to make a beautiful necklace.
  - b. Shayan will \_\_\_\_\_ all his money if he keeps gambling.
3. wander/wonder
  - a. I have always \_\_\_\_\_ what it would be like to travel the world.
  - b. Once I \_\_\_\_\_ deep into the forest while trekking.
4. sceptic/septic
  - a. If you do not get the wound treated in time it might become \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. The doctors are \_\_\_\_\_ about Varun's recovery.

**B** Fill in the blanks with the correct options.

1. A win in the next game would boost the team's \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. moral
  - b. morale
  - c. morality
2. How Suman managed to score the highest marks in the class remains a \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. mystique
  - b. mystic
  - c. mystery
3. Two women and three children were held in \_\_\_\_\_ for a fortnight by the terrorists.
  - a. captivity
  - b. capture
  - c. captivation
4. Virat Kohli is at the \_\_\_\_\_ of his career.
  - a. peek
  - b. pique
  - c. peak

# WORKSHEET 3

## GRAMMAR

**A** Fill in the blanks with the correct options from the box.

used to swim    has to win    used to go    had to rush  
will have to be careful    has to get up    used to sing

- I \_\_\_\_\_ to Shimla every year.
- Gauri \_\_\_\_\_ early in the morning to catch the bus.
- We \_\_\_\_\_ in this pond when we were children.
- Umar \_\_\_\_\_ while talking to the clients.
- Giri \_\_\_\_\_ to the hospital to see his uncle.
- They \_\_\_\_\_ songs during festivals.
- Jyoti \_\_\_\_\_ the next round to reach the finals.

**B** Fill in the blanks with the correct options from the box.

dare not come    needs to study    dared to lodge    need not come  
dared to interrupt    need to be present    needn't know

- Riya \_\_\_\_\_ the teachers while they were having a discussion.
- Anita \_\_\_\_\_ how the funds were arranged for the exhibition.
- The juniors \_\_\_\_\_ for the meeting, the seniors will handle everything.
- The students \_\_\_\_\_ late for the class.
- Shyam \_\_\_\_\_ for tomorrow's exam.
- All employees \_\_\_\_\_ for the seminar.
- Not a single person \_\_\_\_\_ a complaint against the goonda.

