Lesson 10

Want to jump on the bed(poem)

Class V

A. Write Meanings:

- 1. Bleach- a substance used to make something white
- 2.gag- to fill one's mouth so that they can't speak
- 3.groan- make a sound to show pain

B. Rhyming words:

1. kid-did 2. Blues-shoes 3.out-shout

4.reach-bleach 5. Head-bed 6. Eat-meat

7.table-abe 8.click-stick 9.away-day

10. creeping – sleeping.

C. Read the lines and answer the questions that follow:

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1. When I'm an old lady, I'll live with each kid,

And bring so much happiness, just as they did

a. Is the speaker an old lady now? How do you know?

Ans No, the speaker is not an old lady now, because in the first stanza, first line, she says 'When I'm an old lady' indidcating that she is not so now.

b. Does she have more than one kid? Pick the word which lets you know the answer.

Ans Yes, She has more than one kid. We know that because she says, I'll live with each kid' indicating there is more than one kid.

C. How does she plan to get back at her children?

Ans She plans to do the same naughty things they did when they were small to get back at them.

D. Pick the words which mean the same as: child, give, joy.

Ans child-kid, give-bring/pay, joy -happiness.

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2. When they cook dinner and call me to eat,

I'll not eat my green beans or salad or meat,

I'll gag on my okra, spill milk on the table,

And when they get angry, I'll run, if I'm able!

a. Pick the words which tell us that the speaker will refuse to eat healthy food.

Ans The line 'I'll not eat my green beans or salad or meat' ans the line "I'll gag on my okra, spill milk on the table" tell us that the speaker will refuse to eat healthy food.

b. Why do we gag on something we eat?

Ans We gag when something tastes so awful that it becomes difficult to swallow.

c. Why does the speaker say that she will run? What is he/she trying to escape?

Ans The speaker says she will run inorder to escape bring force-fed healthy food, or get scolded for spilling milk.

3. 'She's so sweet when she is sleeping!'

a. Whose imagination is this?

Ans This is the mother's imagination.

b. Will this ever happen?

Ans No, it most likely won't happen because the mother would actually not do any of the naughty things she talks about.

c. Do you think your mother says this every day after you sleep?

Ans Yes, I think my mother might be saying this every day after I am asleep.

Reader Book Exercises: To be written in the English Book itself.

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- 1. Pay back: I decided it was time to pay back what I had received.
- 2.drink from: Do not drink from plastic containers
- 3. get into: If you get into trouble, don't come crying to me.
- 4. hide under: Do not hide under the sheets, it will not solve your problems.
- 5. Gag on: I always gag on medicines because they taste horrible.

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- B. Think of an interesting verb, add -ing and fill in the blanks.
- 1. Anita loves watching cartoons.
- 2. Ruby dislikes watering the plants.
- 3. Sachin likes playing at the third position
- 4.My family prefers <u>staying</u> with our grandparents during our holidays.
- 5. People should stop <u>crowding</u> around a patient.
- 6. The baby starts **crying** when it became hungry.
- 7.Meeta is <u>laughing</u> at Harsha's joke.
- 8. The pony is **jumping** over the fence.
- D. Add either to before or -ing after the verb to fill in the blanks:
- 1. She decided to choose Geography as her subject.
- 2. People prefer wearing sweaters to jackets.
- 3. I like reading books, not watching TV.

- 4. My father dislikes going on tours and leaving us alone.
- 5. Our printer stops working whenever we want to use it.
- 6. I am looking at the painting.
- 7. Rupa likes to cook /cooking on weekends.
- 8. Mother loves to sew / sewing clothes for the orphanage.
