

The Ship of the Desert

Reading is fun

Question 1:

Why is the Camel called the Ship of the Desert?

Answer:

The camel is called the Ship of the Desert because he can walk across the desert even on a hot afternoon. Although the sand burns, but it doesn't bother him. He can walk over very comfortably.

Question 2:

For how many weeks can a camel store food in its hump?

Answer:

A camel can store food for two weeks in its hump.

Question 3:

What does the camel eat in the desert?

Answer:

A camel usually eats thorny bushes in the desert.

Question 4:

Choose the right answer.

i.) Name the Ship of the Desert

- (a) lion (c) camel
- (b) crab (d) tiger

ii.) Name the King of the Forest

- (a) lion (c) monkey
- (b) owl (d) crocodile

iii.) The feet of the camel are

- (a) thick and padded (c) thick and fat
- (b) long and fat (d) thin and padded

iv.) There are no rivers or lakes in

- (a) plains (c) plateaus
- (b) mountains (d) deserts

v.) At a time a camel can drink

- (a) 200 bottles of water (c) 100 bottles of water
- (b) 400 bottles of water (d) 300 bottles of water

vi.) A camel stores its food in its

- (a) stomach (c) legs
- (b) hump (d) lips

Answer:

- i.) c) camel
- ii.) a) lion
- iii.) a) thick and padded
- iv.) d) deserts
- v.) a) 200 bottles of water
- vi.) b) hump

Word building

Question 1:

Make as many words as you can from within the given words. The first one is done for you.

ROARING IN RAN ROAR

FROWNING _____

BLINKING _____

WONDERINGLY _____

Answer:

FROWNING FROWN OWN WING

BLINKING BLINK LINK KING

WONDERINGLY WONDER WRONG RING

Question 2:

Match the pictures with the words given below

tusk beak mane whiskers
hoof feet fin paw



Answer:



mane



paw



hoof



beak



feet



whiskers



fin

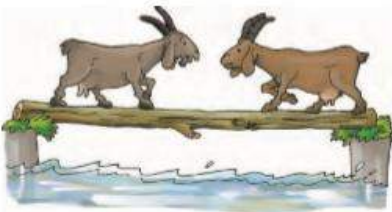


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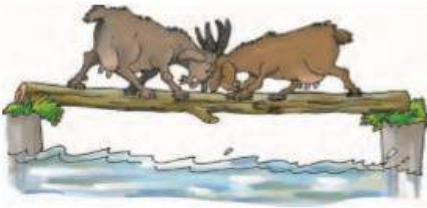
Let's write

Question 1:

Look at the goats in the pictures and write about them.



1. _____

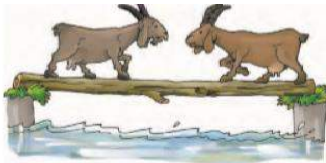


2. _____



3. _____

Answer:



1. Two goats are coming from opposite direction. Both of them want to cross a narrow bridge, but only one can cross it.



2. They start fighting as no one is ready to move backwards.



3. As a result, both of them slip and fall into the river.

Talk time

Question 1:

Read these words aloud, paying attention to their spellings.

i – eye

our – hour

week – weak

need – knead

in – inn

see – sea

no – know

here – hear

not – knot

eight – ate

of – off

two – too

bye – by

Now make sentences with each word.

Answer:

i – eye: I got my right eye checked at the hospital.

our – hour: Our relatives are likely to arrive in an hour.

week – weak: My friend was feeling too weak and sick to attend school in a week.

need – knead: My younger sister needs help to knead the dough.

in – inn: The travelers were relaxing in the inn.

see – sea: I can see the vast sea from the top floor of my house.

no – know: No one knows the correct answer to a difficult question.

here – hear: You can come and sit here to hear the speech clearly.

not – knot: I did not tie the knot in the cloth.

eight – ate: I ate my dinner at eight o'clock last evening.

of – off: Please turn off the switch of the fan.

two – too: The two children are too young to go to the park alone.

bye – by: Neeta was passing by my desk when she greeted me bye.

Team time

Question 1:

Find out which animals live in

- i) icy cold regions
- ii) hot wet regions
- iii) dry hot regions

Answer:

- i) Animals living in icy cold regions include Polar bear, Penguins, Arctic Fox, Snow Leopard etc.
- ii) Animals living in hot wet regions include fennec foxes, sidewinder snakes, dung beetles, Mexican coyotes and thorny devil lizards.
- iii) Animals living in dry hot regions include camels, ground squirrel, antelope etc.