

Class 5 - Worksheet

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Comprehension

1.) Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow:

Allahrakka Rahman, also more popularly known as A. R. Rahman is an Indian composer, singer and a music producer who most recently became famous for his music for the movie "Slumdog Millionaire".

Born on 6th January, 1967 his early life was full of struggle, having to take care of his family after the death of his father. Later on in college, he formed a band with his friends, beginning to focus his time to music rather than academics. He has composed and sung many songs, be it for Bollywood or even Hollywood.

With his success, he also has done a lot of philanthropic work, especially regarding children. Married to Saira Banu, they have three children who have also shared their love of music numerous times. It is an accepted fact that he is a renowned and precious jewel of the Indian nation, be it in music, films, or even in other fields of work.

- 1.) Who is A.R. Rahman?**
- 2.) When was A.R. Rahman born?**
- 3.) What famous movie is he famous for?**
- 4.) What is his wife's name?**
- 5.) Find 2 adjectives from the passage.**

2.) Read the poem and tick the correct options:

Surprised by joy—impatient as the Wind
I turned to share the transport—Oh! with whom
But Thee, long buried in the silent Tomb,
That spot which no vicissitude can find?
Love, faithful love, recalled thee to my mind—
But how could I forget thee?—Through what power,
Even for the least division of an hour,
Have I been so beguiled as to be blind
To my most grievous loss!—That thought's return
Was the worst pang that sorrow ever bore,
Save one, one only, when I stood forlorn,
Knowing my heart's best treasure was no more;
That neither present time, nor years unborn
Could to my sight that heavenly face restore.

---- William Wordsworth

1.) Who has composed this poem?

- a.) William Wordsworth
- b.) Lord Byron
- c.) John Keats
- d.) William Blake

2.) The poet was _____ in this poem.

- A.) sad
- b.) happy

c.) confused

d.) angry

3.) Which of these words do not rhyme?

a.) Find, mind

b.) power, hour

c.) mind, blind

d.) return, bore

4.) What is the synonym of sorrow?

A.) sadness

b.) depressed

c.) blissful

d.) divine

5.) Which of these is an adjective?

A.) impatient

b.) power

c.) love

d.) Time

3.) Read the story and answer the questions:

There once was a king named Midas who did a good deed for a Satyr. And he was then granted a wish by Dionysus, the god of wine.

For his wish, Midas asked that whatever he touched would turn to gold. Despite Dionysus' efforts to prevent it, Midas pleaded that this was a fantastic wish, and so, it was bestowed.

Excited about his newly-earned powers, Midas started touching all kinds of things, turning each item into pure gold.

But soon, Midas became hungry. As he picked up a piece of food, he found he couldn't eat it. It had turned to gold in his hand.

Hungry, Midas groaned, "I'll starve! Perhaps this was not such an excellent wish after all!"

Seeing his dismay, Midas' beloved daughter threw her arms around him to comfort him, and she, too, turned to gold. "The golden touch is no blessing," Midas cried.

1.) Give a suitable name for this story?

2.) What was Midas wish?

3.) Who granted a wish to Midas?

4.) Why Midas said "The golden touch is not a blessing"?

5.) Find any two adjectives from the story?

ANSWER

1.) Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow:

- 1.) A.R Rahman is an Indian composer, singer and a music producer.
- 2.) A.R Rahman was born on 6th January, 1967.
- 3.) He is famous for the movie "Slumdog Millionaire".
- 4.) His wife's name is Saira Banu.
- 5.) Adjectives - Marriage, Renowned

2.) Read the poem and tick the correct options:

- 1.) William Wordsworth
- 2.) Sad
- 3.) Return, bore
- 4.) Sadness
- 5.) Impatient

3.) Read the story and answer the questions:

- 1.) The Golden Touch
- 2.) Midas wish was whatever he touches would turn into a gold.
- 3.) It was granted by Dionysus, the god of wine.
- 4.) Midas turned her daughter into gold when she threw her arms around to comfort him.
- 5.) Excited, Beloved.