

MODEL ACTIVITY TASK
CLASS – VI
ENGLISH

ACTIVITY 1

Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:

'One Thousand and One Nights' is a collection of the Middle Eastern folk tales compiled in Arabic during the Islamic Golden Age. It is often known in English as 'The Arabian Nights'. The work was collected over many centuries by various authors, translators and scholars across West, Central and South Asia and North Africa. The bulk of the text is in prose, although verse is occasionally used for songs and riddles and to express serious emotion. Some of the stories commonly associated with 'The Arabian Nights', in particular, 'Aladdin's Wonderful Lamp', 'Alibaba and the Forty Thieves' and 'The Seven Voyages of Sindbad the Sailor' were not part of 'The Arabian Nights' in its original Arabic version. These stories were added to the collection by Antoine Galland and other European translators.

A. Complete the following sentences with information from the text: **1 × 3 = 3**

- (i) 'The Arabian Nights' is a collection of _____
- (ii) In the text, verse is used for _____
- (iii) One of the famous translators of 'The Arabian Nights' is _____

B. Answer the following questions: **2 × 3 = 6**

- (i) When was 'The Arabian Nights' composed?
- (ii) In which language was it originally written?
- (iii) How did the English translation of 'The Arabian Nights' differ from the original version?

ACTIVITY 2

Identify the Assertive, Imperative, Optative, Exclamatory and Interrogative sentences: **1 × 5 = 5**

- (i) Hurray! We have won the match.
- (ii) What is your name?
- (iii) Neeraj Chopra won gold medal in the Tokyo Olympics.
- (iv) Open the door.
- (v) May God bless you.

ACTIVITY 3

Add Prefixes to the words given below and make opposites: **1 × 5 = 5**

respect, comfortable, fortune, mature, literate

ACTIVITY 4

Develop the following outline into a story. Add a suitable title and a moral to your story: **6**

Stag was drinking water – saw the image of his horns – admired them – disliked slender legs – chased by a pack of wolves – horns caught in thick bush – lamented

Students will write answers to these activity tasks in subject-specific exercise books at home, and submit the exercise books to respective subject teachers after schools reopen.
Under no circumstance, students will go out of home.