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THE HINDU

Editorial Analysis

Grammar

Reading Skills

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If you have
good thoughts
they will shine
out of your face
like sunbeams
and you will
always look
lovely.

Roald Dahl



TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

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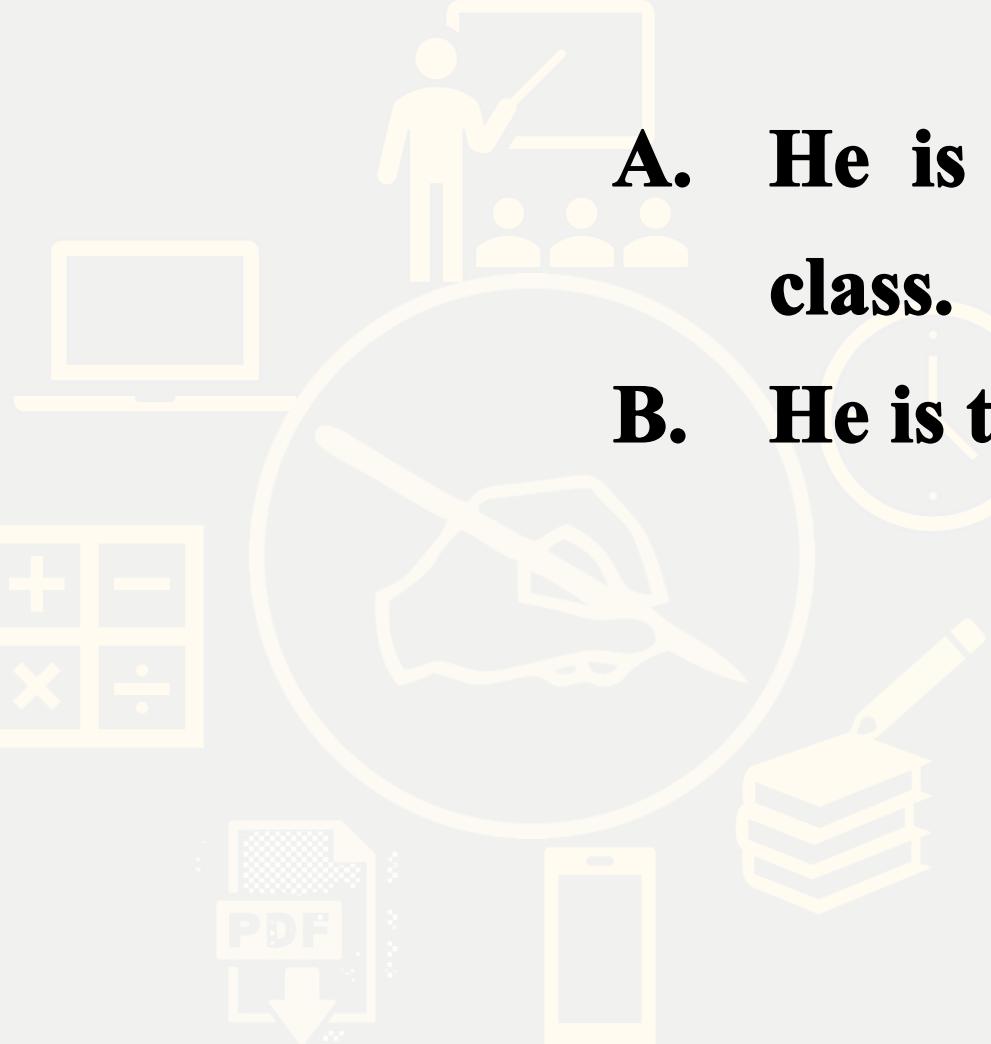
GRAMMAR SKILLS



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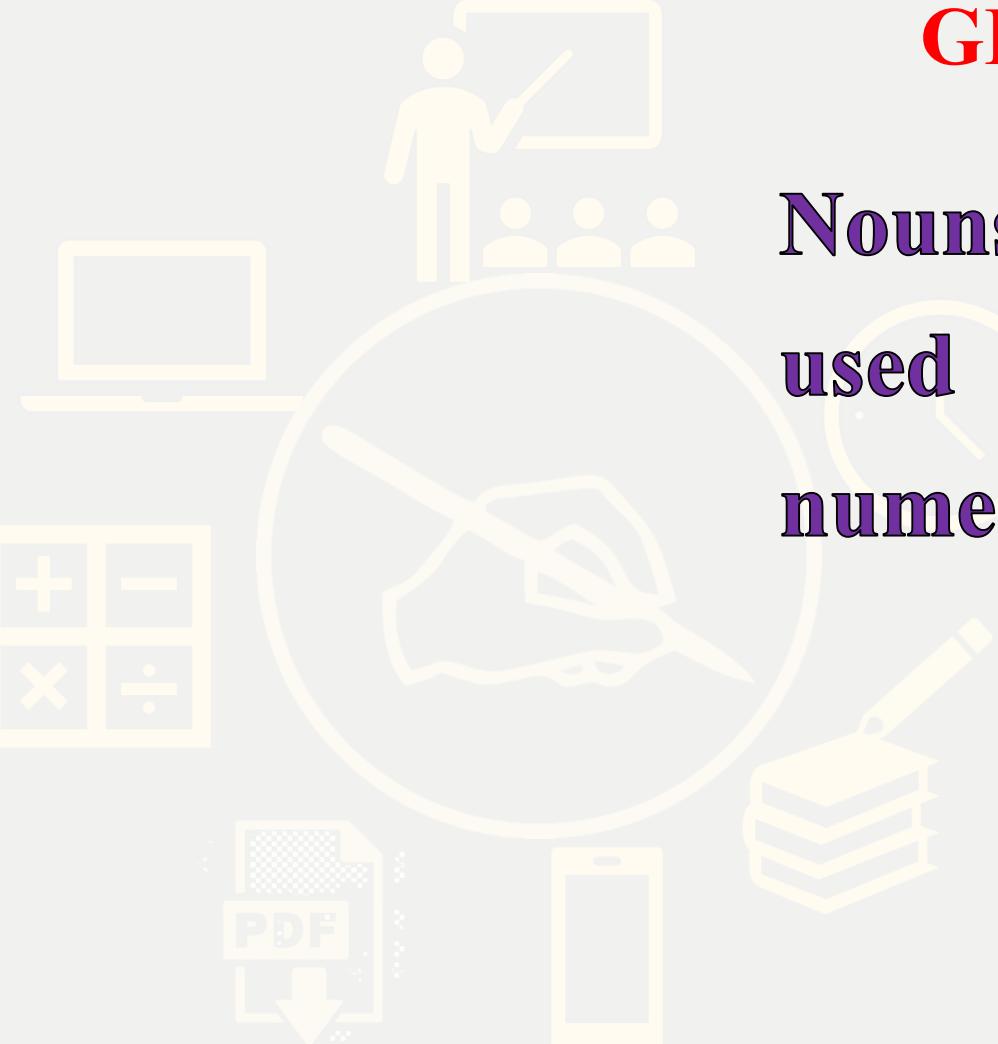
GRAMMAR SKILL - 1

When comparison is made by means of a comparative, the thing compared should be excluded from the class of things with which it is compared by using ‘other’ or some such word.

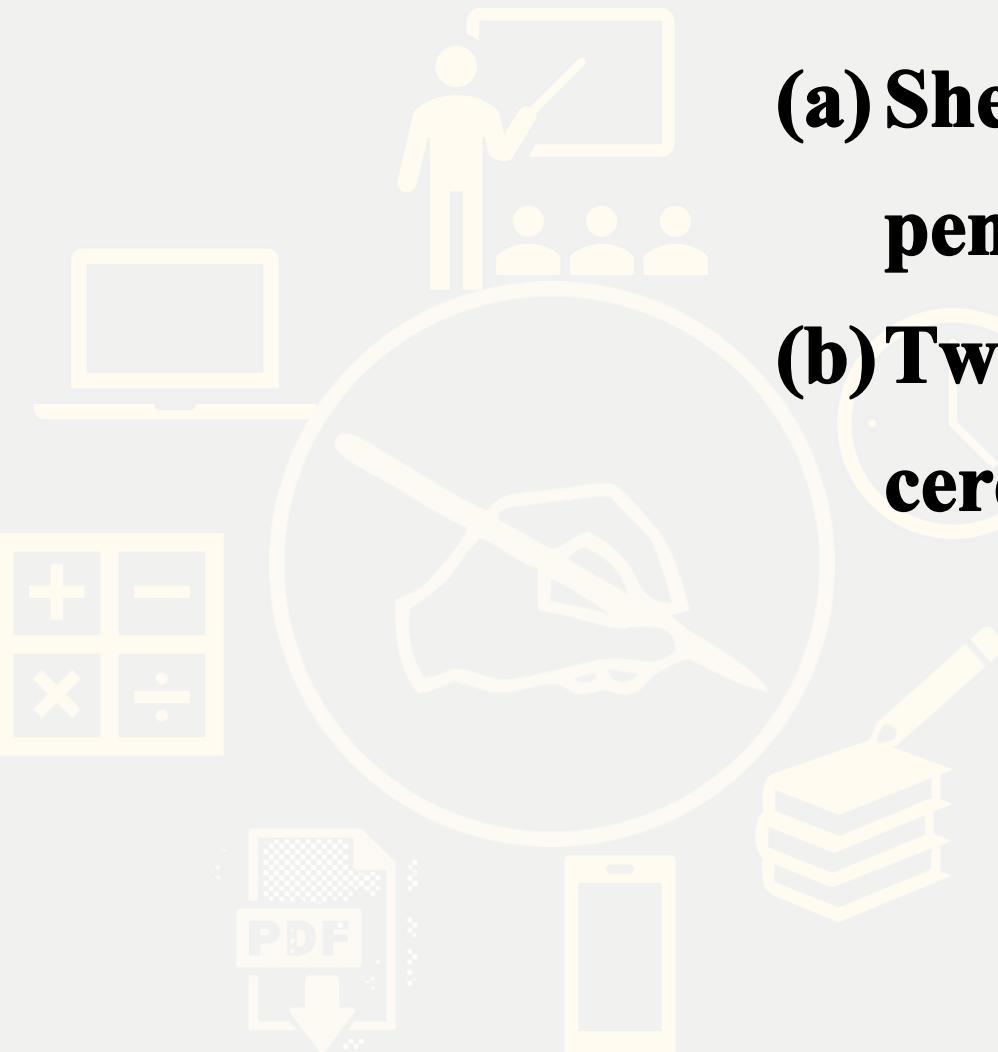
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- A. He is cleverer than any boy in the class.
 - B. He is the strongest of all other men.



GRAMMAR SKILL - 2



Nouns expressing numbers are used in the singular form with numeral adjectives.



(a) Sheetal gave me five dozens pens.

(b) Two lakhs people attended the ceremony.



SO IT'S TIME

A cartoon illustration of a young boy with brown hair, wearing a green cap, a white shirt, and a brown vest. He is holding up a newspaper that reads "Extra! Extra! Education Today Times". A speech bubble next to him contains the text "Let's start".

Let's start



ARTICLE



An enduring agreement bridging India-Pakistan ties

Despite differences, the Indus Waters Treaty is one of most effective examples of water management in the world



ARTICLE

The Indus Waters **Treaty** (IWT) is an **established** water-distribution treaty between India and Pakistan to use water in the Indus and its **tributaries**. In the words of former U.S. President Dwight Eisenhower, the treaty has since its **existence** in 1960, served as “one bright spot ... in a very **depressing** world picture that we see so often”, resolving the long-standing **differences** between India and Pakistan since **Partition**. Following the 118th meeting of the Permanent Indus Commission (PIC) comprising the Indus Commissioners of India and Pakistan held on May 30-31, 2022 in New Delhi, it is important to **reflect** on the struggles and the high stakes that the two countries have experienced to **ensure** a long-lasting treaty on the one hand and the **lessons** that can be drawn to **address** multiple concerns pending in the region on the other.

ARTICLE



After years of **arduous negotiations**, the Indus Waters Treaty was signed in Karachi on September 19, 1960, by then Indian Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru and then Pakistani President Ayub Khan, negotiated by the World Bank. The treaty establishes a **cooperative mechanism** for **exchanging** information between the two countries regarding the use of the western rivers (Indus, Jhelum, Chenab) allocated to Pakistan and the eastern rivers (Ravi, Beas, Sutlej) allocated to India. However, the treaty also **underlines provisions** allowing each country to use the rivers allocated to the other for certain purposes such as **irrigation** and **hydroelectricity**.

ARTICLE

The Permanent Indus Commission, which has a commissioner from each country, **oversees** the cooperative mechanism and ensures that the two countries meet annually (**alternately** in India and Pakistan) to discuss **myriad** issues **emerging** from the treaty. This year, the commission met twice, in March in Islamabad, Pakistan, and then in New Delhi, in May. GThe Indus Waters Treaty also **offers great potential** for cooperation and development in the **subcontinent** which can go a long way in ensuring peace and **stability**. Given that both India and Pakistan have been committed to manage the rivers in a responsible manner, the Treaty can be a **reference point** to resolve other water-related issues in the region through regular dialogue and interaction.



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THE HINDU VOCABULARY

The Hindu Vocabulary

THRIVE (VERB): (फलना-फूलना):

flourish

Synonyms: prosper, burgeon

Antonyms: decline

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MORIBUND (ADJECTIVE):

(मरणासन्न): dying

Synonyms: expiring, at death's door

Antonyms: thriving

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DENT (VERB): (घटाना):

diminish

Synonyms: reduce, lessen

Antonyms: increase

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IMPOVERISH (VERB): (शक्तिहीन
करना): weaken

Synonyms: sap, exhaust

Antonyms: strengthen

LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS



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Time for
Spelling
Errors





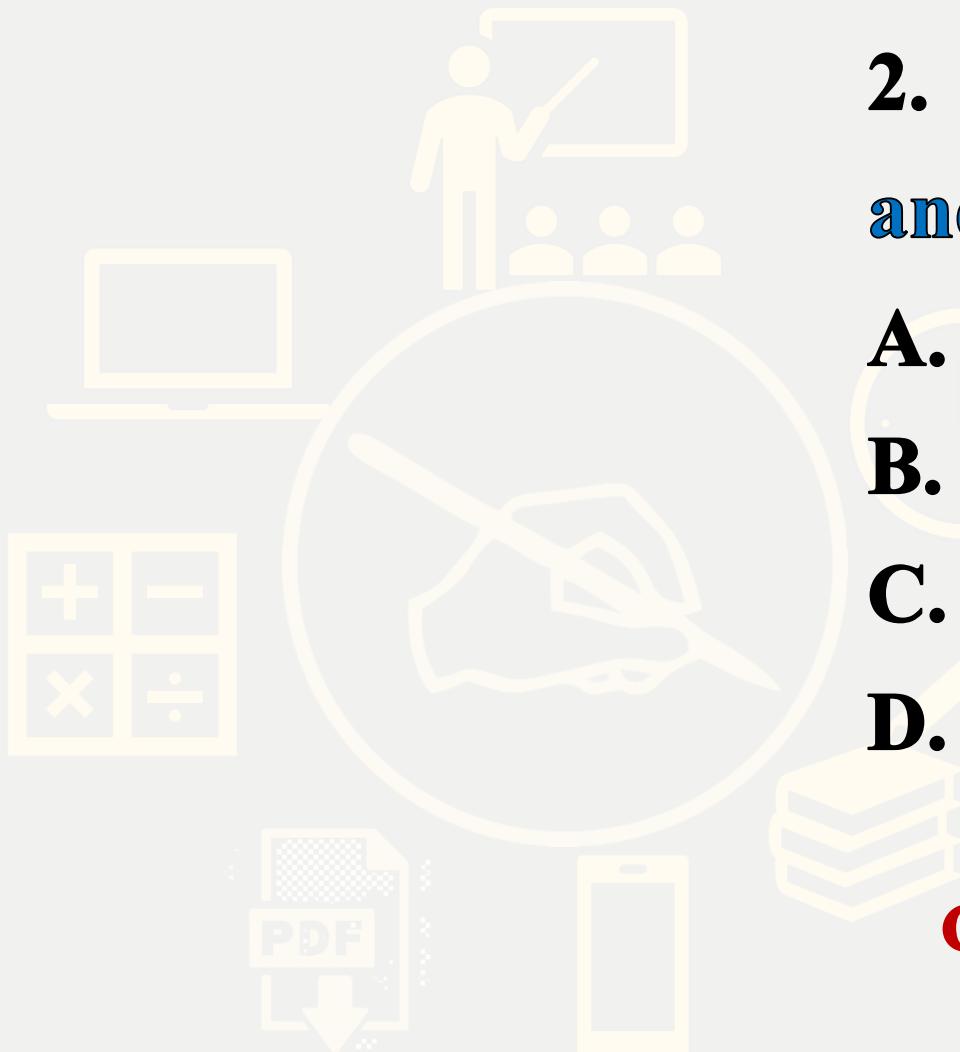
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- A. Pessenger
- B. Passenger
- C. Pasanger
- D. Pessanger



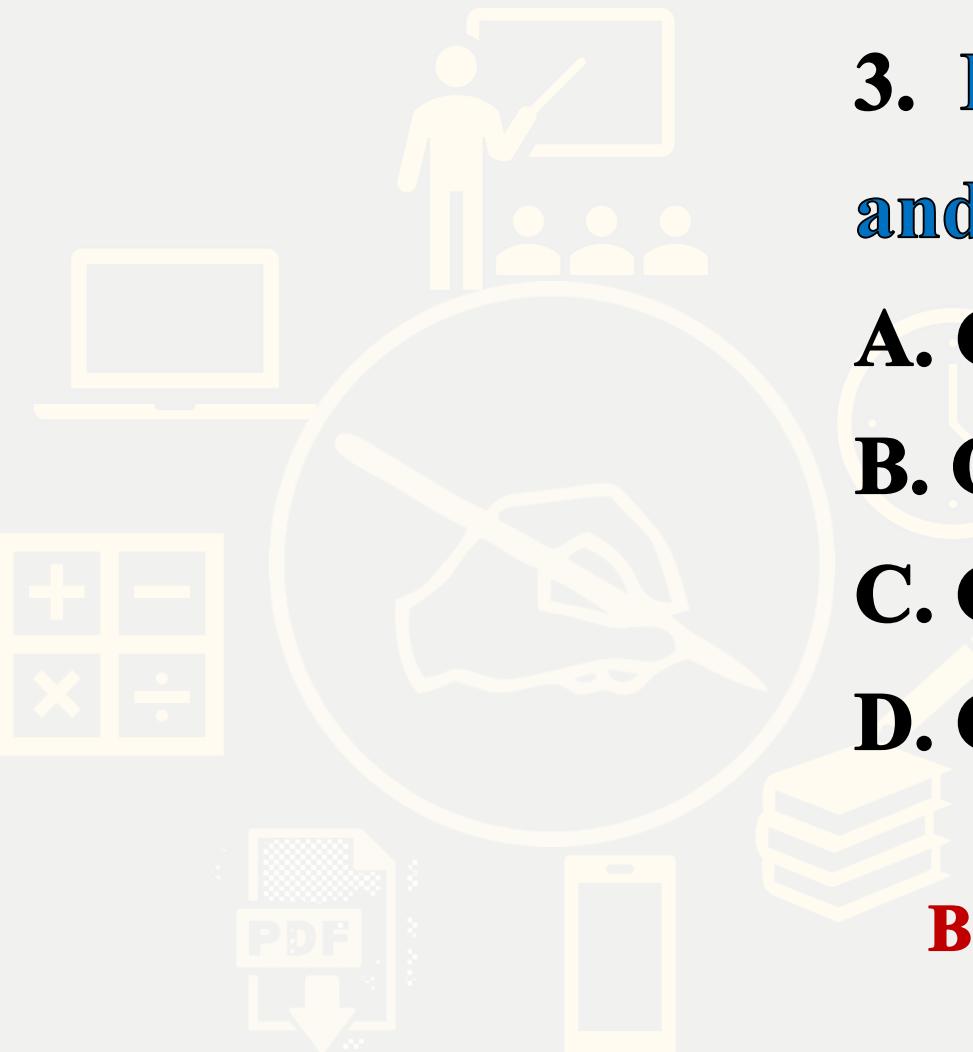
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B. Passenger



2. Find the correctly spelt word and mark your answer.
- A. Benefitted
 - B. Benifited
 - C. Benefited
 - D. Benefieted
- C. Benefited**

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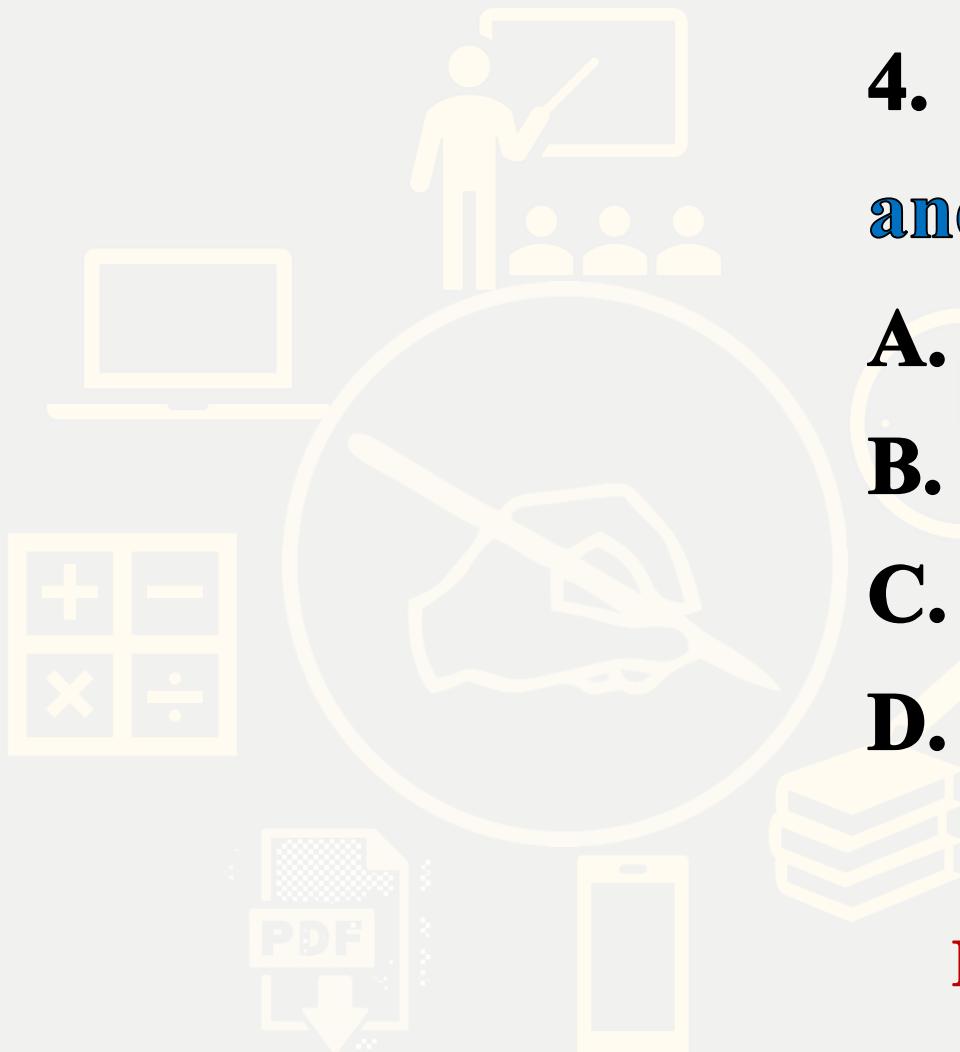


3. Find the correctly spelt word and mark your answer.

- A. Gaurantee
- B. Guarantee
- C. Garuntee
- D. Guaruntee

B. Guarantee

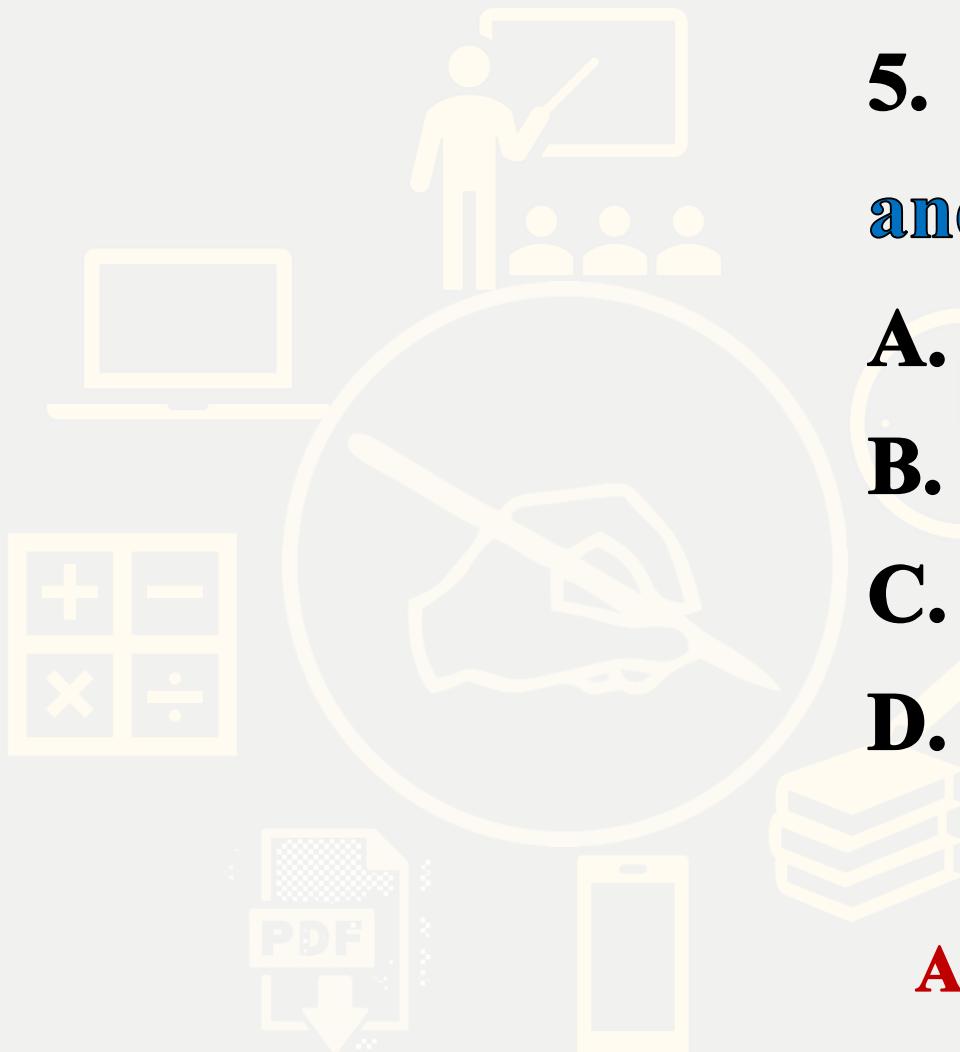




4. Find the correctly spelt word and mark your answer.
- A. Lckadaisicle
 - B. Lackdaisical
 - C. Lackadisical
 - D. Lackadaisical

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D. Lackadaisical



5. Find the correctly spelt word
and mark your answer.

- A. Occasion
- B. Occassion
- C. Ocasion
- D. Ocassion



A. Occasion



Time for Synonyms



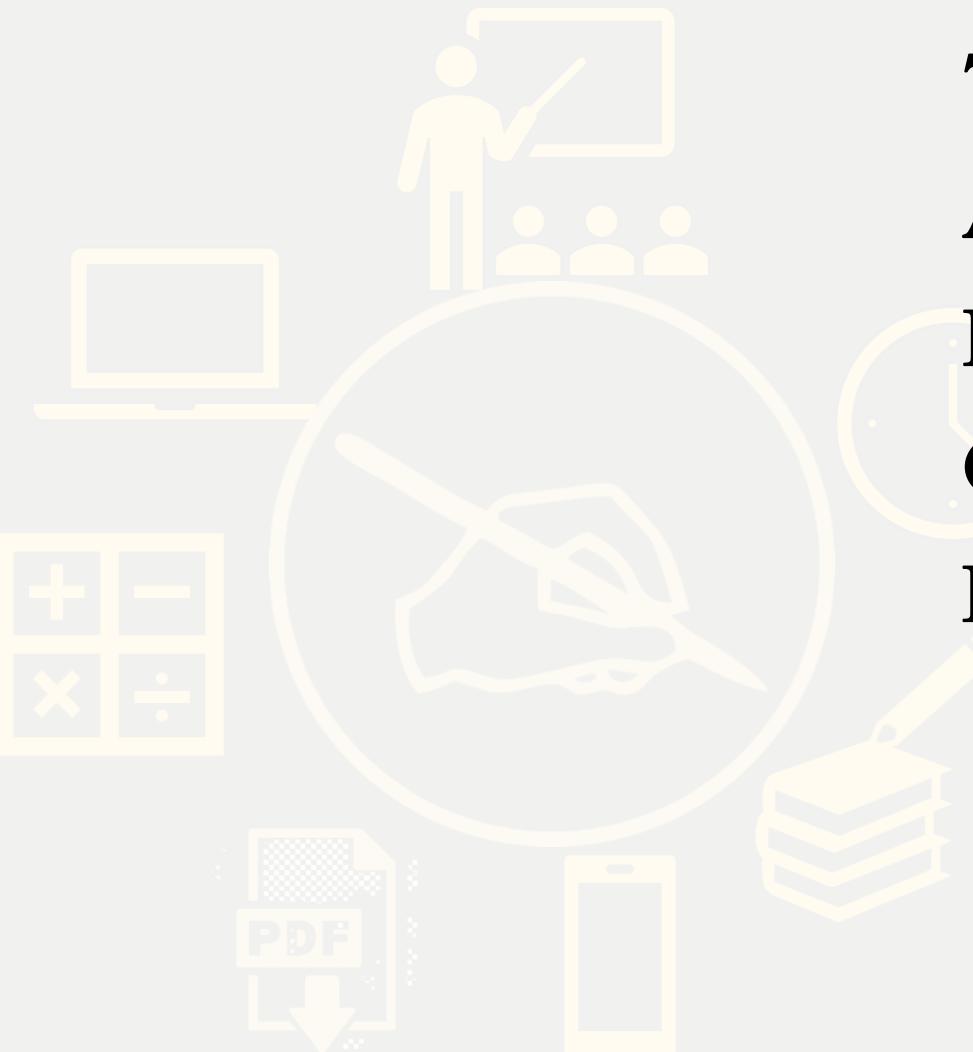


6. Gaol

- A. destination
- B. garden
- C. jail
- D. bird

C. jail





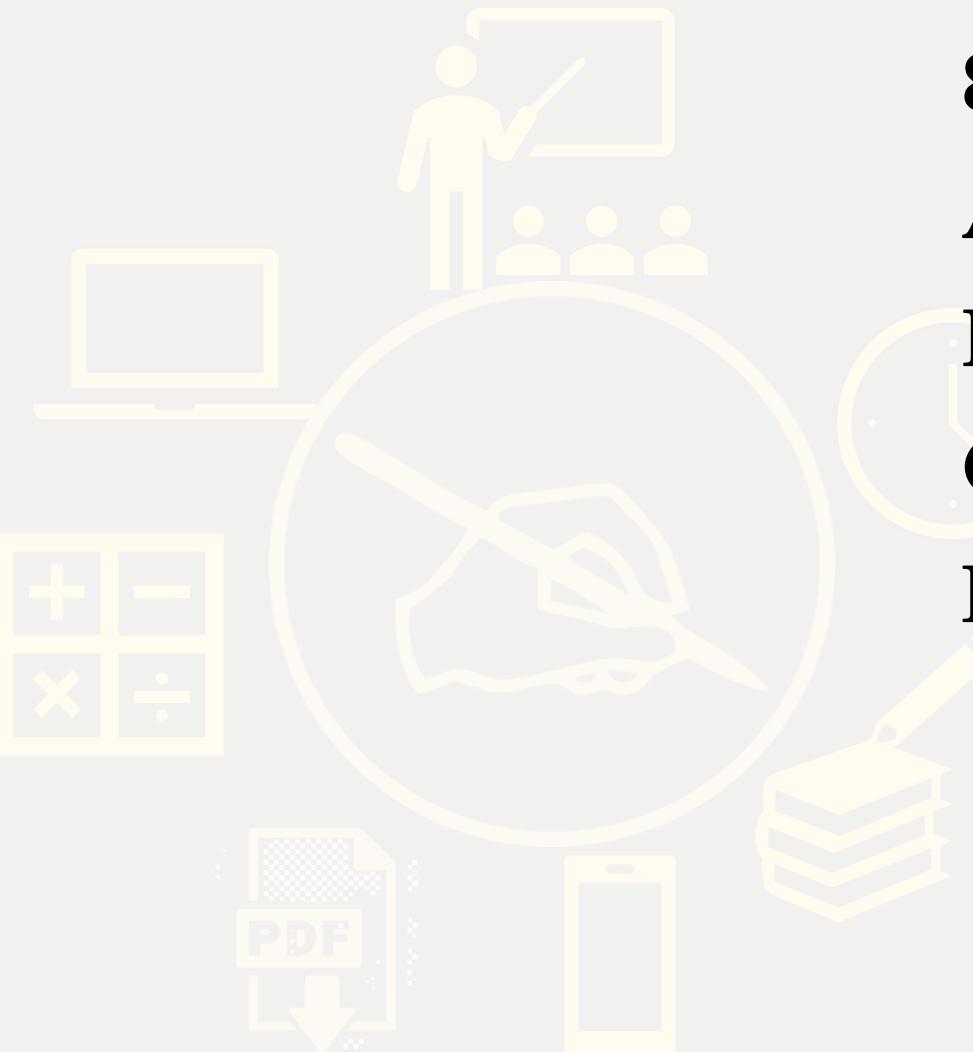
7. Loathing

- A. warmth
- B. affection
- C. hatred
- D. affection



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C. hatred



8. Pragmatic

- A. intelligent**
- B. wise**
- C. religious**
- D. practical**



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D. practical



9. Notion

A. thought

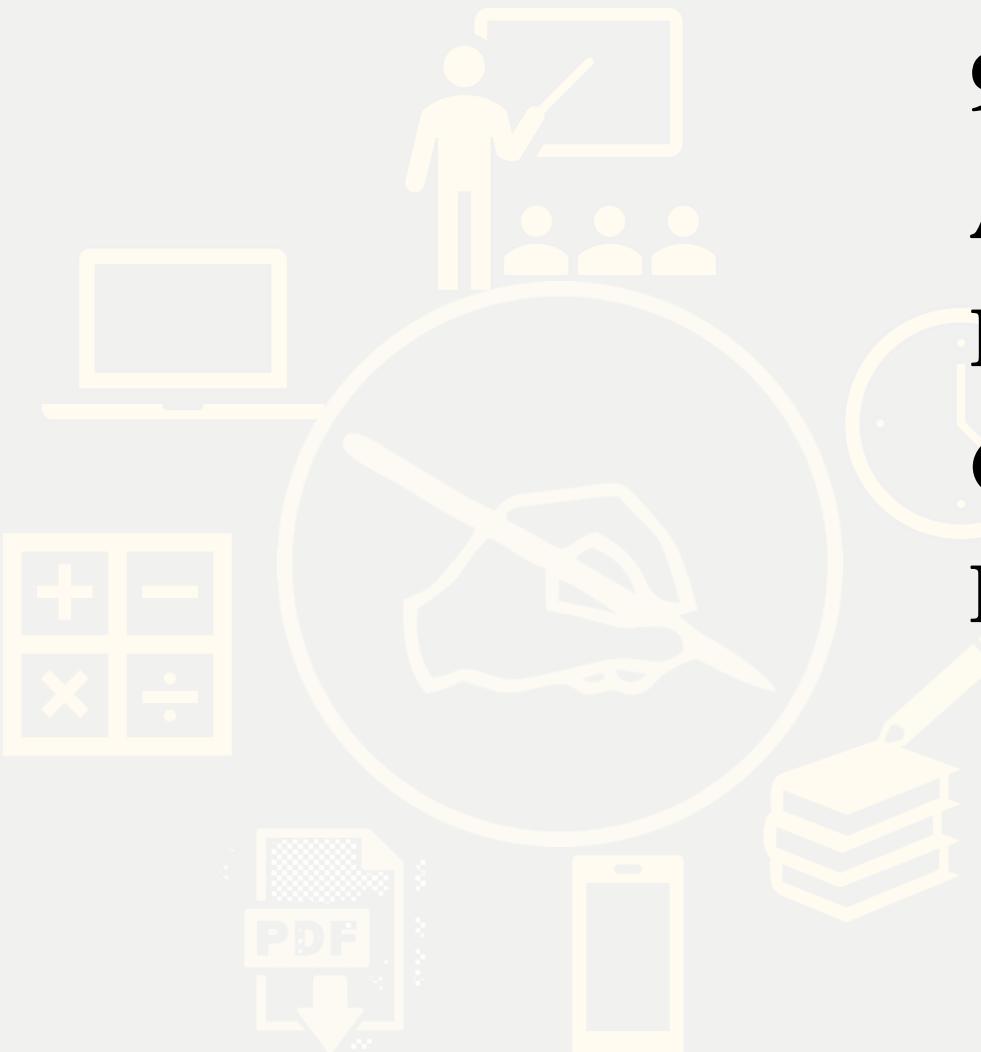
B. fact

C. truth

D. hypothesis

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A. thought





10. Vivacious

- A. poisonous
- B. energetic
- C. tricky
- D. slow



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B. energetic

LEARNING VOCAB WITH IMAGES



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Pour oil on troubled waters



To try to make people feel better and become friendly again after an argument.



Go with the flow



To relax and go along with whatever's happening.

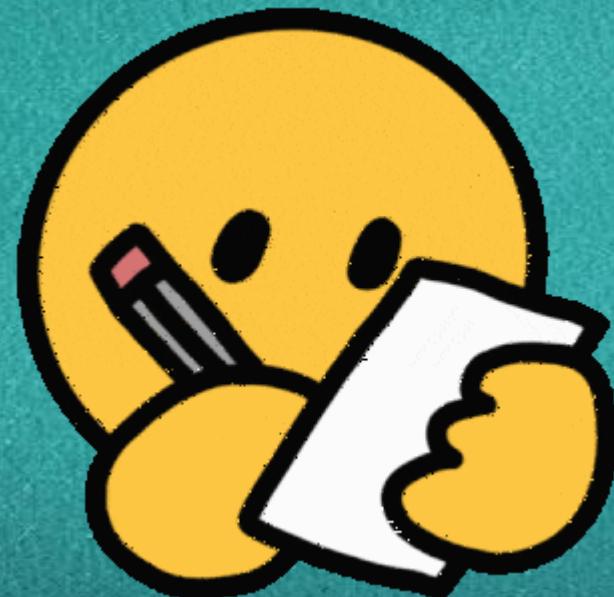


Lost at sea



To be confused about something or to feel unsure about what to do.

Homework





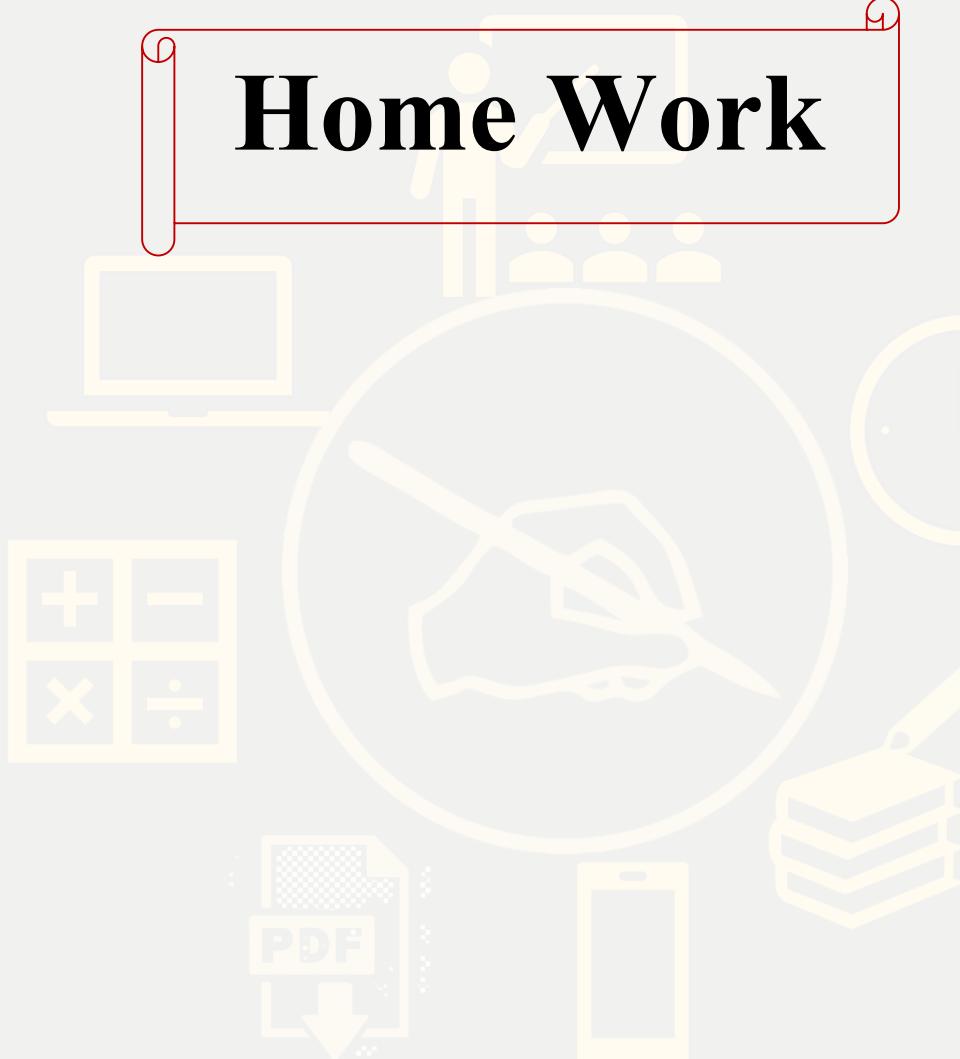
Home Work Answer

What seeds you (**has sow**) in the garden of your mind determine the quality of life you shall have.

- 1) sowing
- 2) **sow**
- 3) had sow
- 4) no improvement



Home Work



Find the antonym of Hasten

01. Dash
02. Dawdle
03. Hurry
04. Scurry

