

## Chapter - 13

### The Tempest ( Class 7)

A. Tick the correct option.( only answers)

1. a

2. b

3. c

4. a

5. c

B. Read the sentences and answer the questions.

1. Ariel was invisible to all eyes but Prospero's.

a. To whom was Ariel invisible?

Ans: Ariel was invisible to all human beings . Nobody could see him except Prospero .

b. Why was he invisible?

Ans: Ariel was invisible because he was a spirit.

C. Why wasn't he invisible to Prospero's eyes?

Ans: Ariel was not invisible to Prospero because he was a magician.

2. Ariel had just appeared to tell his master what he had done with the passengers and crew of the ship.

a. Who was Ariel's master?

Ans: Ariel's master was Prospero.

b. Who were the passengers of the ship ?

Ans: Prospero's cunning brother Antonio , a kind man Gonzalo , the king of Naples and his son Ferdinand were the passengers in the ship.

c. What had Ariel done?

Ans: Ariel , with the help of Prospero's magic raised the dreadful storm in the sea and caused terror to the passengers in the ship.

3. "I merely wanted to test the strength of your love."

a. Who said these words and to whom?

Ans: Prospero said these words to Prince Ferdinand.

b. How did the speaker test the strength of their love?

Ans: The speaker tested the strength of their love by speaking harshly to Ferdinand and making him to do difficult work.

c. Was he convinced of their love? How did he react to this?

Ans: Yes, he was convinced of their love. This made him very happy and promised Ferdinand to give his daughter's hand to him.

4. ' Merrily , merrily shall I live now '

a. Whose words are these ?

Ans: These words were sung by Ariel.

b. How will he live now?

Ans: Ariel will live a merry , free life now.

c. Why will he live merrily now?

Ans: Prospero had set Ariel free and so the spirit could live merrily now.

C. Answer these questions.

1. What were Antonio and the king of Naples guilty of ?

Ans: Antonio and the king of Naples were guilty of Prospero's downfall. Antonio with the help of his ally the king of Naples put Prospero and his daughter in a rotten boat and pushed them to sea to die. Fortunately with the help of Gonzalo, they were able to reach the island safely.

2. What did Gonzalo place in the boat ?

Ans: Gonzalo placed water, food, clothes and Prospero's books on magic in the boat.

3. How did Ariel lead the prince to Prospero?

Ans: Ariel, who was at his master's command flew off to where Ferdinand was sitting sadly on the rock and without becoming visible, commanded the prince to follow him and in this way Ariel led the prince to Prospero by singing a song.

4. Why did Ariel and Prospero pity Antonio and the king of Naples?

Ans: Ariel left them half-dead with hunger and weariness . It reminded them of their evil treatment to Prospero and told them they were being punished for the sin they had done.

Hearing this, they repented for their wicked deeds . Their miserable condition forced Ariel to feel pity on them and Prospero also fell pity as they were shameful and were filled with remorse for their wicked deeds.

5. What was the gift that Prospero had for the king of Naples ? How did he receive it?

Ans: The gift that Prospero had for the King of Naples was to let him see his son , Ferdinand alive.

He was overjoyed to see his son alive.

6. What were the three things that Prospero did before leaving the island and why?

Ans: The three things that Prospero did before leaving the island were he buried his books of magic deep in the earth , along with his wand , and set Ariel free.

He would not need to use his magic power hereafter because he obtained all that he wished for. He had brought his brother and king of Naples to repentance . He had received his dukedom back . Above all , Miranda was going to marry Ferdinand , the king of Naples heir and the man she loved.

D.Think and answer.

1. How do we know that Miranda did not know about Ariel ?

Ans: Miranda did not know anything about Ariel because whenever Prospero wanted to communicate with Ariel , he made her fall asleep with his magic wand. No doubt, she has seen the spirits but Ariel was unknown to her.

2. ‘ Prospero smiled at some secret thought.’ What was the secret thought?

Ans: The secret thought was that he wanted his daughter , Miranda to see Prince Ferdinand and marry him so that she may become the Queen of Naples.

3. ‘Except for her father , she had never seen a man before .’ What does this tell us about the island?

Ans: It tells us that it was a lovely Island but was uninhabited by human beings besides Prospero and his daughter . Miranda has not seen any human beings except her father.

4. Why do you think Prospero put Ferdinand to work ?

Ans: Prospero put Ferdinand to work because he wanted to test the strength of his love for Miranda.

E. Tick the correct meanings of the phrases in bold. ( only answers)

1 - a

2 - a

3. - b

F. Add the suffixes **ence** or **ance** to change the form of these words . You may have to make some changes in the spellings of these words.

1. differ - difference

2. disturb - disturbance

3. intelligent - intelligence

4. allow - allowance

5. assure - assurance

6. appear - appearance

7. perform - performance

8. confer - conference

G. Rewrite these sentences in the passive voice. ( only answers)

1. Chess was being played by Ferdinand and Miranda .

2. Ariel was given the most important tasks by Prospero .

3. Ferdinand was timidly told by Miranda that she was no goddess.

4. Gonzalo was thanked by Prospero for saving his and Miranda's life.

5. International Women's Day was celebrated by all the men in my family on 8th march.

H. Rewrite these sentences in the active voice. ( only answers)

1. Prospero's younger brother Antonio exiled him from his kingdom .

2. Miranda asked Prospero if he was responsible for the tempest.

3. Prospero put Miranda to sleep with an enchantment.

4. 28 Women of the Special Tiger Protection Force patrol the Pench National Park .

5. Riyaz arranged the books neatly on the shelves.

6. Our mother gifted a sewing machine to the helper in the house.

7. We cuddled and pampered our young cat.

Ex..I , J , K , L ( not included)

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Exercise A ( not included)

B. Add the suffixes *ence* or *ance* to these words . You may have to change the spellings of some words.

1. accept - acceptance

2. depend - dependence

3. resemble - resemblance

4. assist - assistance

5. insure - insurance

6. patient - patience

7. ally - alliance

8. guide - guidance

9. resident - residence

10. dominate - dominance

C. Write A against the sentences that are in the active voice and p against the sentences that are in the passive voice. ( only answers)

1. A

2. P

3. A

4. A

5. A

6. P

7. P

D. Change the voice of these sentences and rewrite them. ( only answers)

1. The Jammu and Kashmir flood victims were donated generously by our school.
2. The young ones of Kangaroos are carried by them in their pouch.
3. Some tasty halwa was prepared by Maya's mother.
4. I don't want to be disturbed by anyone.
5. The book is being read by the editor.
6. The letter was posted by whom?
7. All her friends applauded Sumati.
8. Golf was being played by some of the visitors.

Exercise E ( not included)

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