



THE VILLAGE
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
"We Nurture Dreams"

QUESTION BANK

GRADE 5

ENGLISH

Chapter 1: IRAH BECOMES A FLOWER GARDENER

A. Read the line and answer the questions.

1. "How can I grow roses if I do not know how to take care of them? If only I could read that book!"

- a. Who is the speaker in these lines?
- b. Why did she have to grow roses?
- c. Why was she worried?

2. "I can't help you," she shouted.

- a. Who was Irah not able to help?
- b. What did she do?
- c. What was the real problem?

B. Choose the correct answer.

1. What did Irah want to be?

- a. A scholar
- b. A kite designer
- c. A flower gardener

2. Why didn't Irah know how to read?

- a. She did not get an opportunity to go to a school.
- b. She was lazy, and did not like to go to school.
- c. She was afraid of her teacher, and so did not go to school.

3. How did Irah's mother know that she was sad because she could not read?

- a. Irah told her about the book on flowers.
- b. Irah's mother saw the book on flowers in her room and knew she was crying because she could not read.
- c. She questioned Irah as to why she was angry with her friends.

C. Answer in brief.

1. What did Irah's brother and friends want her help with? Why did they want her to help them with it?
2. The investors would take care of it. What would the investors take care of?

D. Write the meanings

1. diligently
2. utmost
3. awestruck

E. Look at the underlined nouns in these sentences. Identify the nouns by choosing the correct options.

1. Devayani and Dheeraj are planning to take their parents to Goa next year.

(Proper nouns, Common nouns)

2. Toni Morrison was awarded the Nobel Prize in the year 1993 (common nouns, proper nouns)