



Grade: X	ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE	
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REVISION WORKSHEET		
Q1.	According to Buddha, what is an inscrutable kind of suffering? (a) loss of a loved one (b) beating (c) hatred (d) verbal abuse	
Ans	Loss of a loved one	
Q2.	"The wise do not _____, knowing the terms of the world" (a) laugh (b) smile (c) grieve (d) fear	
Ans	grieve	
Q3.	Who is free from sorrow? (a) who overcomes sorrow (b) who does not see sorrow (c) who remains happy (d) who gives sorrow to others	
Ans	Who overcomes sorrow	
	Answer the following question in 30-50 words.	
Q4.	How did Kisa Gotami realize that life and death is a process?	
Ans	- She could not find any house which has not lost a loved one. -flickering lights of the city and her contemplation on human life.	
Q5.	What did Buddha do after he had attained enlightenment?	

Ans	<p>- After meditating for seven days under the fig tree - renamed the tree as Bodhi tree – he shared his preaching with people so that he can free them of their sorrows.</p>	
Q6.	<p>Why was Kisa Gotami sad? What did she do in her hour of grief?</p>	
Ans	<p>-She lost her only son and could not control the pain- unable to accept the loss- she carried her dead son to all her neighbours asking for medicine to save her son.</p>	
	<p>Answer the following question in 100-120 words.</p>	
Q7.	<p>Life is full of trials and tribulations. Kisa Gotami also passes through a period of grief in her life. How does she behave in those circumstances?</p>	
Ans	<p>- She could not accept the loss of her only son. -went from house to house in search of medicine to cure her dead son. - Talk about how Buddha asked her to fetch some mustard seeds from house which did not lose any loved one. -Unable to achieve it, she realized how death was common to all – explain how she realised and accepted the truth.</p>	
Q8.	<p>Describe the journey of Siddhartha Gautama becoming the Buddha.</p>	
Ans	<p>- Explain about his royal life as a prince. -At the age of 12, sent for schooling in Hindu sacred scriptures – explain the sights of suffering, sickness and decay that changed his mind. -explain his journey to seek enlightenment- renamed the tree as Bodhi tree or tree of wisdom- talk about his first sermon.</p>	