

ENGLISH 2

CHAPTER 3

CONTINUE....

COOKING WITH SALT WATER PART – II

Q.1 GIVE MEANINGS

1. Aid – help
2. exhausted – extremely tired
3. furious – very angry
4. ignorant – uneducated
5. venture – dare to go
6. relieved – felt comforted

Q.2 FILL IN THE BLANKS

1. When Amara went to sea, the cool water lapped at her dusty feet.
2. Amara thanked the sea for its generosity.
3. When her gourd was full, she stopped the hole with banana leaves.
4. Amara was an ignorant old woman.

5. When Amara saw the bare sand, she thought that the sea was furious.

Q.3 ANSWER IN ONE WORD

1. With what aid did she began her return journey?

A. Heavy walking stick

2. At what point of time did Amara reach the lookout point?

A. At midday

3. By what time she wants to reach home?

A. Before night

Q.4 COMPLETE THE SENTENCES

1. Amara hurried up the path as fast as her exhausted legs could carry her.

2. Never did Amara venture down to the sea.

Q.5 ANSWER THE FOLLOWING

Q.1 Describe how Amara's fear of sea calmed?

Ans. Soothing sound of the ocean, like a giant seashell pressed to her ear and helped to calm her fear of the sea.

Q.2 What did Amara do and think once she reached the lookout point?

Ans. Amara put her burden down on the ground and thought of thanking the mighty sea before she goes home with the prize.

Q.3 How do we come to realize that Amara was an illiterate old woman?

Ans. We know that Amara was an illiterate woman because she did not know the difference between high tide and low tide and blamed herself for sea appearing small.

Q.6 REFERENCE TO CONTEXT

“I must give it back. Please mighty sea, hold on to your anger.”

1. From which lesson is this extract taken?

A. Cooking With Salt Water Part II

2. Who is referred to “I”?

A. Amara

3. What did she want to give back?

A. Sea water

4. What kind of woman was Amara?

A. Ignorant

Q.7 MAKE SENTENCE

1. aid –

2. exhausted –

3. scream-

4. lapped-

5. relived -