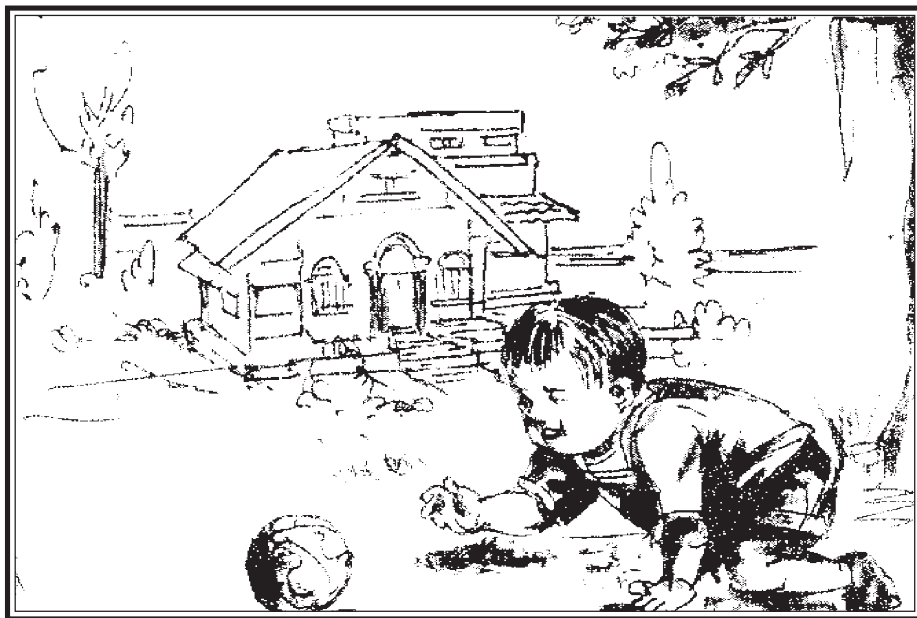




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A HAPPY CHILD

Do you want to play in the shade of a tree? Do you find the tree a good friend ? What will you feel when it does not grow?



My house is white – a little house,
A happy child am I.
I laugh and play the whole long day;
I hardly ever cry.

I have a tree, a green, green tree,
To shade me from the sun;
And under it I often sit
When all my work is done.

R.L. Stevenson

EXERCISES

I. Let's have fun in reading :

1. What does the happy child do the whole day?
2. What gives shade to the happy child?
3. Where did the happy child often sit?
4. Who is the writer of the poem?
5. How do you enjoy your day?

II. Let's say aloud:

(a) Read the poem aloud.

(b) Say the following after listening to your teacher:

white

laugh

shade

sit

work

III. Let's write :

Fill in the following blanks with words from the box:

play	school	happy	love	cry
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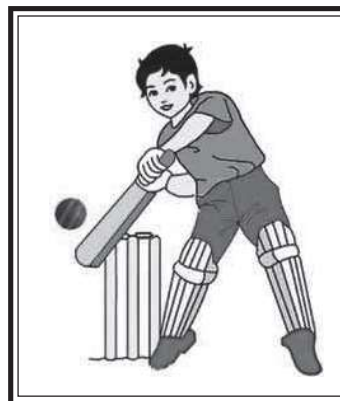
1. I am a child.
2. I love to and laugh.
3. I do not like to
4. I my father and mother.
5. I go to everyday.

**IV. Complete the paragraph filling in the blanks with suitable words.
One is done for you:**

This is my mother . I live
here with my father, my mother
and my sister. My father has a
bicycle. He rides
bicycle everyday. My mother has
beautiful clothes. She keeps
..... clothes in a big box.



..... sister has a doll.
..... doll is beautiful. She
plays with doll. My
father gave me a bat and a ball on
..... birthday. My father has
many books. He keeps in
..... shelf. We have
a pet dog. tail is
bushy. I play with my dog.



WORK SHEET - 9

Copy the following words in the blank four-lined spaces:

Pen is mightier than the sword