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I. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below.

Zeus and Hermes were Greek gods. They often visited the world of men and women in disguise. Late one afternoon they came to the house of an old couple and knocked at the door.

“Come in,” said the old man, opening the door wide.

It was so small Zeus and Hermes had to bend their heads to enter the cottage.

“Please sit down,” said the old man’s wife.

There was only one bed, one table and a bench.

“Have you travelled far?” asked the old man.

“Yes, we have,” said Hermes, “we’ve come a long way today.”

“Do make yourselves comfortable while we get a meal ready,” said the man and gathered some vegetables from his garden while his wife started the fire.

When the food was ready, they set it on the table with a jug of milk and some figs from the tree. The jug held only four cups of milk. When the old man filled all the cups, the jug was empty. Zeus was thirsty. So he drank from his cup and asked for more. The old man was sad. He knew there was no more milk in the house. He looked into the jug – perhaps there was a little left?

The jug was full!

Answer the questions.

Choose the right answer to complete the sentences.

1. The old couple did not know that their guests were gods because

- a. they could not see clearly.
- b. their guests had changed into human beings.

2. We know the old couple was warm-hearted and generous because

- a. the old man asked their guests if they had travelled a long way.
- b. they offered to share their food with their guests.

3. The old man was upset because

- a. his guest had asked for more milk.

b. he had no more milk to serve his guest.

4. Zeus asked for more milk because

- a. He wanted the old man to look into the jar.
- b. He was greedy.

5. The gods blessed the old couple because

- a. they were poor.
- b. they were kind to strangers.

Say if the sentences are true (T) or not true (NT). Correct the sentences that are not true.

1. This story is from Greece.
2. Zeus and Hermes are an old couple.
3. Zeus and Hermes were not tired after their journey.
4. The old man's wife started the fire to keep them warm.
5. The old couple ate with their guests.

II. Fill in the blanks with the correct modal from the ones given.

II. Rewrite the sentences given with the modals in the brackets so that the second sentence is similar in meaning to the first

1. Perhaps Naina is doing overtime duty. (may)

2. Is it possible that Tia did not see the message? (may)

3. I advise you to study harder in order to pass the exam. (should)

4. It's impossible for anyone to see any approaching vehicle from here. (can't)

5. I want to ask your permission to go to the fair with Jamal. (can)

IV. Fill in the blanks with suitable phrasal verbs.

1. The firemen _____ the fire quickly, thus saving many lives.

2. Please _____ when the teacher calls out your name.

3. If you do not sleep early, you will not be able to _____ in time for school.

4. Please stop playing and _____ with your work.

5. Please _____ your muddy shoes before you enter the house.

6. Thieves _____ our house while we were away.

7. The match was _____ due to heavy rains.

8. We _____ to check on my grandmother before proceeding to the market.

9. We have to _____ the picnic for another weekend as Daddy is going to be busy at office.

10. It's important to _____ on time for a meeting with boss.

V. Make polite questions using Can or Could.

1. You want to go home early.

2. Give me your notes.

3. Open the window.

4. You want to use a friend's telephone.

5. You want to speak to Harish.
