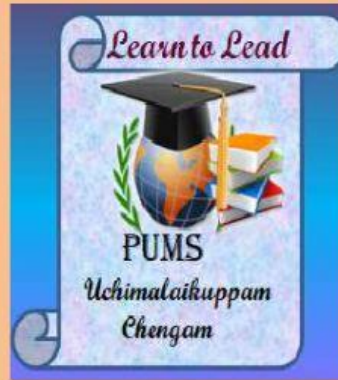




STD : VIII

SUB : ENGLISH

HOBBY TURNS INTO A SUCCESSFUL CAREER (PROSE)

A. Fill in the blanks.

1. Mani feels writing is like _____.
2. Mani's grandfather noticed it and helped him by reading _____.
3. Ajay mastered the techniques of _____.
4. Ilavazhagi won her first match against _____.

B. Choose correct synonyms for the underlined word.

1. Writing is a unique hobby.
(a) common
(b) beneficial
(c) uncommon
2. Ajay started to paint happily.
(a) depressed
(b) joyfully
(c) unhappily

3. Miniature paintings depict Indian culture.

- (a) warp
- (b) portray
- (c) twist

C. Choose correct antonyms for the underlined word.

1. Ajay suffered an injury.

- (a) sorrow
- (b) endure
- (c) hurt

2. Ajay mastered the techniques of painting.

- (a) skilled
- (b) proficient
- (c) unskilled

3. Ilavazhagi won world championship in 2008.

- (a) win
- (b) succeed
- (c) defeat