

# SUBJECT - ENGLISH

CLASS - II (Articles - A, An, The)

c. Write there where it is needed. Put a cross (X) where it is not required.

1. I play with my friends in the playground near my house.
2. My granny tells me stories from the Ramayana.
3. There is a new student in my class. The student has come from X china.
4. The Qutub Minar is located in South Delhi.
5. The Gomga is a long river.
6. A dog was barking at a stranger. The dog belongs to my friend.

D. Read the story and fill in the blanks with a, an or the.

## A Fox without a Tail

One day a fox was caught in a trap. It pulled and pulled till it became free. But its beautiful tail was cut off. The fox was very sad. 'How ugly I look!' wept the fox, 'The other foxes will laugh at me!'

The clever fox thought of an idea. It called a meeting of foxes. The fox said 'Friends, why should we carry these long tails? let us cut them off and be free of the extra weight.'

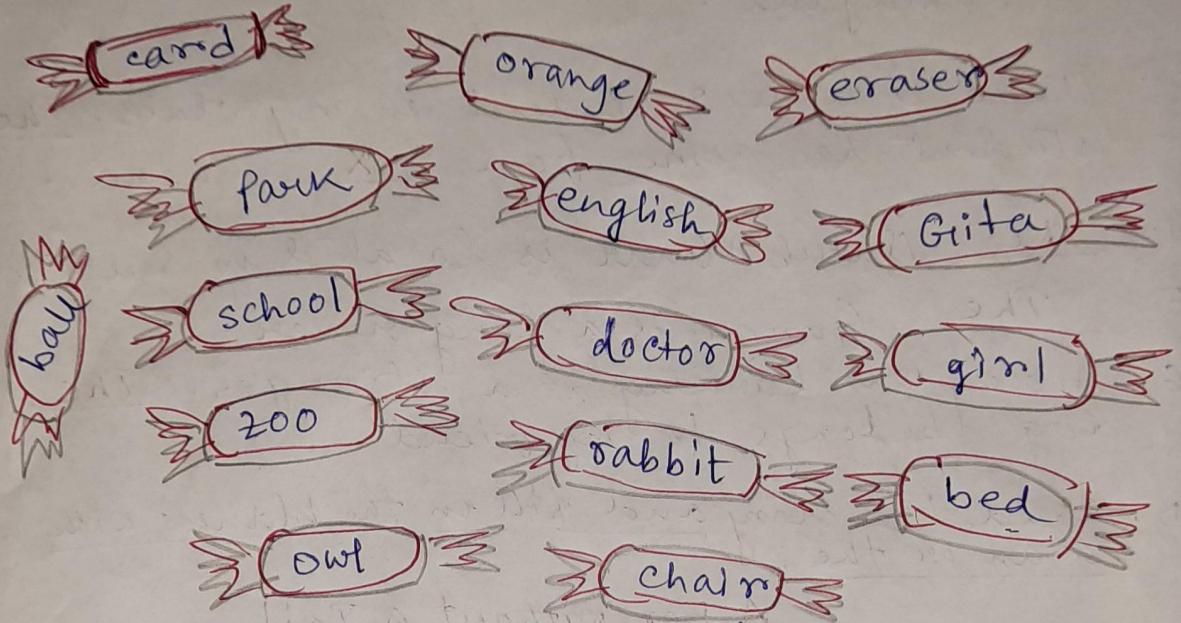
The other foxes saw the fox without its tail. They laughed and said, 'You liked your tail first. Now that you have lost yours, you want us to lose ours too.'



F. Read the verse and fill in the blanks with a, an or the :-

I looked up at the sky,  
And saw an eagle flying high.  
When the eagle began to dive,  
All the mice ran to save their lives!

### Home Work



Write down the nouns and put a, an or the before them.

Read the nouns and write them in correct category :-

dog, school, teacher, computer, hotel, tiger, hospital, cat, nurse, pencil, cow, police station, carpet, father, girl, butterfly, library, barber, shoe, toothbrush, duck.

Person	place	animal	thing

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Fill the blanks with a or an :-

an elephant

a mouse

a starfish

an orange

a book

a river

a bottle

Write a or an before these nouns :-

1. a book

2. an umbrella

3. an apple

4. a table

5. an egg

6. an arm

7. a window

8. a mango

9. an aeroplane

10. a classroom



Read the story and fill in the blanks with a or an :-

Yesterday was a sunny day. My father took me to the zoo. We carried a bag. In the bag we carried an apple, an orange, a bunch of bananas, some grapes and a fruit cake.

At the zoo, I saw three elephants eating grass under a big shed. After that we watched a monkey swinging from one branch to another. It was having a lot of fun. It looked like an ape, but it was much smaller.

There were many birds at the zoo. We saw an owl. It had big eyes. A green parrot was talking to an old man who was standing near the cage.

There was a large bird nearby. My father told me it was an ostrich. It had just laid an egg. The egg was very big in size.

We heard the parrot telling the old man, 'Hello! What a big bird that is! What a big egg that is!'

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The Rainbow

Word meaning:-

bow - something that is curved like an arch.

heaven - the sky; where God lives

overtops - rises over the top of

sail - when a boat travels on water, it sails.  
clouds also sail (travel) across the sky.

1. Answer the following:-

a) Where do boats sail?

Ans. Boats sail on the rivers.

b) Where do ships sail?

Ans: Ships sail on the seas.

c) What sail across the sky?

Ans. clouds sail across the sky.

d) What ~~is~~ are the two prettiest things in the poem?

Ans. The two prettiest things in the poem are clouds and rainbow.

e) What is another name for the 'bow that bridges heaven'?

Ans: The another name for the 'bow that bridges heaven' is rainbow.

f) Is there a difference between a boat and a ship? Find out.

Ans: A boat is smaller in size than a ship. A boat sails on the river but a ship sails on the sea.



2. What are they? You will find the words in the poem.

- a) better looking - Prettier
- b) the planet on which we live - earth
- c) it is built to cross over a river - bridge
- d) We can sail in these - ship, boat
- e) white and fluffy, it floats in the sky - clouds.

Join a word in A with a word in B to make a new word:-

**A**

1. hair
2. class
3. door
4. post
5. shoe
6. text
7. hand

**B**


- room (2)
- Kerchief (7)
- maker (5)
- way (3)
- pin (1)
- card (4)
- book (6)


Home work

1. Draw a picture of rainbow and colour it. Name the colours present in rainbow.
2. Write the poem 'The Rainbow' with its poet's name.



# The Rainbow



 Boats sail on the rivers,  
And ships sail on the seas;  
But clouds that sail across the sky  
Are prettier than these.

There are bridges on the rivers,  
As pretty as you please;  
But the bow that bridges heaven,  
And overtops the trees,  
And builds a road from earth to sky,  
Is prettier far than these.

Christina Rossetti

