

**Class VIII English : How the Camel Got His Hump (SR, L-1)**

**Work Sheet**

**I Choose the right option to fill the following blanks :**

- a) The story '*How the Camel Got His Hump*' is written by.....
- (i) Rabindranath Tagore (ii) Leo Tolstoy (iii) Rudyard Kipling (iv) Vishnu Sharma
- b) A story that has animal characters that talk and express themselves like humans is called a.....
- (i) fairy tale (ii) comic (iii) a fable (iv) a folk tale
- c) The story is set in a .....
- (i) village (ii) desert (iii) hill top (iv) jungle
- d) The camel lived in the middle of the Howling Desert because he .....
- (i) loved the heat (ii) loved the sand (iii) hated the jungle (iv) hated to work
- e) The Camel always said .....
- (i) hump (ii) jump (iii) slump (iv) bump
- f) The first one to meet the Camel was the .....
- (i) the Dog (ii) the Ox (iii) the Horse (iv) the Man
- g) After meeting the Camel the three animals were called by .....
- (i) the Man (ii) the Djinn (iii) no one (iv) a fairy
- h) Listening to what the Man said the three animals became .....
- (i) bored (ii) angry (iii) happy (iv) sad
- i) The Man said that he would .....the Hump thing.
- (i) leave (ii) scold (iii) punish (iv) pardon
- j) The Djinn was in charge of .....
- (i) the rolling mountains (ii) All the Deserts (iii) the howling desert (iv) the sand

**II) Answer the following questions briefly (in 20-30 words)**

- a) Who are the main characters in the story ?
- b) Why did the Three become very angry and what did they do, where?
- c) Why did the Camel laugh at the Three?
- d) Who came after the camel left? What was his work?
- e) How did the Horse describe the Camel to the Djinn?
- f) What did the Djinn find the Camel doing?
- g) What did the Djinn tell the Camel ?
- h) How did the Djinn warn the Camel ?
- i) Did the Camel heed (listen to ) to the Djinn's warning? What was the result of its action?
- j) According to the Djinn what was the purpose of the hump?

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