# My Childhood

#### (Module 2)



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### Working with language

#### Phrasal Verbs:

In the story 'My Childhood' you might have come across the word ' Broke Out'. It is a Phrasal verb which means a combination of a verb 'Break' and a preposition 'Out'

Many more phrasal verbs can be formed by combining the same verb Break with other prepositions. They are

- 1. Break into
- 2. Break away
- 3. Break open
- 4. Break down
- 5. Break up

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#### Passive Voice:

Study the following sentences:

- *1) I* was asked to go and sit on the back bench.
- 2) Such problems *have to be confronted*.

The italicised verbs in these sentences are made up of a form of the verb be and a past participle ((For example: were + regarded, was + asked, be + confronted)

These sentences focus on what happens, rather than who does what. Notice that the doer of the action is not included in the sentences. If necessary, we can mention the doer of the action in a by-phrase. For example:

- The tree was struck by lightning.
- The flag was unfurled by the Chief Guest.

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# Now solve the worksheet 2 and practice the sentences.

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