

Lesson 5**A Different Kind of School- By E.V. Lucas****MODULE 3**

WORKING WITH LANGUAGE

A. Match the words and phrases with their meanings in the box below.

Paragraph numbers

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| 1. homesick | (3) |
| 2. Practically | (4) |
| 3. it pains me | (7) |
| 4. appreciate | (9) |
| 5. thoughtless | (10) |
| 6. exercise | (11) |
| 7. relief | (13) |
| 8. ghastly | (14) |

Almost	It hurts me	terrible	Test the strength of
Understanding the difficulties	Wanting to be home	A welcome change	Not very caring

ANS.

- 1- wanting to be home
- 2- almost
- 3- it hurts me
- 4- understanding the difficulties
- 5- not very caring
- 6- test the strength of
- 7- a welcome change
- 8- terrible

B. Re-word these lines from the story

1. I had heard a great deal about Miss Beam's school.

2. Miss Beam was all that I had expected-middle-aged, full of authority.
3. I went to the window which overlooked a large garden.
4. "We cannot bandage the children's mouths, so they really have to exercise their will-power."

ANS:

1. I had heard a lot about Miss Beam's school.
2. Miss Beam was just as I had visioned her, typical-middle-aged, dominating personality.
3. I went to the window facing a large garden.
4. "We cannot bandage the children's mouths, so they really have to control themselves to not speak."

C.1. Given below is a page from a dictionary. Look at it carefully and

- (i) find a word which means the same as ghastly. Write down the word and its two meanings.
- (ii) find a word meaning a part of the school year.
- (iii) find a word that means examination.

ANS:

- (i) ghastly means terrible. Terrible means causing fear or very bad.
- (ii) term means part of the school year
- (iii) test means examination

C.2. Now make lists of

- (i) all the words on the page (plus any more that you can think of) that begin with *terr*-
- (ii) five words that may follow the last word on the page, *that*.
- (iii) write down your own meaning of the word *thank*. Then write down the meaning given in the dictionary.

ANS:

- (i) Terrain, terrace, terror, terracotta, territory
- (ii) theatre, thin, thumb, thump, this
- (iii) Thank means to show the feeling of gratefulness when someone gives you something or do some good to you.

Meaning in dictionary: Thank means to show gratitude for any kind act or gift you receive.