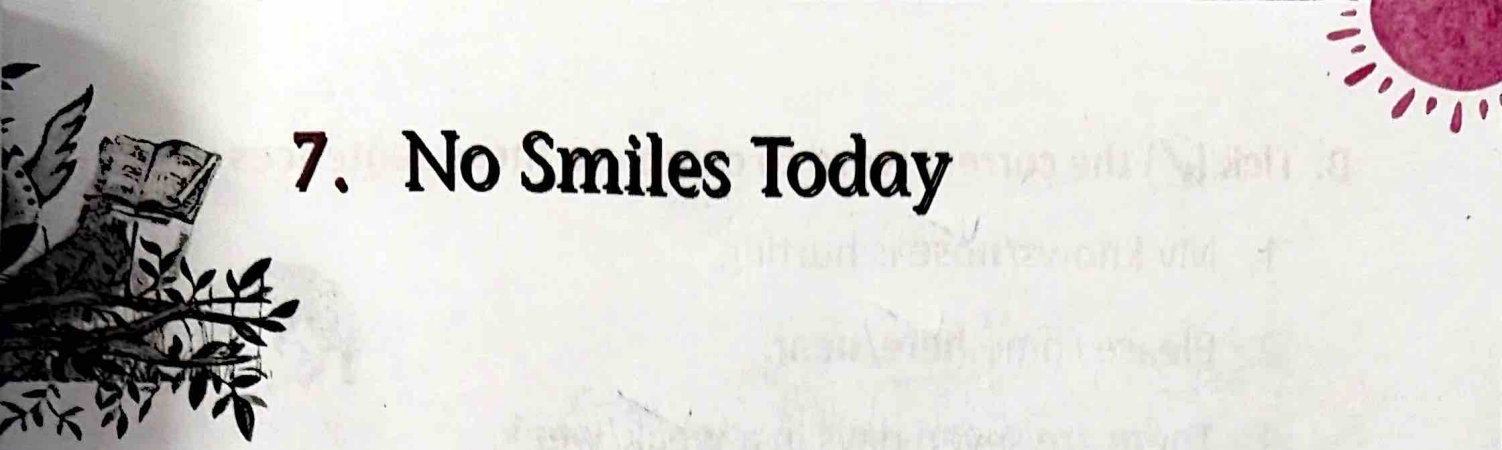




7. No Smiles Today

Playing with Words

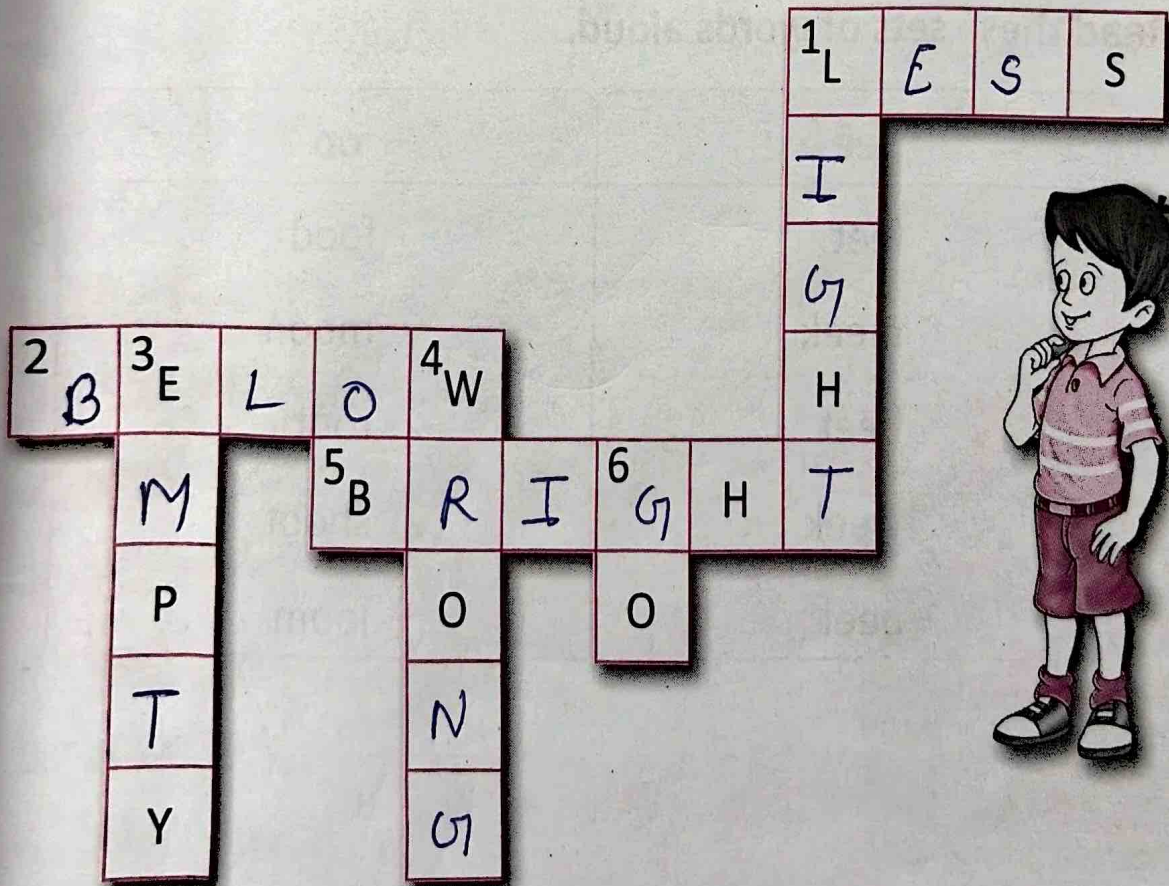
A. Complete this crossword using the opposites of these words.

Across

1. more
2. above
5. dull

Down

1. heavy
3. full
4. right
6. come



B. Tick (✓) the correct word to complete these sentences.

1. My ~~knows~~/✓**nose** is hurting.
2. Please come ~~here~~/✓**hear**.
3. There are seven days in a ~~weak~~/✓**week**.
4. He fetched a ~~pail~~/✓**pale** of water.
5. What did you ~~wear~~/✓**where** to the party?
6. I saw a ~~pear~~/✓**pair** of shoes.
7. The ~~bear~~/✓**bare** had honey.
8. It is ~~their~~/✓**there** house.



Mastering the Skills

C. Read these sets of words aloud.

ee	oo
feet	food
meek	moon
beet	root
week	shoot
peel	loom

Learning the Language

Words that are used in place of nouns are called **pronouns**. Some pronouns are **I, you, he, she, it, they, we, him, her, them** and **us**.

D. Underline the pronouns in these sentences.

1. She bought me a book of jokes.
2. Tom will meet us at the bus stop.
3. I go to football club on Tuesdays.
4. Sally and Dolly have fun when they play together.
5. Josh passed the ball to him.
6. Have you seen the kite we made?
7. Grandpa will play chess with you.
8. I saw an old box in the attic. It was covered in cobwebs.
9. Mother asked her to feed the cat.
10. He asked them to close the windows.



E. Tick (✓) the correct pronoun.

1. She/~~Her~~ likes reading stories.
2. ~~Him~~/He came home early today.
3. Us/~~We~~ will make a salad today.
4. Me/~~I~~ dropped water on the floor.
5. Is this lunch box you/~~yours~~?
6. They/~~Them~~ ate all their lunch.



7. Daddy bought a ball for **me/mine**.

8. Fifi is the name of a pet cat of **mine/she**.

F. Read these lines. The words in colour are incorrect. Use the correct pronoun in place of these words. Two have been done for you.

I We are going to a party. My father is driving

we us there. My friends are coming with **we** us

They tell I me that they are excited. The car is full. There

are so many people in **you** it Aunty Isha, my father's

sister, is sitting beside **he** him I am sitting on her lap. **Us**

..... We will drop **she** her off at the bus stand.

Writing

Do you know the story of **The Fox and the Grapes**? The story is about a fox who couldn't get grapes from a vine, so he shrugged and said, 'The grapes are sour.' Now, imagine that the fox, who is a clever animal, wants the grapes. What would he do?

G. Think of the different ways in which the fox can get the grapes. Then, complete the story with your ending.

The Fox and the Grapes

Once, a hungry fox saw some grapes. He jumped to get at them. Alas! The grapes were too high! So the fox used all his strength and jumped again. He still could not reach the bunch. He jumped again and again, but it was useless!

Tired, he decided to ... go away,
He said, " These
grapes are sour!
I don't want
them."

He went away, sadly
without eating the
grapes.

