

CHAPTER – 12

NOSES

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Question 1: mirror funniest breathing sticking giggle

Answer

1) **Mirror:** a glass which reflects a clear image Example sentences:

- 1) I always look at myself in the **mirror** before going to school.
- 2) **Mirror** always tells the truth.

2) **Funniest:** causing laughter Example sentences:

- 1) My brother told me the **funniest** story.
- 2) He is the **funniest** writer.

3) **Breathing:** taking in and throwing out of air Example sentences:

- 1) We cannot live without **breathing**.
- 2) He was **breathing** his last moments.

4) **Sticking:** fixed Example sentences:

- 1) Ram is not **sticking** to his point.
- 2) You should be **sticking** to your decision.

5) **Giggle:** to laugh Example sentences:

- 1) They **giggle** at my jokes.
- 2) My parents **giggle** while watching any comedy movie.

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Question 1:

1. Why does the poet feel that the nose is a funny thing?

2. Why is a nose important for you?
3. Does the child in the poem like her nose? Why do you think so?

Answer

- 1) The poet feels that the nose is a funny thing because it grows straight with two little holes in it.
- 2) Nose is important for us as it helps us in breathing.
- 3 No, the child in the poem does not like her nose. It is so because she always laughs when she sees her nose in the mirror.

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Question 1:

1. Describe a few funny things you have seen. Do they make you laugh?
2. What does features mean? Look up the dictionary. What are the different kinds of features of people we come across in the world? Discuss.

Answer

Disclaimer: These are sample answers. Students are advised to write the answers based on their own personal experiences and observations.

- 1) The funny things that I have seen are pigs grunting and frogs hopping. They always make me laugh.
- 2) Features are the different characteristics of people. We come across different kinds of features in the world. Some of them are very shy while some are talkative.

Question 1:

1. Sit in groups.

2. Look at your friend's face and describe what you see. Use words like long, round, oval, slanted, sharp, flat to help you. You can use other words also.

3. What is your favourite fruit? Describe it in five sentences.

(a) How does it smell?

(b) How does it look?

(c) How does it feel?

(d) When you bite it what sound does it make?

(e) How does it taste?

Answer

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1) My friend has a long face. 2) She has a flat nose. 3) She has big sparkling black eyes.

- (a) My favourite fruit is mango. It smells good. It is yellow in colour. it is very soft to eat. It makes a ‘slurp-slurp’ sound. It tastes delicious.

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Question 1:

1. Do you know a fish breathes from its gills? Write two sentences about other animals which can breathe under water.

2. **Punctuate the following passage.** mother father neelam said i have got a fire engine I’ve got a fire engine whats this whats this called mother somewhat confused by the noise I’ve got a fire engine mother come and see it.

3. Using a red pencil, choose and circle the things whose smell you like. Now with a blue pencil circle the things whose smell you do not like. Make five sentences like this –

I like / do not like the smell of because it reminds me of.....

petrol	chips	dirty shoes	paint
rose	shampoo	soap	garbage
scent	rotten fruit	agarbatti	coffee
chocolate	champa	marigold	elaichi

- (a) _____
- (b) _____
- (c) _____
- (d) _____
- (e) _____

Answer

1.

- The frog can breathe in water through their skin.
- Water snails breathe in water using their gills.

2. Mother, father and Neelam said I have got a fire engine, I've got a fire engine. What's this? What's this? called mother somewhat confused by the noise. "I've got a fire engine mother. Come and see it."

3. Disclaimer: These are sample answers. Students are advised to write the answers based on their own experiences and observations. (a) I like the smell of soap because it reminds me of rose.

(b) I do not like the smell of rotten fruit as it reminds me of garbage.

(c) I like the smell of paint as it reminds me of my favourite perfume.

(d) I do not like the smell of dirty shoes as it reminds me of rotten tomatoes.

(e) I like the smell of chips as it reminds me of cheese pizza.

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Question 1: What is it?

Tall ears, Twinkly nose, Tiny tail, And –hop, he goes!

What is he – Can you guess? I feed him carrots and watercress.

His ears are long, His tail is small – And he doesn't make any noise at all!

Tall ears, twinkly nose, Tiny tail, and – hop, he goes!

– *Marie Louise Allen*

Write three pairs of words that rhyme with each other.

Answer

Nose Goes

Guess Watercress

Long Small