

Worksheet

Helen Keller

A. Answer the following questions.

1. 'She is locked up inside herself. 'Who said this? What do you think she meant by it?

2. How did Helen try to express her anger?

3. Who was the teacher who helped her speak and understand?

4. What were the first words Helen learnt?

Answer A.

1. Helen Keller's mother said the following lines: 'She is locked up inside herself'. She said this because Helen has locked herself in the room.

2. When Helen was angry she started to grow wild, She would not let anyone comb her hair, her clothes were dirty. Sometimes she even lay on the floor and kicked her feet.

3. Miss Sullivan was Helen's teacher who helped her speak and understand. Hellen liked her, she was strict but kind.

4. The first words Helen learnt was DOLL.

B. Tick (✓) the correct answer.

1. Helen Keller was

(a) Blind and deaf. ☐

(b) Deaf and dumb. ☐

(c) Deaf. ☐

(d) Blind. ☐

2. Miss Sullivan spelt words into Helen's hand with

(a) A pen. ☐

(b) A chalk. ☐

(c) Her fingers. ☐

(d) A pencil. ☐

3. Miss Sullivan gave Helen a

(a) Toy. ☐

(b) Pen. ☐

(c) Doll. ☐

(d) Book. ☐

4. One day Miss Sullivan put Jane's hand into

(a) Fire. ☐

(b) Water. ☐

(c) Burning coal. ☐

(d) Furnace. ☐

5. Helen's clothes were often

(a) Torn. ☐

(b) Dirty. ☐

(c) Clean. ☐

(d) Unironed. ☐

Answer B.

1. (a) Blind and deaf

2. (c) her fingers

3. (c) doll

4. (b) water

5. (b) dirty

C. Think, discuss and answer the question given below.

Have you ever come across a differently abled child who was very intelligent?

Discuss.

Answer C.

Yes, I came along a differently abled child once. She could not see, she was blind. But she was intelligent. She was my neighbor. I used to talk to her and was my friend but later she went to blind school. It was a good experience.