



## ENGLISH

### TOPIC: EXTRACT BASED QUESTIONS

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**Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follows:**

1. *She talked about clothes and fashions, but Johnsy did not respond. Johnsy continued to lie still on her bed. She brought her drawing-board into Johnsy's room and started painting.*

- (a) Why did Sue talk about clothes and fashion?
- (b) Why did Johnsy continue to lie still on her bed?
- (c) Why did Sue bring her drawing-board into Johnsy's room?
- (d) Which value of Sue's character is revealed through these lines?

2. *Then they found a ladder and a lantern still lighted lying near his bed. There were also some brushes and green and yellow paints on the floor near the ladder.*

- (a) Who is 'his' in these lines?
- (b) Why was the lantern still lighted?
- (c) Why were the paints green and yellow?
- (d) Why had a ladder been used?



3. *Away, away in the Northland,  
Where the hours of the day are few,  
And the nights are so long in winter  
That they cannot sleep them through  
Where they harness the swift reindeer  
To the sledges, 'when it snows;  
And the children look like bear's cubs  
In their funny, furry clothes:*

- (i) Which country does this legend belong to?
- (ii) How were the days and nights there?
- (iii) How did the people drive their sledges when it snowed?
- (iv) How did the children look in their furry clothes?
- (v) Name the poem and the poet of these lines?

4. *Then up she went through the chimney,  
Never speaking a word,  
And out of the top flew a woodpecker,  
For she was changed to a bird.*

- i)** Where did the woman go?
- ii)** Why did she not speak any word?
- iii)** What came out of the top of the chimney?
- iv)** What happened to the woman?