Writing:

a) Completing a story

b) Caption Writing for News Reports

Completing a Story:

A story is a creative and imaginative piece of art with interesting characters, events and plot. Therefore, to complete a story, creativity and imagination are the two important abilities required. The following steps may be helpful while completing an incomplete story:

- Read the given story carefully and understand (it is the base to be developed)
- Apply your imagination and choose your own climax (it may differ from person to person)
- The end may be a happy one, tragic one or funny one but decide it first before writing (it is your choice)
- Give a suitable title
- Try to write minimum of three to five lines to complete the story.
- Don't forget to include unexpected event or twist in your story (it makes your story interesting)

Exercise-1

Complete the story within 3 to 5 lines and give a title.

Once, there was a king called Midas. He got a boon from the god Dionysus that whatever he touched would turn into gold. He was so greedy. So, he touched all objects around him and they turned into gold. The lunch time came and he was hungry. He touched the food and got shocked that it also turned into gold and he could not eat it…

Answer:

Greedy and Wise King Midas

King Midas realized his mistake. His daughter who touched him also got turned into gold. Now the king prayed to god for relief. The God appeared before him and told that he would be relieved if he met 100 helping persons and had their blessings. He found 99 persons and prayed to god for relief. God asked about the 100^{th} person. He told that the god was that 100^{th} person.

Exercise-1

Once there was a little boy who was mischievous. He used to play tricks and cheat the neighbours around him just for fun. One day, he cried "Lion… lion…" People around him rushed to the spot with weapons to save the boy. But there was no lion. They warned him and left the place. On the second day also he did the same and enjoyed. On the third day, before he cries, he saw a lion really coming towards him…

Answer:

The Boy Who Cried Lion

The boy ran to his house nearby and locked the door inside. He saw through the window that the Lion had actually brought its younger one too. The boy told the young lion - "Your father use old methods in hunting but I can teach you new methods via YouTube." He taught new tricks. The father lion left the place without killing the boy by saying -"I can't kill my son's master."

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Caption Writing for News Reports

Exercise -1

Write suitable captions for the given news reports:

News Report:

Soon after Google Gemini was criticized for generating historically inaccurate images, Google and Alphabet CEO Sundar Pichai dubbed the Gemini's image generation 'completely unacceptable.' Now, the company co-founder has spoken his mind saying that the AI chatbot 'definitely messed up." Speaking to San Francisco's AGI House recently, Brin said the company had "definitely messed up on image generation" While addressing concerns about the AI's biases, he said " I wasn't really expecting to talk about this today. We definitely messed up on the image generation, and I think it was mostly due to, just like, not through testing."

Answer:

News Caption:

"Definitely Messed Up", Says Google Co-founder on Gemini AI Chatbot

Exercise -2

News Report:

With a better and more diverse TV lineup than ever before, Tamil television now has something extra to entertain. Adding to the lineup, a popular TV channel has planned to launch a brand new Tamil serial titled, 'Lakshmi' soon. The Channel, known for popular series like "Ethirneechal", "Sundari", and "Kayal", is now gearing up to unveil its intriguing storyline. Starring Sanjiv Venkat, Sruthiraj, and the talented Nehu in pivotal roles, 'Lakshmi' is already generating buzz among fans eagerly awaiting its premiere. While details about the cast and crew are yet to be officially announced, anticipation is running high for this upcoming series.

Answer:

News Caption:

New TV Serial 'Lakshmi' to be launched soon

Exercise -3

Write suitable caption for the given news report.

News Report:

Tamil Nadu Health Minister Ma Subramanian on Saturday banned the production and sale of cotton candy in the state after tests at the government lab confirmed the presence of cancer-causing chemicals in samples collected by the food safety department from beaches and other areas in Chennai. The minister noted that as the test results from the Government Food Analysis Laboratory confirmed the presence of cancer-causing chemicals in cotton candy, its sale would be banned in the state. He added that the use of Rhodamine-B as a food additive in manufacturing, packaging, import, sale of food or serving food containing it at weddings and other public events would be punishable under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006. Subramanian

said the Commissioner of Food Safety has directed officials to take strict action as per the Act.

Answer:
News Caption:

Tamil Nadu bans sale of cotton candy

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