

Lesson - 6
Omana's journey

I. Fill in the blanks:

1. Omana and Radha were going to Kerala.
2. Omana was going to her grandmother's house.
3. Radha's mother asked Omana to write down everything about her trip in a diary.
4. Gandhidham, Ahmedabad and Valsad are in Gujarat.
5. Omana had her journey to Kerala by train.
6. Railway crossing is a place where a road and a railway track meet.
7. Train ticket is free for children below 5 years of age.
8. Children between 5 and 12 years of age have to pay a half train ticket charge.
9. The place where a train stops is called a railway station.
10. People wait at a platform for the train to come.

Home work

Draw the picture of a Railway station

II. Answer the following:

1. Where is Kozhikode?

Kozhikode is in Kerala.

2. Why is everything going behind when we travel in a bus or a train?

- Nothing is going behind and we just feel that way.
- The people and things that we see through the window are not moving.
- They are in the same place, but our train is moving ahead very fast.
- That is why it seems as if they are going away.

3. Why was it so crowded at the door of a coach?

People were getting off and others were pushing and trying to put their luggage inside all from one door. That is why it is always crowded at the door of a coach.

4. How do you think crowding at the door of the coach can be avoided?

- People entering the coach should use one door and those getting out of the coach should use the other.
- People should also follow the queue while getting in or out of a train.

5. What does the ticket - checker will do in the train?

The ticket checker will come and check our tickets to see that we were in our proper seats.

6. What did Omana see from the window?

Omana saw many fields, villages, sunset and natural sceneries.

7. What was the nature of fields that Omana had seen in Ahmedabad?

The fields in Ahmedabad were brown and dry.

8. Name some of the people we can see in a railway station.

Ticket collector, guard, railway police, sweeper, engine driver, reservation clerk, vendor, porter, passengers...etc.

Home work

III. Think and Answer:

1. Have you ever travelled in a train?

2. What are some of the things that were sold at railway station?

3. What food would you like to take when you travel?

IV. Answer in detail:

1. Write about some safety rules for kids.

- Kids should never play with sharp objects like scissors or knives.
- Kids should never turn on the ignition of the gas stove.
- Standing on a table or a chair is not safe as we may lose our balance.
- Children should never use electric gadgets on their own.
- Never run on the wet floor or leave toys or other things lying on the floor of the house.
- We should climb stairs slowly and never push anyone.
- We should never run or play on the roads. We should cross the road using zebra crossing and obey the traffic lights.
- Following simple safety rules can make our life easier and safer.
- In case someone is hurt, we should never be panic and immediately call for help.
- First aid should be given by those who have been taught how to do it.