

**Welland Gouldsmith School**  
**History Worksheet**  
**Class III**

**Let's Travel**

Modes of transport have changed with time. In ancient times people use to travel by foot from one place to another. After the invention of the wheel, carts were invented which was drawn by horses, mules and ponies. Rafts were used as water transport. Then slowly but surely different vehicles were invented. Modes of transport can be divided into three types – land, water and air. Air transport was later invented to carry passengers and goods and is the fastest means of transport. Water transport is the cheapest and oldest mode of transport. Use of petrol and diesel has made the air dirty.

**(Work to be done in History exercise book)**

**A) Fill in the blanks.**

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ ferry us across lakes and rivers.
- 2) There are 3 types of transport \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3) A \_\_\_\_\_ is a type of ship that can travel underwater.
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ made travel faster.
- 5) A \_\_\_\_\_ is a place where a ship anchors for passengers.

**B) True and False.**

- 1) Trains are the fastest mode of transport. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) Water transport is the most expensive mode of transport. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) Ships that carry goods are called cargo ships. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Helicopters can carry many people. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) Petrol and diesel make the air dirty. \_\_\_\_\_

**C) Answer the following questions.**

- 1) How did people travel before the wheel was invented?
- 2) What are the four factors that help us to choose a particular vehicle for travel?
- 3) How are cargo ships different from passenger liners?
- 4) What do vehicles that run on petrol or diesel do to the air?

**D) Activity.**

- Assignment to be done in the text- “SOCIAL STUDIES” page number 21 exercise A (Tick the correct answer) and exercise B (Write the names of 3 fast-moving and 3 slow-moving modes of transport).