

WELLAND GOULDSMITH SCHOOL

CLASS - 1

SUBJECT – ENGLISH LITERATURE

JACK AND THE BEANSTALK

Jack and his mother lived in a small cottage. They were very poor. All they had was a cow named Milky. One day Jack's mother told him to sell the cow in the market. On the way Jack met a man and sold the cow for some beans. Jack's mother was very angry and threw the beans out of the window. The next morning Jack looked out of the window and saw a huge beanstalk. He started to climb it. When he reached the top of the beanstalk he saw a beautiful castle, so he entered it and hid inside a cupboard. Then a huge giant entered and sat at the table with a musical harp that could sing and a hen that laid golden eggs. When the giant fell asleep Jack took the harp and the hen and ran down the beanstalk. The giant chased after him. Jack told his mother to bring the axe. On reaching the ground Jack chopped off the beanstalk with the axe and the Giant came crashing down to the ground and died. Then Jack and his mother became rich and lived happily ever after.

(EXERCISES TO BE DONE IN ENGLISH LITERATURE EXERCISE BOOK.)

1 . Fill in the blanks

- A. Jack lived with his mother in a little
- B. They had a called milky.
- C. The man gave Jack some magicfor the cow and took her away.
- D. He saw a giant
- E. On the table there was a and a golden

2. Write True or False.

- A. Jack lived with his grandmother in a little cottage.
- B. All they had was a cow called Milky.
- C. Jack hid inside a large cupboard.
- D. Mother chopped down the bean stalk.
- E. The giant fell with a clash and died.

3. Match the columns.

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| A. Hot | a. stalk |
| B. Bean | b. porridge |
| C. Magic | c. clouds |
| D. White | d. cupboard |
| E. Large | e. beans |

4. Who said to whom?

- A. "Master! Help!"**
- B. "Mother bring the axe!"**
- C. As he ate he said, "Lay!"**

5. Answer the following questions.

- Q1. What did Jack's mother tell him to do?**
- Q2. What did Jack's mother do with the beans?**
- Q3. What was there on the table?**
- Q4. What happened to the giant?**