WELLAND GOULDSMITH SCHOOL

CLASS-1

SUBJECT- ENGLISH LITERATURE

THE PRINCES OF HASTINAPUR.

It was playtime for hundred Kaurava princes and their five Pandava brothers.

Bheeshma their granduncle was sitting in his garden. He was smiling as he heard the sound of running feet as they were rushing out of the palace laughing and shouting. It was the rainy season. The boys were flying kites.

Bhima wanted to show off how strong he was so he climbed a mango tree laden with the golden fruit. He had once fallen from a great height. The rock had broken into pieces but Bhima was not hurt. Dushasana made fun of him swinging upon one of the branches of the tree. Bhima looked at him and shook the tree so hard that not only the mangoes, but all the three cousins came tumbling down as well.

Dushasana screamed with anger and chased Bhima down the garden path. Bheeshma stood up and went to settle the quarrel.

(EXERCISES TO BE DONE IN ENGLISH LITERATURE EXERCISE BOOK)

1. Answer the following questions.

A .Where was Bheeshma sitting?
B .What did the boys want to do?
C. Who is Bhima?
D. What happened when Bhima shook the tree?
E. Where do we find the story of Pandava and Kauravas written?.

- 2. Make sentences with the following words from the passage.
- A. Chased
- **B.** Quarrel
- C. Climbed
- D. Laden with
- E. Beautiful.
- 3. Who said to whom?

- A. "I am strong . I can shake the mangoes off the tree."
- B. "Okay, enough, you two. Come back,