



GOLU GROWS A NOSE

EXERCISE

Question 1:

Whom does Golu ask, “Why don’t you ever fly like other birds?”

Answer:

Golu asks the ostrich why it doesn’t fly like other birds.

Question 2:

Which uncle of Golu had red eyes?

Answer:

Golu’s huge uncle hippopotamus had red eyes.

Question 3:

Golu’s relatives did not answer his questions because

- (i) they were shy.
- (ii) the questions were too difficult.
- (iii) Golu was a naughty boy.

Answer:

- (ii) The questions were too difficult.

Question 4:

Who advised Golu to go to the Limpopo river?

Answer:

The mynah bird advised Golu to go to the Limpopo river.

Question 5:

Why did Golu go to the river?

Answer:

Golu went to the Limpopo river to find out what the crocodile had for dinner.

Question 6:

The crocodile lay on the bank of the Limpopo river. Golu thought it was

- (i) a living crocodile
- (ii) a dead crocodile
- (iii) a log of wood

Answer:

- (iii) a log of wood.

Question 7:

What did the crocodile do to show that it was a real crocodile?

Answer:

The crocodile shed its false tears' to show that it was a real one.

Question 8:

"Come here, little one, and I'll whisper the answer to you". The crocodile said this because

- (i) he couldn't stand up.
- (ii) he wanted to eat Golu.
- (iii) Golu was deaf.

Answer:

- (ii) he wanted to eat Golu.

**Question 9:**

- (i) Who helped Golu on the bank of the river?

Answer:

The python helped Golu on the river bank. He saved Golu's life from the crocodile.

Question 10:

Name two things the elephant can do with his trunk, and two he cannot.

Answer:

Two things the elephant can do with his trunk are:

- (i) The elephant can keep away flies.
- (ii) He can pull up things from below and take it to his mouth.

Two things that the elephant can't do with his trunk are:

- He can't use it as a leg.
- He can't see with it.