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**CBSE Class 3 English**  
**NCERT Solutions**  
**Chapter - 10**  
**THE SHIP OF THE DESERT**

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**1. Why is the Camel called the ship of the desert?**

**Ans.** Camel is called the ship of the Desert because he can walk on the burning sand easily. He can live without food and water in the desert for many days.

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**2. For how many weeks can a Camel store food in its hump?**

**Ans.** A Camel can store food for two weeks in its hump.

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**3. What does the Camel eat in the desert?**

**Ans.** A camel eats thorny bushes in the desert.

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**4. Choose the right answer.**

**(a) Name the ship of the desert.**

- a. lion**
- b. crab**
- c. camel**
- d. tiger.**

**Ans.** Camel.

**(b) Name the king of the forest.**

- a. lion**
- b. owl**
- c. monkey**
- d. crocodile.**

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**Ans.** Lion.

**(c) The feet of the camel are**

- a. thick and pedded**
- b. long and fat**
- c. thick and fat**
- d. thing and pedded.**

**Ans.** Thick and padded.

**(d) There are no rivers or lakes in**

- a. plains**
- b. Mountains**
- c. Plateau**
- d. deserts.**

**Ans.** Deserts.

**(e) At a time a camel can drink**

- a. 200 bottlesof water**
- b. 400 bottles of water**
- c. 100 bottles of water**
- d. 300 bottles of water.**

**Ans.** 200 bottles of water.

**(f) A camel stores food in its**

- a. stomach**
- b. hump**
- c. legs**
- d. lips.**

**Ans.** hump.

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5. Make as many words as you can from within the given words.

ROARING: IN, RAN, ROAR

**Ans.** (i) FROWNING : IN FROG ROW

(iii) BLINKING: IN, LINK, KING

(iv) WONDERINGLY: WONDER RING WON

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6. Match the pictures with the words given:

**Ans.**



Mane



Paw



Hoof



Beak



Feet



Whiskers



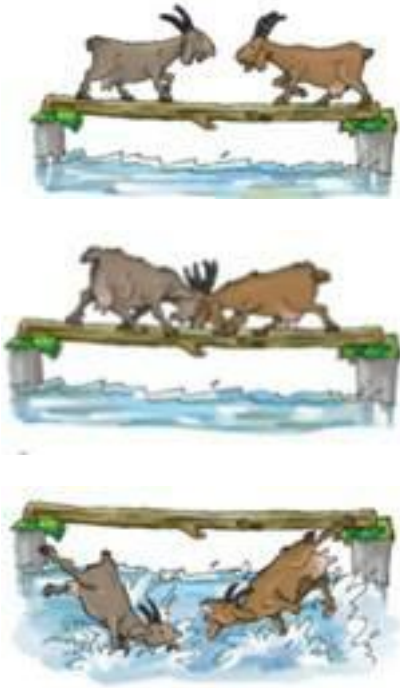
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Tusk

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**7. Look at the goats in the picture and write about them**



**Ans.** (i) Two goats were coming from the opposite sides. They came on a bridge made on a river. Both asked each other to move back. No one was ready to move back.

(ii) Both started fighting.

(iii) And both fell in the river.

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**8. Now make sentences with each word.**

**Ans.** (i) I – eye: I am a girl.

I have two eyes.

(ii) Our – hour: Our country's name is India.

I walk an hour daily.

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(iii) Week -weak: There are 7 days in a week.

I am weak in mathematics.

(iv) Need – knead: You need to take care of your health.

My mother kneads flour everyday.

(v) In – Inn: My teacher is sitting in the class.

Yesterday, we want to an inn.

(vi) See – sea: Today, I will see a movie.

I have never seen a sea.

(vii) No – know: We should say ‘No’ to crackers.

I do not know the answer of this question.

(viii) Here – hear: I am sitting here in this corner.

I cannot hear your voice.

(ix) Not – knot: You should not misbehave with anybody.

I tied a knot in the ropes to make them longer.

(x) Eight – ate: I have eight chocolates.

Yesterday, I ate my lunch at 1:30 pm.

(xi) Of – Off: Camel is the ship of the desert.

Please, switch off the fan when you are not in the room.

(xii) Two – to: I have two eyes, two legs, ears and hands.

I too went for the picnic with my friends.

(xiii) Bye – by: When we depart from our friends we say bye to them.

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My house is by the seashore.

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**9. Find out which animals live in:**

**(i) icy cold regions.**

**Ans.** Tiger, Bear.

**(ii) Hot wet regions.**

**Ans.** Tiger, Elephant.

**(iii) Dry and Hot Regions.**

**Ans.** Camel.