

II. LONG ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS

1. Who did the Giant love most? Why?

Answer: The Giant loved the little boy most because he had kissed him. He felt helpless and began to cry. The Giant saw him. His heart melted all of a sudden. He came to the little boy and put him into the tree. The tree broke at once into blossom and the birds came and sang on it. The little boy became happy. He stretched out his two arms and flung them round the Giant's neck, and kissed him. The Giant's joy knew no bounds. He (the Giant) made the little boy his friend.

2. What evidence do you find in the story about the Giant's selfishness and wicked nature? Did he stick to this? How do you know?

Answer: The Giant was self centred and wicked. He wanted his garden only for his own use. He forbade the entry of children there. He put up a notice board that who soever entered the garden without his permission would be punished. He also got a high wall constructed all around it. Children were horrified to see this. They flew away from the garden. It shows the giant's selfishness and wicked nature. But he didn't stick to this. He became soft towards the children. He broke the wall that he had constructed around his garden and allowed the children to play there. He regarded the children as the most beautiful flowers of all.

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