



## Working with Language

I. Study the following phrases and their meanings. Use them appropriately to complete the sentences that follow.

look after: take care of

look down on: disapprove or regard as inferior

look in (on someone): make a short visit

look into: investigate

look out: be careful

look up: improve

look up to: admire

(i) After a very long spell of heat, the weather is ..... at last.

(ii) We have no right to ..... people who do small jobs.

(iii) Nitin has always ..... his uncle, who is a self-made man.

(iv) The police are ..... the matter thoroughly.

(v) If you want to go out, I will ..... the children for you.

(vi) I promise to ..... on your brother when I visit Lucknow next.

(vi) ..... when you are crossing the main road.

Ans:

(i) After a very long spell of heat, the weather is looking up at last.

(ii) We have no right to look down on people who do small jobs.

(iii) Nitin has always looked up to his uncle, who is a self-made man.

(iv) The police are looking into the matter thoroughly.

(v) If you want to go out, I will look after the children for you.

(vi) I promise to look in on your brother when I visit Lucknow next.

(vii) Look out when you are crossing the main road.

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3. Each of the following words contains the sound 'sh' (as in shine) in the beginning or in the middle or at the end. First speak out all the words clearly. Then arrange the words in three groups in the table on page 80.

sheep	trash	marsh	fashion
anxious	shriek	shore	fish
portion	ashes	sure	nation
shoe	pushing	polish	moustache

Ans:

Initial	Medial	Final
Sheep	fashion	trash
shriek	portion	marsh
shore	ashes	anxious
sure	nation	fish
shoe	pushing	polish
		moustache

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4. In each of the following words 'ch' represents the same consonant sound as in 'chair'. The words on the left have this sound initially. Those on the right have it finally. Speak each word clearly.

choose	bench
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child	march
cheese	peach
chair	wretch
charming	research

Underline the letters representing this sound in each of the following words.

- (i) feature
- (ii) archery
- (iii) picture
- (iv) reaching
- (v) nature
- (vi) matches
- (vii) riches
- (viii) batch
- (ix) church

Ans:

- (i) Feature
- (ii) Archery
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