

Read the passage given below and answer the following questions:

The Ice Cream Kingdom

Once upon a time, in a land made entirely of ice cream, there was a young hero named Max. He lived in a town where the houses were made of vanilla cones, the trees were **swirled** with chocolate syrup, and the rivers flowed with strawberry sauce. Everything in the kingdom was sweet and delicious! But one day, a dark cloud appeared in the sky, and the evil villain with a cold, frozen heart, Mr. Freeze. He began using his icy powers to freeze the ice cream flavours, turning them into hard, tasteless blocks. Max knew he had to stop him before the entire kingdom was ruined. **7**

Max was given a magical spoon by the wise old Ice Cream Wizard. The spoon could melt any frozen ice cream and bring back its delicious flavours. With the spoon in his hand, Max set off on an adventure. He travelled through frozen forests of mint chip trees, crossed rivers of melted fudge, and climbed mountains of rocky road. Along the way, he met friendly **creatures** like Sprinkles, Whipped Cream Fairies, and even a Chocolate Chip Dragon who helped him find Mr. Freeze's icy castle. **13**

In the end, Max reached Mr. Freeze's castle and used the magical spoon to melt his frozen heart. He bravely **confronted** him and showed him that ice cream should be enjoyed by everyone, not frozen and forgotten. Mr. Freeze was so moved by his kindness that he promised never to freeze the flavours again. The kingdom was saved, and Max became the hero of the Ice Cream Kingdom, where the sun always shone and the ice cream was forever sweet. **19**

Glossary:

swirled – to move round and round

creatures – living things, characters

confronted – to stand in front of somebody

Q1. Read lines 1 to 7 and answer the following.

a. Add a suitable **prefix** to the underlined word from the sentence given below.

There was a young hero named Max.

Ans.

b. Describe the land where Max lived.

Ans.

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c. Write the tense of the following statement.

Max knew he had to stop him before the entire kingdom was ruined –

Q2. Read lines 8 to 13 and answer the following.

a. Identify and write the adjectives from the sentence given below.

The spoon could melt any frozen ice cream and bring back its delicious flavours.

Ans.

b. Write a word from the passage which means ‘a **big, strong building with high walls and towers**’.

c. Did Max travel through different landscapes made of ice cream flavours during his adventure?

Yes ☐ No ☐

Give evidence from the passage to justify your answer.

Ans.

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d. ‘Max met friendly creatures like Sprinkles, Whipped Cream Fairies, and a Chocolate Chip Dragon.’ - Rewrite the above sentence in the future tense.

Ans.

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e. Give one word from line 10 which means “an exciting, risky, or unusual experience or journey”.

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Q3. Read lines 14 to 19 and answer the following.

a. Write an antonym for the word melt.

b. State a quality of Max that moved Mr. Freeze.

c. Mention an irregular **past-tense** verb form from line 18.....

a. What is the purpose of this passage? (Tick the correct option)

i) To teach how ice cream is made.

ii) To tell an imaginative story about bravery and kindness.

iii) To explain why ice cream melts in the sun.

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