MASTERMIND ENGLISH MEDIUM SCHOOL

CLASS VII

ENGLISH LITERATURE

PRACTICE WORKSHEET – 01

(05.04.2020 - 09.04.2020)

The Merchant of Venice

(Page 71-73)

Reread the pages and try to understand the meaning of the speeches thoroughly

From these pages, memorise the meanings of the words and phrases that are marked in class

Revise the important lines/speeches for explanation and translation

Practise the following questions:

I. Translation:

Salerio:

Why, yet it lives there uncheck'd that Antonio hath a ship of rich lading wrecked on the narrow seas; the Goodwins, I think they call the place; a very dangerous flat and fatal, where the carcasses of many a tall ship lie buried, as they say, if my gossip Report be an honest woman of her word.

II. Explanation:

"o bait fish withal: if it will feed nothing else, it will feed my revenge."

III. Short question answer:

- a. Solanio seems reluctant in accepting the news of Antonio's loss informed by Salerio. What proof do you have of it?
- b. How was Shylock's interaction with Solanio and Salerio? Why do you think it was like that?

Animal Farm

(Pages: 49-52)

Reread these pages to understand the incidents and details of the story more vividly

Practise the following questions:

- **a.** The storage of potatoes proved unfortunate for the animals. How?
- **b.** What was the plan of deceiving Mr. Whymper?
- **c.** Give a brief detail of the revolution of hens.

Poem Tree: The Road Not Taken

(Page: 50)

- Read the poem (several times, if needed) to comprehend the meaning of each line
- Take the help of class notes if necessary

Practise the following questions:

a. Summary of the poem

b. Explanation:

"And both that morning equally lay In leaves no step had trodden black. Oh, I kept the first for another day! Yet knowing how way leads on to way, I doubted if I should ever come back."

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Practice worksheet #2 (5TH April - 9th April)

The Merchant of Venice

1. Answer the following questions:

a. Why did the Prince of Arragon reject the silver casket? (Pg-68)

b. What did Portia want Bassanio to do before he would participate in the casket game? (pg -76)

c. Why did Bassanio reject the golden casket? (Pg-81)

Animal Farm

2. Answer the following questions:

a. How did Squealer manipulate the animals to engage in trade?

b. What was the state of the windmill during November?

The Poem Tree

3. Explain the following lines:

"Oh, I kept the first for another day! Yet knowing how way leads on to way, I doubted if I should ever come back"