

Read It :-

One day, a dog saw a piece of meat in a shop. He was very hungry. He took it in his mouth and started running home. The shopkeeper ran after him, but could not catch him.

The dog had to cross a river. There was a bridge over the river. The bridge was low. As he looked down into the river, he saw his reflection.

He ~~too~~ thought that there was another dog in the water. He thought the other dog's piece of meat looked bigger. He barked at the other dog. He thought he would get the bigger piece of meat for himself.

When he opened mouth and barked, his piece of meat fell into the river!

The poor dog had to go home without the meat.

He understood that it was not good to be
greedy.

Word Meaning :-

Meat :- the flesh of an animal eaten as food ; मांस

Hungry :- Wanting to eat ; ख़ाली

shopkeeper :- someone who owns a shop ; दुकानदार

catch :- to hold someone /something ; पकड़ना

river :- a natural body of flowing water ; नदी

reflection :- an image ; दर्पण

bridge :- a structure built over a river ; पुल

barked :- (used for dogs) to make a loud ; गाँकना

understood :- to realize something ; किसी बात का अर्थ
समझाना

greedy :- hungry for more ; लोलटी

- (i) Read Write and learn the word meaning.
- (ii) Read the story and tick (✓) the correct answer.
- (a) The dog ran with a piece of (meat / loaf) in his mouth.
 - (b) The dog had to cross a (tunnel / river).
 - (c) The dog saw (his reflection / another dog) in the river.
 - (d) The piece of meat looked (smaller / bigger) in the reflection.
 - (e) The dog (jumped / barked) at the other dog.

(iii) Write and learn the questions and answers.

(a) Why did the shopkeeper run after the dog?

Ans:- When the dog took the piece of meat from his shop.

(b) What did the dog see in the water?

Ans:- He saw his reflection.

(c) What happened to the dog in the end?

Ans:- The dog has to go home without any meat.

(d) Describe the dog in the story.

Ans:- The dog is greedy.

FUN TIME :-

Do it :-

(i) Fill in the blanks with the words from the box.

[greedy happy sad sleepy angry]

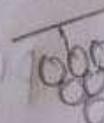
- (a) My friend pushed me. I am a - - - .
- (b) I lost my ball. I am s - - - .
- (c) I got a new toy car. I feel h - - - .
- (d) I don't want to share my toys. I am g - - - .
- (e) It is 10 at night. I feel s - - - .

(ii) Identify these words and write the correct spelling.

(a) b - tt - - fly



(b) - - ee



(c) um - - - ll -



(d) m - - q -



(e) k - t -



(f) d - g



(g) p - -



(h) b - ll



(i) g - - p - s

(j) e - - p - - t