Class IV chapter 2 Robin Redbreast Literature(Do page 15 exercise A for homework)

A. Fill in the blanks with the correct words.

a. Pick out a pair of rhyming words from this stanza.

1. Goodbye to *summer*.

2. As summer is nearly *done*.

3. The *Thrushes* are silent.

4. The <u>Swallows</u> have flown away.
5. But the <u>Robin</u> is here.
6. The trees will soon turn into <i>ghosts</i> .
B. Answer these questions.
1. Why is the garden smiling?
A. The garden is smiling because of the cool breezes in the sun and the summer is about to go.
2. How has the speaker described the leaves?
A. The speaker has described the leaves as bright yellow,red and orange.
3. Why would the trees turn to ghosts?
A. The trees would turn to ghosts as their leaves would soon fall off leaving the trees bare.
4. Which season follows summer?
A. Autumn season follows summer.
5. What happens during the dark dead winter?
A. During the dark dead winter the trembling night-winds whistle and moan.
C. Answer these questions with reference to the context.
1. Our Thrushes now are silent, Our Swallows flown away- But Robin's here, in coat of brown, With ruddy breast-knot gay.

- A. Away and gay are the rhyming words.
- b. Which three birds are mentioned in the stanza above?
- A. Thrushes, Swallows and Robin are the three birds mentioned in the stanza above.
- c. According to the speaker, what are the three birds doing?
- A. The thrushes are silent, the swallows are flying away while Robin is still waiting there.
- 2. Robin, Robin Redbreast, O Robin dear! And what will this poor Robin do? For pinching times are near.
- a. What do you understand by 'Redbreast?
- A. The chest of the bird is red in colour
- b. Why does the speaker call the Robin poor?
- A. The speaker calls Robin poor as the speaker feels sorry for it
- c. What does 'pinching times are near' mean?
- A. It means difficult times are near.
- Tick the correct demonstrative pronoun in each of these sentences.
- 1.This/Those are rotten apples. (those)
- 2.These/This are my toys. (these)
- 3. These/This is an unbelievable story! (this)
- 4. That/Those sounds like an aeroplane.(that)
- 5. These oranges are bigger than that/those. (those)
- 6. These mangoes taste bad. But these/this tastes good.(these)
- 7. These designs are good. But this/those are bad. (those)
- 8. Look at my shoe collection! I have to buy a new shoe rack to keep that/these. (these)
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- B. Fill in the blanks using some of the words given above.
- 1. Can you get me these medicines from the *pharmacy*.
- 2. The English language has twenty-six letters in the *alphabet*.
- 3. Mohit was talking to her on the *telephone* yesterday.
- 4. I was sick so I had to consult my *physician*.
- 5. My brother won a *trophy* in the competition.
- 6. I saw an *elephant* during my recent visit to Jaipur.