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Worksheet Number-7

## Comprehension- Mowgli, the Man -cub

Sub: EnglishGrammar

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1. Read the comprehension passage from the book. Then answer the questions:-

It was many year ago that I, Bagheera the panther, found a little man-cub. He was alone and unprotected in the jungles of India. So, I took the small boy to a nearby family of wolves I knew. As I had hoped, the mother wolf felt sorry for the man-cub. She said to me, "Bagheera, leave him with us and we will raise him."

This is how little Mowgli the man-cub came to be brought up by jungle animals. He was a favourite with all the wolf cubs of the pack. They treated him just like a brother wolf. Mowgli even made friends with the elephants and often marched with them. He loved living in the jungle. Although Mowgli did not know it, I would often watch him from a distance to make sure he was safe. You see, the jungle holds many dangers.

The was a clever Kaa, the snake, who smacked his tongue at the sight of a D-E-L-I-C-I-O-U-S man- cub. Mowgli's real enemy was the fierce tiger, Shere Khan. Shere Khan hated all men and had sworn to kill the man-cub. The tiger did not want to take a chance that the boy might grow up and become another hunter with a gun.

1. Why did Bagheera take Mowgli to the mother wolf?
2. Did the wolf accept Mowgli? What did she tell Bagheera?
3. Complete the following.
  - a. Mowgli was happy in the jungle because
  - i. the wolf cubs \_\_\_\_\_
  - ii. the elephants \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Mowgli's life was in danger because
  - i. Kaa \_\_\_\_\_
  - ii. Shere Khan \_\_\_\_\_
4. In 'unprotected' we add the 'un-' before 'protected' to make the opposite. Add 'ir-', 'im-', 'dis-' or 'mis-' before the following words to make opposites.
  - a. Advantage - \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Responsible - \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Understand - \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Possible - \_\_\_\_\_
5. Write whether the following are True or False.
  - a. Mowgli was found by Bagheera the panther. \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Shere Khan was a enemy of Mowgli. \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. The wolf cubs were not friends with Mowgli. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Describe the following characters.
  - a. Bagheera - \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Mowgli - \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Shere Khan- \_\_\_\_\_

