



NATIONAL LOCKDOWN PERIOD
ENGLISH HOME LANGUAGE GRADE 7
WEEK 1: 20 – 24 APRIL 2020

MEMORANDUMS

Please take note:

- You and your parent/guardian must mark the work together.
- Mark in pencil please.
- You may print and paste the memorandum in your classwork book.

Theme 6

Sharkey's Son Language p.89 no 1-6:

Memorandum

1. continued, watched, put, fell, thought, came, were, should have
2. more pitiful, most pitiful
more peculiar, most peculiar
stiffer, stiffest
3. simple sentence
4. It reveals a fact in the story.
5. He **watches** as she **puts** her head on her knees and a long, thick strand of straight brown hair **falls** over her arm.

6a) **antonyms**

warm – cold, chilly, freezing, frozen, numbed
smile – frown, glare, grimace, scowl
ran – walked, sat
kind – unkind, cruel, heartless, merciless, malevolent
thoughtful – thoughtless, selfish
unselfish – selfish, self-centred, demanding
beautiful – ugly, hideous, unattractive, plain

6b) **synonyms**

futile – useless, pointless, worthless, ineffective
frightened – scared, petrified, terrified, fearful, unnerved
ran – sprinted, dashed, jogged, bolted, hurried, raced, rushed
kind – caring, friendly, thoughtful, generous, good-natured, amiable
beautiful – pretty, attractive, gorgeous, stunning, handsome, captivating

Class Room Activity 5 p.92 Calvin Comic Strip
Memorandum

1. In frame 1 Susie looks interested as if she is keen to hear a secret, she faces Calvin. In frame 4, however, she is disappointed and fed up with Calvin's silly ideas and turns her back on him, scowls and walks away.
2. In frame 2 he holds his hand up, his teeth are revealed in an aggressive way, his eyes look angry/threatening. This is all for dramatic effect. In frame 3 he leans forward and holds his hand against his mouth as if he is giving confidential/secretive information. This shows that he has a wild and vivid imagination and likes to be dramatic.
3. Susie is being sarcastic when she says, "Don't worry." She will be too embarrassed to tell anybody this ridiculous story/secret. Calvin actually thinks that she is on his side and will keep his "secret".
4. In frame 2 Calvin reveals the secret and so the open frame draws attention to it. / It shows his open, wild imagination. (Or any other suitable answer.)
5. In frame 1 he asks a question to get a response.
In frame 4 he asks a question to make sure his secret is safe.
6. It emphasizes the shocking things Calvin has just said.
11. "secret", "corrupt", "innocent minds", "not resist", "invade"
These words evoke fear and some words suggest conflict and battle.

Take note: The answers are detailed and very specific.

Grade 7 English Home Language
Worksheet: Direct and Reported Speech
Memorandum

1. Chelsey said that **she had met her** mother at the station **the previous day/the day before.** (4)
2. Melanie said that **she thought** that **she had read that** story. (5)
3. Ruhan asked Carla if **she was** sure **they were** practising athletics. (4)
4. Etienne said that **he had lived there** for ten years. (3)
5. Ethan said that **he had gone** to visit **his** friend **the previous day.** (4)

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