

UNIT 7 CHAPTER 2

GULLIVER'S TRAVELS

TEXT BASED QUESTIONS**Objective Answer Type Questions**

1- State 'T' for True and 'F' for False statements.

- (i) The monster was able to overtake the speeding boat.
- (ii) The creature picked Gulliver and brought him close to his eyes.
- (iii) The cat was twenty times larger than an ox.
- (iv) Gulliver tried to speak to them loudly in several languages.
- (v) The farmer's wife was very cruel.
- (vi) Gulliver was a farmer.
- (vii) There were animals in the sea.
- (viii) The giant looked at Gulliver with curiosity.
- (ix) The giants carried reaping hooks.
- (x) The dish was twenty feet in diameter.

2- Read the lines of the story and answer the questions that follow.

They all sat on the ground to take a good look at me. I walked slowly backward and forward.

(i) Who are 'they' in the above line?

(ii) Why did they wanted to take a good look of Gulliver?

(iii) Find one verb and one adverbs from the lines.

Verb

Adverb

Very Short Answer Type Questions

3- From which book has this story been taken?

4- Who was the author of that book?

Short Answer Type Questions

5- Why did Gulliver try to speak to the giants in several languages?

6- How did the farmers in the field react on seeing Gulliver?

Long Answer Type Questions

7- What difficulties did Gulliver face when he reached the barren and rocky country?

8- How was Gulliver's dinner at the farmer's house?

9- Why did the captain send the men to the land?

10- Why did the men rush back to the ship?

11- Choose the correct answer.

(i) The giant carried a reaping hook because

(a) he was fighting with the other giants.

(b) he was going to reap the corn.

(c) he wanted to frighten Gulliver.

(ii) They put Gulliver on the ground to look at him because

(a) they had never seen a human before.

(b) they thought he was a doll.

(c) they had never seen such a tiny man.

(iii) Gulliver was

(a) a farmer (b) a sailor

(c) a dwarf (d) a giant

12- Name the creature to whom you would look like Gulliver. The creature is now extinct.

The word begins with the letter D

13- From the text, write the sentence that tells you the following:

(i) The giant reapers were fascinated by Gulliver.

(ii) Gulliver was a learned man.

(iii) The farmer's son thought Gulliver was a toy.

(iv) The farmer's wife was a kind-hearted woman.

14- Why could Gulliver not climb over the fence?

15- What did the giant creature sound like, to Gulliver?

16- How did the mother save Gulliver's life

LANGUAGE BASED QUESTIONS

1- Find out the words from the chapter that have the following meaning.

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| (i) A land with no
vegetation | (ii) A garment worn
while cooking |
| (iii) To find new
things | (iv) To shout very
loudly |

2- The word 'overtake' is formed by joining words 'over' and 'take'. Find three other words that start with 'over'. Also mention their meanings.

Word	Meaning
(i)
(ii)
(iii)

3- List the opposite of the underlined words in the following sentences.

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| (i) The hill is very <u>steep</u> .

Opposite | (ii) This portion of land is <u>barren</u> .

Opposite |
| (iii) Is it <u>possible</u> to predict the future?

Opposite | (iv) He spoke <u>harshly</u> .

Opposite |

4- Punctuate the following sentences.

- (i) next wednesday my sister mita is going to join the state bank of India.
- (ii) the dog wags its tail when its pleased but a cat waves its tail when its angry.

- (iii) when I went fishing I caught an old shoe a plastic bag and a bad cold.
- (iv) she fed the baby washed the dishes put the lights off and went to sleep.
- (v) wasn't tim born on the 26th of january 1989.
- (vi) oh no the bus has gone.
- (i)
- (ii)
- (iii)
- (iv)
- (v)
- (vi)

5- Complete the following sentences. from the chapter:

- (i) The crew discovered the land on
- (ii) The water of the ocean reached till giant's
- (iii) Barley and corn grew on the field and rose up to
- (iv) It was impossible to climb because every step was
- (v) Gulliver was struck with and on seeing the giants.
- (vi) The giant called his and placed Gulliver on the
- (vii) Gulliver pulled off his hat and made a towards the farmer.
- (viii) The dining table was feet high.

6- Use these words in sentences of your own.

- (i) bellowing
- (ii) inhabitants
- (iii) barren

- (iv) steep
- (v) astonishment
- (vi) crumbled
- (vii) grab

7- In each of the following sets of sentences, use the correct degree of adjectives given in brackets to complete the sentences.

(friendly)

(i) The giant came up to greet me.

The new boy was the child in the class.

My sister is than I, with our neighbours.

(pretty)

(ii) The sky at dawn is the of all scenes I have seen.

My father bought me a pair of sandals.

A cottage in a hill station is than one in the plains.

(good)

(iii) The sportsman had a track record in games.

I think this story is than the earlier one.

This is the autobiography of the leader that I have read.

(young)

(iv) The man helped the old man to drag the log of wood.

The member of the group was just six years old.

The of the two brothers was called Juno.