

I. WRITE**Task 1. Complete the story. Use the verbs in the box.**

8 burned	9 escaped	5 went	2 was	1 appeared
4 left	7 lit	6 tied	was grazing	3 said

How the tiger got his stripes

One day, as a farmer was in his field and his buffalo (0) **was grazing** nearby, a tiger (1) _____. The tiger wanted to know why the strong buffalo was the servant and the small man (2) _____ the master. The farmer (3) _____ he had something called wisdom, but he (4) _____ it at home that day. He (5) _____ to get the wisdom, but before that he (6) _____ the tiger to a tree with a rope because he didn't want it to eat the buffalo. When he returned, the farmer brought some straw with him. He said it was his wisdom. He (7) _____ the straw and the fire (8) _____ the tiger. The tiger (9) _____, but it still has black stripes from the burns today.

ANSWER KEYS:

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| 1. appeared | 2. was | 3. said |
| 4. left | 5. went | 6. tied |
| 7. lit | 8. burned | 9. escaped |

Task 2. Now imagine you are the man. Use the words to write the story. Start like this:

One day as I was in the field and

One day/ I/ field

buffalo/ graze/ tiger/ come

It/ ask/ why/ strong buffalo/ my servant/ and I/ its master

I/ tell/ tiger/ I/ have/ wisdom

tiger/ want/ see/ it

I/ tell/ it/ I/ leave/ wisdom/ home

then I/ tie/ tiger/ tree/ rope/ I/ didn't/ want/ eat/ buffalo

I/ go/ get/ straw/ and/ burn/ tiger

tiger/ escape/ still have/ black stripes

ANSWER KEYS:

One day as I was in the field and my buffalo was grazing nearby, a tiger came. It asked why the strong buffalo was my servant and why I was its master. I told the tiger that I had something called

wisdom. The tiger wanted to see it, but I told it I left my wisdom at home that day. Then I tied the tiger to a tree with a rope because I didn't want it to eat my buffalo. I went to get some straw which I said was my wisdom and burned the tiger. The tiger escaped, but it still has black stripes from the burns today.

HOANG LE KHA SECONDARY SCHOOL

ENGLISH 8

WEEK 6

THEME 4: OUR PAST

DATE: 11- 16/10/2021

READ

The Lost Shoe

Once a poor farmer had a daughter named Little Pea. After his wife died, the farmer married again. His new wife had a daughter, Stout Nut. Unfortunately, the new wife was very cruel to Little Pea. Little Pea had to do chores all day. This made Little Pea's father very upset. He soon died of a broken heart.

Summer came and went. In the fall, the village held its harvest festival. That year, everyone was excited as the prince wanted to choose his wife from the village. Stout Nut's mother made new clothes for her, but poor Little Pea had none.

However, before the festival started, a fairy appeared and magically changed Little Pea's rags into beautiful clothes.

As Little Pea ran to the festival, she dropped one of her shoes and lost it. When the prince found the shoe, he decided to marry the girl who owned it. Of course the shoe fitted Little Pea. and the prince immediately fell in love with her.

Task 1. Complete the sentences with words from the story.

- a) Little Pea's father was a poor farmer
- b) Little Pea's mother died when she was young.
- c) Little Pea had to do the housework all day after her father got married again .
- d) The prince wanted to marry a girl from Little Pea's village.
- e) Stout Nut's mother did not make new clothes for Little Pea.
- f) The prince found Little Pea's lost shoe.

ANSWER KEYS:

- a. Little Pea's father was a **farmer**.
- b Little Pea's mother **died** when he was young.
- c. Little Pea **had** to do the housework all day after her father got married **again**.
- d. The prince wanted to **marry/ choose** a girl from Little Pea's village.
- e. Stout Nut's mother did not make **new clothes** for Little Pea.
- f. The prince found Little Pea's **lost** shoe.

Task 2. Answer the questions. Write the answers in your exercise book.

- a) Who was Little Pea? -> farmer's daughter.
- b) What did Stout Nut's mother make Little Pea do all day? -> do the chores
- c) How did Little Pea get her new clothes? -> fairy
- d) Who did the prince decide to marry? -> little pea.

e) Is this a true story? How do you know?

ANSWER KEYS:

- a. Little Pea was a poor farmer's daughter.
- b. Stout Nut's mother made Little Pea do the chores all day.
- c. A fairy magically changed her rags into beautiful clothes.
- d. The prince decided to marry the girl who owned the shoe.
- e. No, this isn't a true story. This is a folktale.