#### ST. THOMAS SCHOOL, LONI PRACTICE WORKSHEET CLASS-V (ENGLISH)

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## **Reading Comprehension**

# Q1. Read the passage and answer the questions that follows:

The presence of certain qualities makes friendship a special relationship. A true friend is consistent and honest. A friend is not afraid to give an honest opinion and does not say things for the sake of getting approval. A friend provides companionship and continuous support. There is no room for pride, jealousy or rivalry in friendship.

When one enjoys a period of prosperity, many people become available as friends. This is not friendship because these so called friends slip away in difficult times. True friends stand by each other both in good and bad times.

In Ramayana Sugriva and Rama honour their pact for friendship through the entire epic. Rama helps Sugriva kill his brother Bali and regain his kingdom. Sugriva provides his army to assist Rama in search for Sita and does not test until she is found and returned to Rama.

In Mahabharata,Karna, at the cost of his own life remains a true friend to Duryodhana. He honour his friendship with Duryodhana even after knowing that he, in reality, is the son of Kunti and the Pandavas are his own brothers. He does not break his commitment to Duryodhana.

### Answer the following questions:

1. Mention any two qualities of a friend.

2. How could we say that both Sugriva and Karna had the qualities of a true friend?

3. What is the quality of so called friends?

#### Message Writing:

Q2. Your friend called you to invite for his birthday party. You are going to your tuition class and will go to the party from the class. Leave a message for your sister informing her about the same.

Q3. Your father called to inform that he would be coming home late from the office and will not have dinner at home. You are going out with your friends. Leave a message for your mother informing her about the same.

