CLASS: IX

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

The LOST CHILD [MOMENTS]

List of New Words and their Meanings:

1. Alleys: a narrow passage/ streets

2. Emerged: to come out of a dark, hidden place

3. Gaily: in a bright, attractive and cheerful way

4. Brimming: filled fully, overflow

5. Lagged: to lie behind

6. Fascinated: to attract with interest

7. Obedient: willing to obey

8. Lingering: slow to end or disappear

9. Receding: to move gradually away from the previous position

10. Suppress: to put an end, often by force

11. Desire: a strong wish to do something

12. Stare: to look for a long time

13. Tyrant: dictator/ a cruel ruler

14. Caper: a playful skipping movement

15. Tender: kind/ gentle/ loving

16. Gaudy: garish, too brightly coloured in a way that lacks taste

17. Intercepting: to stop something from going from one place to another

18. Cautionary Call: a call to remind/ making alert

19. Teeming: present in large numbers, full of people

20. Winding: path with many bends and turns

21. Throngs: A crowd of people / in large numbers

22. Converging: to move towards a place from different directions and meet

23. Whirlpool: eddy, a place in the river or the sea where currents of water spin

24. Repelled: to fight successfully/ disgust/ repulse

25. Plea: request

26. Murmured: to say softly quite as a whisper

27. Irresistibly: so strong that it cannot be stooped or resisted

28. Overwhelming: strong emotional effect

29. Rippling: continuous sound made out of small waves

30. Dizzy: giddy, feeling as if everything around you is spinning

31. Convulsed: to cause a sudden shaking movement in one's body

32. Panic-stricken: extremely anxious in a way that prevents you from thinking clearly

33. Wailed: a loud high cry/ moan

34. Intently: showing strong interest and attention

35. Jostled: to push roughly against in a crowd

36. Trampled: to step heavily on

37. Reiterated: to repeat the same thing

38. Disconsolate: disappointed

Home Assignment for the Students:

1. Read the meanings of the words and try to apply those words in your sentences.

2. Try to find out the antonyms of the given words