

SATISH CHANDRA MEMORIAL SCHOOL, CHAKDAHA

EVS

CLASS V

CASE STUDY #3



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Gomti is thirty years old. Gomti works in the fields of a rich farmer. For all her hard work, she gets paid very little. So little that she cannot even buy enough rice to feed her family. Some months she does not get any work at all. Then she has to eat leaves and roots from the jungle. Gomti's children are weak with hunger and always sick. Few years ago her husband died of hunger.

Most rice grows in Kalahandi district. Rice is even sent to other states from here. Many times the rice that keeps lying in the godowns gets spoiled. In the same Kalahandi there are many, many poor people like Gomti. Why do people die of hunger in such a place?

TICK THE CORRECT OPTION :-

Q.1) How old is Gomti?

(a) Thirty years 

(b) Nine years


(c) Hundred years

(d) Thousand years

Q.2) Where does she work?

(a) In coal mines

(b) In office

(c) In the field of a rich farmer 

(d) On construction site

Q.3) Gomti's children are weak with _____ and always sick.

(a) Exercise


(b) Power

(c) Strength

(d) Hunger 

Q.4) Most _____ grows in Kalahandi district.


(a) Corn

(b) Rice 

(c) Wheat

(d) Bajra

Q.5) Which place is mentioned in the above lines?

(a) Kalahandi 

(b) Ambala

(c) Kolkata

(d) Howrah