## SATISH CHANDRA MEMORIAL SCHOOL, CHAKDAHA

EVS CLASS V

CASE STUDY (UNSOLVED)

## Alone on the mountain top

A twelve-year old girl living in the mountains was out on a school picnic. She climbed a mountain peak of 4000 metres with her friends. The girls had done this for fun and adventure. Soon it was dark and they could not come down. It was also cold and scary. They were alone without any food and it was a long night. This happened to Bachhendri Pal, played when she was a young girl.

Bachhendri grew up in Nakuri village in the Garhwal area of Uttarakhand. When she grew older, she joined Nehru Institute of Mountaineering, Uttarkashi. Her guide was Brigadier Gyan Singh. Bachhendri did very well in her training. She started to train women in mountaineering courses. In 1984, Bachhendri was selected as a team member to climb the Mount Everest.

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## TICK THE CORRECT OPTION :-

- Q.1) What was the age of Bachhendri Pal, when she got stuck on a mountain peak with her friends?
- a) 12 Years
- b) 14 Years
- c) 20 Years
- d) 7 Years

Q.2) What was the height of the mountain peak that she climbed up with her friends when she was a young girl?
a) 2500 Metres
b) 7000 Metres
c) 4000 Metres
d) 10,000 Metres
Q.3) When was Bachhendri Pal had got selected as a team member to climb the Mount Everest?
a) 1974
b) 1984
c) 1964
d) 1947
Q.4) Who was her guide in Nehru Institute of Mountaineering?
a) Captain Dhayan Chand
b) Major Ajay Kumar
c) Brigadier Gyan Singh
d) Major Rathor
Q.5) Where is Uttarkashi?
a) Nepal
b) Himachal Pradesh
c) Assam
d) Uttarakhand