**Holy Cross Convent Senior Secondary School,Ambikapur**

**Class -5**

**Subject-English**

**Note - Students are requested to write the following notes in their english notebook with blue gel/black gel pen.**

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**Chapter-3**

**Pandora's Box**

**I. Word meaning:**

1. Chest - a large strong box

2. Fluttered - moved lightly and quickly

3. Forbidden - not allowed

4. Gleaming - shining brightly

5. Pitiful - causing you to feel sympathy for something

6. Sobbed - cried noisily

7. Speeding - moving quickly

8. Tending - taking care of something

**II. READ AND ANSWER:**

**1. What warning did Mercury give to Epimetheus and Pandora ?**

Ans. Mercury warned them not to open the box under any circumstances.

**2. How did Epimetheus and Pandora get relief ?**

Ans. Epimetheuss and Pandora got relief when butterfly (hope) healed their wounds.

**III. THINK AND ANSWER**

**1. Why do you think Mercury warned Epimetheus and Pandora about the**

**Chest ?**

Ans. Mercury warned Epimetheus and Pandora about the chest because he

knew that the box contained all type of evil things of the world.

**2. Why did Pandora and Epimetheus grab onto each other in panic ?**

Ans. Pandora and Epimetheus grab onto each other in panic because

they were scared and shocked.

**3. 'Pandora realised she had done a terrible thing's**

**(a). What does the' terrible thing' refer to ?**

Ans. The ' terrible thing ' refers to that she had gone against the will of

God Mercury.

**(b). Do you agree that Pandora had done a terrible thing ?**

Ans. Yes, I agree that Pandora had done a terrible thing because even

today people are suffering.

**4. How does hope help us ?**

Ans. Hope help us to achieve positive goals in our life.

**5. What do you learn from this a story ?**

Ans. We learn that we should never lose hope because hope makes this

world a beautiful place to live in.

**IV. HOTS QUESTION**

**1. Suggest any 5 things to make this world a beautiful place to live in.**

Ans. To make this world a beautiful place to live in are faith, hope,

helpfulness, obedient, hardwork etc.