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| HOLY CROSS CONVENT SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL, AMBIKAPUR C.G. ( 497001) SESSION (2020-21)  CLASS -V  SUBJECT – ENGLISH (Semester 2) |

**Note -:** Students are requested to write the following notes in their English fair copy.

Students are instructed to write in the good handwriting with blue pen.

Chapter 2:

**A DRAGON CALLED TSUNAMI:**

**WORD MEANING:**

1: Agony - Extreme pain.

2: Bewildered - Confused.

3: Enormous - Very large in size.

4: Gale - Very strong wind.

5: Stacks - piles.

6: Tremendous - Very great.

7: Tremor - A slight earthquake.

8: Weird - Unusual/ very strange.

***READ AND ANSWER:***

**Question 1**: Where did gombe live?

**Answer**: Gombe lived on a very small island off the coast of main island of Japan.

**Question 2**: What were the people of the village busy doing?

**Answer:** The people of the village were busy in their fields preparing for the harvest festivals.

**Question 3**: How was the wind blowing?

**Answer:** The wind was blowing in the wrong direction from the land towards the sea.

**Question 4**: Describe the tsunami?

**Answer:** The entire ocean rose up higher and higher like massive black dragon.

**Question 5**: What did the tsunami do to the village?

**Answer:** The tsunami destroyed the entire village.

***THINK AND ANSWER:***

**Question 1:**  Why was Gombe horror stricken?

**Answer:** Gombe was horror stricken because the wind was blowing in the wrong direction. Which was the sign of tsunami.

**Question 2:** What kind of person was Gombe?

**Answer:** Gombe was a helping and kind hearted person.

**Question 3:** If you had been in Gombe's place what would you have done?

**Answer:** If I had been in Gombe’s place I too had done the same as Gombe.

**Question 4**: What do you think happened after the tsunami was over?

**Answer:** After the tsunami was over the people looked down at their devastated village.

**Question 5**: Who is the hero in the story? Why do you think so?

**Answer:** In this story Gombe is the hero because he saved the life of villagers at the cost of his own loss.

***HOTS ( Higher Order Thinking Skills) QUESTIONS:***

**Question :** If Gombe had not burnt his rice crop, what would have happened?

**Answer:** If Gombe had not burnt his rice crop, all the villagers would have been dead.

***ORAL QUESTIONS:***

**Question 1:**  What is tsunami? Name two more natural disasters.

**Answer:** Tsunami is a tidal wave caused by an earthquake or other disturbance.

1. Flood 2. Landslide

**Question 2:** Why did Gombe look down uneasily?

**Answer:** Gombe looked down uneasily because the villagers were unaware of tsunami.