

Ch-5 A different kind of school

word meanings

1) in sight	to be seen
2. Kindly	friendly
3. Plump	stout, pleasantly fat
4. responsible	aware of their duties
5. at play	playing
6. hopeless	unfortunate; without hope
7. Lame day	day on which she acts as if she was lame
8. misfortune	unfortunate condition; bad luck
9. their eyes are bandaged	they are blindfolded

10.	are on their honour	have promised
11.	miser ^y	difficult ^y ; unpleasantness
12.	thoughtless	careless
13	come to talk	who has come to talk
14	awful	bad
15.	troublesome	difficult
16.	gradually	slowly

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1) Why do you think the writer visited Miss Beam's School?

4 The writer had heard a great deal about Miss Beam's School. He was excited, so he visited Miss Beam's School.

2) What was the 'game' that every child in the School had to play?

1 Each term every child has to be a blind, a lame, a deaf, a dumb, an injured. These were the games that every child in the School had to play.

3) What was the purpose of these special days?

1 The main purpose of these special days is to make children appreciate & understand misfortune & make them share in misfortune too. And to teach thoughtfulness, kindness to others ^{and} to be responsible citizens.

4) Match the words & phrases with their meanings.

- 1) Homesick - wanting to be home
- 2) Practically - almost
- 3) It pains me - it hurts me
- 4) Appreciate - understanding the difficulties
- 5) Thoughtless - not very caring
- 6) Exercise - test the strength of
- 7) Relief - a welcome change
- 8) Ghastly - terrible