

Multiple Choice Questions

- Who was expected to create a fuss over Toto's entry into the narrator's house?**
 - Writer's neighbors
 - Writer's grandfather
 - Writer's grandmother
 - Writer's father
- Who is the writer of The Adventures of Toto?**
 - Mulk Raj Anand
 - A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
 - Ruskin Bond
 - R.K. Laxman
- Where was Toto kept?**
 - In the field
 - In the garden
 - In the zoo
 - In the cupboard
- Why was Toto sold by the narrator's grandfather?**
 - The monkey was trying to escape.
 - The monkey was mischievous.
 - The monkey was not keeping well.
 - The grandfather detested it.
- Who had taught Toto to take a bath?**
 - Grandmother
 - His first owner
 - Writer
 - Writer's friend
- What serves as a third hand to a monkey?**
 - His teeth
 - His legs
 - His mouth
 - His tail
- What kind of water did Toto like to take a bath in?**
 - Warm water
 - Cold water
 - Snow water
 - Ice water
- Why did the ticket collector call Toto a dog?**
 - To fix fare
 - Because he was peeping out of the bag
 - Because of his dog-like looks
 - All of these
- What did Toto tear into shreds?**
 - The author's pant
 - All of these
 - The author's school bag
 - The author's school blazer

10. How did Toto take a bath in winter?

- (a) It took a warm water shower in the bathroom.
- (b) It was given a large bowl of warm water by the grandmother.
- (c) It skipped bathing due to harsh weather conditions.
- (d) It was taken to the nearby river.

Fill in the blanks :

- 11. Toto tore apart the narrator's _____ in the cupboard.
- 12. Toto was finally sold back to the _____.

True / False

- 13. Toto was a gentle and obedient monkey.
- 14. The ticket collector treated Toto as a dog and charged three rupees.

Very Short Type Questions

- 15. Why does the author say, Toto was not the sort of pet we could keep for long?
- 16. Why did grandfather buy Toto?

Short Type Questions

- 17. What happened when Toto took a large dish of pullao from the dining table at lunchtime?
- 18. Why did grandfather give away Toto, the monkey?

Essay Type Questions

- 19. How does Toto become a problem to grandfather while going to Saharanpur?
- 20. Why did Toto run away with the dish of pullao?

HOTS

- 21. **Assertion (A) :** Grandfather decided to sell Toto back to the tonga-driver.
Reason (R) : Toto's mischievous nature caused continuous damage to household items and disruption to other pets, making him an unaffordable pet for the family..
 - (a) Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
 - (b) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.
 - (c) A is true, but R is false.
 - (d) A is false, but R is true.

Chapter-2 | The Adventures of Toto

Worksheet-1

Answer & Solution



1. (c)
The grandmother always created a fuss when the narrator's grandfather brought home some new animal or bird. So, Toto was kept hidden in the house.
2. (c)
The writer of 'The Adventures of Toto' is Ruskin Bond.
3. (d) In a cupboard
4. (b)
The monkey was difficult to handle. The narrator's middle-class family could not bear the frequent damages of utensils and other household items that Toto caused.
5. (c) Writer
6. (d) His tail
7. (a) Warm water
8. (a) To fix fare
9. (d) The author's school blazer
10. (b)
Toto enjoyed bathing with warm water given to it during winters. It used its hands to test the water temperature and then gradually stepped into the bath.
11. School blazer
12. Tonga-driver
13. False
14. True
15. The author's family was not very well to do and they could not afford the breaking of dishes, tearing of clothes, and damage to curtains. Toto was a very mischievous animal of all the others in grandfather's private zoo. This made the family decide that Toto was not the sort of pet they could keep for long.
16. Grandfather was an animal lover. Toto seemed out of place with the Tonga-driver. He looked very pretty. Grandfather wanted to include him in his pets. He felt the monkey looked completely out of place and bought him for five rupees to add in his private zoo. So, he decided to buy him.
17. Having found Toto stuffing himself with rice, the narrator's grandmother screamed. At this Toto threw a plate at her. As soon as the narrator's aunt rushed towards him, he threw a glass of water at her face. On grandfather's arrival, Toto picked up the dish and got out to sit in the branches of the jackfruit tree. He stayed there all afternoon and ate slowly till he finished all the rice. Then, to irritate grandmother, he threw the dish from the tree thus breaking it into pieces.

18. Toto was very naughty and he troubled everyone. The other pets were not happy with him and he broke a lot of dishes, tore clothes, curtains and wallpapers. He had become very difficult to handle and so grandfather gave Toto away.
19. While going to Saharanpur, Toto behaved well. When grandfather was producing his ticket, Toto suddenly poked his head out of the bag. He gave the ticket collector a wide grin. The ticket collector insisted that grandfather must purchase the ticket for the pet. Thus, the monkey proved to be a big problem for grandfather.
20. One day, at noon, a dish of Pulao was lying on the dinner table which is prepared by his grandmother. Toto's mouth watered as he wanted to eat it. He did not miss the opportunity and stuffed himself with rice. He ran away with the dish of Pulao to eat it. He made his exit through the window.
21. (a)
The chapter clearly describes Toto's destructive habits (breaking dishes, tearing clothes) and his inability to get along with other animals, which led grandfather to realize they couldn't keep him. Thus, the reason directly explains Grandfather's decision to sell him.

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