DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, GAYA WORKSHEET-1

Subject : English Class : IV

Section A (Reading)

1. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow:

Penguins are a group of aquatic, flightless birds living mostly in Antarctica. Penguins have dark and white feathers. They have flippers for movement in water. Most penguins feed on fish, squid and other forms of sea-life caught while swimming underwater. They spend half of their life on land and half in the oceans. Emperor penguins are the largest living species and the blue or the fairy penguins are the smallest species. Most of the penguin species live in large colonies. Penguins are not afraid of human beings. This is probably because penguins have no land enemy in Antarctica. Instead, they are at risk in sea from sharks or leopard seals. In 1986, Silvio Mazola, created a famous penguin cartoon character named "Pingu".

- a) Where are penguins mostly found?
- b) Name the smallest penguin species.
- c) Why are penguins not afraid of human beings?
- d) Name a cartoon character on penguins created by Silvio Mazola.
- e) Find any four adjectives from the above passage.
- 2. Write about six to eight things that make you smile. (80-100 words)
- 3. Write a short essay (10 to 12 lines) on "My Plans for Summer Vacation".
- 4. Underline the nouns in the following sentences and write whether they are common (C), proper (P) or abstract (A):
 - a) The cackling of geese saved Rome.
 - b) The early bird catches the worm.
 - c) Tubal Cain was a man of might.
 - d) Wisdom is better than riches.
 - e) The boy was rewarded for his honesty.
- 5. Fill in the missing letters to make adjectives:

A_R_BL_ A_ES_M_ N_GH_Y S_RO_G

6. Write any five nouns (irregular) which remain same in their singular and plural forms:

e. g., deer

- 7. Make sentences with the following collective nouns:
 - a) a flock of birds b) a swarm of bees
 - c) a gang of thieves d) an army of soldiers
 - e) a fleet of ships f) a school of fish
- 8. Identify the incorrect word in the following sentences. Strike off and write the correct word:
 - a) My tooths is sensitive to sweet food items.
 - b) The birdses are flying in the sky.
 - c) The mouses is playing under the table.
 - d) My jeanses is very bright in colour.

