

English - ICS Part 1 English Chapter 27 Short Questions Test

Q1. Which line in the first stanza tells us that the young ones have no feathers?
Ans 1: The line "From head to toe they are beaks" tells us so. It means that their tiny bodies hide behind their open beaks when they cry for food. It shows that they have not grown feather yet.
Q2. How many young ones are to be fed?
Ans 1: The sparrow mother wants to feed her ten young ones. Dut she has got only one grainin her beak She cannot feed one grain to ten young onece.
Q3. How does the mother sparrow solace her young ones.
Ans 1: The mother sparow solic her young ones by splitting the grain of millat inito tiny pieces and feeding them one-by-one.
Q4. What is the message of the poem " The feed"?
Ans 1: This is a symbolic poem. The grain of millet stands for resources of the world. The young ones of the sparrow are an emblem of hunger. This poem teaches us that we should not produce weapons but more and more food to save humanity from hunger.
Q5. What has the poet described in the poem " The feed"?
Ans 1: The poet described the love of a mother sparrow for her young ones. He also advises man to share the sorrows and food to support thelives of people.
Q6. Why is mother sparrow unable to feed her young ones?
Ans 1: The sparrow holds a grain of millet inher beak. ONe grainis to be fed to ten young ones. That is why, motehr sparrow is unable to feed them all at a time.
Q7. Write a cridcal appreciation of the poem.

The poem is symbolic. The grain stands for resources . The young ones of the sparrow stand for the hungry. It teaches us that we

should not produce weapons We We should produce food instead.

- Q8. Why is mother sparrow holding a millet in her break.
 - **Ans 1:** The mother sparrow has come to feed her children with a grain of millet, that's why she is holding the millet in her break.
- Q9. Describe the chicks of the sparrow.
 - Ans 1: The chicks of the sparrow are very little., They are tenin number, From head to toe they are beaks.
- Q10. Explain the last three lines of the poem with relerence to thee context

Ans 1:

The poet suggests that the world countries should produce grains instead of weapons. They should alleviate hunger. The grain production is too small to fulfi the needs of the population .