

**PARAGON CONVENT SCHOOL**

**SECTOR – 24 B CHANDIGARH**

**CLASS – 5 ( LITERATURE )**

**CHAPTER – 1 HOW WISDOM GOT OUT**

**NOTEBOOK WORK**

• **DIFFICULT WORDS**

1. wisdom
2. yams
3. suspected
4. strapped
5. bruise
6. tumbled
7. dangling
8. immediately
9. scattered
10. tantrum

• **WORD MEANINGS**

1. wisdom - the quality of being wise , knowledge.
2. yams - tropical plants , the roots of which can be used as a vegetable.
3. suspect - doubt
4. strapped - tied and fixed something with a long strip of cloth.

5. bruise - an injury on one's body that leaves a mark on the skin.
6. dangling - hanging and swinging loosely.
7. tantrum - a sudden short period of angry behaviour.

• **MAKE SENTENCES**

1. wisdom – Without wisdom a person cannot make the best decisions.
2. strapped - He strapped the bag onto his bicycle.
3. bruise - Rohan had a bruise just below his right eye.
4. dangling - Loose electric wires were dangling from the wall.
5. tantrum – Riya throws a tantrum when she can't have the toy she wants.

• **LEARN TO READ**

1. What was Father Anansi famous for ?

Ans) Father Anansi was famous for his wisdom.

2. A few people came to him with questions.( True / False )

Ans) True.

3. People were really interested in seeking knowledge.( True / False )

Ans) True.

4. Father Anansi helped people without charging them any fee.( True / False )

Ans) False.

5. How did Father Anansi feel when people came to him ?

Ans) Father Anansi felt very happy and proud when people came to him.

6. What was Father Anansi afraid of ? What did he decide to do ?

Ans) Father Anansi was afraid that one day somebody would try to steal all his wisdom and he would no longer possess the thing that brought him respect and wealth. So , he decided to collect all his wisdom in one big pot and hide it in the forest.

7. Why did Father Anansi keep falling off the tree ?

Ans) Father Anansi kept falling off the tree because he had strapped the pot in front of his body and tried to climb the tree.

8. How did Kweku Tsin help his father ?

Ans) Kweku Tsin helped his father by suggesting him to put the pot on his back while climbing the tree.

9. Why was Father Anansi upset ?What happened as a result ?

Ans ) Father Anansi was upset to think that all his wisdom was of no use if his son know how to perform that simple thing better than him. As a result , he grew angry and threw the pot down on the ground. Then , all the wisdom flew out of the pot and scattered around the four corners of the world .And that is why there is so much wisdom in the world today.