

Littera Public school

ENGLISH class – 2

Chapter – 4

The Elephant's Nose

Learning Outcomes :-

- Understand the story and learn difficult words and their meanings.
- Learn animal sounds , their homes and the names of their young ones.
- Learn to use articles.

About the author :- Rudyard Kipling was a British writer. His best known novel is Kim, but he gained popularity for his wonderful children's books, which include – The Jungle Book, Just So Stories and Puck of Pook's Hill.

Theme of the story :- The theme of this short story is that curiosity can open up new abilities, idea and knowledge. Even though everyone told him to stop thinking about the crocodile, he kept pursuing his quest, and now he has a full grown trunk.

Hard Words :-

elephant
boot
bigger
wiggle
curious
frightened
animals
greasy
edge
river
log
winked
crocodile
politely
excited
kneled
dinner
whisper

caught
trouble
haunches
splashed
stretching
swish
awfully
wrapped
shrink
happened
stayed

Word meanings :-

1. wriggle :- twist and turn your body quickly.
2. curious :- someone who wants to know about things.
3. frightened :- feeling fear
4. greasy :- covered in a lot of oil.
5. winked :- closed one eye and opened it again quickly.
6. kneeled down :- got down on the top part of the legs.
7. haunches :- the back of the top part of the legs.
8. swish :- move with a hissing sound.
9. awfully :- very; a lot
10. shrink :- become smaller