

Précis 01: There was once a grocer who owned a handsome green parrot who sang sublimely and spoke most eloquently. The parrot was not only an ideal companion but also the perfect guard for the grocer's shop. He kept watch all hours of the day and spoke amiably with the customers, entertaining them and thus increasing the grocer's sales. One day when the grocer left the shop in the parrot's care, having gone home for lunch, a cat suddenly ran into the shop chasing a mouse, frightening the bird. As the parrot flew about in his effort to save himself, he knocked a few bottles of almond oil off the shelves, breaking them and covering himself and the shop floor in oil. Not long afterward, the grocer returned and found the place in disarray, the floor slippery with oil and the parrot perching guiltily in a corner. In the wink of an eye, the grocer lost his temper and hit the bird on the head with all his might. The poor bird, who was already feeling guilty and downtrodden about his clumsiness, could not bear the shame, not to mention the pain from the blow, and he instantly shed all the feathers on his head. Soon after the almond oil incident, the parrot completely stopped speaking and singing. The grocer realized how grave his mistake had been in striking the bird; not only had he lost his jolly companion but he had also curtailed his thriving business. Having no one but himself to blame, he now felt dumb-founded that he had singlehandedly threatened his very livelihood. **"I wish I'd broken my hand!" he lamented. "How could I have struck my sweet-voiced bird like that? How could I have behaved so monstrously?"** The grocer began to give alms to each and every poor dervish who passed by his shop, hoping that by doing good deeds he might be forgiven, and his bird might again start to exercise his mesmerizing voice. After three days and nights of remorse and suffering the parrot's silence, the grocer came into luck. A bald dervish walked into the shop, and instantly the parrot began to speak: **"Did you spill bottles of almond oil, too?"** The handful of customers in the shop were amused and smiled at the parrot, who had innocently thought that the bald man had suffered the same fate as himself! **"Darling little parrot," said one of the customers compassionately, "never equate one action with another. One must never compare oneself to others, even though they may appear to be the same on the surface; truly nothing is as it seems."**

TITLE : Don't judge a book by its cover

A grocer owned a parrot. It was ~~was~~ his friend and the caretaker of his shop. One day the owner went to his house for lunch. Suddenly a mouse and cat entered into the shop. The parrot flew to save himself but the parrot touched with almond oil bottle and the bottle fell down and ~~spilled~~ Spilt on the floor and the parrot. When the owner came and saw the situation he got angry and hit the parrot with full force. The owner ~~realized~~ ~~it~~ ~~later~~ due to that the feather from his parrot ~~shed~~ head shed away. The owner realized later that he lost his friend. One day a bald man came for grocery the parrot asked that you also sell the almond oil. The man ^{replied} ~~replied~~ that don't compare your situation with other even if they are looking same.

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Technological progress is faster in time of war. Each side tries to make weapons and machines that are bigger and better than those of the enemy. At the beginning of the First World War, for example, the typical flying speed of an airplane was 70 miles (113 km) per hour. By the end of the war, its speed has doubled. In the Second World War, the Germans introduced two inventions that later transformed flight – the turbojet, which became the basis of modern aircraft, and the ballistic missile, which took aviation from the skies into space. Some wartime inventions, such as the tank, are only suited to war, but many have other uses. The antibiotic penicillin, which saves many lives, was invented in 1941 to cure the infected wounds of soldiers. It is impossible to say whether more good has come from wartime inventions than bad. But one thing is certain, many things were invented because of war.

Tip 1

The writer may use coordinating conjunction in the start of the paragraph, but a student must never start a sentence with 'but', 'and' or 'yet'.

changes in technology became faster ~~and~~ during war. Each country wanted advanced technology weapon. Germany invented two advance technology weapon turbojet and ballistic missile. Antibiotic was found for ~~and~~ injured fighters during ^{world} war. Not only bad things but also good things ~~are~~ were introduced during war.

Title : Technological Advancement during war.

Distances are usually measured in miles or kilometers, but they can also be measured in time: the time it takes to communicate over a certain distance. In past centuries, the distance to the next town might have been measured by the time it took to travel there on foot or on horseback. A more distant town might be a week away and another continent might be several months away by ship. With telephones, we can now communicate with someone thousands of miles away just as quickly as we can with someone in the next room. The size of the world seems to have shrunk. Electrical communication works by changing information into electrical signals that can be sent along cables. The first telephone calls made their entire journey as electrical signals in metal cables. Today, telephone calls also travel in the form of infrared beams along fiber optic cables or as radio waves relayed by satellite in space."

Title : Distance measured in time

Distance can be measured in many ways one is time. Before it took weeks even months to communicate with one another. After invention of telephone now it took only few seconds to communicate which shows that would get shunk. Before call moved as electric signals in metal cables but ~~now~~ now move as radio waves.