

**(b) Rewrite the following dialogue, written in indirect speech, in a paragraph form.**

Helen: Mr West, what's happened to John?

Mr West: He's left the company

Helen: Why has he done that?

Mr West: He asked me for a rise but I didn't give it to him.

Helen: Why didn't you give him a rise?

Mr West: Because he was lazy.

Helen: Has he found another job?

Mr West: Yes, he is working in a film company.

Helen: What is his salary like?

Mr West: I think he earns quite a lot.

Helen: Does he like the new job?

Mr West: I don't know.

Helen asked Mr. West what had happened with to John. Mr. West replied that he had left the company. She asked why he had done that. He replied that he had asked him for a raise, he had not given it to him. <sup>but</sup>

Helen then inquired why he had not given him a raise. He told her that he did so because he was lazy. Helen asked if John had found another job. to which Mr. West replied (that yes) in affirmative that he was working in a film company. When Helen asked him what his salary was like, Mr. West said that he thought he earned quite a lot. She then inquired if he liked the new job. He told her that he did not know.

**(a) Punctuate the following text, where necessary. (5)**

a hungry lion slipped out of the forest into a barnyard one evening when he saw a plump donkey his mouth began to water but just as he was ready to jump on the donkey a rooster crowed he was frightened and so turned away into the forest again hey look at that cowardly lion the donkey brayed to the rooster i am going to chase him and the donkey ran after the lion wait the rooster shouted you dont know that but it was too late the lion had turned and killed the donkey ah my poor stupid friend the rooster said as he watched the lion eating the donkey the lion wasnt afraid of you but of my crowing

**(b) Re-write the following sentences (ONLY FIVE) after filling in the blanks with appropriate prepositions. (5)**

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A hungry lion slipped out of the forest into a barnyard. One evening, when he saw a plump donkey, his mouth began to water. But just as he was ready to jump on the donkey, a rooster crowed. He was frightened, and so turned away into the forest again. "Hey, look at that cowardly lion!" the donkey brayed to the rooster. "I am going to chase him," and the donkey ran after the lion. "Wait!" the rooster shouted, "You don't know that," but it was too late. The lion had turned, and killed the donkey. "Ah! my poor, stupid friend," the rooster said as he watched the lion eating the donkey. "The lion was not afraid of you, but of my crowing."