# **<u>Tine and the Faraway Mountain Questions & Answers</u></u>**



# **Tine Mena**

### **Q-1** New words

- 1. Mishmi Hills
- 11. Coordinator
- 2. Arunachal Pradesh 12. Determination
- 3. Wondrous
- 13. Technique 14. Anxious
- 4. Basking 5. Faint
  - it
- 6. Porter
- 7. Expedition
- 8. Disguised
- 9. Scolded
- 10. Route
- 15. Reeling 16. Howled
- 17. Shelter
- 18. Training
- 19. Beloved
  - 20. Mentor

# **Q-2 Word Galaxy**

- 1. Wondrous: inspiring a feeling of wonder or delight.
- 2. **Distant:** far way
- 3. **Basking:** enjoying the warmth and light, typically from the sun
- 4. Faint: (here) hard to hear
- 5. **Porter:** a person whose job is to carry luggage and other loads

6. **Expedition:** an organized journey with a particular purpose, especially to find out about a place that is not well known

- 7. **Disguised:** giving oneself a different appearance to change one's true identity
- 8. Scolded: spoke to someone angrily for doing something wrong
- 9. Route: a way that you follow to get from one place to another
- 10. Coordinator: (here) someone who plans mountain trips
- 11. Determination: firmness of purpose
- 12. Technique: skill or ability to carry out tasks in a particular field
- 13. Mentor: an experienced person who advises a less experienced person
- 14. Anxious: feeling worried or nervous
- 15. **Supplies:** things such as food, medicines, and fuel that are needed by people
- 16. Reeling: moving unsteadily
- 17. Howled: made a long, loud cry
- 18. **Summit:** the highest point of a mountain
- 19. Beloved: loved very much by somebody

# Q-3 Extra Meanings (Dictionary Activity)

1. Whisper- speak very softly

2. **Realize**- become fully aware of something as a fact or grasp or understand clearly.

3. **Rules**-control over a people or country or an official statement that tells you what you must or must not do in a particular situation or when playing a game.

4. **Agreed**-have the same opinion as somebody/something.

5. Leader- a person who is a manager or in charge of something or something that leads

6. **Strength**-the capacity of an object or the quality of being physically strong or the amount of this quality that you have.

7. **Training**- teach a person to do something which is difficult or which needs practice or the act, process, or method of one that trains.

8. **Camp**- A place where soldier refuses or a place where people stay for a short time in tents or huts

9. Shelter- a place giving protection from foul weather or dangerous

**10. Tent**- a portable fabric shelter supported by poles or a small structure made of cloth that is held up by poles and ropes. You use a tent to sleep in when you go camping.

### **Q-4 Make sentences**

1. Mountains - I climbed a mountain last year.

- 2. Forest- there are many wild animals in that forest.
- 3. Family- I love my family.
- **4. Porter-** My Father is a porter.
- 5. **Disguised-** I disguised as a policeman.

- **6. Mentor-** my mother is my mentor.
- 7. Dream- my dream is to be a Doctor.
- 8. Medicines- I wouldn't say I like medicines.
- **9. Smile-** I like to smile always.
- **10. Danced-** Dancing is my Favourite hobby.

## **Q - 5. Answer the following questions.**

### 1. What did Tine and Sony love to do?

**Ans:** Tine and her younger sister Sony loved eating apples, oranges, and berries from the forest. They used to spend long days lying under the sun.

# 2. Why did Tine apply to be a porter? What problem did she face in becoming a porter?

**Ans:** Tine applied to be a porter so she could be close to the mountains. But, women were not allowed to be porters

### 3. Who was Dr. Romeo Meitei?

**Ans:** Dr. Romeo Meitei was the leader of an expedition. He became Tine's mentor and trained her.

## 4. When did climbing Mt Everest become Tine's dream?

**Ans:** Climbing Mount Everest became Tine's dream when she saw 'The Race for Everest', a film about the first climb of Mount Everest.

## Fill in the blank with the correct word/phrase from the previous slide.

- 1. Arunima is my **distant** cousin.
- 2. The Americans love **basking** in the sun during the winter.
- 3. After the earthquake, Jane's world had turned **upside down.**
- 4. While walking through the forest, the campers heard a faint whisper.
- 5. The **porter** at the railway station carried our luggage.

- 6. The king **disguised** himself as a poor man to catch the corrupt ministers.
- 7. Sameer was **naturally gifted** with the ability to write with both his hands.
- 8. My teacher taught me the **technique** to shoot arrows.
- 9. My father has always been my mentor.
- 10. The winds **howled** and sent shivering chills through the night.

### Arrange the following events in sequence.

- 1. Tine met Dr Romeo Meitei.
- 2. Tine heard a wondrous call from the distant mountains.
- 3. Disguised as a boy Tine joined as a porter for an army expedition.
- 4. Tine set foot on the summit of Mt Everest on 9 May 2011.
- 5. Climbing Mt Everest became Tine's dream.
- 6. Tine left for Nepal.
- 7. The wind blew Tine's tent and supplies away.
- 8. Tine's family moved to the closest big town, Roing.

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