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LESSON-12. Captain Morty commands the sky.

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Pre Activity- Why do you think travelling by air is different or better than any other type of travel?

Ans: Travelling by air is different from any other means as no other means of transport is as fast as an aeroplane. It takes us from one place to another quickly. It is also fun to see the land from a height. Such a view is very beautiful.

New words with meanings:

1. abuzz – busy with talk or excitement
2. checking – handing over one’s ticketed luggage for loading onto a vehicle such as a plane, bus or train.
3. security checkpoint- the place at a facility, such as on airport, where people are checked or searched before being allowed to move on
4. passenger – people who are travelling in a vehicle, not driving operating it
5. schedule – a timetable showing the times at which trains or planes arrive
6. turbulence – sudden, violent, and irregular movements of fluids such as water or air
7. descending- moving downward
8. indicator- a gauge or other measurement device
9. transport- carry from one place to another.

Answer the following:

1. Why do you think Morty was accompanying his grandma?

Ans: Since Morty’s grandma has lost her eyesight and wanted to visit her granddaughter’s wedding, Morty was accompanying her and helping her to travel.

2. Why did Morty go back to the security officer?

Ans: Morty goes back to the security office as he has forgotten his tickets at the security check.

3. What had Morty’s dad told him to remember?

Ans: Morty’s dad told him to follow the Baggage Claim sign.

4. How old were Morty and his grandmother? What was common in their experience?

Ans: Morty was 10 years old and grandma was 84 years old. Both of them were travelling by air for the first time.

5. There was turbulence in the flight but what surprised Morty?

Ans: There was turbulence in the flight and the plane bumped up and down. Morty was astonished to see that Grandma was still snoozing and was unaffected by the turbulence.

6. What Morty sees in the cockpit?

Ans: Morty saw knobs, buttons, gauges, dial, lever, and colourful indicator lights everywhere he looked in the cockpit.

Reference to Context:

“She can keep her shoes on if she’s over seventy five.”

a) Who is the speaker?

Ans: The security officer is the speaker.

b) Why did the metal detector alarm blared as Morty stepped forward?

Ans: The metal detector alarm blared because Morty's pockets had a paw full of coins.

“The captain has asked everyone to return to their seats and fasten their seat belts.”

a) Who made this announcement?

Ans: The flight attendant made this announcement.

b) How did Morty feel when the plane bumped up and down?

Ans: Morty felt like he was riding his skateboard on gravel.

Post Activity:

At an airport and on a flight, there is staff or attendants to help the passengers. How do you think, everyone should behave with them?

SUBJECT TEACHER

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CO-ORDINATOR

PRINCIPAL