

Unit 3: Good Food**Chapter 8. Thank God!****Summary**

A farmer grew a variety of fruits and decided to bring the best to the king. He chose grapes over watermelons because of the long journey. At the palace, the playful king threw grapes at the farmer, who kept thanking God. The farmer explained that he was grateful he brought the lighter grapes, since watermelons would have been much worse to get pelted with.

New words

Journey	: A prolonged voyage from one place to another.
Guard	: A vigilant individual entrusted with protecting a location or person.
Royal	: Pertaining to monarchy or sovereign authority.
Grow	: To nurture or cultivate something to enhance its size or quality.
Kept	: To retain or maintain something in a specified condition.
Front	: The foremost part or aspect of something.
Popped	: To swiftly place something, typically food, into one's mouth.
Wise	: Clever
Again	: Once more; on a subsequent occasion or instance.

Exercise**Let us think****A. Answer the following.**

1. **What did the farmer grow on his farm?**

Ans. The farmer grew a variety of fruits on his farm.

2. **What did his wife say?**

Ans. The farmer's wife said that the best fruits this year were the watermelons and grapes.

3. **Why did the farmer decide to take the grapes?**

Ans. The farmer decided to take the grapes because they were lighter than the watermelons and easier to carry on the long journey to the palace.

4. **What did the King do playfully?**

Ans. The King playfully threw grapes at the farmer.

5. Why did the farmer say, "Thank God!"?

Ans. The farmer said "Thank God!" because he was grateful he brought the lighter grapes. If he had brought the watermelons, getting pelted by the king would have been much worse.

B. think and say.

1. The farmer in the story grew fruits. What else can a farmer grow?

Ans. Farmers can grow many things like Vegetables, Grains, Nuts and seeds, fruits, Flowers, etc.

2. Are there women farmers? Do you know any?

Ans. Yes, Many women around the world work in agriculture, both on large farms and small plots of land.

3. If you meet a farmer, what would you say to them?

Ans. I would say, "Thank you for your hard work! You help keep us all fed."

Let us learn

A. The farmer knew that the watermelon was heavy and the grapes were light.

The words heavy and light are opposite in meaning. Write the opposite of the underlined word.



Thick book

Thin book



Long journey

Short journey



Soft cotton

Hard rock



Slow tortoise

Fast rabbit



B. Read the sentences.

The ball is round.

The tables are brown.

C. Fill in the blanks with 'is' or 'are'.

1. There are animals in the jaungle.



2. The table is made of wood.



3. These mangoes are sweet.



4. Raghuram is a tall boy.



5. The toys are on the shelf.



6. The book is on the table.



7. The girls are at the shop.



8. The car is on the road.



Let us speak

Imagine you are visiting the big elephant. You know that the elephant has a cold?
What food items will you take with you?

Ans. Warm water, herbal tea, soup, spicy food, fruit juice, honey.

Let us explore

Chandu has written the steps for preparing a salad on a few slips of paper. He mixed them up. Think of the proper order and write down in the space given below.

- (4) Next, I put in papaya cubes.
- (1) Mother cuts some fruits for me.
- (2) First I take some banana slices.
- (6) Finally, I squeeze a lemon on it, adding a pinch of salt.
- (3) Then I add the apple slices.
- (7) Then I mix them all.
- (5) After that I add some grapes from a bunch

Let us write

A. Find fruits in the grid given below.

S	M	F	X	C	U	D	M	MANGO
P	A	P	A	Y	A	H	G	PAPAYA
E	N	G	K	S	B	T	U	GRAPES
A	G	R	A	P	E	S	A	BANANA
R	O	Z	D	H	Y	L	V	GUAVA
A	X	B	A	N	A	N	A	PLUM
Z	P	E	A	C	H	O	G	PEACH
P	L	U	M	H	Q	P	W	PEAR

