# THE ELVES AND THE SHOEMAKER

#### COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

- 1. How many pairs of shoes could the man make and sell every day?
- 2. Could the shoemaker and his wife save enough money to become rich? ..........
- 3. What did the shoemaker use to do every every evening before he went to bed? ....
- 4. What did he find on his work bench instead of his leather?
- 5. Could he find any faults when he looked and checked the shoes?
- 6. How could he become so rich? .....
- 7. Why did the shoemaker hid behind the curtains?
- 8. What did the shoemaker's wife prepare for the elves?

### WRITE TRUE OR FALSE

- 1. \_\_\_\_ The shoemaker worked really hard, but he could not become wealthy.
- The shoemaker wasn't an honest man as he made faulty shoes.
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ The shoemaker's wife helped him make the shoes and they earned a lot.
- 4. \_\_\_\_ The man wanted to learn who made the shoes for him.
- 5. \_\_\_\_ The elves wore the clothes and never came back to the workshop again.



### CIRCLE THE CORRECT CHOICE

- 1. The shoemaker would cut out .....before goes to bed every evening.
- 3. There shoemaker was ...... by the perfect work that had happened overnight. disappointed / exhausted / astonished
- 4. The workshop was going to be ......
  the other day, so he could stay up all night.
  closed / crowded / cleaned
- 5. The shoemaker and his wife were ...... to the dwarfs so they prepared them gifts. trustful / thankful / merciful
- 6. The elves put on the clothes and left the workshop ......

  for a short time / for a week / for good

# ANSWER KEY

## Comprehension Questions

- 1. He could make and sell only one pair of shoes every day.
- 2. No, they couldn't.
- 3. He would cut out leather and prepare it for the next day.
- 4. He found a pair of new shoes on his work bench instead of his leather.
- 5. No, he couldn't.
- 6. He sold the shoes he found on his work bench every day.
- 7. Becuase he wanted to find out who came every day and did the job for him.
- 8. She prepared new clothes for the elves.

### Write True or False

- 1. True
- 2. False
- 3. False
- 4. True
- 5. True

### Circle the Correct Choice

- 1. leather
- 2. faultless
- 3. astonished
- 4. closed
- 5. thankful
- 6. for good