

**Sangam SKM College- Nadi**

**Year 9**

**English**

**Worksheet 5**

**QUESTIONS**

**1. DICTIONARY**

**Study the dictionary entry given below and answer the following questions.**

**renew** / rr'nju: US- 'nu:/ verb [T] **1** to give new strength or energy: *After a break he set to work with renewed enthusiasm.* **2** to start sth again: *renewed outbreaks of violence to renew a friendship* **3** to make sth valid for a further period of time: to *renew* a contract

**renewable** /-ebl/ adj that can be continued or renewed for another period of time: *The contract is for two years but it is renewable.* – **re-renewal** /-'nju: el; US- nu: el/ noun [C, U]

**Source: The Oxford Wordpower Dictionary for Learners of English**

1. Which information is given straight after the headword, in the extract?
2. What does the symbol sth stand for?
3. What is the adjective form of the headword?

**2. VOCABULARY- Add prefixes to the following words to create its opposite.**

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| 1. organize: _____  | 2. responsible: _____ |
| 3. flammable: _____ | 4. respect: _____     |
| 5. possible: _____  | 6. believe: _____     |

**3. SHORT STORIES- Study the extract below and answer the questions that follow.**

The old man could not lift himself, so she bent over, placed her hands under his arms and lifted him up. Teresa watched them for a minute. The old man was very thin and weak, and his skin hung about his chest.

1. Write the *title* of the short story which the above extract is taken from.
2. Describe the setting of this story.
3. Explain one important lesson learnt from the main character's life?