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Aspect: Supporting Content MCB

Section - B

Chapter :When Music was mightier than the pen

Grade: 6th English Dated: 13-08-2021

Learning Objectives:

- **To develop LSRW skills among the students.**
- **To comprehend the chapter.**
- **To enhance the vocabulary of the students.**

❖ Notebook instructions :

Write the given topic neatly and legibly in your English A notebooks.

Kindly write the questions along the answers.

**Q1. Use the following words in your own sentences.
One has been done as an example for you.**

S.No	Word	Meaning	Sentences
1.	Grieving	To feel great sorrow.	He was grieving over the death of his father.
2.	Inclination	A tendency to think, act, behave in a particular way.	
3.	Repressed	Kept under control or suppressed desires, feelings, actions, tears etc.	
4.	Terminally	Occurring or causing at the end of life.	
5.	Incapacity	Lack of ability or strength	
6.	Buried	Caused to sink in.	
7.	Cavern	Large underground chamber; as in a cave.	
8.	Raging	Moving furiously or violently in anger.	
9.	Torment	Much trouble, great suffering or torture.	
10.	Outlet	An opening or passage by which anything is let out; vent.	

Quest Buzz

A. Find facts

- a. The hollow pit in the speaker's stomach convinced him that he was grieving over his father's death.
- b. The statement that supports the writer expected that his father would die gradually is, “i knew my father had been terminally ill. We had expected perhaps, a sudden decline in his health followed by a period of incapacity before he died.”
- c. Music acted as an outlet and gave a vent to the feelings and emotions of the writer.
- d. The writer was born into a musical family. So, it was unavoidable for the writer to be a musician.
- e. The most important lesson that the writer had learnt in music was that the language of music is better than a thousand words as it heals the soul of a person who is in grief.
- f. The writer followed the footsteps of his father by composing the music in his full orchestral symphony.
- g. Yes, music had helped the writer to express his innermost feelings. The line that supports our answer is, “a thousand words could not describe the feelings, the loss or the battle that is, except music.”