

Poem-(Casabianca)

A. Answer the following questions

1. Who is Casabianca?

Ans Casabianca was the brave son of a French admiral.

2. What is the setting of the poem?

Ans. The setting of the poem is the Anglo French war at sea on evening of 28 July 1798.

3. How many people stood on the ship's deck? Who were they?

Ans. Casabianca I was standing all alone on the deck of burning ship. All other soldiers had fled away.

4. Who did the boy call out to?

Ans. The boy called out to his father who lay unconscious on the Deck.

5. Did he get any reply? Why or why not?

Ans. The boy did not receive any reply as his father was unconscious and probably dead.

6. What parts of the ship are mentioned in the poem Casabianca?

Ans. The parts of the ship mentioned in the poem are deck, post, sail, flag, mast, helm and pennon.

B. answer the following questions with reference to context.

1. The flames -----not go.

- a. He is a young boy Casabianca. He stood on the deck of his father's ship.
- b. He is described as a young boy, beautiful, with a creature of heroic blood, bright, brave and proud.
- c. He would not leave because he was waiting for his father's permission.

2. They wrapt -----on high.

- a. The fire that had engulfed the French ship is being described here.
- b. They refer to the flames engulfing the ship.
- c. The English had attacked the ship and had set it ablaze. So, it was wrapped in splendour wild.

3. There came -----thunder sound.

- a. The fire had reached the gunpowder and causing a massive explosion.

b. There was a huge explosion and the fragments of the ship spread everywhere.

c. The entire ship along with its mast, helm and pennon was lost but the noblest thing that perished was the brave young boy Casablanca.