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Preface

Cloze passages are specially prepared reading texts that have certain words taken out and replaced by blank spaces. Each space indicates that the readers should supply the missing word. They use the context provided by the passage to supply the appropriate words.

Cloze Text Success: Elementary is a book of understanding texts and identifying the relations existing between words through the clues provided explicitly or implicitly.

This book contains 28 interesting and instructive passages and each text is divided into 3 paragraphs in two columns: in the first paragraph, there are 5 words whose synonyms or definitions should be identified from the choices in the right column. And for the second and third paragraphs, there are 5 words as well as 5 phrases / sentences which should be placed in the gaps given in the left column to complete the story.

At the end of each passage, there are also five comprehension questions followed by a proverb to enrich the learner's knowledge of idiomatic expressions. Each lesson comes to an end with some exercises on vocabulary and idioms.

At the end of the book there is a list of 2000 common words which are used in learners' dictionary for word definition. Besides, the irregular verbs with their Persian meanings have also been included in the book.

We believe *Cloze Text Success: Elementary* can definitely help language learners increase their skill in reading comprehension and enrich their domain of vocabulary.

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