Riddles for Kids

With answers

1. What motive led to the invention of railroads?—The locomotive.

2. Why need a traveler never starve in the desert?—Because of the sand which is (sandwiches) there.

3. Why is a pig in a parlor like a house on fire?—Because the sooner it is put out the better.

4. Why is it dangerous to sleep in a train?—Because every train runs over all the sleepers on the line.

5. Spell "enemy" in three letters?—F O E.

6. When is a tall man a little short?—When he hasn't got quite enough cash.

7. What houses are the easiest to break into?—The houses of bald people; because their locks are few.

8. What plant stands for No. 4?—IV.

9. Which is the longest word in the English language?—Smiles; because there is a mile between the first and last letters.

10. What is that which happens twice in a moment and not once in a thousand years?—The letter M.