

LITERATURE

STD-VI

SUBJECT : ENGLISH
CHAPTER NUMBER: 1
PERIOD NUMBER : 1
CHAPTER NAME :THE WHY-WHY GIRL
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CHANGING YOUR TOMORROW

EXPECTED LEARNING OUTCOMES

GENERAL OBJECTIVES

- (i) Reading Comprehension followed by questions
- (ii) Be acquainted with short story/Fiction
- (iii) Understanding the plot
- (iv) Understanding characters
- (v) Developing LSRW Skills
- (vi) Know how to write a story- Beginning, middle and end

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES/ EXTENDED OBJECTIVES

- (i) Develop LSRW
- (ii) Appreciating the story, plot, characters
- (iii) Developing skill of Critical appreciation
- (iv) Focus on the underprivileged tribal of India

Slide 2

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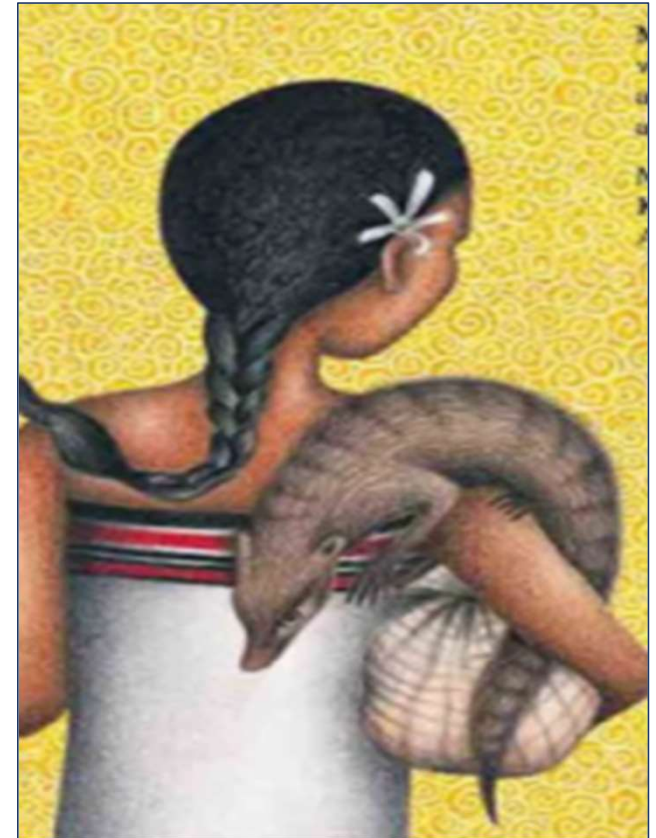
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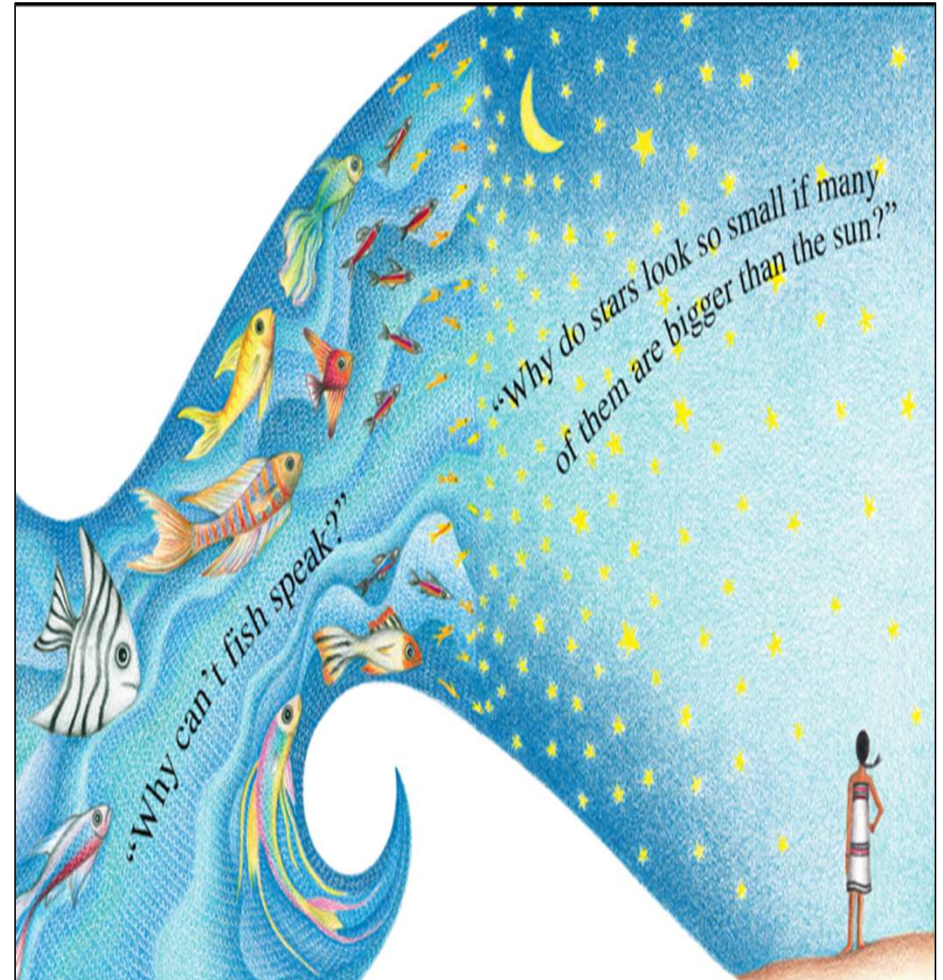
EXPLANATION (Page-4&5)

- One day Moyna comes with her bag of clothes and pet mongoose to the author's house. She says that she is moving in with the old lady as it is a big hut and an old woman does not need so much space for herself !
- You can't help but smile and admire this feisty girl
- She asked from the narrator countless questions including why she reads book before going to sleep.
- The narrator replied that reading is a way of finding answers to all her questions. At that moment Moyna decided to go to school and find answers to all her questions.



EXPLANATION (Page-5&6)

- The turning point in Moyna's life comes when she learns from the author that Books have the answers to all her "whys" !
- She goes and fights with the Samiti school teacher that she is unable to study because the school timings clash with the time when she has to tend the goats.
- "If you don't teach me, how will I learn ? I will tell the old lady that none of us, goatherds and cowherds can study if the hours are not changed"



EXPLANATION (Page-7&8)

- When the village primary school opens, no guesses on who is the first person to be admitted there!
- At last Moyna because a teacher of primary school encouraging students to ask questions.
- As a teacher now in the same primary school, Moyna goads the children to ask that one question which opens up a vast and unknown world to them - WHY ?
- Moyna is an inspiration and motivation for all of us.

Message

This beautiful story brings out a lot of messages for the kids and parents - encouraging curiosity in the children, the courage to speak up one's thoughts, treating every person that we meet with respect, female empowerment and so on.

VOCABULARY

- Give in: to finally agree to what someone wants, after refusing for a period of time
 - Tended: to care for something or someone
 - Leftovers: the part that has not been used or eaten when the other parts have been
 - Exhaust: to make someone extremely tired
 - Tidied: having everything ordered and arranged in the right place
 - Nestling: sitting in a comfortable position
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- HOME ASSIGNMENT: Reading B, Page 9, One Page Handwriting.
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