



Introductory Letter 2021-22

Theme 1- WHO WE ARE

Grade 2

12th April 2021

Dear Parents,

We are now commencing our theme Who we are – An inquiry into the nature of the self; beliefs and values; personal, physical, mental, social and spiritual health; human relationships including families, friend, communities and cultures; rights and responsibilities; what it means to be human.

Here is a brief description of the theme and the essential elements of PYP that students are going to explore & learn ...

TD Theme	Who we are
Central idea	<i>The way we conduct ourselves convey who we are</i>
Lines of Inquiry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Difference between good and bad conduct. ● Impact of our actions on us and others. ● My responsibilities for good conduct.
Key Concepts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <u>Form:</u> They will understand that everything has a form with recognizable features that can be observed, identified, described and categorized. ● <u>Causation:</u> They will be able to understand and to make a connection that their actions affect others ● <u>Responsibility:</u> They will build up understanding that their behaviour is the expression of their manners.
Related Concepts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <u>Differences:</u> They will able to identify the difference between good and bad conduct. ● <u>Impact:</u> They will infer the impact of good and bad conduct on them. ● <u>Values:</u> They will inculcate values as a result of their inference.
Learner Profiles	<p><u>Principled-</u> Learn to take responsibility for their actions and their consequences.</p> <p><u>Reflective-</u> They will thoughtfully consider their own ideas and experiences.</p>

ATL Skills	<u><i>Social</i></u> -They will learn to react reasonably to the situation and accept responsibility for their own behaviour. <u><i>Self-management</i></u> –Know and apply codes of behaviour and choose an appropriate course of action.
Subject Focus	Languages, Maths, Social Studies, Arts, PSPE.
Suggested Websites & Books	Schooltube.com, schoolworld.tv, Storybooks, videos

You are welcome to report any responsible action taken by your ward as an outcome of his/her learning. We would like to appreciate him/her in the class for such action. We look forward to your support and feedback to make profound and delightful learning for the child.

Thank you

English:

Read story Too big! Too small! On pg. 1 and 2.


1 **Too Big! Too Small!** ⏪ A 🌸

"I can't lift you up, Shanu!" says Ammi.
"You are too big!"

"You can't walk to school alone, Shanu!"
says Abbu. "You are too small!"

"You can't sleep in the baby's cot, Shanu!"
says Dadu. "You are too big!"


"You can't carry the baby to the park, Shanu!"
says Dadi. "You are too small!"



Shanu is puzzled.
Too big! Too small!
How can she be both?

Too big to wear her old pink frock.
But too small to make dosas
on the stove.

Too big to climb up on Dadu's back.
But too small to carry
the baby on hers.



New Words

- ▶ **Ammi:** mother
- ▶ **too big:** bigger than needed for something
- ▶ **Abbu:** father
- ▶ **too small:** smaller than needed for something
- ▶ **Dadu:** grandfather
- ▶ **Dadi:** grandmother
- ▶ **puzzled:** not sure about what is right and what is not

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"What am I the right size for?" Shanu wonders.

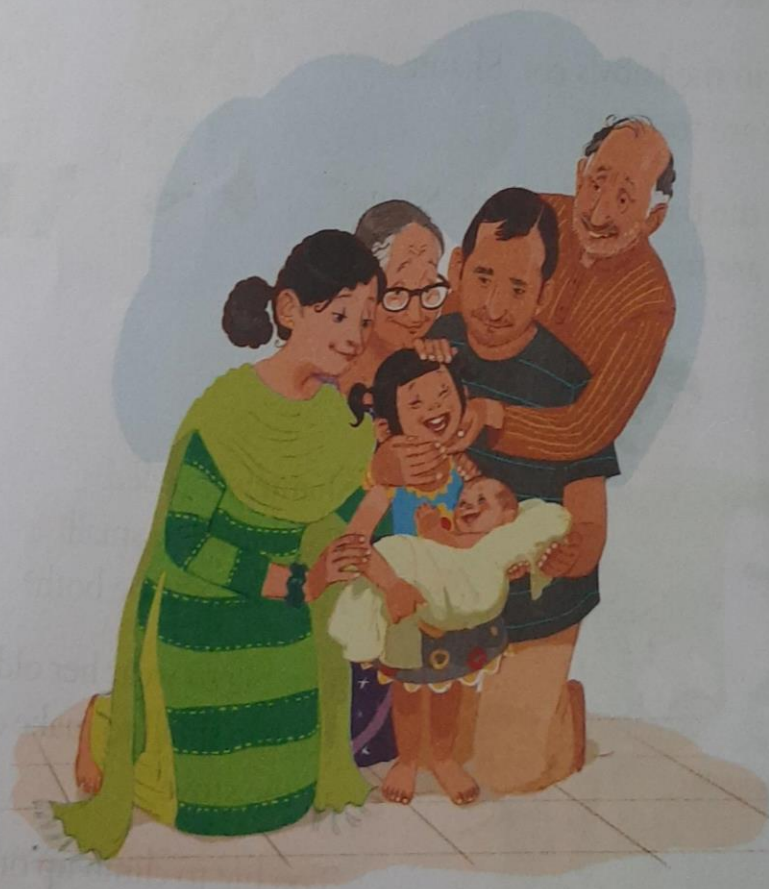
Ammi smiles and says, "You are just big enough to go to school."

"And you are just small enough for me to carry you on my shoulders," says Abba.

"You are just big enough to take me for my morning walks," says Dadu.

"And you are just small enough for me to tell stories to," says Dadi.

"And you will always, always be the perfect size...for this!" they all say, and give her a warm, wonderful hug.



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New Words

wonders: thinks about what the answer is perfect: the best warm: friendly
hug: when we put our arms around someone and hold them, to show that we love
them or care about them

Write the given vocabulary in English notebook

Vocabulary:-

1. Too big
2. Too small
3. Puzzled
4. Cot
5. Perfect
6. Wonders
7. Warm
8. Wonderful
9. Size
10. Climb

Maths:

Number Names

* Write number names for the following numerals:

- a. 53 -
- b. 61 -
- c. 74 -
- d. 88 -
- e. 92 -
- f. 90 -

Homework -

Page- 8 (Q3, 4, 5) in book.

Hindi:

जंगल में एक तालाब में एक कछुआ रहता था। तालाब के किनारे पेड़ पर दो हंस रहते थे। कछुए की उनसे मित्रता थी। तीनों मित्र हंसी-खुशी रहते थे। एक बार वर्षा नहीं होने पर तालाब सूखने लगा। हंसों को कछुए की चिंता हुई। हंसों ने पहले एक तालाब खोजा, जिसमें भरपूर पानी था।

इस अनुच्छेद में से उ, ऊ, ए एवं ऐ के शब्दों को रेखांकित करें तथा इनसे दो-दो शब्द बनाए-

उ की मात्रा-

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UOI:

Unfolding of the TD Theme - Who we are

An inquiry into the nature of the self.

Exercise.

1. Choose the correct answer.



Girl / Boy

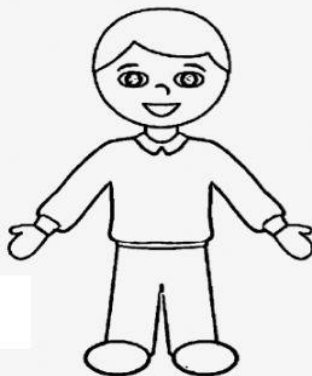


Girl / Boy

2. Fill in the blanks.

- a. My name is
- b. I study in Grade
- c. I am Years old.
- d. The name of my school is
- e. I am a (boy/girl).

3. Colour the pictures.



Boy



Girl



All about me

My favourite food is _____. I also like to eat _____ and _____, but I don't like _____ and I never eat _____.

My favourite drink is _____. I also like to drink _____ and _____. I don't like _____.

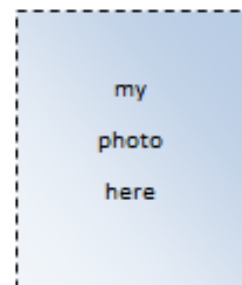


My favourite TV show is _____.

My favourite colour is _____. I also like _____ colour.

My favourite toy is _____. I also like to play with _____ and _____, but I don't like _____.

My favourite season is _____. During _____ I go _____ and I can play _____. I also like _____, but I don't like _____.



Honesty—The Best Policy

Most of us believe honesty is when you do not lie. It is just a part of being honest. **Honesty** is when you **speak** the truth and **also act** truthfully.



is a good policy.



Sorry, I broke the vase by mistake.

Honesty is **being truthful to others.**

Honesty is **being truthful to yourself.** Express or say what you feel truly.

Yes, I think what he did was wrong. He should not have cheated in test.



I must throw the banana peel in bin even if no one is here to see.



Honesty is **doing what's right regardless of who is around.** You should be truthful and do right things even if no one is watching.



I will not tell Rita's secret to anyone. I will not break her trust.

Honesty is **being someone who others can trust**

Music:

अनुशासन गीत

Part 1

हम सब बच्चे प्रातः उठकर, सभी बड़ों को नमन करें

अनुशासन जीवन में पालें, सोच समझ कर कदम धरें

विद्यालय में सभी बड़ों का और गुरु का मान करें,

कभी न देरी, कभी न छुट्टी, ठीक समय का ध्यान रखे ।

VIDEO LINK - <https://youtu.be/s5xLavqcUhY>

PE:

Watch the video and practice some exercises to keep yourself fit.

VIDEO LINK:- https://youtu.be/V0h_3j27iCU