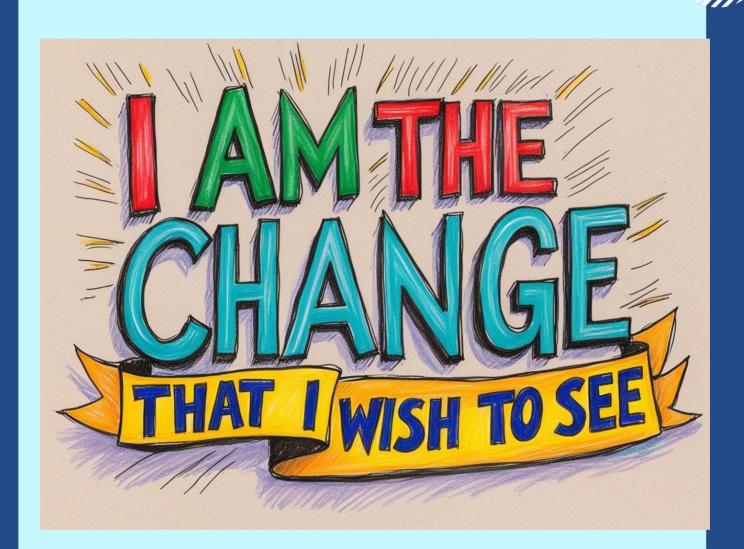


HOLIDAY HOMEWORK (2025-26) CLASS: II

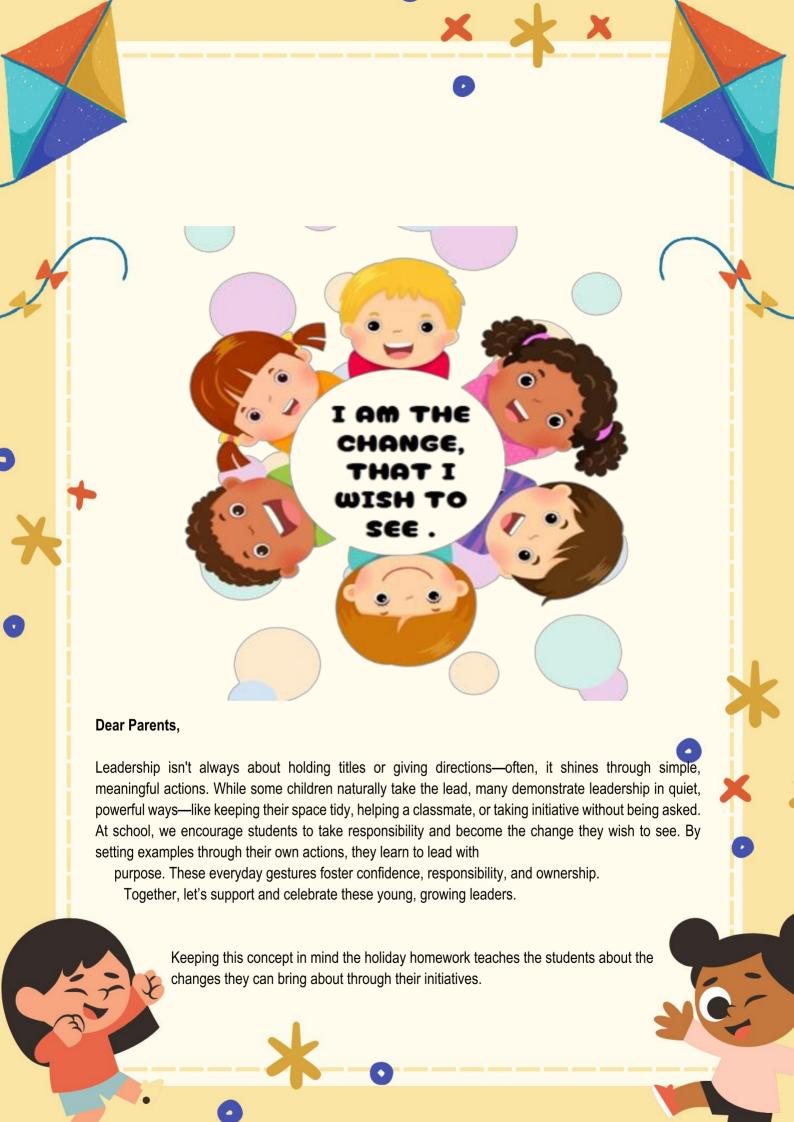












It's vacation time. We have planned a lot of activities that will keep your ward busy without stepping out of home. During the vacation, please encourage your ward to:

- converse with her/his friends and family in English.
- eat meals together with the family. Utilize this time to discuss the positive news and other happenings of the day.
- ❖ help you to do simple household tasks around the house everyday e.g. laying table, arranging the wardrobe, watering the plants etc.
- be kind to birds and animals, keep a bowl of water for birds in a shady area.
- read story books or listen to audio books. This will enhance her/ his vocabulary, listening and speaking skills.

## Following are few suggested activities in making your ward independent and confident:

## a) Make her / him confident by

- helping in buttoning and unbuttoning
- guiding in keeping belongings back in their place
- asking them to fill bottles
- joining in room cleaning

## b) Refine her / his social skills by

- ensuring that they wish elders with a smile
- encouraging them to go outdoors and play with friends
- motivating to share things with friends and family members
- instructing them to use magic words sorry, please, excuse me, thank you

## c) Monitor her/his personal hygiene by

- ensuring your ward brushes teeth twice a day
- ensuring your ward takes bath everyday
- instructing to comb hair regularly
- monitoring that she/ he washes hands before and after every meal
- ensuring that nails are trimmed regularly

## Holidays are a wonderful opportunity for growth and learning.

- Visit Museum, Char Dham Temple, Ramanreti, Vrindavan Research Centre, Old Age Home etc with your ward. Save the ticket and click pictures. Now paste them in the scrap book and earn 5 marks as brownie points.
- Pick up a book and enjoy reading it to your ward. To support your efforts, here's a list of recommended books your ward can explore.

## Suggested books

- 1. "The Very Hungry Caterpillar" by Eric Carle
  - o A beautiful story about growth and change, with colourful pictures.
- 2. "Frog and Toad Are Friends" by Arnold Lobel
  - Sweet and funny stories about friendship—easy to read.
- 3. "Little Bear" by Else Holmelund Minarik
  - Simple, gentle stories with themes of love and family.
- 4. "Charlie the Caterpillar" by Dom DeLuise
  - A story about kindness and being yourself.
- 5. "Grandma's Bag of Stories" by Sudha Murty
  - Short and moral-rich stories from Indian culture.
- 6. Amar Chitra Katha (Early Reader Series)
  - o Indian mythology and historical tales in comic style.
- 7. Pratham Books (any beginner reader titles)
  - Affordable, simple, and engaging Indian stories with pictures.

# कहानियों की पुस्तकें -

- 1. "101 नैतिक कहानियाँ" Wonder House Books
- 2. "सीख देने वाली कहानियाँ (Moral Stories in Hindi)" Maple Press
- 3. "पंचतंत्र की प्रसिद्ध कहानियाँ" Manoj Publications
- 4. "अकबर बीरबल की रोचक कहानियाँ" Dreamland Publications

#### **Activity 1 - Mat of Words**

- Encourage your ward to read any 3 to 4 stories of her/his choice.
- Your ward must choose and type any 10 words from the stories that she/he has read. (font size 72 arial black)
- Help your ward to take a print out of these words, cut them and make a collage on a coloured
   A3 size sheet of paper.
- Laminate the sheet and the mat of words is ready.
- / Send the mat to school on the day it reopens and encourage her/him to use it in the class while having food.

Readathon
Do not forget to read a story before going off to sleep.



## **Activity 2 - Environment Saviour**

## (World Environment Day - 5th June)

- Save an empty shell of coconut for your ward's Environment Day activity.
- Cut it into half.
- Help your ward to paint the shell beautifully with poster colours.
- Fill it up with soil, sow her/his favourite seeds (soya bean/chickpea/wildflower/red chilli/garlic) into it.
- Encourage your ward to water it daily and watch it grow.
- Guide her/him to give it a name.



Note- Click a picture of your ward with the plant and help her/him paste the picture in the scrap file.



Be a role model.

Reduce screen time.

Switch off lights and fans when not in use.





## a) Tiny Smiles Big Impact

- Dentists recommend brushing teeth twice a day!
- So, this summer break, let your ward be a leader—encourage her/him to motivate other family members to brush their teeth before bedtime.
- Help your ward create a smiley chart and let her/him paste a smiley sticker on the chart each night if every member has brushed the teeth before going off to sleep.
- At the end of the month, students add up the total smilies and find out their score.
- If the score is-

between 40 and 50 she/he gets a gold star

between 30 and 40 she/he gets a silver star



Two minutes two times a day.
What ????????

prush your teeth

between 20 and 30 she/he gets a bronze star

## b) Nourish and Flourish

- Help your ward in drawing a table (as shown below) in the scrap book and instruct them to write for a week what they had for breakfast. Your ward must complete the table by mentioning whether the dish was healthy or unhealthy.
- At the end of the week your ward has to count the number of days she/he had healthy breakfast.

| <u>Day</u>      | <u>Breakfast</u> | Healthy / Unhealthy |
|-----------------|------------------|---------------------|
| <u>Monday</u>   |                  |                     |
| <u>Tuesday</u>  |                  |                     |
| Wednesday       |                  |                     |
| <u>Thursday</u> |                  |                     |
| <u>Friday</u>   |                  |                     |
| <u>Saturday</u> |                  |                     |
| <u>Sunday</u>   |                  |                     |

• To be done in the scrap book.

Do not waste food and thank your parent for preparing yummy dishes.

Keep yourself healthy by doing yoga asanas.



#### **Activity 4 – Kindness Cards**

## Instructions:

- Help your ward in creating 5 kindness cards. Each card should have a sentence mentioning the act of kindness done by your ward.
- A sample sentence is given. Please follow the same.
- ] Example: "Today I helped my sister/brother find her/his toy."
- Click a picture for every act of kindness and paste it in the scrap book.

Note- Card size should be 12 cm x 10 cm

Did you wish your elders today?

Reduce screen time instead play indoor games like ludo, snakes and ladders, carrom board, monopoly etc.

<u>Kindly note</u> – Please send the holiday homework in a clear bag with your ward's name and class written on it.

# <u>हिन्दीगृहकार्य</u>

अभिभावक की मदद से ग्रीष्मावकाश में किए गए पाँच अच्छे कार्यों जैसे पानी भरना, किताबें / खिलौने सही जगह पर रखना , पौधों को पानी देना.. यह कार्य करते हुए उनकी तस्वीरें लेकर रंगीन ए4 शीट पर चिपकवाएँ | कहानियों की पुस्तकों की सूची जो साँझा की गई है, उस में से कोई एक कहानी का पठन करवाइए और सात नवीन शब्दों के चित्र सहित फ्लैश कार्ड तैयार करवाएँ |

## **Vocabulary Words:**

Help your ward in learning the words given below. Read them aloud with her/ him with correct pronunciation. Also encourage your ward to use them in her/his conversation with family and friends.

| about  | अच्छे    | again     | always | around  |
|--------|----------|-----------|--------|---------|
| बच्चे  | तालाब    | उड़नखटोला | जीवन   | because |
| know   | clean    | बिखरे     | आदेश   | मेला    |
| मनचाहा | everyday | सबसे      | listen | किनारे  |



