

OVERVIEW OF SYLLABUS AND SKILLS

Chapter No.	Chapter Name	Genre	Skills			Concepts		Values	Cross-curricular Link
			Listening/Speaking	Reading	Writing	Word Power	Building Blocks		
1	When I Failed	Autobiography	• Discussion on handling disappointment	• Listing details in a KWL sheet	• Summary Writing	• Idioms Activity: Idiom Hunt Activity: Idiom Race	• Simple, Compound and Complex Sentences Activity: Building Bricks	To stand by those who are not strong enough to handle failures	
2	Borda's Cat	Short Story	• To narrate an incident from an animal's point of view	• List and Fix (To recall events, list and sequence them)	• Debate Writing Activity: For or Against	• Prefixes and Suffixes Activity: Prefix or Suffix	• Formation of Nouns Activity: Fun with Nouns	Taking care of pets	Science
3	Hafiz Mian, the Tailor	Fiction	• A discussion on personal dreams and ways to procure expertise in it	• Role Play Activity: Interview the Tailor	• Descriptive Essay Writing	• Commonly Confused Words Activity: Agree or Disagree	• Adjectives and Adverbs – Degrees of Comparison Activity: Advertising Campaign	To value and respect all professions	Social Studies
	I Remember, I Remember	Poem	• A poem by an Indian Poet	• Silent Reading Activity: Think, Write and Share	• Mood of the Poem	NA	NA	NA	

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4	Never Give Up	An Inspiring Story	• Speak about how will power helped to achieve a task that seemed impossible	• Reading in Groups Activity: Framing Questions	• Writing A Speech Activity: Reading a Speech	• Reflection of Mood Vocabulary in Context Activity: Contextual Clues	• Pronouns Reflexive Pronouns Emphatic Pronouns Reciprocal Pronouns Activity: My Story	To reflect on how can one help physically challenged persons	
5	Harold the Hornbill	Short Story	• Speak about some memorable moments experienced with animals	• Listing details in a sequence in a graphic organiser Activity: Discuss and Write	• Writing a Character Sketch Activity: Writing a Story	• Compound Adjectives Activity: Matching Wall	• Determiners Activity: Determiner Cards Activity: Determiner Swap	To consider if it is reasonable to deprive pets of their natural environment	Social Studies
6	The Mousetrap	Play	• Discuss and share information about detective stories written by an Indian author, Sharadindu Bandyopadhyay	• Reading in groups Activity: Collecting Clues	• Writing a Dialogue Activity: Further Dialogue	• Usage of 'Cut off' Activity: Knowing off Phrases Words related to Investigation	• Direct and Indirect Objects Activity: Word Bag Transitive and Intransitive Verbs	To visualise imaginative situations and work out emotional response	
	In the Bazaars of Hyderabad	Poem	• Discuss and share all the poetic devices found in the poem	• Individual Reading Activity: Role play	• Poetic Device - Inversion, Imagery	NA	NA	NA	