

I was glad to read the Hindi version of Shiv Khera's You Can Win, called *Jeet Aapki*. The book used easy vocabulary and words that we use everyday.

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# The tale of a good deed

Wisdom Tale



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Once upon a time there was a young and helpful boy. One day on the way to school, he passed through a busy street. There, he came across an old woman who had met with an accident and was struggling to get up. He quickly ran up to her and helped her to get up. He asked the poor woman if she needed any medical help and how she had sustained those injuries. The old lady told him that she was trying to cross the busy street but could not do so because of the speeding vehicles. In the process she lost her balance and suddenly fell on the pavement and hurt herself badly. She lay there helpless trying to get on her feet, but all her efforts went in vain. Nobody stepped in to help the poor woman. The lady began to weep as she narrated the course of events to the boy. The little boy consoled the lady saying that he would help her get back home. He volunteered to help her cross the road and also take her to the doctor. The old lady was touched by the boy's helpful nature and blessed

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him. She asked his name to which he replied 'Shyam'. A few days later, the old lady was passing through the same street. She saw Shyam sitting near the pavement wearing his school uniform. She went up to him and asked him why was he idling his time instead of going to school. The boy told him that he was asked to leave the school as his father could not afford the school fee. Soon, she realized that he studied in the same school as her grandson Rahul. She decided to bear the expenditure of Shyam's education and deposited the school fee.

**So what did you learn today?**  
What goes around comes around. We should always help those in need and be kind to others.

## Berry Cheesecake Pie



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Method

Ingredients

Cream cheese .....18-ounce package  
Sifted confectioners .....3/4 cup  
Vanilla extract .....1 tsp  
Whipped cream .....1 cup  
Strawberries (cut in half) .....1 pint  
'Ready to cook' Graham cracker pie shell (19 inch) .....1

■ Mix the cream cheese, sugar and vanilla together and beat it until the mixture is smooth.  
■ Fold in the whipped cream.  
■ Spoon into pre made pie shell.  
■ Chill until set. Just before serving, top pie with halved berries, placing them cut-side down.  
■ Sprinkle with additional confectioners' sugar and serve.

## Jokey Pokey

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What do snowmen eat for breakfast?  
Snowflakes.

Why can't you play jokes on snakes?  
Because you can never pull their legs.

What kind of pet did Aladdin have?  
A flying car-pet.

Why couldn't the centipede be in the football team?  
He took too long to put his boots on.

What does Tarzan sing at Christmas?  
Jungle bells, Jungle bells...

Why are fish not good at tennis?  
They do not like to get too close to the net.

How does a pig go to hospital?  
In a hambulance.

How do you cut through the ocean?  
With a sea-saw.

What is a cow's favorite party game?  
Moosical chairs.

What did one traffic light say to the other?  
Don't look. I'm changing

What kind of pet makes the loudest noise?  
A Trum-pet.

What is the largest kind of ant?  
Gi-ant.

## Save Energy!

Aryaman Kashyap, AIS Saket, VI A

We must tell everyone to save energy it can happen only if we work in synergy.

Cook rice when the sun is bright with a solar cooker and some sunlight.

Tell everyone to use solar panels,

else we won't be able to catch our favourite channels

Use a bucket and don't waste water, specially in summers as it's getting hotter.

Use CFL bulbs to make your house bright, since we are wasting electricity by using tube lights.

There is another way to go to school, go with your friends and do a car pool.

Let's get together to save electricity, let's be smart and make it a happy city!

POEM

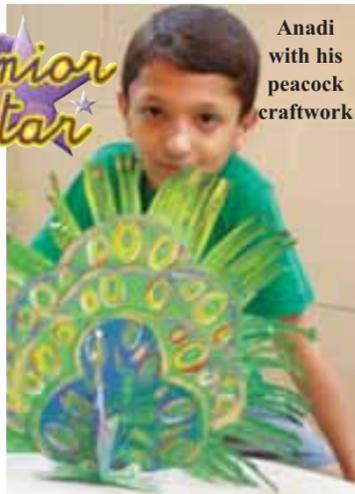
## It's Me



**My name:** Prisha Khanduja  
**My school:** Amity International School, Gurgaon 46  
**My class and section:** V B  
**My favourite teacher:** Neerja Ma'am  
**My favourite subject:** Science  
**My favourite food:** Pizza  
**My role model:** My mother  
**My favourite book:** Diary of a Wimpy Kid  
**My best friends:** Niharika and Geetika

## Talent bundle

Meet Anadi Kaura a student of class II, AIS Gur 46, who has done his school and parents proud with the bundle of diverse talents that he has. Starting from class KG, he has been on a winning spree, adding awards of all kinds be it skating, full attendance, clay modelling, rakhi making competition, instrumental music, etc, to his kitty. The seven year old's strong oratory and creative skills too have fetched him awards galore in story telling, English recitation, slogan writing, fancy dress, bookmark competitions, etc. Here's taking a look at his poetic side with his small poem and craftwork:



Anadi with his peacock craftwork

### Dear Peacock

In the monsoon, who is dancing there? Oh my god, it's a peacock here. Like a rainbow it has colourful feathers it dances and sings in beautiful weather Eyes are beautiful with voice very loud All Indians on seeing your beauty, feel

very proud Lord Karthik rides on you up and down Lord Krishna wears your beautiful feather in the crown Let's take pledge with Anadi Kaura Save the peacock who creates aura.

POEM

## Painting Corner

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