

ZAMASAMA PRESENTS

A Guide for Teachers and Parents



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THEMES

Caring and Sharing

Friendship

Cultural Traditions

Family and Tradition

Stories about Greed

LEARNING OUTCOME

- Understand the importance of sharing in friendships and family relationships.
- Reflect on how acts of kindness strengthen emotional bonds.
- Appreciate how food connects us to culture, memory, and each other.
- Recognize that generosity is a universal value.
- Express their own stories of giving and empathy through creative activities.
- Reinforce the idea that 'whether you live in India, or anywhere else, sharing brings people closer—everywhere in the world.'

LESSON PLAN

Discussion Questions

Before Reading:

- Have you ever wanted something so much that you didn't want to share it?
- How did it feel when you shared—or didn't?
- Write their responses on the board under: "What happens when we share?"

During Reading:

- What does the story teach us about friendship?
- Why were the girls so excited for the mango?
- Why did Suma want to keep the mango to herself?
- How did she feel afterward?

After Reading:

- Have you ever wanted to keep something just for yourself?
- What do you think made Suma cry?
- Why is sharing important in friendships?

Activities:

- Students draw a picture of themselves sharing something special.
- Inside a mango shape, write what they shared and how it made them feel.
- Display the mangoes on a classroom tree titled: "Our Sweetest Moments."

RELEVANT ZAMASAMA STORIES

- Nothing mention in the pdf

RELEVANT SDGS

Applicable SDGs:

- SDG 4: Quality Education
- SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities
- SDG 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions

SDG Explanation

- SDG 4: Supports social-emotional learning (SEL) and values education through storytelling and ethical reflection.
- SDG 10: Encourages empathy across different lived experiences and backgrounds.
- SDG 16: Promotes peaceful values and ethical thinking from a young age.

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

Nothing in the pdf

ABOUT ZAMASAMA

Zamasama is a nonprofit platform that brings together stories from around the world to help children discover that beneath our differences—of culture, language, or belief—we share the same hopes, joys, and dreams.

Today’s children are tomorrow’s citizens, and the responsibility of building a more peaceful, tolerant, and empathetic world lies with them.

That’s why it’s vital to instill these values early—through stories that help them rise above the biases they inherit, and see diversity as a strength that unites us all.