3 David and Goliath

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

- > Learning that a weak person can defeat a stronger person if he/she has courage
- > Reading, listening and understanding the lesson
- > Answering questions orally and in writing
- > Vocabulary-Words, meanings, pronunciation, suffixes and homophones
- > Grammar-Kinds of adjectives
- > Learning to converse

Warm Up

- * Let the students do the activity in Warm Up.
- * Give a brief background about David. This story is from the Bible.
- * Explain what a sling is.
- * Ask questions like, "What is more important-physical strength or mental strength?" "Should one underestimate one's enemy?"

Outcome: A mentally strong person can win any battle.

Read and Enjoy

- * Ask the students to read aloud the lesson in turns.
- * Correct their pronunciation.
- * Explain the lesson.
- * Ask questions like, "Was David fearless?" "Why did Goliath laugh on seeing David?"

Outcome: Read aloud, listen and understand words, meanings, spellings and pronunciation.

Read and Understand

- * Let the students do Exercises A and B on their own.
- * Announce the correct answers and the students can correct their work on their own.
- * Discuss Exercises C and D. Let the students answer. Announce the correct answers and the students can check and correct their work.
- * Think and Answer- Discuss Exercise E. Explain which type of strength is more important and why.

Outcome: Reading and understanding, and answering questions orally and in writing.

Grammar is Fun

- * Explain with help of the blackboard and given examples adjectives of quantity and adjectives of number.
- * Do Exercises and E and F orally in the class. Then, the students can do them on their own. Announce the correct answers aloud and the students can correct them in pairs.

Outcome: Adjectives of quantity and number and their usage.

Let's Spell

- * Let the students tick the correct spellings in order to complete the sentences.
- * Announce the correct answers so that the students can check their answers.

Outcome: Learning spellings, meanings, pronunciation.

Word Power

- * Let the students do Exercises I and J on their own.
- * Exercise I pertains to suffixes and Exercise J pertains to homophones.
- * The students are already familiar with homophones.
- * Announce the correct answers and the students can check their answers.

Outcome: Learning about suffixes and homophones.

Let's Listen

- * Read the poem twice.
- * Explain the poem.
- * Ask questions one by one.
- * Let the students answer in complete sentences.

Outcome: Listening attentively, understanding and answering questions.

Let's Converse

- * Let two students enact the roles of Mohit and Rohan.
- * Let them enact the dialogues in the class.
- * The rest of the class can comment on the dialogue enactment, pronunciation, expression, etc.

Outcome: Learning speech, rhythms and pronunciation.

Let's Speak

- * Pronounce the words. Let the students follow.
- * Correct their pronunciation.

Outcome: Pronouncing words in the correct way.

Writing Skills

- * Let the students go through the lesson once again.
- * Let them find out the qualities of David and write in the given space.

Outcome: Enhancement of writing skills.

Activity

* Ten Commandments are an important part of the Bible. You can download the Ten Commandments and give them to the students. They can copy them.

Outcome: Improvement of knowledge and writing skill.