

BAL BHARATI PUBLIC SCHOOL, PITAMPURA ENGLISH

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Greetings

Dear Students,

Hope that your online learning process fills you with energy and enthusiasm.

Here is your daily PDF lesson for today.

Subject Covered: English

Topic: L-12 : Here comes Piku

Subtopics: New Words, Make Sentences, Panorama reading

Learning Outcomes:

Each child will be able to read and comprehend the text

 Each child will be able to identify new vocabulary words and make sentences using them.

Instructional Aids: E-Lessons, Daily PDF, My Canvas Book, Panorama Book

Lesson development:

Task 1 – Read Ch-12: *Here comes Piku*. (Pages attached below, will be discussed in online class)

Task 2 – Write New words of Ch-12 in English Notebook. (attached below, will be discussed in online class)

Where to do: English Notebook

Task 3 – Read Ch- 12: *Thumbelina* from Panorama Book. (Pages attached below)

O NOTE:

1. Keep revisiting the previous modules and concepts along with the new ones.

✓ Read Ch-12 'Here Comes Piku' from the Main Course Book.

TO BE DONE IN ENGLISH NOTEBOOK

HERE COMES PIKU

New Words

- 1. enormous
- 2. beautiful
- 3. majestic
- 4. ivory
- 5. swat
- 6. pesky
- 7. grumpy
- 8. heavy
- 9. amazing
- 10. creative

Make sentences with any 5 words out of these new words.

Here Comes Piku

All animals have some special abilities. Some can fly and some can breathe under water. But, what can human beings do that animals can't?

Piku is an elephant. She has **enormous** ears, a trunk for a nose, two small but beautiful eyes and her **tusks** of a good size. Piku is big and strong.

There are not many things Piku cannot do. With her big, **floppy** ears, she fans herself to keep cool. She uses her long trunk to smell, drink and grab food. When her friends come to visit, she uses it to say hello to them. Her **majestic ivory** tusks are a prize. She uses them to dig, peel **barks** and protect herself. Standing on four fat legs, she uses her tail to **swat** away **pesky** flies.

There is only one thing Piku can't do. She can't jump. Tell me, have you ever seen an elephant jump? Elephants can't jump. You know

that. I know that. But Piku doesn't know that. She wants to jump. Up in the air, she lifts her one leg. She lifts her second leg up, and then her third leg and fourth leg. But no matter how hard she tries, all her legs do not go up at once. She tries day and night but just doesn't seem to get it right.



When Piku can't jump, she becomes **grumpy**. She complains, 'Leopards jump, rabbits jump, even dolphins jump. I am bigger than all of them, then why can't I jump?' Piku goes to her father, and asks him. Her father says, 'I don't have time.' Piku goes to her sister and asks her. Her sister says, 'I am playing with my friends. Come again sometime'. Piku goes to her mother and asks her. Her mother says, 'First, eat. It is lunchtime.'

Piku grows sad and goes to her grandad. He tells her that elephants are too heavy to jump. 'But what if you can't jump? You can do many other amazing things. You can swim. You can count. You can sing. You can remember long forgotten things.' Piku now knows that she is smart. She is kind. She is creative. She is happy to be herself.

New Words

enormous very large in size

tusks long, pointed teeth of an elephant

floppy hanging loosely

majestic huge and impressive

ivory a hard creamy white material that the tusks of an

elephant are made of

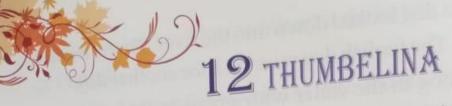
barks the outer covering of trees

swat hit with a sharp blow

pesky annoying

grumpy short-tempered





Once, there was a kind woman who had no children. She longed for a baby and would often say, "How I would love to have a baby girl, even a tiny little one."

A beautiful fairy who was passing by heard her wish one day and came to her house. When she heard that the kind woman had no children, she decided to help her. She gave her a little seed to plant



in a flower pot and told her, "Wait for the seed to grow and your wish will be fulfilled". When the seed bloomed into a flower, the woman was delighted to see a tiny beautiful girl inside, not bigger than her

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passing by and saw how sad she looked. She said, "Come fly will me to my land where it is warm".

Young Thumbelina sat on the bird's back and they flew across the seas and came to the land of sunshine. The bird said, "This is more. You can live in one of the biggest and loveliest flowers."

When Thumbelina stepped inside a big, beautiful flower, she found a handsome Prince, as tiny as her, already sitting there.

He was the son of the king of flowers and when he say Thumbelina, he fell in love with her at once. He asked her to marry him. Thumbelina agreed and married him. She became queen and they both lived happily ever after.

warm - not cold stepped inside - went inside/entered handsome - very smart

Moral - Never, ever, give up.

BRAIN TEASERS

- 1. What did the kind woman want?
- 2. Who helped her?
- 3. What was the little girl's name?
- 4. How big was the little girl?

TRUE OR FALSE

١.	Thumbelina was very tall.	
2.	She loved the frog very much.	
3.	The bird was kind and helped her.	
	She got married to a king and became a queen	

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SHORT STORIES