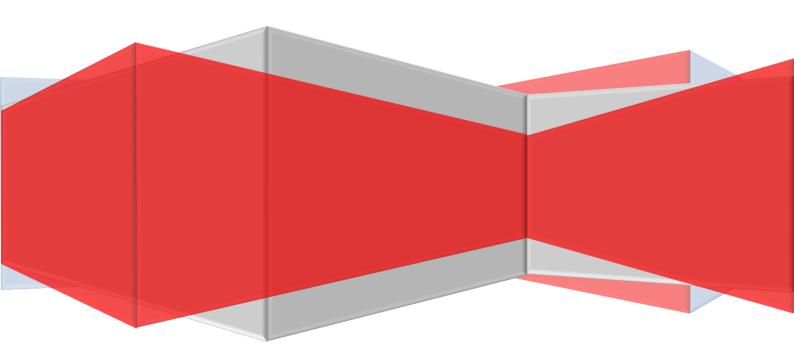
## Cultivate school entrepreneurial mindset through holistic approach targeting teachers and pupils



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#### **Title of story: Planting Flowers**

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- a) Sometimes you don't have enough time at school to discuss all the topics you are interested in. Why don't you try to find a way to find out yourself, since you really want to know more about this topic?
- b) It is good that you thought about the book and that you will maybe read it, but is there a more effective way to find out more about this topic?
- c) Good choice! In this way, you will be actively involved in the learning process and you will be responsible for your own learning, while your friends will benefit from your findings, too.

#### Page 2

- a) Good choice! You do your research in order to find the most suitable kind of seeds, making your goal very specific.
- b) Asking your parents for help is good, but in this case wouldn't be better if you could you take the responsibility for the task yourself? It doesn't matter if you make a mistake, as you can learn from it!
- c) You are very lucky to find these at home without putting much effort, but are you sure that what you have found is suitable for what you want to do?

#### Page 3

- a) It is very good that you though that your flowers will need space and a water source located nearby. What about any other conditions which you could take into account, though?
- b) Good choice! You take a moment to reflect and you realise that there many things you should take into account before you take action.
- c) It is very good that you remember what the teacher has said about photosynthesis and the plants needing air, but what about any other conditions which you could take into account?



#### Page 4

- a) Asking other people for help is not bad, but are you sure that you should trust their opinion without doing some research yourself?
- b) It is good that you act with caution, but isn't there a way to find out what the right amount of water is, either by doing your own research or by using your previous knowledge or experience?
- c) Good choice! You used your previous knowledge and experience to take the right decision!

#### Page 5

- a) It is good that you thought that you should come back to water the seeds, but wouldn't it help if you made it more specific (who will go, how often, what time)?
- b) Good choice! You set a specific goal!
- c) Since you know that plants need water to grow, wouldn't it be better if you set a specific day and time when you will water them?

#### Page 6

- a) It is good that you don't lose your hope; it would also be useful to take some time to reflect on what you did, so as to be able to find out what went wrong in case the seeds don't grow.
- b) Why do you lose your hope so fast? You can give it a chance, as you did all the effort to plant the seeds! Also, you could take some time to reflect on what you did, so as to be able to find out what went wrong in case the seeds don't grow.
- c) Good choice! In this way, in case the seeds don't grow, you will be able to find out what went wrong and correct it the next time you plant something.

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- a) Good choice! You take time to reflect on the steps you had previously followed to avoid any possible mistakes or oversights this time.
- b) It is good that you make a second attempt, but wouldn't it be useful if you took into account the steps you had previously followed in order to avoid possible mistakes or oversight this time?



c) It is understandable that you are curious to see the progress of your seeds' growing, but, based on what you learnt about plants, don't you think that this may cause disruption to their growth?

#### Page 8

- a) You have a very good reason to be thrilled! Isn't there a way to use this experience to learn more about planting flowers though?
- b) You have a very good reason to be pleased! Isn't there a way to use this experience to learn more about planting flowers though?
- c) Good choice! You will make the most of this experience in order to learn more things about flowers.

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- a) It is great that you would like to plant more seeds, but isn't it also important to observe the flowers' growing process, so as to learn more about them?
- b) Good choice! You will make the most of this experience by observing the flowers grow, so as to learn more things about flowers.
- c) It would be nice to have some flowers at home and to show it to your parents, but in this way, you will miss the chance to learn more about flowers through observing their growing process.

#### Page 10

- a) Having souvenirs of your achievements is great! How about sharing your experience and knowledge with other people so that they can benefit from it, too?
- b) Good idea! In this way, your classmates will benefit from your experience as well, but could they also apply this knowledge somehow?
- c) Good choice! In this way, not only will you share your knowledge and experience with your classmates, but also you will contribute to them learning through experience.

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