

Girls High School & College, Prayagraj
Worksheet 1
Session: 2020-21
Class 4 A-F
Subject: Value Education

Instructions: Parents please ensure that your child reads the lesson several times and then completes the exercises.

MONEY CAN'T BUY HAPPINESS

Once there was a wealthy man who wanted his son to experience the life of normal people who were not rich. So he sent him to stay with a poor farmer's family.

The boy stayed with the farmer and his family for one month when he returned, his father asked him about his experience at the farm and whether he had enjoyed his stay there.

"Now don't you appreciate all that we have, my son?" the father said.

The boy thought for a moment and said "The family I stayed with is better off than us."

"What do you mean?" asked his father, startled.

The boy replied "They reap what they have planted and they enjoy their harvest during their meals – together as a family.

They always seem to have time for one another."

"What are you talking about my son?"

"The family lives in a small house and does not have the luxuries we have in our big house. However they love one another and are very happy helping each other, with a simpler life, fewer worries and no complaints."

the father smiled and put his arm around his son. "I am very pleased with you, my son. You truly appreciate what we have. You also understand that money can't buy everything – like family, time and laughter, I am also glad you spent time with this fine family and benefited from it."

"Thank you for sending me to live with this family," the boy replied." I now understand a lot about life."



Yes, money cannot buy everything. Even though our bodies can live on what money can buy, money can't buy love and true happiness. If we build up our values of honesty and trust and are thankful to God for all our blessings, we can live happier lives.

"Be grateful for all your blessings"

EXERCISE: 1

Answer the following question in a line or two:-

1. Write the moral of the story in your own words.
2. Name few things which money can't buy?
3. State two things which make you happy?

EXERCISE: 2

Make a placard and write any quotation related to 'happiness' and decorate it also.

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