

Good Boy Manoj

For the Teacher

Value to Develop : Good Manners

A person with good manners shows respect towards the feelings and sentiments of others living with them or around them. They always make people happy by showing their good manners. Having good manners can create positive behaviour and make you a better human being.

LIFE SKILLS

- ❑ **Politeness:** Always use 'please', 'thank you', and 'excuse me' appropriately. Politeness shows respect for others.
- ❑ **Thank-You Notes and Gratitude:** Sending thank-you notes or expressing gratitude in person for acts of kindness shows appreciation and thoughtfulness.

The Story : GOOD MANNERS

Manoj is a five-year-old boy. He lives with his parents in his beautiful house. His parents love him a lot. He has many friends in school and his neighbour.

He loves going to school. He touches his parents' feet daily and then leaves for school. Whenever he meets anybody new in his home, he meets them with a smile.



He washes his hands before eating his food. After completing his dinner, he put plates in the kitchen and helps his mother in cleaning. One day he sees an old man **carrying** three bags and is not able to walk properly. So, Manoj runs to the old man and asks, 'Excuse me, may I take one of your bags?' The old man smiles and gives him one

bag. After reaching his home the old man gives him **blessings** and says thank you to him for the help.



There is no greater gift than good manners.

Let's Do the Exercise

Learning New Words

carrying : to hold something in hand

blessings : a thing your elders give that brings happiness

Understanding the Chapter

1. Answer the following questions.

(i) What is the name of the boy?

(ii) Does he like to go to school?

(iii) Where does he put plates after dinner?

(iv) Name any two good manners mentioned in the story.

(v) What do you do at home to help your mother? Write to anyone for help.

2. Write true or false in the space given.

- (i) Manoj is a naughty boy.
- (ii) Manoj touches his parents' feet daily.
- (iii) Manoj never smiles.
- (iv) Manoj does not like to help old people.
- (v) The word 'Thank You' has been used in the story.

Now I Know

Logical Thinking

3. Our parents and teachers teach us good manners that are useful in our daily life. Write any three good manners of yours which you are proud of.

Doing It Right

Analytical Thinking

4. You are going shopping with your mother. On the roadside, you see a beggar who is looking very weak and is asking for food. You have a packet of your favourite biscuit. What will you do now?

5. Look at the images below and tick the situation that has been given in the picture. One has been done for you.

(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)



(e)



Experimental Activity

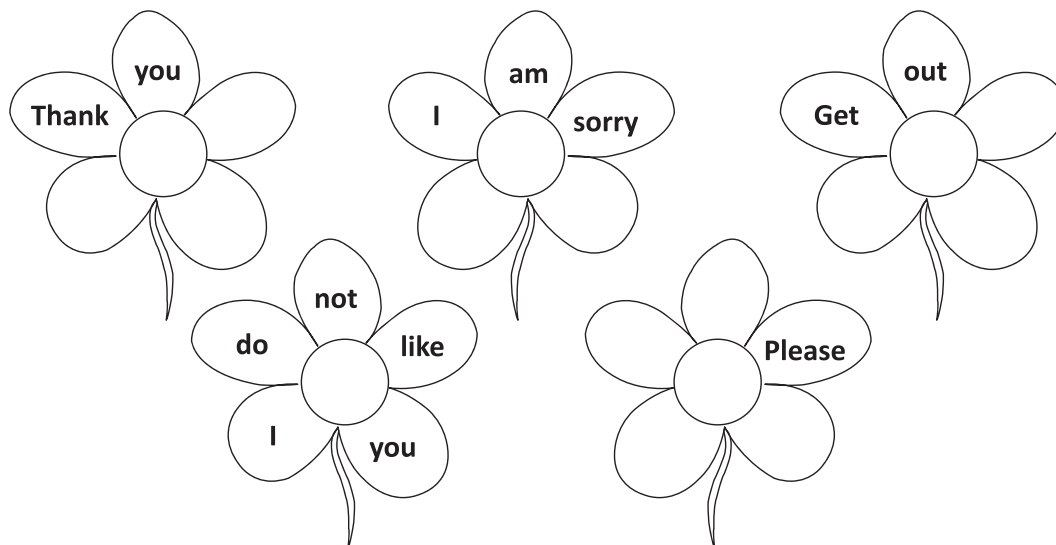
6. Make a group of three students and ask them to discuss and write three good manners and three bad manners in the given table.

GOOD MANNERS	BAD MANNERS
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.

Fun Time

7. Colour the flowers with good manners.

Creative Skills



Thank you Ma and Papa

For the Teacher

Value to Develop : Gratitude (Thank You)

The love and support of parents make a child strong. So, children should always thank them for their love and care. They always think about their children first. Gratitude is feeling thankful and appreciative for the good things happening in your life.

LIFE SKILLS

- ❑ **Be kind:** By helping and supporting others, you can develop a strong friendship with them.
- ❑ **Expressing Appreciation:** Don't stop to express your gratitude to others. Whether it is a 'thank you' or an appreciation, expressing gratitude makes the other person really happy.

The Story : THANK YOU, MA AND PAPA



There is a small house. In the house, there lives a happy five-year-old boy. His name is Tarun. Tarun loves playing with his toys and going to different places with his parents.

One day, he notices that his ma and papa work hard to make yummy food and keep their home clean and **warm**. They take care of Tarun very well and give him so much love.

Tarun feels a warm feeling in his heart, **realizing** how much his parents do for him.





So, when he decides to **surprise** them with a big **hug** and give them a **handmade** beautiful and colourful card saying 'Thank you!' for all their love and care. His parents get very happy after seeing the beautiful card.

They both give Tarun a tight hug.

From that day on, Tarun learns the magic of **gratitude**, making his parents smile even more, and their love grows stronger day by day.



Always show gratitude to your parents.

Let's Do the Exercise

Learning New Words

- warm** : a good feeling
- realizing** : to understand something
- surprise** : the feeling that you have when something happens that you do not expect
- hug** : to put your arms around somebody, to show love
- handmade** : made by hand
- gratitude** : a feeling of wanting to be thankful to somebody

Understanding the Chapter

1. Answer the following questions.

- (i) What does Tarun like to do?

- (ii) What does Tarun notice one day?

(iii) What does Tarun do to surprise his parents?

(iv) What do Tarun's parents do after getting a surprise?

2. Fill in the blanks.

Thank you hug card house little

- (i) Tarun gives a beautiful handmade _____ to his parents.
- (ii) Tarun lives in a _____ house.
- (iii) His parents give him a tight _____.
- (iv) Parents do hard work to keep _____ clean.
- (v) He says _____ to his parents.

Now I Know

Logical Thinking

3. We see our parents working all the time. They help us in our study, make food for us, drop us to school, etc. Tell us when you have said 'Thank you' to your parents.

Doing It Right

Analytical Thinking

4. One day you are not feeling good. After some time, your mother checks you and tells you that you have a fever so it is better to take rest. You are not in the mood to eat anything. Your mother goes to the kitchen and cooks your favourite healthy food so that you can eat. What will you say to her?

Fun Time

Creative Skills

5. Activity (Experimental Skill)

Every student after school will say thank you to their parents and hug them.

6. Write five things you want to say thank you to your parents for.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

7. How will like to show your gratitude to your parents. Tick any three ways.



8. Create a 'Thank You Wall'. Paste the pictures of the people or any creature whom you want to say thank you.

