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Year 1

Class Assembly

Handra's Surprise





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Ruby Welcome to Year 1's class assembly.

Anas This half term we are learning all about Africa.

Zain We have been learning some interesting facts about Africa.

Giorgia Did you know that Africa is the second largest continent in the world?

Meryam It is home to over 1 billion people, who speak over 1500 different languages.

Eesa There are 54 different countries in Africa.





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Joury The longest river in the world is in Africa, it is called The River Nile.

Kyle The second biggest freshwater lake in the world is in Africa, it is called Lake Victoria.

Soni The highest mountain in Africa is Mount Kilimanjaro.

We have been enjoying reading a story set in Africa.

Tala It is called Handa's Surprise.

Chantay We would like to now tell you the story.

Khadija Once upon a time there was a little girl called Handa.





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One day Handa decided to visit her friend Akeyo, who lived in a different village.

She decided to take her a basket of fruit.

Nuha Handa put 6 delicious fruits in her basket and set off.

She will be surprised when she sees all this fruit.

Leyan I wonder which fruit she will like best.

Eshan Will she like the soft, yellow banana?

Unfortunately, the monkey took the banana.

Joudi Will she like the juicy, round orange best?





Unfortunately, the zebra took the orange.

Will she like the ripe, fresh mango?

Unfortunately, the elephant took the mango.

Angel Handa did not know that the animals were taking the fruit from her basket.

Alma Will she like spiky leaved pineapple best?

Alma Unfortunately, the giraffe took the pineapple.

Amani Will she like the creamy, green avocado?

Amani Unfortunately, the antelope took the avocado.





Will she like the purple passion fruit best?

Unfortunately, the parrot took the passion fruit.

There was nothing left in Handa's basket and the goat wanted some fruit.

He bumped into a tangerine tree and luckily, they fell into her basket.

But Handa did not know this.

Handa arrived at Akeyo's village and saw her friend.

Teodora Hello Akeyo!

Angel Hello Handa!





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Teodora I have a surprise for you!

Angel What is it?

Teodora Delicious fruit.

Angel Thank you, I love fruit!

Handa got a surprise when she looked in the basket.

Angel Mmmm tangerines, I love tangerines!

Sarah We have learnt a short rhyme about African Animals.
(All children stand up)





African Animals

Giraffes are tall with necks so long.
Elephants' trunks are big and strong.
Zebras have stripes and can gallop away.
While monkeys in the trees do sway.
Old crocodile swims in the pool so deep.
Or lies in the sun and goes to sleep.

Mahdi Thank you for watching our class assembly.

