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Concept-Value Connection:

- Every sentence is constructed with clauses and/or phrases. Both phrases and clauses contain groups of two or more words and help us to make sentences. All of them come together to create meaning.
- So too each one of us has different strengths and abilities. We can achieve more by contributing our best and working together for a specific goal.

Type: Story

In a Jungle School, the teacher Ms. Wise Owl was quite dissatisfied with her students. They were all beautiful, brave, bold, wise and capable. But, each one was so focused on his or her qualities that they didn't care about the others. Every day, they would fight at school. The rabbit was proud of his quickness, the nightingale of her charming singing, the tiger of his sharp claws, the snake of his poisonous fangs, the peacock of his beautiful feathers and so on. Ms. Wise Owl was very much worried and upset by their attitude. She tried to teach them that everyone has a place and purpose in life. And that only by working together can the world be a happier place. But no one listened to her, so she decided to teach them a lesson.

One day a hunter laid a trap on the path where the animals usually roamed together in the forest. When they were walking, they all fell into the trap except for the rabbit. The rabbit noticed that his friends were in danger, so he ran very fast to inform his teacher. Hearing the news, Ms. Wise Owl rushed to the spot. When she arrived, she noticed something she had never seen before. And this is what she had always been wanting to see!

The snake stretched its hood to scare anyone coming to trap them. The nightingale sang a wonderful song pleading for help and the tiger roared to call his other tiger friends. The peacock tried to tear the trap with his beak. All the animals joined together to help the trapped animals and finally freed them. This made all of them realize each other's value and strength. Together they celebrated teamwork.

From that day on, they decided not to fight and be proud of their strength and abilities and started sharing their knowledge and resources with all. When we work collectively as a team we can achieve even the most difficult tasks. We need to work unitedly for the good of all.

Source: Self-written

Points to reflect upon:

- Appreciate others abilities and strengths.
- Strength is in working together.
- Everything becomes possible if we are united.