

Lecture Sheet, 2nd Term, 2020

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Book: Cosmo English Literature Book  
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Topic: A Brave Boy's Secret (7.7.20-Tuesday)  
Lecture- 2

**The story is about a brave boy. His name is Hasan. In our previous class we have already learnt about Hasan.**

- #Hasan was a smart boy and he was good at school work and sports.
- #But Hasan was afraid of the dark!
- # One day Hasan went on a school camping trip.
- # The camping spot was a beautiful green valley. And Hasan was sharing his tent with Salman.

Today we will discuss about the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the story.

- Characters:
1. Hasan
  2. Hasan's parents
  3. Teacher
  4. Salman

\*When he was in his sleeping bag with the darkness of the night all around him, Hasan began to feel afraid. Suddenly, he could hear noises everywhere and they were scary!

\*As Salman **began to cry** loudly, Hasan sat up and put his arms around his friend.

\*"Hey, come on!" he said. He was **surprised** at how strong his own voice sounded. "There is nothing to be afraid of!"

\*Hasan **shone** his torch through the opening of the tent. "Look, it's just a harmless, little owl," he pointed out.

\*Salman **smiled** at Hasan through his tears. "Hasan?" he asked hesitantly. "Are you going to tell anyone else about this?" "Definitely not" said Hasan truthfully. "Oh, thank you" said Salman. "I can't **bear** anyone teasing me and laughing at me.

\*"No, I don't" said Hasan. "I used to know somebody just like you, once. But it was a long time ago," said Hasan with a little, secret smile in the dark.



**Summary:** From the story we have learnt that if you have courage in your mind you can handle any situation. So we should be brave and strong minded to face any difficulties in life.

## Exercises

### Word meanings

1. Seem- appear
2. Scary- frightening
3. Adventure- exciting experience
4. Darkness- absence of light
5. Harmless- safe
6. Inky- as black as ink
7. Grand- great
8. Toughest- very strong
9. Tease- make fun

### Make sentences

1. Torch- I have a big torch.
2. Owl- This is an owl.
3. Dark- Hasan was afraid of the dark.
4. Cry- Salman began to cry.
5. Harmless- The owl was harmless.