

## Characters with Relevant Story-Study Material

Prose / Supplementary	Characters
Her dream Bicycle	Malar – 6 <sup>th</sup> standard, 11 years old, Keeranur village, Pudukottai. Kathirvel – Malar’s father, farmer Mallika – Malar’s mother Ponni – Malar’s sister, married to manson, lived in Mathur, Vikram – Ponni’s son Arul – Malar’s brother
Boat song	Aadityan – small boy, boat rider Karikalan - king
An open letter	Chief Seathel – leader of tribe in north America
Those three bears [Ruskin Bond]	Ruskin bond – author
The Cherry tree [Ruskin Bond]	Rakhi – girl lived in Musoorie Dada – Rakhi’s grandfather
Swami and the sum [R.K. Narayan]	Father Samuel , Sankar Rama & Krishna Swaminathan
The food you eat	Kathir, Kamala – students Dr.Aruna – professor
The fairy crane	Old man Old man’s wife Girl [actually Crane]
The unlucky face [Eunice de souza]	Hirachand [unlucky facer] Akbar , Akbar’s wife, Doctor Guard – who took Hirachand away to executed Birbal – who save Hirachand
Kari The Elephant [Dhan gopal Mukerji]	Author Kari – The Elephant Boy – drowned in to the river
The colorful sweets	Krishnadevaraya Tenali
Why the Sky is far away	Ram, Bheem Mr. Frank – English teacher In the Tale [ Oba – King

	Adami – careless person on taking extra food. Adami’s wife ]
Gone forever [Barbara Reeves]	
The meaning of education [Cyril Antony George]	
The Neem tree	Malar Nilla – Malar’s friend Teacher, Head mistress Malar’s grandma [says “keep your flag flying high you will do well”]
The quest of India’s freedom	
Dreams come true	Rahul – 12 yrs, joined Soviet Cultural Centre Rahul’s father, mother Vishwanathan anand Sussela vishwanathan [Anand’s mother]
Diwakar – An Icon for children	Diwakar Sharma Sunil Sharma – Diwakar’s father Alka Sharma - Diwakar’s mother Geetha, James, Kajol - students in visually challenged school, Little flower Rashmi, Asif, Deepak, Reena – students from visiting school
Creating space to be Human	
A sages compassion	Madhavan sage Attendants of madhavan
Nature cares for nature	Lalitha Ramana – lalitha’s son, 4 yrs old Neelambal – grandma
The selfish giant [Oscar Wilde]	Giant Carnish ogre – giant’s friend Children
Ranjis wonderful bat [Ruskin Bond]	Ranji – 11 year old boy Koki – Ranji’s next door girl Bhim – Ranjis friend Suraj – school team captain Coach Kumar – sports shop owner, state player once

Vaani mahal [Manohar Devadoss]	
Yaana malai [Manohar Devadoss]	
George Washington carver and peanuts	George Washington
An Interface with an Extraterrestrial being	Gopi Vikram – gopi's friend Madhavan – science teacher
The wooden bowl [Leo Tolstoy]	Anbu Saravanan – Anbu's father Anbu's mother Grandfather
The power of laughter	Women – basket weaver Gopal, Kevin, Nsira – army of basket weaver Village new headman
Living amicably [Dr. A.P.J. Abdul kalam]	A.P.J Jainulabdeen - A.P.J's father Achamma - A.P.J's mother Pakshi lakshmana sastry – High priest of Rameshwaram temple Ramanandha sastry, Aravindhan, Sivaprakasan – childhood friends of A.P.J Siva subramainiya iyer – science teacher
Our winged friends [ Zai Whitaker]	
The unforgettable Johnny	Johnny – 14 yrs old Ms.Alice davis – 8 <sup>th</sup> class teacher from U.S.A Johnny's mother Students
A Mothers day gift	Apsara, Selvi – students Mrs.Rose – principal
A women of courage	Saralaben
Sorry, Best friend [Hemangini Ranade]	Renu Manju – Renu's daughter Bai – female servant Miriam – Bai's daughter Mehrab – Miriam's Cousin
The Ant eater and the Dessie [Lakshmi mukuntan]	Tendai Tendai's grandma – story teller Pangolin – ant eater Dassie – African rat eater

God This is Charles	Charles Keith – Charles mate
The Sun beam [Dr.Neeraja Raghavan]	Sunbeam Butterfly
The will to Win	Anita kushwaha - girl star
The one minute apology	Colonel scott – commander Edwin Stanton – secretary of war Abraham Lincoln – commander-in-chief, President
The Marvelous machine	Kaavya Kaushik – kavya’s brother Kavya’s mother Prithvi, Vino – kavya’s cousins, medical students
Miriam's letter[Gowrishankar govardhandas joshi [Dhumketu]]	Ali – old man waiting to receive letter from his daughter Postmaster Lakshmi das – clerk
When catastrophe strikes	Joe cabuk – pilot Doug white – owner of plane Terri – Doug’s wife Maggi, Bailey - Doug’s daughters Henkel, Lisa grim – flight instructor, controller Norton, Sorenson – flight controllers in Meyer’s airport
A man who had no eyes [Makinlay kontor]	Mr. Parson – moves to next stage Markwardt – self sympathizer
Amrita devi – The guardian Angel of woods	Amrita devi – lives in Kajarli Asu, Rathi, Bhagubai – Amrita devi’s daughters Thakur surat singh – Estate granter
A Race in the Space [interview from Sunita Wiliams by Nakasha Ahmed]	
The tears of the Desert [Paul Coelho]	Author Missionary – christian Man in desert – muslim
Visit to the dentist [Eric franke]	Franke Beena

	Dr. Mary Receptionist Hygienist
The Stroke of Genius	Akbar Jodha – Akbar’s wife Birbal
The Thief	Yamuk Malkin
The Model Millionaire [Oscar Wilde]	Hughie – young man Laura merton – Hughie’s Alan trevor – Hughie’s friend Baron hausberg – richest man in Europe Retired colonel - Laura merton’s father.
Music – The Hope raiser	Author
A Golden path [speech by Gopala krishna gokhale]	
Will thirst become unquenchable	Chaya – 25 yrs old man, house wife Diwan sigh – Delhi environment activist - Kamal bhate – astrologer Peter gleick – water expert and President of Pacific Institute in Oakland, California
Making the visible invisible [Kalpana Sharma]	
Aflight with the moon on their wings [Migration of birds seasonably]	
Our Heritage – A Timeless Marvel [About Brihadeeswara temple]	
SAM [Tommy Ruggles]	Sam or Goldy - dog Shelly – boy Shelly’s mother Diane – blind lady [actual owner of the dog]
The Piano Lesson [Rob Reilly]	Author Author’s father – flying officer, World war – II Author’s mother
The face of Judas Iscariot [Bonnie Chamberlin]	Artist
Swept Away [Susannah Hickling]	Serge Celine – Serge’s wife who swept

	Amandine – daughter of serge and celine Louis Martinez – opposite door person Jack pederoso – neighbor and also a teacher
A close Encounter [Rex Coker]	Author Author's brother
The Summer flight	Kumar – person in New york now Kumar's dad, mother, grandpa, brother, sister
Caught sneezing [Oscar wilde]	Hubert – 13 old year boy 3 thieves Old man, Old man's wife, sons, daughters
Holiday [Rabindranath Tagore]	Phatik Chakrabarti Makhanlal – Phatik's younger brother Mother of Phatik and Makhanlal Bagha Bagdi – servent Bishvambhar Babu - Phatik's uncle Phatik's aunt[Babu's wife]
How the camel got its hump [Rudyard Kipling]	Camel, Horse, Dog, Ox Man Djinn – incharge of all deserts
Julius Caesar [William Shakespeare]	Julius Cae sar Octavius Caesar Mark Antony Lepidus <b>Conspirators against Caesar</b> Marcus Brutus, Casca, Decius Brutus Cinna, Metellus Cimber, Trebonius, Caius Ligarius, Tribunes, Flavius, Marullus Senators Cicero Publius Popilius Lena Citizens Calpurnia – Caesar's wife Portia – Brutus' wife Soothsayer Artemidorus – sophist from Knidos Cinna – poet

	<p>Poet (believed to be based on Marcus Favonius)</p> <p>Lucius – Brutus' attendant</p> <p>Loyal to Brutus and Cassius</p> <p>Volumnius</p> <p>Titinius</p> <p>Young Cato – Portia's brother</p> <p>Messala – messenger</p> <p>Varrus, Clitus, Claudio, Dardanius, Strato</p> <p>Lucilius, Labeo, Flavius, Statilius (non-speaking roles)</p> <p>Others</p> <p>Caesar's servant</p> <p>Antony's servant</p> <p>Octavius' servant</p> <p>Pindarus – Cassius' bondman</p> <p>Cobbler</p> <p>Carpenter</p> <p>Messenger, Other soldiers, senators, plebeians, and attendants</p>
The Farmer [Thakazhi Sivasankaran Pillai]	<p>Thirumalpal – Landlord</p> <p>Kutti Chovna – Kesavan Nair's Friend</p> <p>Kesavan Nair – Small farmer</p> <p>Outhakutty – big time farmer</p> <p>Kutty Mapilla – Kesavan Nair Friend</p>
After the Storm [Deepa Agarwal]	<p>District Forest Officer, Saruli, Diwan Singh, Tappers, Radha, Saruli's Mother, Pratab.</p>
Reflowering [Sundara Ramaswamy]	<p>Ambi, Amma, Appa, Rowther, Gomathi, Kolappa, Murugan.</p>
The Last leaf [O'Henry]	<p>Sue, Johnsy, Doctor, Behrman</p>
The Lottery ticket [Anton Chekhov]	<p>Ivan Dmitritch, Masha</p>
The Merchant of Venice	<p>Antonio – a merchant of Venice</p> <p>Bassanio – Antonio's friend; suitor to Portia</p> <p>Gratiano, Solanio, Salerio – friends of Antonio and Bassanio</p> <p>Lorenzo – friend of Antonio and Bassanio, in love with Jessica</p> <p>Portia – a rich heiress</p>

	<p>Nerissa – Portia's waiting maid - in love with Gratiano</p> <p>Balthazar – Portia's servant, who Portia later disguises herself as</p> <p>Stephano – Nerissa's disguise as Balthazar's law clerk.</p> <p>Shylock – a rich Jew, moneylender, father of Jessica</p> <p>Jessica – daughter of Shylock, Lorenzo's girlfriend</p> <p>Tubal – a Jew; Shylock's friend</p> <p>Launcelot Gobbo – a servant to Shylock</p> <p>Old Gobbo – father of Launcelot</p> <p>Leonardo – slave to Bassanio</p> <p>Duke of Venice – Venetian authority who presides over the case of Shylock's bond</p> <p>Prince of Morocco – suitor to Portia</p> <p>Prince of Arragon – suitor to Portia</p> <p>Magnificoes of Venice, officers of the Court of Justice, Gaoler, servants to Portia, and other Attendants.</p>
The Mark of Vishnu [Khushwant Singh]	Gunga Ram, Four students, Teacher
The Necklace[Guy de Maupassant]	Madame George Ramponneau, Loisel, Matilda, Forestier
The Refugee [Pearl S Buck]	Old man, Man, Vendor, Small boy[Grand Son]
Two Friends [Guy de Maupassant]	Monsieur Morissot, Monsieur Sauvage, Colonel Dumoulin.

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