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SUMMARY

The session features storytelling for children, focusing on two engaging tales: "Chum Chum's Choice" about a mare and her cruel owner, and "Ladoo's Spots," about a leopard cub's quest to count his spots. Each story is followed by a quiz to reinforce comprehension and an origami activity to encourage creativity.

- "Chum Chum's Choice" emphasizes kindness and compassion, showcasing how the mare chooses her true owner based on love and care.*
- "Ladoo's Spots" highlights self-reliance and the importance of learning, as Ladoo decides to count his spots himself after others fail.*
- Both stories encourage children to appreciate animals and the value of kindness.*
- The quizzes after each story engage children, testing their understanding and retention.*
- An origami activity allows children to create their own leopard cub, fostering creativity and hands-on learning.*
- The session promotes storytelling as a way to enhance imagination and literacy skills in children.*

[Music] [Music] hello dear children thank you all for being here today it is wonderful to see the work done by getset parent and vishwarang in the field of literature art and music by organizing india's biggest online festival of the year for children and their parents so as dr pallavi mentioned i am from amar chitra and i am going to dive right into what

we are here for today storytelling and not just one but two stories and each story will be followed by a small quiz and at the end we'll do a small origami activity for which all you require is a square paper and some sketchmates all right so are we ready to start the story so let's head on to the story space okay before we start the story today can you tell me which is your favorite animal well mine is a tiger

[Applause] what's your favorite animal and what sound does it make is it an elephant or is it a duck quack quack quack quack or is it a cow [Music] or is it a horse well today's story is an endearing story about a mare a mare is a female horse

and the choice that she makes it's called chum chum's choice so let's begin with the story ramki was a merchant and he lived in the village of rampur nobody liked him because he thought only about himself he is never kind to others the villagers said to each other ranki had a mare a mare is a female horse right so ramki had a mare and her name was champ

he made her carry heavy loads every day you have been lazy no food for you ramki would shout poor chum her owner was so cruel one day as ramki walked to the market with champ he shouted you are slow move faster track track he hit her with a stick chum chum was weak and tired and the

load was very heavy and she was very hungry she fell to the ground and closed her eyes ramki yelled get up you lazy man he pushed chum chum with his foot but she did not move oh she cannot move she's of no use to me now thought ramki he left the mare in the middle of the road took his bundle and went home a little while later dugu the farmer

came walking down the road oh dear he exclaimed when he saw chum chum what could have happened to this poor horse champion opened her tired eyes and looked at him thank goodness you are alive exclaimed goo get up get up i'm taking you home and i'll take good care of you don't worry and lugu was truly very kind to champion he fed her green grass and tasty oats

he gave her fresh water to drink and a nice stable to rest him chum chum grew strong and healthy and soon began to trot about she loved to go and followed him everywhere one day dugu had to take some vegetables to rampur so he put a bundle on champton's back and walked with her to the market but at the market who should be there

but ramki ramki was in the market too he sought to go with chum chum that is chum chum he exclaimed to himself she looks so strong i can use her to carry my goods now i want her back ramki went to dugu hey that is my man you thief he yelled give her back to me duku was surprised i i found her on the road i looked after her for many days she is mine now he

said no no no my my my said ramki no no no my my my said to go and they both started yelling at each other and started fighting ram ki would go no no no my my mind and the guru would go no no no my my my come on you can do it with me ramki said no no no my my dugu said no no no my my my one last time ram ki said no no no my my my and goku

said no no no my my my and they started fighting the people of rampur all gathered around them don't fight don't fight go to the king he is wise he will help you and so they went to the king hmm what's the problem the king asked your majesty this man is a thief he has stolen my mayor said ranki

no my lord i have not said duku i found the mayor on the road she would have died if i had not fed her and they started fighting again no no no my my my no no no no no no my my no no no my my my quiet commander the wise king hmm the mayor will decide who her true owner is he ordered the guards to bring changchan chum chum soon arrived now ramki call her if she is yours she

will come to you said the king ramki pulled chum chum's tail kanya he shouted chabchum didn't want to go with him so she kicked him hard you are the best mare in the whole world he said softly

come home with me champion rubbed her forehead on the good shoulder and then blew gently and then she quietly rested her chin on his shoulder he had saved her life the mayor has chosen her owner declared the clever king dugu she is yours as for you ramki learn that animals will love you only if you show them love

yes your majesty said ram ki with his head bowed low cham went home with dugu and they lived happily ever after wasn't that a touching story i love how dugu loved and respected chum chum and finally chum cham really appreciated the compassion that duggu showed and chose him this shows us that whether animals or humans a little bit of love a little bit of kindness and sometimes just a nice

happy smile can go a long way in helping yourself and others okay so let's see how many of y'all were listening to the story carefully it's time for the quiz now the quiz is very simple okay really simple uh i'm going to ask you five questions each question is going to have four options and you just have to choose the correct option yeah if you'll get it right give yourselves a silent clap which looks something like this

yeah so give yourselves a silent clap and let's begin with our first question our first question is in which village did ramki live in which village did ramki live options are banaras rampur ram nagar or ram naka think think think think the correct answer is rampur ramki lived in rampur all right

question number two who found chum chum lying on the street who found chum chum lying on the street was it one ram ki yes absolutely correct it was back to his house or his farm question

number three dugu fed chum chum some grass and dash what did dugu feed chum chum some tasty grass and some tasty corn tasty wheat tasty carrots or tasty oats what did dugu feed champ think think think yes the correct answer is tasty oats give yourself a round of applause well

done question number four once chum chum was strong enough dugu took her to the dash one market two kingdom three farm of four palace think dugu took her to the market well done everyone super work all right and we come down to our last question

what did the king decide about who should get chum chum what did the king decide about who should get chum chum is it one that ramki should get her is it two that dugu should get her is it three that champion must decide or is it four the king gave no answer what do you think it is and the correct answer is three champion must decide the king said that chum chum will decide who to go to

and that was really smart of the king because chum chum went to the one who was kind and respected her wasn't that an amazing story and y'all played the quiz really well too now you're done with story number one are you all ready for story number two let's go back to the story space and the story today is called ladoos spots so let's start the story laddu the leopard cub was feeling very

sleepy he had spent all night learning how to hunt with his mother so he climbed up a tree lay down in a branch

he mumbled stretching his paws laddu was almost asleep when from the corner of his eye he saw his own tail
[Music] what a perfect tail i have he thought

and then he looked at the spots on his back and said loudly to himself what a handsome leopard cub i am that
dough was not feeling sleepy anymore he jumped down from the tree and he started sinking spots spots
beautiful spots spread all over me big and small so many spots for everyone to see i'm going to do it once again
and then you'll join me okay for the third time

spots spots beautiful spots spread all over me big and small so many spots for everyone to see come on join in
spots beautiful spots spread all over me big and small so many spots for everyone to see well done so laddu was
feeling very happy and so he walked to the pond in the

middle of the jungle and looked at himself very carefully in the water and then he laughed out loud so many
spots no no so many many spots did you thought again no no no so many many many spots but oh dear he
thought how many spots do i have

fish heard laddu and popped out of the water hi lado water jumped up and down splash splash oh go away mr
fish you've made me gold wiggly squiggly said ladoo bye ladoo and the fish disappeared into the water baby
monkey who was sitting on a tree laughed my mother can count all your spots he said mama monkey jumped
down from the tree

she came to laddu and touched one spot one she said black felt very happy mama monkey continued to count
two three four and then she stopped and said i have four children i can count to four when i have more children
i learn to count more thank you mama monkey and ladoo walked away sadly

after a little while ladoo saw elephant he ran up to elephant and he said elephant elephant you are big and clever
will you count my spots sure said elephant i can do that and so with his trunk he tapped ladles one of ladu's spots
and said one two three four five

six seven eight nine ten he stopped and trumpeted loudly ladder was very happy and then elephants started
counting again ten nine eight seven six five four three two one there i have done it

said elephant you have one spot [Laughter] an elephant walked away feeling very clever do you think he
counted properly no he didn't count properly i'd love to thought that too i don't think elephant counted
properly laddu said baby monkey laughed at him from the tree top [Laughter] no one in the jungle can count he
said but laddu had an idea

he went to the pond and he waited he waited and waited and waited and waited and waited and waited and he
waited and waited and waited and waited and waited until sunset all the animals came to the pond to drink
water and laddu stood on a large rock and called out loudly to everyone listen everyone listen a prize for the

wise a prize to be got

by the one who can count my spots count counter spots counter spots counter spots everyone was really excited they all wanted to count the spots of laddu they wanted the prize old boar came to laddu and shook his head when i was young i could count up to 100 but you got very happy but now i've forgotten

he said oh that won't help thank you old boy just then in the bushes like to heard something swish swish swish swish and suddenly out of the bushes jumped hair and hair came hopping to laddu and said counter spots count your spots count your spots counter spots did you say he asked yes yes i can count i can count i can count your spots okay please count my spots said ladu he picked up his tail

he touched one spot at the end of the tail and said dark and then he touched the next spot and said light and then he touched the one next to it and said dark and then he started counting one at a time dark light dark light dark light dark light dark light dark light dark light and all the other animals gathered around over there and started tapping their feet to keep the

count but laddu was not happy hair kept on counting dark light dark light dark light dark light and all the rest kept on tapping at last laddu shouted enough hair stopped counting the others stopped tapping and for a little while no one spoke

and then hair said in a clear voice laddu has only two spots one dark spot and one light spot very good counting excellent counting excellent counting well done hair everyone praised hair for the great counting that he did hair hair is right he must get a prize but we did not agree but they all kept shouting a prize for the hair we do declare come on come on

come on everyone together a prize for the hair we do declare a prize for the hair we do declutter laddu had no choice but to agree and so he gave the hair one carrot and one turnip thank you mr hair thank you for counting all my spots i counted spots i got a prize and hair ran away

a little later lado was really sad and he was very tired you remember he hadn't slept the previous night because he was learning how to hunt and then the whole day he was trying to get someone to count his spots so he climbed up his tree lay on top of his branch he was feeling very sad when suddenly why is owl stop by when no who is able to help who you have to help yourself

he hooted laddu sat up that's it he said i will help myself i will learn how to count and then i will count my spots myself but owl can you help me oh of course laddu was really happy so he put his head down and with a smile on his face he gently

[Music] fell asleep wasn't that an amazing story i guess the basic understanding is not only that if no one can help you you have to learn to do it yourself but also that you have to try and learn whatever you can since

learning is the only thing that is constant and not changing and of course laddu was just too cute okay

so let's see who was listening to the story carefully it's time for the quiz yes absolutely and the quiz is very simple i will ask you five questions each question will have four options and you need to choose the correct option and if you get it right give yourself a silent clap which looks something like this right it's really fun okay so let's begin with the quiz on laddoo spots question number one laddu was very tired

what was he doing that made him so tired the first option is hunting with his mother two playing with his friends three swimming in the pond and four climbing trees think think think think this was how this happened right at the beginning of the story right and the correct answer is he was hunting with his mother well done give yourselves a round of applause all right let's move on to question number two

what kind of animal disturbed laddu while he was looking at himself in the lake what kind of animal disturbed laddu when he was looking at himself in the lake was it a crocodile a monkey a fish or an elephant think think think think what kind of animal disturbed laddu while he was looking at himself and the correct answer is a fish yes laddu was disturbed by a fish

okay let's move on to our third question question number three when mama monkey met laddu she counted his spots the question is how many spots did mama monkey count was it three spots was it four spots was it five spots or was it ten spots think think think each animal counted a different number of spots how many spots did mama monkey count

and the correct answer is she counted four spots she had four children so she could count to four when she would have more children she would learn to count more all right let's move on to question number four the old boar said that when he was young he could count till was it 150 was it 100 was it 50 or was it 1000

and the correct answer is it was 100. mr wild boar said that when he was young he could count all the way to a hundred okay let's move on to question number five our last question the wise owl told laddu that when no one can help you you should dash when no one can help you you should dash is it one help yourself two

find someone else three give up or four sulk in a corner i think all of y'all know this answer the answer is help yourself when nobody else can help you you must help yourself great job everyone that was amazing well done super work on the quiz all right and since you have listened to the story so well and you have played

the quiz so well let's move to our art and craft activity you are going to need some help from your parents on this and some materials which i will tell you in just a little bit uh if the steps are going too fast you can pause the video and complete the step and then move forward okay so today's activity is that we are going to create our very own little leopard cub [Music] i am led to

i don't know how many spots i have so for today's activity what you're going to require is a square origami paper

it would be the color of your choice you're going to need some googly eyes you're going to require a marker and some glue that's about it okay so let's begin [Music]

take your square paper and fold it diagonally into half it makes a nice triangle [Music] [Music] next take the corners on the folded side

and then fold towards the top corner of the large triangle [Music] once you have done that you need to fold the tips into an approximate half

they will be slightly sideways but that's fine [Music] [Music] there you go the basic face of the leopard is ready next take the bottom open part of the shape and fold a smaller triangle towards the front and then the back

[Music] and then fold the top part of the head towards the back too [Music]

next let's give it eyes take the googly eyes and stick it onto the face if you don't have googly eyes you can even draw it out [Music] and finally let's draw the nose mouth whiskers and then spots [Music]

spot spots beautiful spots spread all over me [Music] and you're done [Music]

that's amazing you'll have made some really cute animals well done and you can also change the design just a little bit and it would become a tiger or even a fox that was super duper fun and the little leopard cubs that you're made are so cute just like all of your so i hope all of y'all had a lot of fun and i hope you'll keep reading listening to and telling stories and keep your imagination running free and wild

this is pratik from amateur katha signing off bye [Music] you