

# Sample Questions

Honeybee

### **Book:**

The Wednesday Wars

### Film:

Akeelah and the Bee

Focus Value:

Honesty

### 3 SAMPLE QUESTIONS BASED ON THE BOOK 'The Wednesday Wars'

# 1. Why does Holling Hoodhood have to stay in school on Wednesday afternoons?

- A) He is failing all his classes
- B) He has to spend time with his teacher, Mrs. Baker, while the rest of the class goes to religious instruction
  - C) He is being punished for misbehavior
  - D) He is part of a special gifted program

# 2. How does Holling's relationship with Mrs. Baker change throughout the story?

- A) They remain distant and formal
- B) He begins to respect and trust her as she challenges and supports him
- C) They argue constantly without resolution
- D) She ignores him for most of the year

# 3. What is one of the main themes of The Wednesday Wars?

- A) The importance of sports above academics
- B) Friendship, personal growth, and standing up for yourself
  - C) Magic and fantasy as a way to escape reality
  - D) Only winning matters in school competitions

### 3 SAMPLE QUESTIONS BASED ON THE FILM 'Akeelah and the Bee'

# 1. What motivates Akeelah to participate in spelling bees?

- A) She wants to make her friends jealous
- B) She loves words and wants to challenge herself
- C) She wants to avoid schoolwork
- D) She wants to travel the world

#### 2. How does Dr. Larabee help Akeelah?

- A) He gives her the answers for the competitions
- B) He trains and mentors her to improve her spelling and confidence
- C) He discourages her from competing
- D) He replaces her in the spelling bee

#### 3. What is one of the main lessons of the story?

- A) Only talent matters, not effort
- B) Hard work, determination, and support from others can help achieve your goals
- C) Winning is the only thing that matters
- D) Competitions are a waste of time

### 3 SAMPLE QUESTIONS BASED ON THE FOCUS VALUE 'Honesty'

#### 1. What does it mean to be honest?

- A) Always agreeing with others
- B) Telling the truth and acting with integrity
- C) Doing whatever is easiest
- D) Keeping secrets from everyone

#### 2. Why is honesty considered an important value?

- A) It helps build trust and strong relationships
- B) It makes life more complicated
- C) It allows people to get away with mistakes
- D) It is only important in school

# 3. What can happen if someone chooses to be dishonest?

- A) People may stop trusting them
- B) They will always succeed
- C) Nothing will ever change
- D) They will be praised for cleverness