



Faisal's mother dropped him off at the community centre. "Ma'a Salaama, Faisal! Enjoy the short story day!" she called out as Faisal ran to meet his friends in the library. He was so excited and didn't want to be late. Short Story Day was an annual event organized by Uncle Farhan, Ali's brother and a teacher at their school. This was an opportunity for the kids to share their short stories with each other at the library and then with the orphan children at Omar's Orphanage.