

GRADE: 10

COURSE : CBSE A

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

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TITLE: THE DIARY OF ANNE FRANK

About the writer: ANNE FRANK ( main character too)

About the character:

Anne Frank: Anne was a lovely girl, who was determinant girl. A fair thrust for knowledge, she had been asked to write three essays by her teacher for talking in the class. She wrote them in a terrific way that her teacher got impressed with her and gave up his anger. This proves her determination and her writing expertise. As she felt loneliness, she started writing a diary which was gifted to her by her father on her 13<sup>th</sup> birthday. When she died, her father somehow found her diary and got that published too, as he felt her diary was an amazing piece of writing to be published.

Overview- The chapter is not a novel or a story. It's a diary written by Anne Frank, where she had shared her feelings, depression, anxiety, all those facts that she could not share with anyone. She considered her diary as her best friend. She was all alone though she had a large family.

Flow of the chapter-

1. Anne is a Jewish girl.
2. She wrote this diary in 1929 during 2<sup>nd</sup> world war.
3. They were hiding from Germans when they attacked on Holland.
4. She starts writing the diary.
5. She considers the diary as her best friend, she names it ' Kitty'.
6. She keeps segregated from her family in terms to share her heart with them other than with her diary.
7. She says 'paper has more patience than a paper'.
8. She loves her father a lot who is most loving and caring according to her.
9. Her mother father got married when father was thirty six and mother was twenty five.
10. Her mother Edith Hollander Frank goes to Holland with her father and Anne is sent to Aachen with her sister Margot to stay with her grandmother.
11. Then Margot shifts to Holland in September and Anne follows her in December.
12. She starts her schooling from Montessori.
13. At school she shares a special bond with her teacher Mrs Kuperus , who is the headmistress too.
14. They celebrated her birthday as well ,which was her( grandmother) last birthday.

15. The grandmother was the only person with whom she was so attached with.
16. She is given with essay writing on the topic 'Chatterbox' by her Maths teacher for talking a lot in the class.
17. She writes that she would try to improve but couldn't.
18. Further she gets punishment to write on the topics- 'An incorrigible chatterbox' and 'Quack Quack quack said mistress chatterbox' for writing.
19. The third one she writes in a poetry form in satire, but the professor takes that lightly.
20. Then after she speaks in the class uninterruptedly.

#### Conclusion:

'The diary of Anne Frank' is an excerpt taken from the diary written by Anne Frank. She has poured out her heart in the diary during the period of II<sup>nd</sup> world war, German occupation over Netherland. She had shared her thoughts and feelings with her best friend 'Kitty' the diary, she wasn't able to share with anyone. She had been feeling alone despite having a family. Her persistent efforts of writing the essays, made her teacher get impressed with her and she accomplished the chance to talk in the class uninterrupted. Hers story is a heart-touching writing, that can move a reader's heart and inspirational too.