

Annexure 1 -

Group 1: Role Play Script

Narrator – Invites the first group to present. There are five main characters in the role play – Politician, Ravi, Priya, Ananya, and Deepak.

There are six characters in the natak:

- 1. Ravi
- 2. Priya
- 3. Ananya
- 4. Deepak
- 5. Politician
- 6. Crowd Members 6-8 students.
- 7. Narrator Office bearer

Note: Everyone will stand in Circle/rectangle (as possible in class), and when the characters perform, they will sit at their place in circle so that characters can be seen.

Opening Line (2 times): Aao aao, natak dekho. Aao aao, natak dekho. (Everyone moves in the circle, says loudly and claps)

(Everyone will sit, and Politician will come inside the circle and says the line – student can wear the politician role tag)

Politician: (Energetic) Saathyion. Thank you for coming today. It has been a good term of 5 years with you all. I promise that this time if you vote for me, we will build a new school with high class facilities in your area. We will build a new hospital with world class facilities in your area.

Two members from the crowd: But Netaji, where is that road you promised last time? And what about the proper water supply?

Everyone says together: Bolo Netaji, Bolo Netaji!

(Ananya will come inside – student can wear the role tag)

Politician – Don't worry the work is in progress and we will finish just after the election, trust me.

Crowd/party members with Neta ji – Jai ho Neta Ji ki Jai ho!!

Politician left with his party members.

Ananya: (Passionately to the crowd) But friends, this is the beauty of our democracy, if Netaji is not fulfilling his promises from last 5 years, how we can trust him for next five years. We have power of vote and we can choose another suitable representative for us.

Let us make sure we use the power to choose the right one this time.



(Everyone goes back to the circle)

Everyone sings together 2 times: Suno Suno! Suno! WE HAVE THE POWER OF CHOOSING REPRESENTATIVES

(Everyone moves/sits in the circle, says this loudly and claps softly)

(Ravi, Priya, and Deepak will come inside – student can wear the name tag)

Ravi: (Disappointed) Priya, can you believe it? This man is standing here again. Asking for our votes. He has not done anything for our community. Why should we vote anyway? No one does anything for us.

Priya: I understand that this politician has not done anything, so we change him. How do we do that?

Deepak: By voting my friend. Vote is our biggest power. Just now Ananya made us aware of this magical power. Let us use it this time.

(Everyone goes back to the circle)

Everyone says together 2 times: VOTE IS OUR BIGGEST POWER!

Everyone takes the pledge together – "Aao hum sab Desh Apnayen, chalta hai ko door bhagaya, bhavishya bachayen, Bhagya banayen. Hum badlenge, desh badlega"

Narrator – Invites the second group to present. There are five main characters in the role play – Seema, Ali, Rita, James, Divya and Rajiv.

Group 2: Role Play Script

There are six characters in the natak:

- 1. Seema
- 2. Ali
- 3. Rita
- 4. James
- 5. Divya
- 6. Rajiv
- 7. Crowd Members 6-8 students.

Note: Everyone will stand in Circle/rectangle (as possible in class), and when the characters perform, they will sit at their place in circle so that characters can be seen.

Opening Line (2 times): Aao aao, natak dekho. Aao aao, natak dekho. (Everyone moves in the circle, says loudly and claps)



(Seema and Rita will come inside – student can wear the role tag)

Seema: Oh, look Rita, the politician is again making false promises to us. Where is the school or the road, he promised us last time? Where is it?

Everyone says together: Where is it? Where is it? (OR to add drama element, group can say – batao batao kahan hai? Kidhar hai? - optional)

Rita: Seema, you say that he did not fulfil his promises. But how do you know this? How did you say that so confidently?

Seema: I saw his manifesto last year and I have a copy of it at home.

Everyone says together: Manifesto? What is that? (OR to add drama element, group can say – Ye Manifesto, manifesto kya hai, ye manifesto manifesto? - optional)

(Ali will come inside – student can wear the role tag)

Ali: (Looking towards the crowd and circling and telling everyone): Manifesto is a document which every party shares with the people when asking for votes. It has a list of things/promises that they will do for the people. We should make sure we read the manifestos of all the candidates/parties before voting to understand their plan for our area/community and benefits they will ensure for local community.

(Everyone goes back to the circle)

Everyone sings together 2 times: Suno Suno! Suno! MAKE SURE TO READ THE MANIFESTO

(Divya will come inside)

Divya: WOW! I read the Manifesto this time and understood the importance of it to know more about the candidate or party work in future. It will give me a chance to make better decisions when we vote for eligible candidate this time.

(James and Rajiv will come inside)

James: Yes, infact I always thought it is a waste of time to vote but now after reading the manifesto, I am looking forward to vote.

Rajiv: (Passionately to the crowd): Well James! Voting makes the government. Voting is the biggest way through which you can contribute to your society. Each vote counts.

James: Then this time we should make sure that maximum of us vote.

(Everyone goes back to the circle)

Everyone sings together 2 times: **Suno Suno! Suno Suno! EACH VOTE COUNTS** (Everyone moves/site in the circle, says this loudly and claps softly)

Everyone takes the pledge together – "Hum bharat ke log, apne desh ki tarraki ke liye apne matdaan ke adhikar ka humesha paalan karenge. Hum badlenge, desh badlega"



Note for Teacher: Points to consider for Role Play:

- Teams can sing / dance by themselves to create the necessary music or sound.
- Signature Clap to be decided by group (like single clap or double clap), to follow when collective messaging is given.
- Everyone has to be loud but do not shout when giving collective messaging.
- Every person who enacts needs to be loud, so that others can hear the dialogues.
- Practice at least 2 times before the final presentation.

Reference Links:

Power of voting: https://youtu.be/kKQmN xYhkE

Role play references:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cFNfrzlsSUU

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ha84ttOlaZ0

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yUAGLPtLSAs