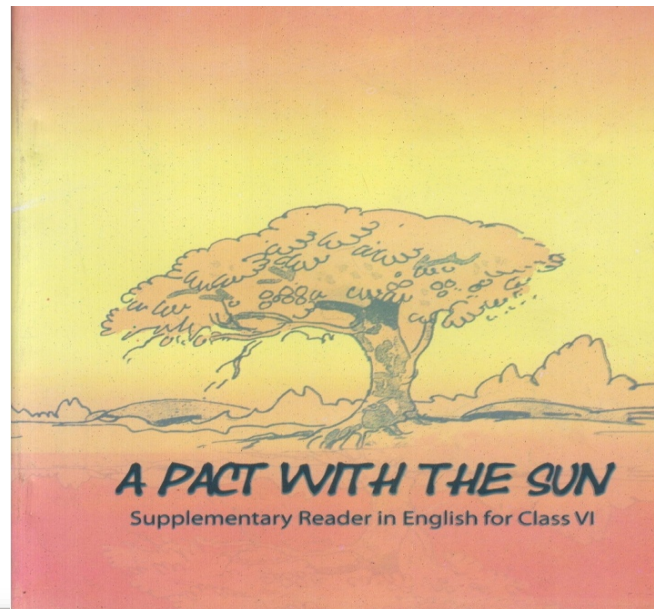


A Pact with the Sun

CLASS VI



KEY WORDS

dingy: shabby, dull, greyish

chronic: long lasting, continuing

afflicted: troubled

exhausted: tired

overcast: gloomy, grey

dejected: disappointed

lament: expression of grief

remnant: remainder

bewildered : surprised

Key points

- Saeeda's mother lives in a small, dark room and is always ill. A good physician gives her effective medicine and sound advice to spend more time in sunshine and fresh air. But when the sky remains overcast with clouds, Saeeda makes a special pact with the sunrays to help her mother get well.
- Saeeda told the sunrays to come the next day with lots of warmth and brightness because her mother was ill and needed their help.