

FIRSTFLIGHT

STD-X

SUBJECT : ENGLISH

CHAPTER NUMBER: 2

CHAPTER NAME : NELSON MANDELA: LONG WALK TO FREEDOM

CHANGING YOUR TOMORROW

GENERAL OBJECTIVES

1. Reading Comprehension
2. Acquaint with short story/Fiction
3. Understanding the plot
4. Understanding characters
5. Developing LSRW Skills
6. Know how to write a story- Beginning, middle and end



INTRODUCTION TO THE WRITER

Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela was born on 18th July, 1918. He was a great hero who gave freedom to the Black in South Africa. He fought the apartheid regime of South Africa which believed in Racism. He became the first Black President of South Africa. This extract forms a part of the autobiography of Nelson Mandela titled 'Long Walk to Freedom'.

Activity- Discussion on the treatment of the Black



THEME OF THE STORY

APARTHEID(uh-paa-taid)

(in South Africa) a policy or system of segregation or discrimination on grounds of race.

- The lesson pays a tribute to those black heroes and patriots who waged a relentless struggle against the apartheid regime of South Africa.
- Here we find a description of the inauguration ceremony held in the union buildings attended by politicians and dignitaries from more than 140 countries. Here Mandela hopes for racism and segregation in the new order.



CHARACTERSKETCH OF NELSON MANDELA

- Great patriot
- Loved his country and country men
- Had a sacrificing nature
- Plunged into the struggle for freedom
- He was declared an outlaw.
- Tortured in jail for several years.
- Showed the traits of tolerance, courage and perseverance.



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