

# Enterprising Storybook 1: The Short and Incredibly Happy Life of Riley




This humorous story compares the short and incredibly happy life of a rat named Riley, with the long, but sometimes unhappy life of many human beings.

## Student learning

- Differentiate between the concepts of needs and wants.
- Understand that humans need to provide for their needs before their wants.
- Identify their own needs and wants.
- Give examples of short-term, medium-term and long term-goals.
- Identify the steps required to achieve a short-term, medium-term, or long-term goal.
- Write a plan to achieve a short-term, medium-term, or long-term goal (may include writing a budget to assist decision making).

## Curriculum links

This unit of work relates to the following key competencies and values: Thinking; Managing Self; Innovation, Inquiry and Curiosity; Integrity; Respect.

-  Year 4-6
-  1-5 hrs
-  Mathematics and Statistics  
English  
Social Sciences
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